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PUBLIC LETTING.

Sealed bids for the construction of the stone abutments and excavating for a County bridge, over Little Fishing Creek, near the residence of Daniel S. Patterson, in Greenwood township, will be received by the Commissioners of Columbia County, on or before May 15, 1901, at 10 o'clock, a. m. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Specifications can be seen at the Commissioners' office.

SALES.

THURSDAY, May 9th, 1901.—Amos Neyhard, administrator of the estate of Thos. W. McHenry, late of Greenwood township, Columbia county, Pa. deceased, will sell at public sale at Jamison City, Pa., a saw mill with a 35 horse power boiler and a 25 horse power engine, including belts, trucks, shafting, etc. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m.

CHAIRMAN CREASY.

What Some of the State Papers Say.

The Democracy of Pennsylvania will heartily indorse the appointment of Hon. William T. Creasy to be chairman of the State committee. Mr. Creasy's Democracy and his fighting powers are known far beyond the limits of the Keystone State.—Scranton Times.

In selecting William T. Creasy as State chairman the Democratic State committee has proven its Democracy. Mr. Creasy is a faithful, ardent, energetic Democrat, well known and trusted in every part of the State. Though apparently in a hopeless minority, the Democratic party of Pennsylvania is by no means without influence, and in the future as in the past it will win victories if it be true to its principles, harmonious in its action and strong in its leadership.—York Gazette.

At a meeting of the Democratic State committee at Harrisburg Hon. William T. Creasy was unanimously chosen for the position of chairman. A better selection could not have been made. Mr. Creasy is an able man, and his record shows that he is not only capable, but that he is also honest and reliable. As a member of the Legislature from Columbia county he has won a State reputation. We wish success to "Farmer" Creasy in the discharge of chairmanship duties.—Altoona Times.

William T. Creasy has been chosen chairman of the Democratic State committee, a selection, we believe, that will give satisfaction. He is well known and has the confidence of the rank and file. Now let the committee address itself to the duty of thoroughly organizing the party and making it an homogeneous political factor.—Doylestown Democrat.

Representative William T. Creasy of Columbia county, is the choice of the Democratic central committee for State chairman. Mr. Creasy is a man of integrity, and his selection is regarded with satisfaction by the Democratic representatives now at the State Capital.—Scranton Truth.

It Would be Good for Bloomsburg.

In no other country in the world is the filthy and intolerable practice of expectoration in public places so prevalent as in America. We have not bettered our manners in this respect since Charles Dickens in his visit to the States held us up to public scorn. In his "American Notes" he says that "this filthy custom is everywhere recognized. The thing is an exaggeration of nastiness, which nastiness, cannot be outdone." Dickens did not stop off at Altoona; but if some successor of the great novelist were to visit our town he would doubtless write of it what Dickens wrote in his day of the nation's capital: "The stranger will find it [this vulgar habit of expectoration] in its full bloom and glory, luxuriant in all its alarming recklessness."

It would be hard to beat Altoona in the "luxuriance" of this vile practice. In public places, in the streets at the entrance of churches the vile-ness is everywhere in evidence. Can't something be done by the board of health to put a stop to this habit, which is not only filthy but positively dangerous to health? Or cannot councils do something? Why not prepare a city ordinance and enforce it as is being done elsewhere against those "expectorating nuisances"?

The health commissioner of New York has recently made the following statement which ought to arouse our people to the danger that beset us through spitting in public places.

"Most of the diseases of the respiratory tract, including diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, pneumonia, tuberculosis, influenza, and probably all of the acute forms of bronchitis, are the result of the action of germs which are present in the secretions of that tract, and through spitting in public places the germs producing the diseases are widely disseminated, being constantly carried into houses on the soles of shoes and through the trailing skirts of women.

"As showing the great importance of this in relation to only one disease, Dr. Crosby says, "it may be mentioned that in the borough of Manhattan last year there were over 9,000 cases of tuberculosis reported, and it is conservatively estimated that at least 20,000 cases of this disease exist in the borough of Manhattan. The vast majority of these latter, in the infectious stage, are moving freely around the streets of the city expectorating on the sidewalks, in public conveyances and wherever it may be convenient. It is not necessary to emphasize the danger which arises in this way through the dissemination of the tubercle bacilli, which are the cause of the disease. It has been estimated that one person in the active stage of the disease may spit not less than 5,000,000 of these germs in the course of twenty-four hours.

