

When Johnny Gets His Gun.

When Johnny gets his gun, look out, There's bound to be a fuss, For Johnny is in earnest when He holds his blunderbuss!

In softer moods our John is calm, He's sportive, gay and good, And acts with much propriety, As freemen always should!

He's sturdy on the baseball field, And football plays with vim; In cricket, too, he doth excel, And sports afield suit him.

In wild adventure John delights, He loves to travel, too, And, when exploring, always keeps The North Pole in view!

And war upon the Spanish Main Is suited to his mind, He'll spring to arms at Freedom's call, And leave all fear behind.

Stand back! Monroe once said the word That makes the nation grand, And Congress gives it emphasis, A law unto the land!

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE Town of Bloomsburg For the year 1897.

TAX ROLL FOR 1897. Table with columns for Valuation, Mills, and Amt. Lists various property owners and their respective tax amounts.

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Total number of orders issued Deduct orders of 1897 outstanding..... 4739 29

Amount of orders of 1897 paid. Orders of 1891..... 1 25

Balance in Treasurer's hand..... 537 84 Equalizing amounts of receipts..... 6102 14

RECAPITULATION. Highways..... 7005 46 New streets, damages, etc..... 3239 26

LIABILITIES. Funded debt..... 60900 00 Judgment First Nat. Bank..... 5172 21

STATEMENT SHOWING ACCRUED LIABILITIES AND AVAILABLE ASSETS. LIABILITIES. Outstanding orders..... 6197 49

ASSETS. Balance on duplicate of 1895..... 1659 97

ATTORNEYS. F. H. FREEZE, Secretary. Bloomsburg, Pa., April 7, 1898.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of a writ of Levam Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain lot, piece or parcel of ground, situate in the township of Beaver, county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

3 ACRES and 36 PERCHES, strict measure. It being the same piece of land which Geo. W. Hawk, by indenture bearing even date herewith conveyed to Elizabeth Naus, wife of Wm. Naus, party hereto.

10 ACRES, strict measure, whereon are erected a FRAME DWELLING HOUSE.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Columbia County Mutual Saving Fund & Loan Association, ana to be sold as the property of William Naus and Elizabeth Naus.

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