# Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Tuesday, Oct. 26.

*A. E. FAY, Editor.*


**Time of Closing Mails.**

P. O., PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA., JULY 27ST, 1868.

Until further notice the mails will arrive at and depart from this office as follows:

ARRIVE.

South and East, via. Irvineton, 10.38 A. M.
South and West, " Meadville, 5.18 P. M.
North and East, " Corry, 2.55 " "

DEPART.

South and West, 8.45 A. M.
South, East and West, 2.30 P. M.
North, East and West, 10.00 A. M.

**Divine Services.**

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7½ o'clock P. M.

REV. J. T. OXTOBY, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sabbath School at 9½ A. M. Seats free. A cordial invitation extended to all.

REV. C. M. HEARD, Pastor.

STS. PETER AND PAUL'S (Catholic) CHURCH.

Mass at 10½ a. m.

Vesper and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 4 p. m.

Catechism at 2 p. m.

JAMES DUNN, Pastor.

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Thayer's Circus has been seized in Cincinnati by the Sheriff, at the suit of creditors, most of them employees of the company. The suits amount to over six thousand dollars.

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Hon. Thomas Ewing, sr., was stricken down with heart disease while in the midst of an argument in the United States Supreme Court at Washington. Late accounts report him out of danger.

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One of the Georgia editors objects to the proposed editorial convention in that State. He says the affair will only be a big drunk, and "we can get drunk at home, on whisky we are used to."

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Gallagher, the prize fighter, narrowly escaped being killed, at St. Louis, early on Thursday morning, having been stabbed by a desperado who was intoxicated in his saloon. He was promptly arrested. Gallagher will be disabled for some weeks.

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Supervisor Smith, of the Western District of New York, and Supervisor Southworth, of the Western District of Pennsylvania, having resigned, ex-Senator John O'Donnell, of New York, and Gen. J. B. Sweitzer, of Pittsburgh, have been nominated by Commissioner Delano to fill the vacancies.

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The financial statement of the Peace Jubilee at Boston has just been made. The receipts were $290[270.33. Expenses $283,-388.29. The balance was presented to the getter up of the Jubilee, Mr Gilmore, which with the proceeds of the benefit concert given him, will amount to $39,028.40.

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DELICIOUS.—Woodcock, Pheasants, Quails and Squirrel will be served at the Rochester House Restaurant to-night. A fresh supply has been secured, and those who desire to feast upon the good things of the season, will give the popular proprietors of the Rochester House a call.

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A 200 BARREL WELL. — Messrs. Winsor Bros., of this place, and Mr. Welch, are the owners of a 200 barrel well at Pleasantville, which commenced pumping yesterday afternoon, and a dispatch received here this morning says it "yields 200 barrels strong." It is located on the Twombly Tract.

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SNOW ON THE CROSS-CUT ROAD. — Snow fell to a depth of 18 inches on the Cross-Cut Road in the vicinity of Brocton, Sherman and Jamestown last night, and cars arriving at this place to-day, which were in that vicinity last night, bring winter's mantle of white, reminding one of what is in store for us.

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A GOOD PUN.—A regular boarder at one of our first-class hotels, who is well known for his adroitness, notwithstanding his slowness of speech, was accosted by the table waiter as to to whether a plate of hash would be agreeable or not, and his answer was emphatically "No." Turning to a neighbor at the table, he made the remark that he "never eat hash unless he has confidence in the cook."

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THE LARGEST HOTEL IN THE WORLD — The New York *Sun* says that when the new Union Hotel of the Leland Brothers in Saratoga is completed, it will be the largest hotel in the world. It will have a frontage of one thousand and fifty feet, five stories high. It is to be built of brick, and divided into nine compartments, almost fireproof. The contractor is to finish the grand hotel by the 1st day of June next.

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When is a cat like a teapot? When you're teasin' it.

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AN INCIDENT OF THE GOLD PANIC.—Here is an incident that transpired during the tremendous gold excitement, when so many fortunes were lost and won: A young man who had been in one of New York's largest bankers' offices for some time and was thoroughly conversant with the operations of the "street" drew some $660 that he had saved and put in the bank and speculated therewith. Fickle fortune smiled on him and by Friday morning he had made $15,-000 profit. His employers, surprised at his luck, advised him to invest that amount with them and they would "make a hundred thousand for him. He very naively replied: "Charley has made fifteen cool; Charley will stop!" Charley that night was worth $15,000 — Charley's employers not fifteen cents. Such is life; more strange than fiction.