"Through the efforts of the department of health the death rate from tuberculosis during the last fifteen or twenty years has been decreased more than one-third, and it is the desire of the department to disseminate information in regard to this disease more widely among the people, in order that more intelligent and efficient measures may be taken for its prevention, and the prohibiting of spitting is one of these."

Let there be an ordinance, prepared and passed by the city councils to protect us against the "expectorating fiends" of Altoona. Decency and regard for the public health demand it.—Altoona Tribune.

Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y. May 1 to October 31, 1901.

For the above occasion the following fares and arrangements will apply from Bloomsburg via the Lackawanna Railroad: Season tickets, \$13.50; ten-day tickets, \$9.60; five-day tickets, \$7.00. Season and ten-day tickets will be sold every day, five day tickets on Tuesdays and Saturdays only. All tickets will be limited to continuous passage in both directions. Fares to Niagara Falls will be 25 cents higher than the five and ten-day fares quoted to Buffalo, but the season tickets will include the trip to Niagara Falls without extra cost. Three fast trains each day. For further particulars apply to ticket agents. 5-21

Bargains.

A good five octave melodeon, Pieno style, Rosewood case, in excellent condition, for \$20. A liberal discount for cash at Thomas' music store. At the same place a good five octave organ, walnut case, in good condition, for \$18.00, worth double the amount. Thomas' music store, Main St. Bloomsburg, Pa. 3-28-1f

Greene Consolidated Coppe: Co.

Copper companies have been an active feature of late in the big bull speculative movement that has held in the stock market. Deals pending and deals completed in the leading copper properties have served to attract more than ordinary interest to their value as investments. The opinion is frequently heard, however, that the shares of the companies that have been so prominently dealt in are too high, or if not too high, shares of other good producing properties are held at too low a valuation. The latter is more likely.

Much talk is heard of the Greene Consolidated Copper Company, which is offering treasury stock at \$40 per share. If Amalgamated is worth 125, in the neighborhood of which it is now selling, judges of copper stock values say that Greene Consolidated is worth much over the price at which this lot of treasury stock is offered. The present net profits of the company are more than \$200,000 per month, and with the rapid development going on, the completion of the big Bessemer refining plant now in process of construction and which will have a capacity of 6,000,000 pounds of copper per month, this monthly profit will be largely increased. It is for the purpose of providing for the payment of the refining plant that the treasury stock is offered. There are but 10,000, or probably less than that number of shares now remaining.

The Greene Consolidated Copper Company was organized under the laws of West Virginia, Sept. 18, 1899, and the mines are at La Cananea, Sonora, Mexico. The property consists of about 8,000 acres, on which are 44 mines, 17 of which are being developed, and 6 of which are in active operation and heavy producers. There has been more than \$2,250,000 expended on the property, for the management, confident in the knowledge that they have a very valuable and long lived property, have not been lax in pushing development work in all directions and installing the most improved machinery, to the ultimate end that they will be enabled to get the best possible results from both mining and smelting operations.

There is at present a 400-ton daily capacity smelter in operation and the returns for the first eleven days of April show 7,626,600 pounds of ore smelted, from which was extracted 617,700 pounds of pure copper of a value of \$92,655. This yielded net earnings for that period of \$81,253,23, as the cost of smelting was but \$2.09 per ton. This cost, low as it is, will be largely reduced with the new plant in operation, besides which the company can handle considerable custom work, and there is plenty to be had in that section.

Much added value is given to the property by the construction of a narrow gauge railroad which is being built around among the mines and to the smelter and is nearly completed. There is also a standard gauge railroad under way from the smelter to Naco, the nearest railroad terminus, a distance of 37 1/2 miles, which is bonded for \$500,000 for construction work, and it is expected that it will earn largely in excess of the interest on the bonds, as it will provide the most practical outlet from the rich districts of the Cananea Mountain to the railroads.

The American Bridge Co. and the Union Iron Works of San Francisco are building the new smelters and smelter extensions and converter plants, and the Pennsylvania Steel Company is supplying the rails for the road. The locomotives are being constructed by H. K. Porter & Co., of Pittsburg. When these improvements are all completed the company will be in excellent physical shape. In fact the money realized from the sale of stock is being applied to make that stock immediately more valuable, since it enhances the value of property.

