

Court commences on Jan. 20.

Lively snow storm here on Monday.

Woolen socks and mittens at Morgester's.

There will be no jury at the January term of Court.

Yeast cakes that will give satisfaction at Morgester's.

The open winter has been very unfavorable to the lumber business.

This is leap year girls don't fail to improve the opportunity for leap year only comes once in four years.

Last week the pigeons were flying in great numbers over this village. If they fly this week their toes will be mighty cold.

The County Auditors have been busy setting up the accounts of the Treasurer, Sheriff and Commissioners for the business of the year 1879.

A considerable amount of lumber was run to market on the recent flood. The lumber market at Pittsburgh remains firm, and the outlook bright.

All note-heads and letter-heads printed at this office will be bound, without extra charge, with our patent blotter tablet. Call and see specimens.

Morgester has filled his store room full of new goods, a full line of sugars, syrups, molasses, &c. Everything usually kept in a No. 1 grocery will be found at this establishment.

Don't you think you had better subscribe for THE ADVOCATE about this time in the year? For \$2.50 each we will send the American Agriculturist and ADVOCATE for one year.

Washington's Birth Day, Dec. 22nd, and the Glorious Fourth all come on Sunday this year. We have election day left to us all the same, and will see to it that the day is properly celebrated.

A Sunday School Convention is to be held in the school house near Hick's Run, Cameron county, commencing Jan. 15, 1880, at 10 o'clock P. M., and closing Jan. 17, at 4 P. M. Persons from Pittwood leave the train at Miller's Station. L. B. B. President.

E. S. Watson, of Williamsport, and Chairman of the State Committee of the N. G. L. Party of this State delivered his lecture "The New Confiler - Concentrate Your Fire," at Hick's Hall Tuesday evening, to an attentive audience. The gentleman is a pleasant and forcible speaker.

We have received from Mr. Chas. B. Earley a copy of the catalogue for 1879-80, of the University of Pennsylvania in West Philadelphia. The University now gives instructions in six different departments, viz.: the classical or collegiate department; the scientific department; the medical department; the law department; the dental department and the department of music. There are 57 professors, 67 instructors, demonstrators, etc., and 1600 students, of whom 525 belong to the medical department. Probably there are only two other schools in the country so large.

Elevation of our Goddess.

The Iron Goddess of Justice, which the County Commissioners have furnished to surmount the dome of our new Court House, was formally raised to her exalted position on Friday, Jan. 9, 1880, and at an altitude of 144 feet from the foundation of the structure which she presides, she stands with the never-varying balance of exactness in one hand, emblematic of true weight equal and exact justice to all men no matter what their cause, or whether sustained by Mammon's heap of gold, or coming in rags crushed by the chilly winds of poverty or the storm clouds of wretchedness, while in the other palm she bears the bare sword of stern retributive justice, as though the head of the offender should roll at her feet and the cries of mercy be heard in vain. This kind of justice is the kind the world needs, but were it not better that this stern monster should be tempered with mercy, for, what are we without charity?

Company Election.

On Thursday evening of last week pursuant to notice given, the officers and members of Co. H to the number of 23 met at their armory to elect a captain to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of Capt. Schoening's commission. Col. Ames, of St. Mary's of Gov. Hoyt's staff, held the election. Capt. Schoening being absent a committee of three: Parsons, Cuthbert and O. G. Kells, were appointed to wait on him and ascertain whether he would accept the captaincy if elected to it. The committee waited on the Captain at his residence, and returning reported that he could not accept the position if elected to it, although he had no authority to prevent the members of the company from voting for him if they wished. Sgts. Parsons and Wilson were detailed to act as clerks, whereupon a count of the votes cast resulted in Capt. Schoening receiving 23 votes (the entire number cast). After the election Col. Ames complimented the company, and in glowing terms set forth the advancement the whole national guard of the State was making, saying that it was the determination of those in authority to make the Guard of the Keystone State what it should be, the finest in the land. Three hearty cheers for Col. Ames, and three for Capt. Schoening were then given when the meeting adjourned.

