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With its last Saturday's issue the CARBON ADVOCATE, of Lehighton, completed it seventeenth volume. The ADVOCATE is a conservative, independent newspaper, which succeeds in presenting all the news in its particular field with vim and accuracy.—Phila. *Press*, Nov. 14.

THE CARBON ADVOCATE'S caption "How will it work?" on the Lansford *Record's* article on the president judgeship for this district in our last issue has brought out one fact, namely: "Bob" Klotz has numerous wire pullers ready and willing to throw their influence with him for a re-nomination of Judge Dreher, and proved another fact equally as important, viz: That the rank and file of the party are not with him for the same purpose. They believe that the honor belongs to this county, and in this connection the CARBON ADVOCATE places the name of William M. Rapsher, of Mauch Chunk, to the fore, without his knowledge or consent, but because we believe him fitted, in all the essential requirements, for the important position. Learned, experienced, a man of the people, in the very prime of life, he would make a judge creditable to Carbon county and her people. Let the Democrats unite on him to a man and put the honor and office where it belongs.

IF Lehighton expects to move forward in the march of progression, the present lethargic spell must be thrown off. Other towns are moving forward because they invite trade and industrial establishments to their midst. We must do the same or stand still. *More anon!*

THE KILLING of Frank, a Brooklyn, millionaire, by a respectable woman whom he betrayed after inveigling her into a house of disrepute in New York City by lying and scheming artifices, should not be without its moral to that class of individuals who have no regard for the sanctity of home or the virtue of our women. That the women did wrong to take the law into her own hands there is no question, but the culpable neglect of the law to punish these high-toned roue's for offences of this class perhaps hurried her to mete out that vengence for broken health in mind and body and a ruined reputation which he so richly deserved. We have heard the women's side of the story, a pitiful tale of deceit, hypocricy, scheming devilishness, destardly intrigue, broken promises, the usual sequel to the plannings and plottings of individuals who rush women into shame and degredation, trampling on laws human and divine, for the gratification of the animal propensities. The *female* side of the story will never be heard, it perished with him, but his death should not be without its lessons, its warnings and from it the law can well take hint that its culpable carelessness is not without its evil effects.

THE annual report of First Assistant Postmaster-General J. S. Clarkson shows that the total number of postoffices in operation on July 1, 1889, was 58,599, of which number 2,683 were presidential offices. The whole number of appointments of postmasters for the year is shown to have been 20,030, of which 8,854 were on resignations and commissions expired, 7,853 on removals, 553 on death of postmasters, and 2,770 on establishment of postoffices.

THAT THE political hurricane on the fifth of November didn't altogether "do up" Mahone of Virginia is evident from the fact that he is now carrying on a spirited fight with all his old time vim and vigor for the making of a postmaster of his own chosing in the city of Richmond. It is worthy of observation that Mahone isn't the ground hog he is said to be—in other words he don't take to his hole to keep it.

BANK STREET, with all its mud, is the worst thoroughfare in the town and has ever been. For the past month it has driven business away and caused a dead oss of hundreds of dollars to the public oing business on the thoroughfare. It is a tiresome subject to refer to because it has been a useless one thus far. Now, gentlemen, apply the scraper!

IT'S AN ill wind that don't blow somebody good. Our Democratic friend A. C. Broadhead gets bounced from the Philadelphia *Mint* to make room for Republican Capt. Samuel Wehr, of Summit Hill, and the political janborlee continues and the offices go where they belong.

IT HAS been suggested that the town council should adopt measures for the planting of trees on the "upper" park. A very good idea, and it should be acted on at the earliest possible moment.

BROADBRIM'S N. Y. LETTER.

Art came in with a rush this week, and all New York and his wife, who have been on the tiptoe of expectation for months, have been gratified by a peep at Millet's Angelus. The day of the press view I went up to the American Art Galleries expecting that at least, for the few hours set apart for that purpose, I should meet none but my fellow scribes. The purpose of the first Fall opening of the American Art Galleries, was the exhibition of the Barrie collection of sculptures and bronzes by that celebrated master and of illustrating the condition of art thirty years ago. But the rush was so fearful that I postponed my visit to a later day, for it was impossible to see the works of art with any degree of pleasure or to form a discriminating opinion concerning them. But as I stood at the door and saw men and women pushing and squeezing to get in I could not help asking myself, What is all this about? Not one in a hundred of them had ever heard of Barrie or his art, but everyone of them had heard of Millet. Not one in twenty knew much about Millet. They could not have told you whether he was an Englishman, a Frenchman, a Dutchman or a Swede, but they all knew that he had painted a picture called the Angelus, and that it cost the lucky possessor one hundred and twelve thousand dollars, and they wanted to see it. Many no doubt went in expecting to see a magnificent canvass that would cover the side of a wall, instead of which it is a small picture that a man might carry off under his arm. Later on I shall have occasion to speak of it more fully, but I confess in advance that it will take me some time to discover where, on a canvas 22x28, you can put one hundred and twelve thousand dollars.

