

Lancaster Intelligencer.

TUESDAY EVENING, AUG. 16, 1881.

A Terrible Death.

A Crazy Woman Sets Fire to Herself and Then Takes a Walk.

Mr. John Saunders, a florist, is one of the oldest citizens of Lancaster, N. J. He is now more than 60 years of age, and his wife, whom he married about 6 years ago, was a little over 40. She was a widow, and had saved some money, having been employed for many years as a domestic in the house of Colonel Kane, Elizabeth Street, here.

On Thursday morning she appeared to be especially discouraged, and spoke of the wretched prospect before her. She was not in good health, and her husband supposed that her discontent was due to her illness. They rarely quarrelled, and when Mr. Saunders awoke on Friday morning his wife was not in the house.

There were several burned matches lying on the floor near the fireplace, but evidently none of them had been applied to the combustible material in the range. There was also a bottle containing kerosene oil standing near the door, and none of the oil had been poured over the wood and paper in the fireplace, nor could any be detected on the burned garments of Mrs. Saunders.

At first the question as to the cause of Mrs. Saunders' death remained unanswered; but later in the day some light was thrown upon the mystery. A Mrs. Magee, living with her husband in the same street, was looking out of her bedroom window early on Thursday morning, and she saw a woman, wrapped in flames, walking slowly past. Her clothes were blazing so fiercely that Mrs. Magee could not distinguish the features. But she saw that the woman seemed unaffected by the pain she must have been suffering, for she uttered no cry and did not increase her pace.

Mrs. Magee stared at her aghast until she had almost passed the house. Then she ran and awakened her husband and hastily told him the story.

He arose, dressed himself rapidly, and taking slippers and a hat, he rushed to the woman and quickly overtook her. He flung the blankets over her and soon extinguished the fire, but not before he was horribly burned. She afforded him no assistance, neither did she attempt to impede his efforts, simply remaining impassive, though apparently conscious.

This woman was Mrs. Saunders.

Stump Pickers.

Shooting the gutter Saps.

Swaffly of face, with a tangle of black hair overhanging the sharp, bright eyes, his garments unclean and ragged and his equipments in a state of decay, he is the figure of one who has been through a hard struggle to rid the city's thoroughfares. He is only a child in years, but the pinched face and the frightened timorous expression it wears show he has tasted little of the sweets of life and passes his days a drudge, with the dread of a blow ever before him.

Go about the markets where the refuse of the stalls is scattered and you see the little figure delving among the rubbish and gathering carefully such fragments of meats or fruits as are least tainted and incense.

It is early in the morning and during the later hours of the evening that the little drudge performs his chief duties. There he is about on the thoroughfares themselves, ragged as before and bearing his inevitable tin can, but he does pause or lounge about near the gutters, and the pavement and through the gutters, now circling about the doorway of some sumptuous saloon, and again whipping into the middle of the street among the hoofs of the horses and whirl and rumble of the wheels. His eyes are always on the ground. They only stray from the pavement when his being trodden down. What he is in quest of is there too, for by its bits and starts he pounces on some unsightly fragment, half hidden among the stones or almost covered out of sight by the dust and slush.

He picks up nothing but the saw dust, liquor stores, from the garbage of the boxes, from the mud of the very gutters, and all find their way into his tin can. A glance into this vessel reveals a brownish unsavory mass, sprinkled with ashes and mixed with dirt, all of which he has to look upon—nothing more nor less than decaying cigar stumps.

They have come from every quarter and in every shape. There are bulky Roina Victorias lying cheek by jowl with weeds born and bred in New Jersey cabbage fields; Henry Clays are there, with and without the wrappers, sandwiched between the residue of some plebeian cheroots; weeds of every brand are intermingled and intertwined, and all in greater or less stages of decomposition.

These are the treasures the sawdust plodder gathers, and his is the calling which, years ago, in the slang of the streets, was dubbed "butt picking."

To the ordinary resident of the city, familiar with the argot of the day, "butt picking" suggests only the sawdust peddler, the precocious boy who aspires to the use of the weed, eagerly utilizes the remnants of more mature smokers' cigars, and goes puffing about as proud as a lord if he is suffering from nausea.

But the little fellow with the tin can does not gather the stumps for amusement. It is his regular occupation. He is engaged in it daily, and upon the quantity he collects depends the treatment he will receive from his taskmaster. When manly pride and begging were forbidden by law the Italians who had children of their own or other people's engaged with, turned their services to account as stump pickers.

"But what would they do with the stumps?" is asked. "Mind cigarettes of them, turn them into snuff, devote them to a score of kindred uses. The thought is not pleasant for smokers to indulge in, but such a reporter learned was the cus-

tom, and it may be grateful to know that it is fast terminating.

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He was afflicted with a lame back and general debility; he was recommended "Thomas' Electric Oil" and cured. This famous specific is a positive remedy for lumbago, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, etc. For sale at H. B. Cochran's drug store, 137 North Queen Street, Lancaster.

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I am a Baptist minister, and, even though of being a clergyman, I graduated in medicine, but left a lucrative practice for my present vocation. I was for many years a sufferer from "Thomas' Electric Oil" cured me. I was also troubled with rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, etc. My wife and child had diphtheria, and "Thomas' Electric Oil" cured them. I had taken in time it will cure seven times over of ten. I am confident it is a cure for the most obstinate cases of rheumatism and neuralgia. I will take a small teaspoon and half fill it with the Oil, and then place the end of the spoon in one nostril and draw the Oil into the nostril, until the head by sniffing as hard as they can, until they feel a tingling sensation. I will repeat this twice a week, I don't care how offensive their head may be, it will clean it out and cure their catarrh and earache. It has done wonders to my certain knowledge. It is the only medicine dubbed patent medicine that I have ever tried like recommending, and I am very anxious to see it in every place, for I tell you that I would not be without it in my house, if I could get it. I will send you a bottle with pain like rheumatism in my right hand, and nothing relieved like "Thomas' Electric Oil."—C. F. CRANE, Corry, Pa.

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Medical.

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FIRST OF AUGUST

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All proposals must be handed to the board at the law offices of A. F. Hostetter and A. S. Hershey, esqs., No. 47 Grant Street (Law Building), Lancaster, Pa., on MONDAY, AUGUST 22, at 5 p. m. On MONDAY, AUGUST 22, at which time the same will be opened, and the highest and best proposal will be accepted, unless it be rejected by the board before that time. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD. A. C. LITTS, Secretary. aug12-2d&11w

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of the city of Lancaster, Pa. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement with those legally entitled to the account of said administrators, who will sit for that purpose on THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1881, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said estate may attend.

J. E. GOOD, Attorney. 152-162&w

STATE OF PHILIP SCHUM, LATE OF

Lancaster City, Pa. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement with those legally entitled to the account of said administrators, who will sit for that purpose on THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1881, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said estate may attend.

W. M. D. WEAVER, Auditor. 152-162&w

STATE OF JOHN TAMANY, LATE OF

Lancaster City, Pa. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement with those legally entitled to the account of said administrators, who will sit for that purpose on THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1881, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said estate may attend.

FRANKLIN TAMANY, Administrator. 152-162&w

STATE OF KILLIAN BECK, LATE OF

Lancaster City, Pa. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement with those legally entitled to the account of said administrators, who will sit for that purpose on THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1881, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said estate may attend.

JOHN H. FRY, Auditor. 152-162&w