Notice to Correspondents and Others.

Hereafter THE ADVOCATE will go to press at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, consequently all advertisements and correspondence must be handed in not later than Wednesday noon to insure insertion in the current issue.

Personal Items.

Pete Meenan is firing an engine in Benetzette township.

D. C. Varner is again in Ridgway after an absence of several weeks.

Jennie Stout, an employee of Jas. McAfee, is visiting at Lock Haven.

E. S. Watson, the Mechanic Orator, called at THE ADVOCATE office on Tuesday.

Miss Emma Olmsted is now teaching school at Portland, Spring Creek township.

L. C. Dickinson, of Parker, was in town from Saturday until Monday. Clark is looking first rate.

Jas. D. Fullerton, dentist, will be at Benetzette for about two weeks counting from last Monday.

C. V. Gillis was in town last week. He reports having had a little racket with a burglar at Kane. He shot at the thief but as the light was imperfect he missed his mark and played the duce with the glass in a show case.

C. L. Chamberlin, of Horton township, brings us a piece of pine bark four inches thick which was cut from a pine tree at a point twelve feet from the ground. We call this thick bark.

Monday last Jacob McAnley had a horse badly injured on the Shawmut R. R. where he has the contract for taking up the rails. On Tuesday the old horse died. He was nearly twenty-three years old and had been owned by Mr. McAnley for eighteen years, and his death seemed like the death of an old friend.

Pure spices and baking powder at Morgester's.

The weather this winter has been as "Variable as the shade by a trembling aspen made." At Christmas time we had a slight run of sleighing and on Christmas day quite a fall of snow took place. From Christmas until New Year's there was a cold, blistering, spell of weather with little snow. Sleighting on New Year's Day fair to middling. Since which time and up to last Monday, the weather has at short intervals been decidedly cool, about the same as a fellow and girl who have "quarrelled," but nearly all the time we have been blessed with spring weather and an abundance of mud. Last Monday snow commenced to fall, and at the present writing Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 14) the aspect is decidedly wintry.

Finest table syrup in town for sale at Morgester's grocery store.

An exchange speaks our sentiments exactly when it says the nuisance of children running to the post-office three or four times a day for the family or other mail matter should be abated. No sooner is school out than there is a general stampede for the post-office by most of the children, and for upwards of half an hour the post-office officials are annoyed by all kinds of questions. Parents should instruct their children in this matter. -Ridgway Advocate.

Bear a little with it Henry. Wasn't you a school children, once yourself? In a town of the size of Ridgway there should not be so many children but you could be found for all. Our boys and girls may take the gentle hint however. -DuBois City Courier.

Star-banded bonnet herring, fine thing for table use, at Morgester's.

Last week we had the pleasure of visiting the pleasant little town of Ridgway, and to do it justice it is our duty to speak of its many excellences. The Teachers' Institute was in session in their school building, of which Ridgway might well be proud. Proud not only of this building but others, such as the new Court House, Hyde's Opera House, several churches and many private dwelling houses. The two tonneries in the immediate vicinity make the business relations much better. People too often get a wrong impression of such towns, as they are situated in the mountains. They think there is no way that such a town may make any advancement in education. But let those persons visit this town and examine it for self-satisfaction. When a town has such good teachers as this one has, what result could one look for then that which they have gained in this department? Good schools also indicate that people also have good moral and good social qualities. Persons will find by visiting the town, young ladies and young gentlemen of refined manners and good morals, and not habitually addicted to the use of the low and vulgar phrases we too often hear in the homes of many inhabitants of other places. A stranger is not sneered at, but rather treated with respect, and all try to make the town a pleasant place for him. The young people find something to do besides spending their time by flirting with every young man or young lady they meet. Nearly all the professions are represented by able men who adorn their profession by all possible skill and scholarship. Two ably edited newspapers are at the head of the two opposing parties, ready to discuss matters relative to their respective supporters; and also prepared to give the current news of the day. The people of Elk county have made a wise choice when they selected a place with so many advantages, to be their county seat. Well may the people of Ridgway be glad of their town not only leading in their county but also in the State of Pennsylvania. -Sterling Gazette.