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SUICIDE IN MEADVILLE.—The Meadville *Republican* of the 25th inst., brings us the sad news of the death of Collin C. McClean, by a pistol shot from his own hands, on Saturday afternoon last, near the McHenry House, in Meadville. The deceased was a young man but 19 years of age, a resident of Gettysburg, this State, where his parents reside. His father is a prominent lawyer in the southern part of Pennsylvania, and the deceased was highly respected at home as a young man of promise, religiously inclined, and withal one in whom the community placed the utmost confidence. His sad end is attributed to the fact that his eyes were growing very weak, and he labored under the impression that sooner or later he would become blind, and chose death rather than the misfortune of loosing his eye-sight. He came to Meadville at the solicitation of his parents, to spend some time with a relative near Meadville, thinking that this change would benefit his sight. His death will cast a gloom over the quiet village of Gettysburg, and his parents will deeply feel the loss of a beloved son.

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The slung-shot with which Twitchell, the Philadelphia murderer, killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. Hill, has been found. It is a pear-shaped lump of lead, the base of it being hollow, and the cavity is smeared with blood. The handle of it is made of strips of leather being plaited together. The lead is very much battered, and there are about half a dozen impressions of heads on its surface. This corroborates the opinions of several learned physicians, subpœnaed as witnesses, who stoutly maintained throughout the trial that the wounds upon the skull of Mrs. Hill could not have been caused by the bloody poker which was produced at the trial, and which was not at all bent.

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RIP VAN WINKLE.—Mr. James Fox, an old gentleman of 65 years, and a citizen of Clarion county, made his first trip by rail on the Franklin Branch one day last week with Conductor White. The locomotive which moved the train was the first he had ever saw, and his observations to the Conductor about railroad traveling were decidedly original and amusing. He is the "Rip Van Winkle" of Clarion.—*Meadville Republican.*

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A little six year old girl who attended church in a meeting house recently remodeled, was enlarging eloquently on the beauties of the edifice, when a young friend interrupted her by inquiring if she supposed the minister preached any better than he did in the old house. "Well," said the enthusiast, "I guess he does; at any rate dinner tastes better when you have a nice clean plate to eat off of." This settled the matter.

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A man by the name of Eke Eads, in Greene county, N. Y., is strangely deformed. He is without ears, and never had any. He gathers sound through the medium of his mouth, and can hear anything said to him in an ordinary conversation. Equally as strange, his hair is black, with white spots nearly as large as the palm of a man's hand interspersed through it. He is about 45 years of age, and is the happy possessor of thirteen living children. His occupation is that of a chairmaker.

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Here we read of a clever invention: A private soldier in California has invented a new method of skimming milk. He fits a fine gauze seive to a hoop of the size of the pan. The milk is then poured into the pan so as to a little more than cover the seive. When the cream has risen the hoop is lifted, and the cream is thus completely removed.

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"Sim," the chief of the Washoe Indians, is dead. A newspaper published among the Rocky mountains says of him: "He was a good, though very dirty red man. He possessed a well balanced head of hair and stomach enough for all he could get to eat. His regard for truth was notable—he never meddled with it. He left no will, and his estate consisted of a pair of boots."

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A yankee artist recently painted a winter scene so true to nature, that a child which slept near was frozen to death.

# TELEGRAPH

REPORTED FOR THE DAILY RECORD,

## Afternoon Dispatches.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.

Brewter has been tendered by Gov. Geary the position of Attorney General of this State, now occupied by Benj. Harris. Brewste was former Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and one of the majority of the Court that decided the election contests in favor of Republican contestants.

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London, Oct. 25.

Nearly all the metropolitan papers to-day have obituary notices of the late Earl Derby.

The Times, in an obituary on Lord Derby, says: No man can be a statesman without a statesmanlike temperament. With this the Earl of Derby was never endowed. He was too impulsive to resist the temptation of making sallies or enemies. His sneer at the Italian struggles will always be remembered as a proof of his recklessness in speaking on foreign affairs. The Duke of Wellington bequeathed to him his influence in the House of Lords, but the bequest could not be executed, and the mantle of the Duke's soldierlike virtues had not descended on his successor. Great as was his ascendancy among the Conservative Peers, he never gained the confidence of his countrymen.

The Standard predicts that while the present generation lives Lord Derby will be remembered throughout his own province, not only as an orator, scholar and statesman of whom Lancashire may well be proud, but as a man who in the direct trial took his place as leader in the work of relief and charity, as the rich man who cared for the sorrows of the poor, and the great man who respected the pride of the lowly, not as the Premier of England, but as a kindly neighbor, generous friend, and Christian gentleman.