Now, recollect that this money was not paid by some purse-proud amateur with more money than brains, but by a sharp, shrewd, cautious, close picture buyer, a man who is posted in everything connected with art and who has handled and sold as many fine and expensive pictures as any other art dealer in the country—the man who sold Jules Breton's Communicants at the Morgan sale for forty-five thousand five hundred dollars, and who got from Walters of Baltimore eighteen thousand dollars for the Peach Blow Vase, making it the most costly piece of bric-a-brac of its size in the world. I refer to Mr. Sutton, one of the proprietors of the American Art Galleries; and right here comes a question which has set the art world all aflame and which, like the ghost of Banquo, will not go down. If the Angelus had been brought here for sale it would have had to pay a duty of nearly thirty-four thousand dollars, bringing the price of it, landed in New York, at nearly one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, in fact fully more if we count freight and insurance. But the Angelus is admitted free of duty to be exhibited and sent back, and the art dealers here complain that while it is here ostensibly for exhibition it really accomplishes all the purpose of a sale for its fortunate owner, who will exhibit it here and probably make fifty or seventy-five thousand dollars by the exhibition, and then if it goes back they go scot free of the duty. This the other art dealers say is a manifest injustice, as they are compelled to pay the duties, thirty-three per cent., before they can open their pictures and put them on exhibition, and then they have to take their chance of finding a buyer. The general sentiment appears to be in favor of the abolishment of all duties on art in painting or sculpture, and a very strong effort to that end will be made in the next Congress.

This week I strolled over to Castle Garden, the great emigrant depot of the American Continent. It is a strange place, and you never realize it more than when four or five steamers arrive in a single day. They land a conglomeration of every nationality, of not only Europe, but also of Asia and Africa. It may be called the emigrant custom-house for here the cargoes are examined, and are passed, if found worthy, and if not they are sent back. But it very often occurs that the Commissioners of Emigration, who by the way are a lot of pot-house politicians who owe their position to their pull, mistake the extent of their powers and constitute themselves as a sort of moral police. They are continually fighting among themselves the hardest battles being for the bones which they can throw to their individual followers.

But one of the most remarkable uses that Castle Garden has been put to is as a matrimonial agency, and the matches made there annually is by no means small. Only a short time ago the keeper of the lightship outside of Sandy Hook came to Castle Garden looking for a wife, his object being to secure a cook, and at the same time to pocket the emoluments that the Government offers for that useful person. It suddenly occurred to the gentleman having charge of the matrimonial branch of the service that he had seen that ancient mariner there before "Many a time and oft." On being questioned he acknowledged the fact that this was his fourth requisition, and that his last heartsease was a stout Irishwoman who had succumbed to the inevitable, and started up the golden stairs exactly three weeks before; her predecessor was a Swede and his first a Dutch woman. But the lightship afforded no chance for flirtation or display, nothing but cook, cook, cook and scrub, scrub, scrub and the eternal murmur of the "sad sea waves." Now a passenger at sea, however long the voyage, has some hope of getting ashore, but from the lightship there was no release but death. The ancient mariner had a tolerably easy time with his first two consolers, but when he secured the affections of Miss Bridget McCarty he struck a snag which made him wish himself in paradise or Fiddler's Green a hundred times. Bridget did not belong to the meek and lowly like his first two wives, with them he had things all his own way, but the honeymoon was hardly over till she made his life a burden, when death stepped in again and made him a free man. Bridget was a holy terror, so no more Irish need apply. Number four, I believe, is an Italian. No late news from the lightship. One applicant sent a letter some weeks ago:

Dilouth, Sept. twenty.—Deer sur, Mister Kassl Garden Kermisins—I heer you have menny likely young wimmen furreners lookin' fur situations. I should like to engage one for to be my wife if she is strong an' healthy, and has no disease. I should like her to be tolerbly tall, well put up, an' good lookin' as I am myself, of you no of enny sich send em along guess we can get away with a half a dussen right sround here.—Your obedient survant to kommand. JAMES RUSSEL SMITH.