Poor Old Bob.

[In Memoriam.]

Robert was the title we gave him, although for years he was known by the simple and unassuming name of Bob.

And with a more likely youth have we never been acquainted.

Although of a slightly quarrelsome disposition at times, yet on the whole a more kindly, whole-souled chap it has never been our fortune to meet.

He was passionately fond of the softer sex, and of a sunshiny day he may have been seen with a legion (more or less) of the gentle dames of his acquaintance, taking a stroll or basking in the sunny sun.

Noted for his correct habits in the matter of retiring and rising, it can be said of him that never in his long life did he fall of closing his eyes with the sun's receding shades or opening them with the dawn.

And at his rising the whole neighborhood gave ear to his morning melodies.

Always cheerfully no matter what the weather and always ready to come at the slightest call of distress, his friends were legions, and on many points his decision was law.

He was never yet beaten in combat although the stories of his battles would fill many volumes.

And his belligerent neighbors stood in a holy fear of him, as criminals the law and constable.

He never fought unless forced to, while the times he has acted as peace-maker space forbids us to number.

The close of his career was in strange contradiction to the quarrelsome part of his eventful life.

But a few days of silent illness and he was gathered to his last long sleep.

Painless was his death and quiet were his final hours.

And now as we follow out his narrow bed and lay him in his last silent rest.

Many reminiscences of his youth and manhood flash through our memory as with sad contentance we pile the clouds of the garden over his silent breast.

All have their faults and he was no exception although many, many times, outweighed by his nobler qualities, so much so in fact, that we forget his evils and only think of his good, although it is said "The evil men do live after them, the good is oft interred with their bones."

Not so shall it be with Bob.

With Robert we bury his few evils. While his excellent qualities shall be handed down to the generations as household tradition.

Robert, Bob, we regret your taking off and our pen fails to do justice to your memory.

Your place will never be filled by such another.

"Bob" was a beautiful black-breasted game cock aged five years, lately deceased, of which my Editor has been the owner since he was hatched.

Relating to the mutual rights of directors and teachers, we present the following decision thereon from State Superintendent Wickersham, than whom no one is better fitted to elaborate the school laws: "There is but one time in the year when directors can adopt a new series of text books for the schools under their charge, or change old ones, and that is between the time of electing teachers and the opening of the schools. Section 23, net of May 8, 1854, says: That immediately after the annual election of teachers in each school district of the State, and before the opening of the schools for the ensuing term, there shall be a meeting of the directors or controllers and teachers of each district; at which meeting the directors or controllers shall decide upon a series of school books, in the different branches to be taught during the ensuing school year; which books, and no other, shall be used in the schools of the district during said period. Such is the law, with this exception, that books cannot now be changed in a school district more frequently than once in three years. In order to determine legally a question concerning text books therefore, there must be a meeting of teachers and directors held at the time named in the law. Changes of text books made at any time wholly without legal sanction, and if made known would subject a district to the loss of the State appropriation, if not the infliction of greater penalties.

The fact that seventy-one members of the Republican state committee, out of a full membership of ninety-nine, attended the meeting at Philadelphia on Tuesday, is an indication of the importance with which the approaching campaign is viewed. Never before in the history of the party was there such a large attendance, and every one present was decidedly in favor of a bold, vigorous, aggressive campaign. And the fact that such an early date for the state convention was fixed, shows that the members fully appreciate the importance of decisive work. The Republicans of Pennsylvania intend that their state shall not lag behind, nor give forth any uncertain sound in the great work now before the party, but shall step boldly to the front and assume a leadership that will be felt throughout the union. -Williamsport G. & B.

The old and reliable firm of D. S. Andrus & Co., of Williamsport, Pa., have been selling musical instruments for nearly twenty years. Those who purchase from such a firm buy with safety. Prices of organs at a monthly rental of five dollars, from \$125 to \$175, the very best, and will allow all the rent to apply on a purchase of the organ if they buy. Where will you get as good an offer?