## Local Notices.

**CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS!**

JUST RECEIVED, some nice paterns, at THE FURNITURE STORE.

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**CONJUGAL LOVE**

**and the Happiness of True Marriage**

ESSAYS for Young Men on the Errors, Abuses and Diseases which destroy the Manly Powers and create impediments of MARRIAGE, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes free of charge. Address Howard Association. Box. P., Philadelphia, Pa. sep21:3m.

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**Use Morrison's Genuine Pine Tar and Persian Healing Soaps.**

These soaps are impregnated with exotics of the mildest and most Balsamic nature, and are warranted perfectly innocent and free from mineral and other pernicious admixtures, and are selected by the ladies and the public in general in preference to all other soaps, as the great producers and preservers of a healthy purity of complexion, and a conservator of female beauty. For the softness and delicacy which they induce to the hands and face their capability of soothing irritation and removing unsightly eruptions, render them indispensible to every toilet. We kindly ask the public to try the virtues of these soaps. J. L. H. & Co., Proprietors.

A. D. Miller & Co., General Agents. jul22:3m.

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**Special Notice.**

WORDS OF WISDOM for young men, on the Ruling Passion in Youth and Early Manhood, with SELF HELP for the erring and unfortunate. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address HOWARD ASSOCIATION Box P, PHILADELPHIA Pa. May 24, 3m

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**Crockery**—For all kinds go to REYNOLDS BRODHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre Street, opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

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**Carpets,** of every quality and description, at REYNOLDS, BRODHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre Street, opposite the P. O., Oil City, Pa.

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**New Flour, Feed and Grocery Store!**

**J. S. PRATHER,**

At the OLD BANK BUILDING, ON MAIN-ST, opposite the McClintock House, has on hand a large and first class stock of **Flour, Feed and Groceries,** which he is selling at a low figure.

☞ Don't forget the place—where A. D. Cotton & Company broke up.

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## The New York Meat Market!

H. & W. PARKER have fitted up a new building on

**On Main street, Opposite the McClintock House,**

And intend keeping what Petroleum Centre has long needed, a first-class Meat Market. Only the

**CHOICEST AND BEST MEATS**

will be kept. It will be our aim to serve our customers with promptness and to their entire satisfaction.

sept16tf. H. W. PARKER.

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**INTERNATIONAL HOTEL,**

MILLER FARM, PA.

JOHN E. ROWE, - Prop'r.

Good accommodations for transient customers—Day Board and Board with rooms on reasonable terms. The proprietor will spare no pains to make his House attractive to guests. June2 tf.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**NOTICE.**

ALL my friends and customers are hereby notified respectfully, that I have sold my building known as the Brocton House, in Washington street Petroleum Centre. All baggage left in my care, belonging to other parties, can be found by applying to me at my house in Shamburg, known as the Middletown House, near the Post Office. Said baggage can be had at any time by calling on me, or sending an order and paying expenses. Parties claiming any dues of me, will please call during this week for settlement. Oct26:3t. GEO. BARON.

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**First Class Saloon and Restaurant.**

WASHINGTON STREET, Petroleum Centre.

THE best Lager Beer constantly on draught, and and all the choicest Wines and Cigars, Limberger Cheese, Switzer Kase, Sandwiches, Sardines, &c

CORTELYOU & VOUCHER, Proprietors.

Oct 26:tf. (Fred. Schutts old stand.)

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**Boiler for Sale.**

A "Washington" Boiler for sale, rated at from 8 to 10 horse power, in good working order — PRICE, $280. Inquire of Mr. C. P. Button, Rochester House, Petroleum Centre, Pa.

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**C. A. Durfey,**

DEALER in second hand engines, boilers, Tubing, Casing, also new Wood & Mann engines constantly on hand. Having the facilities for

**CLEANING AND REPAIRING ENGINES,**

will do so on the most reasonable terms.

Parties Having Engines for Sale

Will do well to give me a call. Platform near the O. C. & A. R. R.,

**PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA.**

Oct 25, '69 tf.

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## THE RIALTO RESTAURANT,

PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA.

THE undersigned having refitted and opened the Rialto Hotel, on the European plan, is prepared to furnish guests with meals at all hours. All the delicacies of the season constantly on hand.—Private parties supplied at short notice.

FRESH OYSTERS

in the Shell received daily from New York

OYTTERS BY THE QUART,

GALLON OR THOUSAND,

To suit Hotels or Private Families.