P. S. should prefer a woman with some little munney and plenty of close.

This week an old Irish farmer from Connecticut who said he had eighty thousand dollars, applied for a wife fresh from the ould sod, but up to Saturday he had failed to find exactly the article he wanted. The arbitrary power exercised by these Commissioners in sending persons back has been one of the crying scandals of the city. Only last week a woman was sent back on the allegation that she was an alien and likely to become a public charge. She came here many years ago, and lived with her husband in New Jersey. A son was born to them, then the husband was taken sick and died, and the woman went back to Scotland with her child; two weeks ago she returned, and was ordered back to Scotland by the Commissioners. Her son was a native born American citizen, and if he got as lucky a lift as Turner, the young iceman, who three weeks ago was driving an ice cart, and now is nominated by Tammany for Congress, this young expatriated citizen might one day occupy the seat recently warmed by Grover Cleveland and now filled by Benjamin Harrison. An appeal was taken on the mother's behalf to the secretary of the Treasury, and Mr. Windom with his level head decided at once that there was no power within or without the constitution to turn a native born citizen from our gates. The attorney returned back from Washington beaming with smiles and prepared to annihilate the Commissioners, but when he arrived in New York he found that his client had been shipped back to Scotland three days before. The infamy of this ruling is right here. Every week or two a cargo of Mormons is shipped for Salt Lake. One half or more of these are assisted immigrants whose passage is paid by some one, and who have not a dollar in their pockets. Among them are hundreds of young girls who have been gathered in by the elders and missionaries. Yet these are passed without question. Have the saints got a pull in New York. "I spec so."

Speaking of pulls we have just discovered another which has set us all thinking. The docks are all rented by the city, except those which are private property. I had no idea, and I thought I was fly on most things about town, that a Dock Commissioner was such a good billet. There was a dock to let which should have been put up by public competition, but this particular dock was not. An Italian gentleman from Tipperary by the name of O'Brien got a letter from a Judge to one of the Commissioners, and O'Brien got the wharf at a rental of six thousand dollars, for which a dozen parties were willing to pay twenty. When this was discovered there was a bustling about to find Mister O'Brien, but O'Brien could not be found; he might have gone back to Donegal or Sligo, but although the O'Brien family is prolific in New York this particular O'Brien that rented the wharf had vanished. Then it was hinted that his name wasn't O'Brien at all. It might have been Smith or Brown or Finnegan, but not O'Brien. And it now looks as though the job was put up by some one inside the Commissioners' office, and a nice little operation started by which a favored insider gets fourteen thousand without raising a single hand. In the course of the investigation it transpired that one individual had added thirty-nine thousand nine hundred dollars to his bank account during the year. Not a bad plum that. Yet that is only one of a thousand ways in which this city is robbed.

It looks as if we were going to have an old fashioned lecture season like that we used to have twenty years ago, Miss Amelia B. Edwards, whose novels and contributions to archæological research have given her a world wide reputation, has been lecturing in Brooklyn or Egypt. She brought out the most distinguished company that has been seen at any public gathering for years. Aside from her literary ability she is socially a great success. We are now enjoying a season of great business success. Everything is booming, and the subscriptions of the past week warrant me in saying that the World's Fair will be held in New York in 1892.

YOURS TRULY,
BROADBRIM.

FROM THE LAND OF FLOWERS.

The following letter received by T. D. Thomas, of Bank street, will not prove uninteresting to our many readers who may have wrong impressions of this, that and the other concerning Florida's sunny clime:

DEAR BRO.—I intend to give you a description of Florida as I had promised you in my last letter.

Since order and system are necessary for the successful accomplishment of any purpose, we intend to commence with the soil and give its surface, composition, natural productions, &c., streams, climate, then to describe the artificial productions or the agriculture, concluding with the people.

