Wit and Humor.

HOW HE CAME TO BE MARRIED.

It may be funny, but I've done it. I've got a rib and a baby. Shadows departed—oyster stews, brandy cocktails, older boxes, boot jacks, absconding shirt buttons, whist and demijon. Shadows present—hoop skirts, band boxes, ribbons, gaiters, long stockings, juvenile dresses, tin trumpets, little willow chairs, cradles, bibs, pap, sugar teats, paregoric, hive syrup, castor oil, Godfrey's cordial, soothing syrup, rhubarb, sena, salts, squills, and doctor bills. Shadows future—more pound babies, more hive syrup, etc., etc. I'll just tell you how I got caught. I was almost the darndest, most tea custard, bashful fellow you ever did see, it was kinder nuny line to be taken with the shakes every time I saw a pretty gal approaching me, and I'd cross the street any time rather than face one; 'twasn't because I didn't like the critters, for if I was behind the fence looking through a knot-hole, I couldn't look at one long enough. Well, my sister Lib gave a party one night, and I stayed away from home because I was too bashful to face the music. I hung around the house whistling "Old Dan Tucker," dancing to keep my feet warm, watching the heads bobbing up and down behind the window curtains, and wishing the thundering party would break up so I could get to my room. I smoked up a bunch of segars, and as it was getting late and mighty uncomfortable, I concluded to shin up the door post. No sooner said than done, and soon put myself snug in bed.

"Now," says I, "let her rip! Dance till your wind gives out!" And cuddling under the quilts, Morpheus grabbed me.

I was dreaming of soft shell crabs and stewed tripe, and was having a gobd time, when somebody knocked at the door and woke me up. "Rap" again. I laid low.—"Rap, rap, rap!" Then I heard a whispering, and I knew there was a whole raft of gals outside. "Rap, rap!" Then Lib sings out—

"Jack, are you in there?"

"Yes," says I.

Then came a roar of laughter.

"Let us in," says she.

"I won't," says I; "can't you let a fellow alone?"

"Are you a-bed?" says she.

"I am," says I.

"Get up," says she.

"I won't" says I.

Then came another laugh.

By thunder! I began to get riled.

"Get out, you petticoated scarecrows!" I cried: "Can't you get a beau without hauling a fellow out of bed? I won't go home with you—I won't—so you may clear out!"

And throwing a boot at the door, I felt better. But presently, oh! mortal buttons! I heard a still, small voice, very much like sister Lib's, and it said:

"Jack, you'll have to get up, for all the girls' things are in there!"

Oh, dear, what a pickle! Think of me in bed, all covered with shawls, muffs, bonnets and cloaks, and twenty girls outside the door waiting to get in! If I had stopped to think I should have pancaked on the spot. As it was, I rolled out among the bonnet-ware and ribbons in a hurry. Smash! went the millinery in every direction. I had to dress in the dark—for there was a crack in the door, and the girls will peep—and the way I fumbled about was death on straw hats. The critical moment came. I opened the door, and found myself right among the women.

"Oh! my Leghorn!" cries one. "My dear, darling winter velvet!" cries another, and they pitched in—they pulled me this way and that, boxed my ears; and one bright-eyed little piece—Sal——her name was—put her arms right around my neck, and kissed me right upon my lips! Human nature couldn't stand that, and I gave her as good as she sent. It was the first time I ever got a taste, and it was powerful good. I believe I could have kissed that gal from Julius Cesar to the Fourth of July.

"Jack," said she, "we are sorry to disturb you, but won't you see me home?"

"Yes," said I, "I will."

I did do it, and had another smack at the gate, too. After that we took a kinder turtle doving after each other, both of us sighing like a barrel of new cider when we were away from each other. 'Twas at the close of a glorious summer day—the sun was setting behind a distant henroost—the bull-frogs were commencing their evening songs—the polly-wogs in their native mud puddles, were preparing themselves for the shades of night—and Sal and myself sat upon an antiquated back-log, listening to the music of nature, such as tree toads, roosters and grunting pigs, and now and then the mellow music of a distant jackass was wafted to our ears by the gentle zephyrs that sighed among the mullen stalks, and came laden with the delicious odor of hen-roosts and pig-sties. The last lingering rays of the setting sun, glancing from the buttons of a solitary horseman, shone through a knot-hole in a pig-pen, full in Sal's face, dying her hair an orange peel hue, and showing off my threadbare coat to a bad advantage. One of my arms was around Sal's waist, my hand resting on the small of her back; she was toying with my auburn locks of jet-black hue—she was almost gone, and I was ditto. She looked like a grasshopper dying with the hiccups, and I felt like a mud-turtle choked with a fish-ball.