Dent's Run and Dry Saw Mill.

-Stormy weather prevails.

-Roads are very muddy, and lumbermen complain of not having good weather for their work.

-One of Smith & Flock's men cut himself very badly last week and was brought out of the woods and sent to his home.

-A lady of Dent's Run thinks the song entitled "The Faded Coat of Blue" is perfectly splendid and did not feel slighted in the least because a certain person wearing one turned his back to her when she entered the store.

-Our "Prophet" says: If a young man receives a call from a nice young lady he would shake hands with the President right away if he were where he could. Try it Mr. President and see if the "Prophet" does not fall this time.

-A certain gentleman says he has fished many times in Lake Geneva in the state of New York. Can it be possible?

-Extra session of the S. S. Convention will be held at the red school house at 9 o'clock A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M. Also at Benetzette at 7 o'clock on Jan. 18th, 1880.

D. C. I.

Brookwayville Locals.

-The Methodist Revival Meetings, conducted by the Rev. J. W. Martin, closed with the Week of Prayer. The meetings have been continued during the past six weeks, we regret to say with little apparent success.

-Cook Meeker, lately employed in the drug store of A. J. Thompson, is about to start a grocery store in this place.

-The County Grange, comprising members from nine different Granges, held their Pomona session in Brookwayville, Wednesday, Jan. 7.

-It was reported on the streets, a few days ago, that the coal underlying the land to the south and east of this village, had been sold. Although the report proved to be false, yet it was the cause of considerable excitement, as the people thought it to be the best indication for a railroad yet received.

At a meeting of the coal owners, it was decided to give the agents six months more time in order to complete the sales.

-Owing to the bad roads of late, we have not seen the usual number of people in town. But on Saturday last the beautiful weather induced many to disregard the mud. Having occasion to enter the store of B. T. Chapin, we found the clerks all busy, and were obliged to sit down and wait our turn with all the patience that characterizes a man when he enters a barber shop and finds there are half a dozen ahead of him.

-The engineer corps, like a band of Northampton robbers, drop in upon this quiet village and disappears almost as suddenly. Although they have not appeared dangerous heretofore, yet two of their number bear the unmistakable marks of a contest in form of blacked eyes. Amongst the corps we recognize M. J. Sebram who used to be one of our boys. If as they boys thought that a few years absence would cause such a marvelous change in our appearances, we would pack our valises and start at once.

-E. C. Neyer, the Democrat devil, came home to spend the holidays with his folks. Ed. is somewhat changed from the boy we used to know, but we credit it to that model of propriety set before him in the Democrat office. He so far departed from his usual manner as to cast shy glances at the young ladies as they passed by. We did not fail to detect a lingering desire that "Skip" would prolong his vacation until after leap year had been ushered in.

NIXEWEEDEN.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for February is already on our table, as usual; and is even more beautiful, in some respects, than the January one. The double-size colored fashion plate; the illustrated story, "Alice Gray's Trials"; and some new and exquisite designs in Japanese embroidery, including a colored pattern, are among these. The stories are all remarkably good. Mrs. Burnett's "Fair Barbarian," is continued, and is brighter than ever. "Lost," by Mrs. Ann S. Stephens, is the best novel even she has written for years. We have so often praised "Peterson," that it is nothing better in the way of a lady's magazine. When we remember that it contains, every year, about 1000 pages; 14 superb steel engravings; 12 double-sized colored fashion plates; 12 Berlin, or other colored patterns; and some 900 wood engravings, the wonder is how so much, and of such excellence, can be given for only two dollars a year. And to clubs the prices are even lower. Premiums, too, are given to persons for getting up clubs. Every lady ought to take this magazine, no matter what else she takes. It seems to us it must be indispensable. Now is the time to subscribe. Specimens are sent, gratis, to those wishing to get up clubs. Back numbers from January can always be supplied. Address, CHAS. J. PETERSON, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

N. B. - We will furnish "Peterson" with THE ADVOCATE one year for \$3.00.

Children's Sole Leather Tip shoe at P. & K's.