The soil is of the marine formation, and like all such formations, the surface is generally level. It lies upon a limestone of coral formation. The term sandy applied to Florida soil misleads western and northern people. It contains no clay or aluminum as a northern soil would, but is almost pure silica or clean sand. After washed it is similar to the sand used in the north to scour tinware. It is very fine and worthless for plastering or making mortar for general work. After a heavy shower it looks as if a slight snow had fallen on the ground, and the writer was deceived by it several times, when leaving the house in the evening. When wet it does not become muddy, as there is not enough aluminum in it to make it adhesive. The soil contains but very little vegetable matter, as that is annually washed away by the spring rains. The writer has seen soil upon which the pine leaves and grass have fallen for centuries as white as the paper upon which this is printed. A settler remarked to the writer, upon being questioned in regard to fertilizing, that the rain carried it away. Fair (?) crops can be raised by fertilizing, but we will leave that for a succeeding letter.

Persons in the northern States might entertain the idea, as the writer did, that the orange grew wild, as the plum, apple and cherry at the north, but they are highly mistaken. At two places only did the orange grow wild and those were worthless for eating; they were bitter or sour. The sweet orange might have been grafted on them had they known it, before they destroyed almost half of the trees.

Another idea might prevail in northern minds that is also a misconception. Northern people might imagine that the soil produced an innumerable host of flowers to crown with a many colored crown the greensward with which it had already decked itself; but that is far from the truth. Hardly any flowers grow in the woods and very little grass, hard in texture, worthless for fodder, but when young grows anywhere; only when nearly starved will cattle eat it; when matured they prefer the tops of young pines. It is round and slender in shape, similar to bulrush, but very hard. When it is young cattle grow fat on it.

Instead of orange trees laden with golden fruit, we find tall pines in the highlands, cedar, oak and cypress in the swamps. The cedar is valuable for the manufacture of lead pencils and considerable is cut in the State for that purpose. Cypress does for building when no other can be had. The pine is most numerous and is botanically known as PINUS RIGIDA or pitch pine. As a building material it is almost worthless for outside work, when a better can be had. For inside work it makes a very nice furnishing material on account of its coarse grain and sap pores, which give it a very beautiful color. It is not as the yellow pine sent north. That is the fine grained or selected pieces. Water will not remove the pitch as in the northern pine. The wood is very heavy and brittle and when burned gives forth a smoke as soft coal. It is affected by the least moisture, and quickly attacked by worms. In moist places it soon decays. Even a mortise covered would decay completely in a few years, so I am told. It is sold here for $10 per M, and some is shipped north. It is plentiful, but the marketable trees are so scattered that lumbering is not profitable. Groves containing fifty or more trees of this sort are occasionally met with, but it generally is dispersed among the smaller timber. The trees vary in size from a small sapling to those thirty inches in diameter. From Richmond to Gainesville, Fla., the writer did not see a section worth purchasing. The route traveled was the Atlantic Coast Line running through North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. All along the route the same uniformity of growth was visible and none worth purchasing for any purpose whatever.

Such is the condition of the southern timber, so much spoken about by northern papers and speculators, yet the writer does not wish to condemn their reports as he saw but the Eastern portions of the states passed through; though he is certain that Florida has none but such as he described.

As an illustration of the lumbering industry in this state, we mention the sale of a mill costing $6000 but a year old, and yet it sold for the sum of one hundred and five dollars. No one wished to buy it, though it was in an excellent condition, as all said it was the surest thing to bankrupt a man in the state. The most had no money to purchase, had they wished to do so.

There are more mills than there is a demand for lumber and they can be bought all over the state for mere trifles. One of settlers remarked that a saw-mill was the surest thing to bankrupt a man that there was in the state.

As an investment for the present or the future Florida offers no inducements in timber, yet or anything else as the development of the state is very slow, and will continue so for time to come. Certain towns in the southern part of the state are booming and might offer inducements in other lines.

In justice to all concerned we must say: If you want to move to Florida, first come and see for yourselves; but bring money enough along to return home if you do not you may be compelled to stay in a very undesirable place. If you do not bring money enough along, take photograph of that which you do as you may not see any more. As a winter resort it is beautiful and healthy for people of means, for the poor man it is horrid and sickly. For teachers the prospects is fair they being fairly paid. My advice to any one is: Don't come to Florida to get rich easily. Respectfully your Bro.

C. D. THOMAS.

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Administrator's Sale.

