Wit and Humor.

From Mrs. Vandenhoff's Note Book.

PLAYING JULIET UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

Shall I ever forget Romeo and Juliet at the Rochester Theatre? That balcony scene, especially! The platform I stood on was a narrow door, lifted off its hinges to uphold Juliet's feet; resting very insecurely, and scarcely wide enough to admit of a chair; there was one, but I dared not sit on it, for fear of a mishap. The railing to the balcony was formed by a carpenter's ladder, supported at arm's length by two men; one behind the scenes, at one end, out of sight; and the other on the stage, and masked by a piece of a scene "representing *wall*." Thus, I had a most frail and ricketty standing-place; I could not lean on the rail, (the ladder,) or the men would be unable to support it, at the full length of their raised hands; and the platform was so narrow, so scanty, and so insecure, that I dared not move for fear of falling backwards, or bringing the whole "set" down with me, in sight of the audience. Talk of *love-scenes* on such a *platform!*

I mounted to it by a crazy step-ladder; and what passed between George, myself, and the carpenters behind, was something like this:—

MYSELF.—(*Nervously, feeling the platform tremble under me.*) "Ah me."

[*Then aside.* "Oh dear, I'm sure I shall fall."]

Oh, Romeo! Romeo! wherefore art thou, Romeo?

[*Carpenter below.* "It's all right, ma'am, if you don't move."]

Deny thy father and refuse thy name,

[*Carpenter, to the other man.* "Bill, keep your side steady!"]

Or, if thou wilt not, be but sworn my love;
And I'll no longer be a Capulet!

[*Then, aside.* "O, how I wish the scene was over!"]

[*Carpenter below.* "It's quite safe, ma'am if you don't move!"]

'Tis but thy name that is thy enemy!

[*Aside.* "O dear, dear; I know it'll all come down!"]

[*Carpenter.* "Bless you, ma'am, it's safe as the church!"]

What's in a name?

[*Carpenter.* "Steady with that ladder, Tom!"]

That which we call a rose
By any other name would smell as sweet!

[GEORGE. (*Aside to me, from behind his hat.*) "Cut the scene short, Mary;"—and I made a great cut.]

Romeo, quit thy name;
And for that name, which is no part of thee,
Take all myself!

[GEORGE, as ROMEO—I take thee at thy word! (*Juliet starts!*)

[Crack! crack! went the platform. I trembled.]

[GEORGE. (*Aside.*) "Keep still, Mary, for Heaven's sake!"]

Call me but love, I will forswear my name,

["Curse those carpenters!"]

And never more be Romeo.

MYSELF.—What man art thou,

[*Carpenter below.* "Don't you turn, ma'am, or you'll be off!"]

—that thus beseech'st in night,
So stumblest into my counsel?

[(*Aside.*) "O dear, its all giving way."]

GEORGE.—I know not how to tell thee who I am;

[(*Aside.*) "Don't try to move, Mary—keep quite still!"—]

My name, dear saint, is hateful to myself,

[(*Aside.*) "And cut the long speeches!"]

Because it is an enemy to thee!

[MYSELF. (*Aside.*) "O George, I'm sure it's going!"]

Mine ears have not yet drunk a hundred words—

[GEORGE. (*Aside*, to the men outside.)—"Mind those props are safe, men."]

[*Man's voice.* "All right, sir."]

MYSELF.—Of that tongue's utt'ring, yet I know the sound.

Art thou not Romeo, and a Montague?

GEORGE.—Lady, by yonder blessed moon I swear—

[MYSELF.—(*Aside.*) "You've cut four long speeches!"]

[GEORGE.—"Never mind; get through as quick as you can!"]

(*Actress's voice below.* "Mrs. Vandenhoff, you've caught your dress in a nail; mind it don't trip you.")

A hiss from the audience.

"And so on, till the end of the scene; when, just as, with fear and trembling, I had descended, and put my foot on *terra firma*, the whole *side-front* of Capulet's house—balcony, terrace, platform, and all—came clattering to the ground, in sight of the audience. George rushed off to his ghostly father's cell,

His help to crave, and—

the rest of the line was drowned in the roars of the audience.