"Sal," says I, in a voice as musical as the notes of a dying swan. "Will you have me?"

She turned her eyes heavenward, clasped me by the hand, had an attack of the heaves, and blind staggers, and with a sigh that drew her shoe-strings to her palate, said "Yes!"

She gave clear out, then, and squatted in my lap; she corkscrewed and curfluuxed and rolled in. I hugged her till I broke my suspenders, and her breath smelt of onions she eat two weeks before.

Well, to make a long story short, she set the day, and we practised for four weeks every night how we would walk into the room to be married, till we got so we could walk as graceful as a couple of Muscovy ducks. The night the company and the minister came, the signal was given, and arm in arm we marched through the crowded hall. We were just entering the parlor door when down I went, kerslap, on the oil-cloth, pulling Sal after me. Some cussed fellow had dropped a banana skin on the floor, and I slipped on it. It split an awful hole in my cassimeres right under my dress coat tail.—It was too late to back out; so, clapping my hand over it, we marched in and were spliced—and, taking a seat, I watched the kissing the bride operation. My groomsman was tight, and he kissed her till I jumped up to take a slice; when, oh, horror! a little six year old imp had crawled behind me, and pulling my shirt through the hole in my pants, had pinned it to the chair, and in jumping up I displayed to the admiring gaze of the astonished multitude a trifle more white muslin than was pleasant. The women giggled, the men roared, and I got mad, but was finally put to bed, and there all my troubles ended. Good-night.

THE JIST SAM.—During last winter a "contraband" came into the Federal lines in Carolina, and was marching up to the ——— day to give an account of himself upon the following coloquy ensued:

"What's your name?"

"My name's Sam."

"Sam what?"

"No, sah; not Sam Watt; I'se jist *Sam*."

"What's your other name?"

"I haven't got no other name, sah. I'se Sam ——, sah."

"What's your master's name?"

"I've got no massa now; massa runned away—yah! yah! I'se a free nigger now."

"Well, what is your father's and mother's name?"

"I've got none, sah, nebber had none. I'se ——, nobody else."

"Have you any brothers and sisters?"

"I've got two brud home. No brudder, no sister, no mudder, no massa—all dere is of us."

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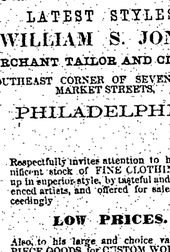

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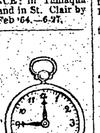

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Berks county, will be sold at public vendue, on

THURSDAY, the 19th day of January, 1865,

at the public house of Daniel Housum, in the City of Reading, County of Berks, the following described Real Estate, as follows, to wit:

No. 1. All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land, situate partly in Spring and partly in Cumru township, adjoining lands of Seltzinger's heirs, lands devised to Ann Evans, widow, Henry Reifler, John Shoup, the Mill Tract, other land devised to Ann Evans, and Michael Reifsnyder, containing 148 acres and 31 perches. The improvements consist of a large Stone Dwelling House, large Swiss Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, and all necessary outbuildings.

No. 2. A certain messuage, tenement and tract of land, situate in Cumru township, Berks county, adjoining lands of late John Gernant, Michael Reifsnyder, and tract No. 1, containing 34¾ acres. The improvements consist of a large two-story Brick Dwelling House, Barn, Grist Mill, and necessary out-buildings.

No. 3. A certain tract of Woodland, situate in Cumru township, Berks county, adjoining lands of Conrad Schiller, Samuel K. Mohn, John W. Spatz, lands devised to Ann Evans, widow, and tracts Nos. 4 and 5, containing 21 acres and 55 perches.

No. 4. A certain tract of Woodland, situate in Cumru township, county aforesaid, adjoining lands of late Daniel Yocum, and tracts Nos. 3 and 5, containing 10 acres and 44 perches.

No. 5. A certain tract of land, situate in Cumru township, county aforesaid, adjoining lands of Geo. Shalter, tracts Nos. 3, 4 and 6, and lands devised to the widow of John V. R. Evans, containing 19 acres and 158 perches.

No. 7. A certain tract of Woodland, situate in Cumru township, county aforesaid, adjoining lands of Mrs. Jonathan Ruth, John Hinnershitz, Henry Kemmyer, and tracts Nos. 9 and 8, containing 21 acres and 75 perches.

No. 8. A certain tract of Woodland, situate in Cumru township, county aforesaid, adjoining lands of Henry Kemmyer, Mohn & Spatz, lands devised to Ann Evans, and tracts Nos. 5, 6 and 7, containing 15 acres and 44 perches.