Of Valuable REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to an Order of the Orphans' Court of Carbon county, Pennsylvania, there will be sold at Public Sale on the premises in Lower Towamensing Township, county and State aforesaid, on

Monday, December 16,

1889, at TWO o'clock p. m., the following described Real Estate of JOSIAH STRAUP, dec'd, to-wit: All that certain Tract or Piece of Land situate in Lower Towamensing Township, Carbon county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone, thence by land of William Blose, North eighty-seven and three-quarter degrees, West ninety-three perches to a stone; thence by land of Benjamin Blose, South nineteen and one-half degrees, East forty-two and eight-tenths perches to a stone; thence by the same, North eighty-six and one-quarter degrees, East seventy-seven perches to a stone; thence by land of Moses Straup, North two and one-quarter degrees, East thirty-two perches to the place of beginning, containing

NINETEEN ACRES,

more or less. It being the same premises which Thomas Brown and wife by deed dated January 7, 1869, granted and conveyed unto the said Josiah Straup, now deceased.

The Improvements thereon are a ONE and ONE-HALF STORY

Frame Dwelling House,

a Large Bank Barn and other necessary outbuildings. There is a good Apple Orchard on the premises and a fine stream of Spring Water runs through the same. Persons desiring to view the same will please call on the undersigned.

Terms and conditions will be made known at time and place of sale by

PAUL A. RESCH, Administrator.

Estate Notice.

Letters Testamentary on the estate of Abraham Prutzman late of Lower Towamensing Township, Carbon County, Deceased having been granted to the undersigned Executor, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having just claims against said estate will present them for settlement. Wilson Stoschitz, Executor Cor. 11th & Hamilton Sts. Allentown, Pa. Or to Rapsher & Cassidy Attorneys for Estate.

Administrator's Sale.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Carbon county, Pennsylvania, there will be sold at Public Sale on the premises in Franklin Township, county and state aforesaid, on

Saturday, December 28th, 1889.

at two o'clock p. m., the following described Real Estate of the Estate of Henry Kramer, deceased, to wit: All that Lot or Piece of Ground situate in Franklin Township, Carbon county, Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a stone in a public road leading from Weissport to Stroudsburg, thence in and along said road north 78¾ degrees, east 6 10 perches to a stone in said road, thence north 80 degrees, east 4½ perches to a stone in said road, thence by land of Robert Campbell, north 3¼ degrees, west 9 perches to a post, thence by land of Jacob Rickert, south 89 degrees, west 8¼ perches to a post, thence by the same south 2½ degrees, east 9 2-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 75 perches, more or less. The improvements thereon consist of a two-story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE with kitchen attached, and all necessary outbuildings. The buildings are in first-class condition. The said premises are located about one mile from Weissport Borough and persons desiring to view the same will please call on the undersigned. Terms and conditions will be made known at time and place of sale by

AUSTIN BOYER, Administrator.

Administrator's Sale.

Pursuant to an Order of the Orphans' Court of Carbon County, Pennsylvania, there will be sold at Public Sale on the premises in Franklin Township, County and State aforesaid, on

Saturday, December 21st, 1889,

at two o'clock P. M., the following described Real Estate of GEORGE B. SNYDER, dec'd, to-wit: All that Lot or Piece of Ground situated in Franklin Township, Carbon county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post on the North side of a proposed alley, thence by land late of James P. Smith, north 81 degrees, west 235 feet to a post on the south side of a public road leading from Harrity to Richardsville, thence along said road south 85 degrees, west 150 feet to a post, thence by land of George Miller south 27 degrees, 330 feet to a post on the south side of the above mentioned alley, thence along said alley north 63 degrees, east one hundred and forty-six feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing ONE ACRE, more or less. The improvements thereon consist of a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, and all necessary outbuildings. The buildings are in first-class condition, having been but recently erected.

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T. J. BRETNEY.
Signed and sealed in the presence of F. Pierce Lentz. 3-1*

Auditors Notice.

In the Orphans' Court of Carbon county, in the matter of the Account of DANIEL BENTZ, Administrator of the Estate of WILLIAM PETERS deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at an Orphans' Court held at Mauch Chunk in and for said County on the 18th day of November A. D. 1889 the undersigned was appointed Auditor to make distribution of the fund in the hands of the accountant and make report to the Court.

That on SATURDAY the 21st day of DECEMBER A. D. 1889 at ONE O'CLOCK P. M., at the law office of FREYMAN and HEYDT on Broadway in the Borough of Mauch Chunk, Pa., he will meet all parties having claims on said fund or account who are required to present them before said Auditor or be debarred from coming in for a share of said fund.

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