N. B.—*Never to play Juliet in future without seeing and trying the balcony in the morning.*"

THE BASHFUL MAN.—Washington Irving, at a party in England, one day playfully asserted, that the love of annexation which the Anglo-Saxon race displayed on every occasion, proceeded probably from its *mauvaise honte* rather than its greediness. As a proof, he cited the story of a bashful friend of his, who, being asked to a dinner party, sat down to the table next to the hostess in a great state of excitement, owing to his recluse life. A few glasses of wine mounting to his brain, completed his confusion, and dissipated the small remains of his presence of mind.—Casting his eyes down he saw on his lap some white linen. "My heavens," thought he, "that's my shirt protruding at my waistband." He immediately commenced to tuck in the offending portion of his dress, but the more he tucked in, the more there seemed to remain. At last he made a desperate effort, when a sudden crash around him, and a scream from the company, brought him to his senses. He had been all the time stuffing the table cloth into his breeches, and the last time had swept everything clean off the table. Thus our bashful friend annexed a table-cloth, thinking it his own shirt.

"DODGE THE BIG ONES!"—A gentleman relates an anecdote of the Mexican war, which has never been published:

When the American Army was forming line for the battle of Buena Vista, General Lane was riding up and down the line of his Indiana regiment. The Mexicans had stationed some small guns on a neighboring height, which were blazing away most furiously on General Lane's regiment. But as their guns were badly aimed, the balls in every case passed over their heads, but sufficiently near as they heard the peculiar whiz of the balls, to involuntarily "duck" their heads.

Gen. Lane happened to notice this, and in his rough, stentorian voice he bawled out:

"Indiana regiment! No dodging!"

In about five minutes after, the tremendous whiz of a twenty-four pound shot passed close by the head of the gallant brigadier, who in an instant involuntarily bobbed his head.—The men saw this, and commenced tittering along the line, which the old general saw.—Turning around with a sort of a quizzical expression, he thundered out:

"Indiana regiment! *Dodge the big ones!*"

We are told that an Englishman, who had stopped a few days at Louisville, on leaving for Cincinnati, was addressed by an acquaintance with the very common Kentucky remark at parting: "Take care of yourself." The stranger, in all simplicity, replied—

"My gracious! they won't take anything but my money, will they?"

SAYS an astronomer to a bright-eyed girl, when talking of rainbows, "Did you ever see a lunar bow, Miss?" "I have seen beaux by moonlight, if that's what you mean," was the rejoinder.

CAN a copying clerk who engrosses very badly be said to execute dreadful deeds?

AN honest laundress irons your linen—a dishonest laundress steals (steels) it.

THE vowels which create most sensation in the minds of lowest men are I O U.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *Venditioni Exponas, Levari Facias* and *Fieri Facias* in such cases of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale or outcry, on

Saturday, December 24, 1859,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the house of Mrs. ELIZABETH LIEBIG, (American House) in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, the following described real estate, to wit:

No. 1.—An undivided interest of one hundred acres, of and in all that certain tract of Coal land, situate in the townships of Butler and Barry, in the county of Schuylkill, Penna., adjoining lands now or late of Biddle and McKnight, John Dieter, John Weaver and others, and being a part of three tracts of land, surveyed on warrants granted to John Fidler, on the 14th, 15th and 17th days of August, A. D., 1825, and containing together eight hundred and three acres and thirty-six perches.

No. 2.—The undivided one-half of two hundred and forty acres of coal land situate in Mahanoy township, Schuylkill county, Pennsylvania, bounded by lands late of Peter Knapp, now Jacob Aller, John W. Shoemaker, Bickel, Seibert and others. The tunnel now being constructed for Railroad purposes near Mahanoy city, runs through the eastern end of this tract—as the property of JOHN L. COHO.

ALSO—All the improvements, machinery and fixtures erected by the said Thomas W. Sweeney under a coal lease and tract of land called "Oak Hill," situate in Norwegian township, Schuylkill county, owned by William Wetherill, et. al. The said improvements consisting of a coal breaker, schutes, railroads, &c.—as the property of THOMAS W. SWEENEY, owner or reputed owner, and ISAIAH WELLS, contractor.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the east by Centre street, west by a 10 feet wide alley, north by other lot of Allen Fisher, and south by a 20 feet wide street, called Union street, containing in front on said Centre street 50 feet, measuring from the north west corner of said Centre and Union streets, and running the width of said 20 feet along said Union street 120 feet in depth to said 10 feet wide alley, being part of lot No. 1 in the original plan of the town of Pottsville, with the appurtenances, consisting of a one story frame office.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the east by Centre street, west by a 10 feet wide alley, north by lot of estate of Robert Woodside, deceased, south by other lot of Allen Fisher, containing in front on said Centre street 20 feet, and running the width of 20 feet, 120 feet in depth to said 10 feet wide alley, being part of lot No. 1, in the original plan of the town of Pottsville, with the appurtenances, consisting of a one story frame office—as the property of ALLEN FISHER.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Port Carbon, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by a 10 feet wide alley, eastwardly by lot of Mary Higgins, southwardly by another lot of James Higgins, and westwardly by Ann street, containing in width 23 feet, and in depth 50 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story frame store house.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Port Carbon, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by another lot of James Higgins, and lot of Mary Higgins, eastwardly by a 10 feet wide alley, southwardly by lot of Dana Leberman & Co., westwardly by Ann street, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 150 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a frame stable—as the property of JAMES HIGGINS.