Two weeklies and one monthly for \$2.75. See our "Special to Subscribers" in another column.

Prints. - The most desirable assortment in Western Pennsylvania, now on exhibition at Powell & Kime's mammoth sales rooms.

State Notes.

-A disease resembling diphtheria has made its appearance among horses in some parts of the state.

-A corner clock, 200 years old, ornament the judge's chamber in the court house at Williamsport.

-John Casey, a bachelor of Erie, left an estate of \$500,000, on which the state will collect a collateral inheritance tax of \$25,000.

-The semi-annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Pennsylvania, will be held at Reading, Jan. 29.

-Capt. C. L. Pierce, a young lawyer of Erie, formerly clerk of the court, was choked to death last Sunday at dinner while trying to swallow a large mouthful of meat. A bottle of brandy was found in his pocket and it is supposed he had been drinking.

-Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 16. - The new Republican county standing committee met and organized here this morning. After a hot contest General J. K. Sigfried was elected chairman. A resolution was unanimously passed endorsing J. A. M. Passmore for auditor general, and instructing the Schuylkill delegates at the state convention to demand his nomination.

-The Republican county committee of Beaver county have elected J. R. Hannah senatorial and H. C. Patterson and Silas Warrick representative delegates to the state convention. They go unopposed, but support Judge Green for Supreme Judge and Senator Lemon for Auditor General. Grant is probably the first choice for president and Blaine second. In Beaver county the committee always elects the delegates.

-Saturday morning at Williamsport the jury in the case against Peter Herdic and Horace E. Taylor brought in a verdict of guilty. The charge was conspiracy to defraud creditors in connection with the operations of the banking house of H. E. Taylor & Co., which suspended a couple of years ago. Motion was made for a new trial, bail given and the hearing on the motion put down for March. Judge Mayer, of Clinton county, presided at the trial, which continued several days and has attracted a great deal of attention.

-The case of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company vs. A. B. McLain, case to the Common Pleas of Jefferson county, was decided in the Supreme Court in session at Philadelphia the lower court being reversed and the case sent back for a second trial. It will be remembered that this was a suit brought against the railroad by Mr. McLain for damages, the complaint being his ejection from the train between Du Bois and Reynoldsville, the conductor refusing to honor a round-trip ticket and McLain residing out of payment of fare. The jury gave the plaintiff an award of \$100 damages, from which the railroad took an appeal to the Supreme Court. -Brookville Jeffersonian.

-A few days ago George Barr, a thimble aged 65 years, living at Steubenville in Lancaster county, met with a strange accident, which caused his death. Barr was very eccentric, and was troubled by a gang of boys, who loitered around his house, and to get rid of them Barr took a hub of a carriage wheel plugged one end up and filled it with powder. He then laid a train of powder to the place where the boys usually came, and concealed himself. When the boys appeared he applied a match to the powder, which caused an explosion of the machine, but instead of the boys the old man was himself the victim. His legs and body were terribly mangled. He was carried to the county hospital, where he died. Public sentiment is with the boys.

-There was considerable of a breeze created on Pickering and Main streets Monday evening between eight and nine o'clock. The commotion was caused by a shooting affray indulged in by a party of men who peeped at one another and resulted in the wounding of two of them, John Watt and George Taylor. It seems that Taylor on Pickering St. and for some reason or other a rumup was inaugurated and terminated in Watt receiving a bullet in his hip and Taylor getting an ugly scalp wound. After the parties had separated and Watt was standing in front of Mill & Means' store window talking to Frank Doubles, Gid Taylor approached him with a revolver in his hand and with the remark "Billy Beach, you are a dead man!" fired, but Beach jumped and the bullet missed him and went through the window. Beach then got out of the shooter's way who tried to get another shot at him. Arrests have been made. -Brookville Jeffersonian.