The treasurer of the company, Mr. Philip Berolzheimer, is perhaps the best known of the New Yorkers who are identified with the official management of its affairs, although there are many prominent New York financiers among the stockholders. Mr. Berolzheimer is also treasurer of the Eagle Pencil Company. The offices of the Greene Consolidated Copper Company are at 377 and 379 Broadway, and they claim most positively that they are not identified in any way with any other mining or industrial enterprise. Net earnings, as now operating, are figured to be fully 30 per cent. on the entire capital stock of the company.—New York Daily Financial News.

About this time of the year some people begin to think about taking off their warm winter underwear. This is the very season when the greatest care is needed, as pneumonia is most easily contracted. "Stick to your flannels 'till they stick to you," is a homely but true saying.

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\$1.35.—Double face cloth, 54 inches wide, black or gray, one side with plaid back. New creation for Spring, 1901. Opening week, per yard, \$1.19.

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100 pieces of Velvet Ribbon

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of F. F. A., and Alias P. F. A., 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, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, MAY 11th, 1901, at ten o'clock a. m., the following described property, to wit:

All those two certain messuages, or tenements, and tracts of land, situate in Columbia County, Pennsylvania. The first tract, situate in the Borough of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, in line of lands of George Zarr, deceased, and running

SHERIFF'S SALE.

to thence by lands now of William Berninger (known as the Grist Mill Tract), and running from thence by the same south two and a quarter degrees west, ten perches to the north end of the county bridge over Catawissa Creek, thence through the centre of said bridge south thirty-eight degrees east, fifteen perches to the intersection of a public road leading to Ashland, thence by said road south eight and a quarter degrees west, nine and two-tenths perches to a point in the centre of said road, in line of lands of Mrs. Berger; thence by said line south eighty-one and a half degrees west, twenty-three and a half perches to a post, originally a spruce tree; thence by land of Jonathan Fortner north fifty eight and a half degrees west, sixty-four perches to originally a maple, on the south side of Catawissa Creek; thence south eighty-two and a half degrees east, crossing said Catawissa Creek, and running by a public road, leading down Catawissa Creek to the Town of Catawissa, forty-four perches to a point in and land public road; thence by land of Wm. Long and land belonging to the estate of George Zarr, deceased, north seventy-four and a half degrees east, thirty-nine perches to the place of beginning, containing

9 ACRES AND 38 PERCHES (be the same more or less), on which are erected A PAPER MILL, DWELLING HOUSES, BARN, STABLES and other outbuildings.

There is a chemical fibre mill, ground wood mill, and paper mill, and the appurtenances, including the waters of said creek, to supply the mill with water power, &c.

The second lot, or parcel of land, situate in the Township of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post, in line of lands of Jonathan Fortner, corner of a lot of ground belonging to Mrs. Berger, and running from thence by the same north eighty-three and a half degrees east, seven and a half perches; thence by the same north seventy-two and a half degrees east, nineteen and a half perches to the south post of a gate; thence by land of Mathias Gingles south fifteen and a quarter degrees west, nineteen and a half perches to a chestnut tree; thence by the same south twenty-five degrees west, eight perches to a post; thence by the same south nineteen degrees west, six and six-tenths perches to a post; thence by the same south forty-three degrees west, nine and a half perches to a corner of a lot or tract of land known as the Foundry Lot, now owned by Samuel J. Frederick; thence by said lot north for 13-nine degrees west, nineteen perches to a post, in line of land of Jonathan Fortner; thence by said line north five and a half degrees east, thirty-four perches to the place of beginning, containing

5 ACRES AND 13 PERCHES (be the same more or less), on which is formed and constructed a dam or basin for the purpose of gathering fresh or clear water for the aforesaid paper mill.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suits of Mathias Hughes, surviving executor and trustee of the estate of Douglas Hughes, deceased, vs. The Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, terre tenant; Wilhelmina McCready vs. Catawissa Fibre Co., Ltd.; The Appleton Woolen Mills vs. The Catawissa Fibre Co., Limited, and Travers Brothers & Company vs. The Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, and to be sold as the property of the Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, terre tenant, and the Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited.

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