ALSO—All that certain piece of land situate in the village of Ringtown, Union Township, Schuylkill County, bounded northwardly and eastwardly by land of William Mather, southwardly by lot of Jacob Neingessner, westwardly by a public road leading to Mifflinburg, containing 73 perches more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story frame dwelling house with a one story frame office attached, and a frame stable—as the property of ANDREW FOSTER.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded westwardly by Centre street, northwardly by property of the heirs of Jonathan Wynn, deceased, southwardly by lot of Joseph Wollison, and westwardly by Norwegian Creek, containing in front 20 feet, more or less, and in depth 100 feet more or less with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house with alone basement—as the property of EMANUEL HENRY.

ALSO—No 1—All those two certain lots or pieces of ground situate in the town of Donaldson, Schuylkill county, bounded and described as follows: In front by Carter alley, on the east by Martin street, on the south by Pine alley and on the north by Coal alley, and are the same lots marked in the plan of said town with the number 40 and 49, each lot containing 50 feet in width and 150 feet in depth, being the same lots which Elijah Hammer and Catherine his wife, by indenture bearing date the 20th day of November, A. D. 1854, granted and conveyed to Roger H. F. Horton with the appurtenances, consisting of a large frame stable.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Donaldson, Schuylkill county, bounded in front by Centre street, in the rear by Coal alley, on the east by lot No. 13, and on the west by lot No. 15, and is the same lot which is marked in the plan of said town of Donaldson, with the number 14, and the same which John Jordan, Jr., and Jane his wife, and Francis Jordan and Emily, his wife, by indenture bearing date the 26th day of April, A. D., 1854, granted and conveyed to Roger H. F. Horton, with the appurtenances, consisting of a large 2 story frame building, occupied as a store.

No. 3—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Donaldson, Schuylkill county, numbered in the plan of said town with the number 19, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a post, a corner of lot number 18, thence fronting on Centre street and along the same 50 feet to lot number 20, thence along the line of the same 150 feet to Coal Alley, thence along the same 50 feet to lot number 18, thence along the same 150 feet to the place of beginning, being the same premises which D. McCormick and Catherine, his wife, and James M. Clark and Catherine, his wife, by indenture dated April the 19th day of January, A. D., 1856, granted and conveyed to Roger H. F. Horton, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house—as the property of ROGER H. F. HORTON.

ALSO—The one full, equal, undivided fourth part of all that certain tract of coal and timber land and tavern known as "Keffer's Tavern," in Porter township, Schuylkill county, said tract of land, being comprised of 3 adjoining tracts held and possessed as one tract, and containing together 526 acres 151 perches, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story log tavern house, frame shed and stabling for horses, an apple orchard, &c.—as the property of GEORGE RICKERT.

ALSO—All the right, title and interest of George Rickert, of, in and to all that certain tract of coal land, situate in Cass township, Schuylkill county, called the "Herbein Tract," bounded by land of Jacob Serrill, Isaiah V. Williamson, Wolff Creek tract and others, containing 124 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances. There are 16 one and a half story miners' houses, 2 two story frame dwelling houses, 4 frame coal breakers, 2 frame slope houses, one stone slope house, 4 frame blacksmith shops, one frame carpenter's shop and 3 frame stables, on the above premises, which are the property of the lessees of the collieries thereon erected and others, except one log house, as it is alleged.

No 2—All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate partly in West Brunswick township, and partly in North Manheim township, Schuylkill county, bounded by lands of John Geist and others, William Fehr and land of the heirs of Frederick Lauderbrun, deceased, containing 26 acres, more or less—as the property of GEORGE RICKERT.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of St. Clair, Schuylkill county, being bounded southwardly by Second street, westwardly by lot of the heirs of Francis B. Nichols, dec'd, eastwardly by lot of Thomas Keene, and northwardly by Front street, containing in width 17 feet, and in depth 200 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house—as the property of MARY ZELLY.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Mifflin street on the north by lot No. 2, on the east by Strawberry alley, on the south by lands of Rittleman, Eckert and Lehman, containing 20 feet in width on Mifflin street, and 30 feet in width on Strawberry alley, and being in depth 125 feet, and marked lot No. 1, in said borough, in plan of Lay, Hoch & Co.