Frank Leslie Dead.

Henry Carter, better known by his adopted name, Frank Leslie, died on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, at his late residence, No. 511 Fifth avenue, New York city. His death was caused by complicated diseases, and his wife said it was hastened by the vexation caused by a recent lawsuit with his son Henry. His vitality was so great that as late as Friday last he prepared the plan for his pictorial journal, and yesterday morning he dressed, walked about the room and partook of a hearty meal. Toward the afternoon his condition became more critical, he gradually sank into unconsciousness, and about 4 o'clock was able only to recognize his wife. He died calmly and without any pain. He was born at Ipswich, England, in 1821.

Light running. Latest Improved DOMESTIC, at prices never heard of before, at Mrs. W. S. Service's.

Census Supervisors.

THE MEN WHO WILL ACT IN THE PENNSYLVANIA DISTRICTS.

Washington, Jan. 9. - It is expected that the list of supervisors of census will be transmitted to the Senate in a few days. Those from Pennsylvania have been agreed upon as follows:

1st district, Philadelphia county - Dr. Thomas H. Sherwood, supported by the Philadelphia delegation.

2d. Chester, Delaware, and Lancaster counties - Prof. H. C. Snowden of Delaware.

3d. Berks, Dauphin, Lebanon, Northumberland and Schuylkill counties - E. A. Howell of Reading.

4th. Bucks, Carbon, Lehigh, Montgomery and Northampton counties - General Schall of Norristown.

5th. Columbia, Lackawanna, Luzern, Monroe, Montour, Pike, Sullivan, Wayne and Wyoming counties - Abe Dunning of Lackawanna.

6th. Bradford, Cameron, Lycoming, McKean, Potter, Susquehanna and Tioga counties - Mr. Hayes of Bradford.

7th. Adams, Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Cumberland, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata, Mifflin, Perry, Snyder, Union and York counties - J. Simpson Africa of Huntingdon.

8th. Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Fayette, Green, Indiana, Somerset and Westmoreland counties - Thomas B. Seagriff of Fayette.

9th. Allegheny, Beaver, Lawrence and Washington counties - Alexander Murdock of Washington.

10th. Armstrong, Butler, Clarion, Crawford, Elk, Erie, Forest, Jefferson, Mercer, Venango and Warren counties - D. S. Richmond of Meadville.

Gen. Garfield Elected U. S. Senator.

Cincinnati, Jan. 13. - Gen. Garfield was today formally elected United States Senator to succeed Thurman. Thurman was supported by the Democrats but was defeated by a vote of 66 to 44 in the assembly and 29 to 12 in the senate.

-To those who are so unfortunate as to become prematurely gray, or whose hair exhibits a tendency to fall off, we recommend a trial of Hall's Hair Renewer. We do so with the utmost confidence because it is everywhere received with marked favor, and has built upon its own merits such a sure foundation that it is known and used in all civilized countries. -Advertisement (N. Y.) Advertiser.

-While Wm. Milliken and Henry Crane, of Belleville, Indiana, were fighting about a dog, on Saturday afternoon, Ellwood Milliken came to the assistance of his father and fatally stabbed Crane. He escaped without arrest.

-McAfee, the tailor, has just received an extensive line of samples for the fall and winter trade. Call and see for yourself.

-Large and small wash tubs, globe wash boards, mopsticks, wood bowls, brooms, &c., at Morgester's.

-Kid Gloves - Ladies' and Gents' - Buck gloves - all kinds of gloves at P. & K's.

-Best quality note paper and envelopes at this office.

-A nice stock of clothing for men, boys and children at P. & K's.

-Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic is the best remedy in use for poor appetite, weakness and trembling in the stomach, nervousness, heartburn, sourness and gnawing pains in the stomach, nervousness when tired, constipation and other diseases of the bowels arising from poor digestion. One bottle lasts nearly three weeks. Price \$1.00.

Dr. Day's Cure for Head-ache is the only remedy known that will stop an attack of sick or nervous head-ache in its commencement; only three or four doses, half an hour apart, are necessary. Price 50 cents a bottle.