Feeling grateful for past favors, I hope by strict attention to business to merit the patronage of the public generally. C. W. TOPLIFF.

Petroleum Centre, Pa., Oct. 26tf.

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**DISSOLUTION.**

The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Wachter & Co., is dissolved, and all parties indebted to the firm, are requested to settle at the old stand, Hess Farm, or at Pet. Centre, opposite the brick bank. Jul24tf H. C. W.

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**FOR SALE.**

Dwelling House for sale. Inquire of

1w. JAMES RUTHERFORD.

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**Dissolution.**

THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of A. D. Miller & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts against the late firm will be settled by M. S. Simmons at the old stand. M. S. SIMMONS,

Pet. Centre, Sept. 2d, '69. A. D. MILLER.

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**AKIN'S HALL.**

This Hall is now ready for theatrical exhibitions concerts, lectures, &c. The Hall has been refitted and strengthened. No pains and expense has been spared to make it a first class

SHOW BUILDING.

On the first floor is one of the best Billiard Rooms in the place. All under one management

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## Coal! Coal! Coal!

THE undersigned, having established a branch

**Yard at Rynd Farm,**

are now prepared to furnish

All Grades of Coal

**At the Very Lowest Prices.**

Operators from Cherrytree Run, and vicinity, living at Petroleum Centre, can leave their orders at our office here, and have them promptly filled from the Rynd Farm Yard.

AT LESS COST THAN USUAL.

**DON'T FORG'T THE PLACE**

SEARLES & CORNWELL,

Office on O. C. & A. R. R., Petroleum Centre.

Branch Office at Rynd Farm.

N. B.—We hold exclusive control of the famous

**STONEBORO COAL.**

at both the above named points Jun2-t.

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## L. D. KELLOGG.

DEALER IN

OIL CITY PAINT

AND

WALL PAPER STORE,

HEAD OF CENTRE STREET.

SASH, DOOR, BLIND

AND

**WINDOWS, READY GLAED**

**PICTURE FRAMES, &c.**

HOUSE & SIGN PAINTING

GLAZING & PAPER HANGING

TO ORDER

QUICK SALES, SMALL PROFIT

L. D. KELLOGG.

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**CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES**

A fine assortment at the Furniture Store.

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FOR THE

# Fall Trade

**NEW GOODS,**

**NEW GOODS,**

# J. BAUM,

WASHINGTON ST.,

## Petroleum Centre, Pa.

HAS JUST OPENED A LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF

**FOREIGN & DOMESTIC**

# DRY GOODS,

For the Fall Trade, embracing a full Line

*BLACK ALAPACAS,*

*POPLIN ALAPCAS,*

*POPLINS, SILKS*

# CLOAKS,

## SHAWLS,

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Chintzes, Calicos, Muslins, and a choice assortment of

**LADIES AND GENTS**

**FURNISHING GOODS,**

And also a choice assortment of FLANNELS, very cheap. Our Line of Alpacas and Poplin Alpacas is the finest and cheapest in the place. sept13:tf

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NEW HARDWARE STORE!

**ROBERT BRYAN & CO.,**

Beg leave to announce to the citizens of Petroleum Centre and vicinity, that they have opened a new store in the rear of the office of the Central Petroleum Company at the railroad crossing, where they will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of everything in the Hardware line, such as

TIN AND SHEET IRON WARE,
GAS FITTINGS AND
BRASS GOODS.

Mr. Bryan having been engaged in the business with Messrs. Winser Bro's. for four years past, will attend particularly to the business of manufacturing

**SMOKE STACKS!**

All kinds of Tin and Sheet Iron Ware to order.

GAS AND STEAM FITTING, &C.

They have a New Machine for

CUTTING GAS PIP

With an entire

SET OF NEW DIES,

And will warrant all work in this line. Apr9.

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## A. T. LEGGETT,

Manufacturer and Dealer in

# HARNESS,

## Seed Bags,

## Valve Cups, &c.

Experienced workmen are employed, and Harness of all kinds kept constantly on hand and made to order.

**P. C. Heinz's Pat. Seed-Bag For Sale.**

Repairing Done at all Times!

Call and examine our stock and prices,

**Main-St., below the McClintock House.**

Petroleum Centre, Pa., Jan. 7th, 1869 -tf

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**J. G. OGDEN,**

## FLOUR AND FEED STORE,

**NO. 37 CENTRE-ST.,**

**OIL CITY, PA.**

This is the best establishment of the kind in the Oil Region Flour and Feed sold at wholesale and retail. aug1-tf.