No. 2—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Mifflin street, on the north by lot No. 14, on the east by Strawberry alley, and on the south by lot No. 12, containing in width, 25 feet and in depth 125 feet being lot No. 13 in said plan.

No. 3—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Mifflin street, on the north by lot No. 15, on the east by Strawberry alley, on the south by lot No. 13, containing 25 feet in width, and 125 feet in depth, and being lot No. 14 in said plan.

No. 4—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Mifflin street, on the north by lot No. 16, on the east by Strawberry alley, on the south by lot No. 14, and being lot No. 15 in said plan, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 125 feet.

No. 5—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Mifflin street, on the north by Morris street, east by Strawberry alley, south by lot No. 15, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 125 feet, being lot No. 16 in said plan.

No. 6—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Mifflin street, on the north by lot No. 25, on the east by Carbon street, on the south by lot No. 23, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 125 feet, and being lot No. 24 in said plan.

No. 7—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Raspberry alley, on the north by lot No. 26, on the east by Carbon street, on the south by lot No. 24, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 125 feet, and being lot No. 25 in said plan.

No. 8—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Raspberry alley, on the north by lot No. 27, on the east by Carbon street, on the south by lot No. 25, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 125 feet, and being lot No. 26 in said plan.

No. 9—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Raspberry alley, on the north by Morris st., on the east by Carbon street, on the south by lot No. 26, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 125 feet, and being lot No. 27 in said plan, with the appurtenances, constituting of a large frame stable.

No. 10—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by Morris street, on the east by Raspberry alley, on the south by Short alley, on the west by lot No. 41, containing in width 28 feet, and in depth 140 feet, and being lot No. 42 in said plan.

No. 11—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by Raspberry alley, on the north by Short alley, on the east by lot No. 44, on the south by Union alley, containing in width 28 feet, and in depth 140 ft., and being lot No. 43 in said plan.

No. 12—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the west by lot No. 45, on the north by Short alley, on the east by lot No. 49, on the south by Union street, the east by lot No. 43, containing in width 28 feet, and in depth 140 feet, and being lot No. 44 in said plan.

No. 13—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by Union street, on the east by a 10 feet wide alley, on the south by land of Dauphin and Susquehanna Coal Company, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house—as the property of WILLIAM FRITZ.

ALSO—All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in Reilly township, Schuylkill county, bounded by land of William Graeff and others, and the public road leading from Llewellyn to Tremont, containing one acre, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with a 1½ story frame kitchen thereto attached (occupied as a Tavern) a 1½ story frame dwelling house, and 3 frame stables—as the property of JACOB SHADE.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the town of Donaldson, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by lot of William Weber, eastwardly and southwardly by land of the Swatara Land Company, and westwardly by a public road leading to the town of Tremont, containing in width 50 feet, and in depth 150 feet with appurtenances consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with stone basement, a one story frame shop, and three story stone dwelling house, (unfinished.)

No. 2—All that certain tract or piece of woodland, situate in Hubley township, Schuylkill county, bounded by lands of George Deibert, Samuel Carl, George Klock and others, containing 50 acres, more or less—as the property of JACOB KAUFFMAN.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in Tuley township, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by school land, on the east and west by lands of William L. Dewart, and on the west by a 50 feet wide street, containing in width 50 feet and in depth 200 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a one story frame dwelling house with a stone basement—as the property of JAMES FOWLER.

Seized and taken into execution and will be sold by JOHN P. HOBART,

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, } *Sheriff.*
Nov. 5, 1859. } 46-ts

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY Virtue of a Writ of *Fieri Facias*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale or outcry, on

Saturday, November 19, 1859,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the public house of DANIEL HILL, in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, the following described real estate, to wit:

All that certain lot of ground, situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by lot of Samuel Schwalm, eastwardly by Good Spring Creek, southwardly by lot of John Walters, and westwardly by Cressman street, containing in width 84 feet, and in depth 120 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame grist mill, with stone basement, and a one story frame and stone boiler house thereto attached, a 15 horse power steam engine with boilers and gearing, and 2 run of French Burr mill stones—as the property of JOHN A. L. TICE and JARED MILLER.

ALSO, All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by Main street, eastwardly by lot of Mary Eckel, southwardly by Good Spring Creek and westwardly by lot of Samuel Hipple, containing in width 21 feet, and in depth 150 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story brick dwelling house, with a two story brick kitchen attached, and a frame stable—as the property of JOHN A. L. TICE.

ALSO, All the right, title and interest of Mary Maury, of, in and to all that certain half lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Ashland, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by Walnut street, on the west by lot No. 102, on the south by lot of Peter Schropple, on the east by lot of Christian Wehrl, containing in width 23 feet, and in depth 62 feet 6 inches, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story frame dwelling house—as the property of MARY MAURY, deceased, in the hands of Jacob Reed, Jr., administrator.