Dr. Day's Standard Cough Syrup will cure a cough with fewer doses than any medicine in use. Price 50 cents a bottle.

Dr. Day's Ear Drops will give the greatest relief in neuralgia of the face and will cure ear-ache immediately. Price 25 cents a bottle. Ask your druggist or storekeeper for these medicines. Manufactured by D. B. Day, M. D., Ridgway, Pa.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF SUNDRY writs of fieri facias, alias fieri facias, venditioni exponas, levati facias, and return fieri facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Elk County, and to me directed, I, D. C. OYSTER, High Sheriff of said county, do hereby give notice that I will expose to public sale or outcry at the Prothonotary's office, in Ridgway, at one o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, JAN. 20TH, 1880,

ALL the following described real estate lying and being in the township of Benzingertown, county of Elk and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a post on Benzingertown road; thence south eighty perches to a post; thence north eighty perches to a post on Benzingertown road; thence west along line of said Benzingertown road fifty perches to the place of beginning, containing twenty-five acres and being the northern half of lot number twenty on Benzingertown road.

ALSO - An other lot beginning on Benzingertown road; thence south one hundred and sixty perches; thence east twenty-five perches; thence north one hundred and sixty perches to the road; thence west along line of the road twenty-five perches to the place of beginning; being the western half of number thirty-eight on Benzingertown road in the map or plan of the town of settlement of St. Mary's and containing twenty-five acres and lying side of tract first described, on which there is about forty acres improved, about twenty fruit trees growing thereon. There is also erected thereon one log house 18x30 feet 1 1/2 stories high and

barn 30x40 feet with shed attached 18x20 feet.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of J. G. Krivg in the suit of The Township of Benzingertown.

ALSO - All the right, title, interest, claim and demand whatsoever of debt, of, in and to warrants No. 328 and 297 situate and being in the township of Spring Creek, county of Elk and State of Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows to wit: 1st, Beginning at the northeast corner of tract No. 2971 at a white oak and sugar; thence in a northerly direction two hundred and ninety-two perches to a chestnut; thence west four hundred and seventy-seven perches to a post; thence south three hundred perches to a pine; thence east four hundred and ninety-one perches to the place of beginning, containing eight hundred forty-four and seven-tenths acres with an allowance of six per cent, for roads, &c., and being tract No. 2985.

ALSO - SECOND TRACT, beginning at a maple the southeast corner of same tract; thence in a northerly direction three hundred and twenty perches to a white oak and sugar, the southeast corner of tract No. 2986; thence west four hundred and ninety-one perches to a pine; thence south three hundred and twenty-six perches to a post; thence east five hundred and six perches to the place of beginning, containing nine hundred and fifty-six and four-tenths acres with an allowance of six per cent, for roads, &c., and being tract No. 2971.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of D. E. Carrier at the suit of James Baldwin.

ALSO - All those certain tracts, pieces or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Fox, county of Elk and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: The one piece beginning at a post on the Toby road, thence west twenty (20) rods more or less to a maple tree; thence north sixty-three (63) rods more or less to a post; thence west eighty-four (84) rods more or less to a hemlock; thence south one hundred and thirty (130) rods more or less to a post on Brandy Camp road; thence north easterly along said road sixty (60) rods more or less to the line of graveyard lot; thence north five (5) rods to stones; thence east thirty-three (33) rods more or less to a white oak on Toby road; thence north easterly thirty-nine (39) rods more or less along Toby road to the place of beginning, containing sixty (60) acres more or less.

ALSO - The other piece commencing at a post on Brandy Camp road, being the southwest corner of the piece above described; thence north one hundred and fifteen (115) rods more or less to a post; thence west forty-three (43) rods more or less to a post; thence south along line of Francis Capello one hundred and nine (109) rods more or less to a post on Brandy Camp road; thence north easterly along said road to the place of beginning, containing thirty-one and nine-tenths (31 9/10) acres more