ALSO, All the right, title and interest of Mary Armstrong, of and in all that certain piece or parcel of ground, situate in Norwegian township, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by the Mount Laffa Railroad, on the east and west by lands now or late of Archibald Ronaldson, and on the south by Norwegian Creek, containing one acre and a quarter, or thereabouts, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house and a frame turning shop—as the property of MARY ARMSTRONG.

ALSO—All that certain lot of ground, situate in the borough of Minersville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by Sunbury street, on the west by lot of Margaret Quinn, on the north by Lewis street, on the east by lot of E. Schollenberg, containing in width 30 feet, and in depth 200 feet, with appurtenances consisting of a double two story frame dwelling house with stone basement, with a three story frame kitchen attached, a one story frame building and 3 frame stables.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Minersville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by Sunbury street, on the west by lot of Terrence Quinn, on the north by Lewis street, and on the east by another lot of Margaret Quinn, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 200 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a frame shed—as the property of MARGARET QUINN.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the northwardly side of Church street, in the borough of Minersville, Schuylkill county, containing in width 40 feet and in depth 70 feet, more or less, bounded on the south by lot of the estate of Thomas Bliss, deceased, on the east by the property of the Welsh Baptist Church, southwardly by Church street, and westwardly by lot of John Emmerich, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with basement of stone and a frame shed—as the property of JOHN PHENIX.

ALSO—All that certain tract or piece of land, situate in Upper Mahanoy township, Schuylkill county, bounded by lands of John Reeder, Charles Wetzel and John Gehl, containing 14 acres and 7 perches, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story frame dwelling house and frame stable—as the property of GEORGE HERBRICH.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Saint Clair, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by lot of Theodore Johnston, on the east by Front street, on the west by Second street, and on the south by lot of Jane Beadle, containing in width 60 feet and in depth 200 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a double three story stone dwelling house—as the property of ADAM MORT.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Ashland, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by Centre street, on the west by lot No. 125, on the north by Chestnut street, and on the east by lot now or late of Washington Kulbnyder, containing in width 18 feet and in depth 125 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with store room on first floor and a two story frame back building, with a one story frame kitchen attached, frame store house and a frame stable.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Ashland, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by Walnut street, on the west by Jackson street, on the south by Tenth street, containing in width 50 feet, and in depth 125 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of 4 one and a half story frame dwelling houses.

No. 3—All those certain two lots or pieces of ground, situate in the borough of Ashland, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by Chestnut street, on the west by Seventh street, on the north by land taken by the Mine Hill and Schuylkill Haven Rail Road Company, and on the west by lot No. 4, being lots marked Numbers 1 and 2 in plan of said town, containing together in width 50 feet, and in depth 50 feet, more or less, to the land of the said The Mine Hill and Schuylkill Haven Rail Road Co., with the appurtenances, consisting of a frame dwelling house.

ALSO—All that certain messuage and lot or piece of ground, being the south end of Jackson Row, in the borough of Pinegrove, in the county of Schuylkill and state of Pennsylvania, (containing in width 16 feet, and in depth 180 feet, more or less,) bounded in front by Tulpehocken street, on the north by house and lot of Mary Zerby, and on the east and south by lots of the Dauphin and Susquehanna Coal Company, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house—as the property of WILLIAM FRITZ.

ALSO—All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in the borough of Schuylkill county, bounded by land of William Graeff and others, and the public road leading from Llewellyn to Tremont, containing one acre, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with a 1½ story frame kitchen thereto attached, (occupied as a Tavern) a 1½ story frame dwelling house, and 3 frame stables—as the property of JACOB SHADE.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the town of Donaldson, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by lot of William Weber, eastwardly and southwardly by land of the Swatara Land Company, and westwardly by a public road leading to the town of Tremont, containing in width 50 feet, and in depth 150 feet with appurtenances consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with stone basement, a one story frame shop, and three story stone dwelling house, (unfinished.)

No. 2—All that certain tract or piece of woodland, situate in Hubley township, Schuylkill county, bounded by lands of George Deibert, Samuel Carl, George Klock and others, containing 50 acres, more or less—as the property of JACOB KAUFFMAN.

ALSO—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Saint Clair, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by school land, on the east and west by lands of William L. Dewart, and on the west by a 50 feet wide street, containing in width 50 feet and in depth 200 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a one story frame dwelling house with a stone basement—as the property of JAMES FOWLER.

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THE CELEBRATED HOLLAND REMEDY FOR

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