No. 9. A certain tract of Woodland, situate in Cumru township, county aforesaid, adjoining lands of Peter Miller, John Snyder, late John Schwartz now Holler, William Ganser and James Ruth; containing 31 acres and 92 perches. Late the property of *John V. R. Evans*, deceased.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, when due attendance will be given, and the terms of sale made known by

DANIEL SHELL, Executor.
By order of the Court—SOLOMON CLOSE, Clerk.
Dec. 31, '64. 52-3

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, on

MONDAY, January 9th, 1865,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, Franklin Yocom, Administrator of William Yocom, late of Roaring Creek township, in said County, deceased, will expose to sale by public vendue, on the premises, in the town of Ashland, in the County of Schuylkill, all those certain Lots of Ground, situate in the said town of Ashland, described as follows:

No. 1. A certain lot of ground fronting on Main St. adjoining lots of Daniel Levan, and numbered No. 242 in the general plan of said town, on which is erected a two-story FRAME HOUSE, with a basement.

No. 2. Also, lot of ground adjoining the lot above described, and numbered No. 240 in the ground plan of said town, on which is erected a two-story FRAME HOUSE, with a basement, each of said lots being twenty-five feet in width, and one hundred and twenty-five feet in depth.

No. 11. Also, two other contiguous lots of ground, situated on the corner of Walnut and Tenth streets, being each twenty-five feet on Walnut street, and twenty-five feet on Spruce street, being each one hundred and twenty-five feet in depth, on which is erected four one-and-a-half story frame DWELLING HOUSES —late the property of said deceased. The conditions made known on day of sale, by

FRANKLIN YOCOM, Admr.
JESSE COLEMAN, Clerk.
Dec. 24, '64. 52-3t

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of the County of Schuylkill, the acting Trustee of the Estate of William Kichner, late of the Borough of Schuylkill Haven, deceased, will expose to sale by public vendue, on

SATURDAY, the 21st day of January next,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Public House of Margaret Koons, in the said Borough:

No. 1. All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the said Borough of Schuylkill Haven, bounded southwest by John street, northwest by a 16-feet alley, northeast by No. 2, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 3 in Kichner's Addition to Schuylkill Haven, containing in front, on Front street, 24 feet, and in depth 140 feet, more or less.

No. 2. A certain lot or piece of ground, situate in said Borough of Schuylkill Haven, bounded southwest by No. 1, by an alley, by No. 3, and by Front street, being a part of lot No 3 in Kichner's addition to said Borough, containing in front, on Front street, 22 feet, and in depth 120 feet, more or less.

No. 3. A certain lot of ground, situate in aforesaid Borough, bounded by No. 2, by an alley, by No. 4, and by Front street, being parts of lots Nos. 3 and 4, in Kichner's addition to said Borough, containing in front on Front street, 22 feet, and in depth 128 feet, more or less.

No. 4. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 3, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 5, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 4 in the aforesaid addition, containing in front, on Front street, 22 feet, and in depth 136 feet, more or less.

No. 5. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by lot of John Christian, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 6, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 5 in said Kichner's addition, containing in front, on Front street, 30 feet, and in depth 135 feet, more or less.

No. 6. A certain two-story brick dwelling house, frame stable and lot of ground, situate in the aforesaid Borough, bounded southwest by No. 5, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 7, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 5 in said Kichner's addition, containing in front, on Front street, 30 feet, and in depth 135 feet, more or less.

No. 7. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 6, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 8, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 5 in said Kichner's addition, containing in front 30 feet, and in depth 130 feet, more or less.

No. 8. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by Lydia Gass's lot, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 9, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 11 in said Kichner's addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 200 feet, more or less.

No. 9. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 8, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 10, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 11 in aforesaid addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 182 feet, more or less.

No. 10. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 9, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 11, and southeast by Front street, being parts of lots Nos. 12 and 13 in said Kichner's addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 164 feet, more or less.

No. 11. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 10, northwest by an alley, northeast by No 12, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 13 in the aforesaid addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 146 feet, more or less.

No. 12. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 11, northwest by an alley, northeast by a forty-feet road called Dock street, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 13 in said addition, containing in front 30 feet, and in depth 135 feet, more or less.

No. 13. A certain two-story frame dwelling house, with a 14-story frame kitchen attached, a frame stable and lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southeast by lot of Henry Yoder, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 14, and southeast by Front street, being lot No. 15 in said Kichner's addition, containing in front 40 feet, and in depth 120 feet, more or less.

No. 14. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 23, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 16, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 16 in said addition, containing in front 20 feet, and in depth 100 feet, more or less.

No. 15. A certain 1½-story dwelling house, with a one-story kitchen and lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by Peter street, northwest by lot of George S. Geistwite, northeast by an alley, and southeast by lot of Charles Bourke, containing in front, on Dock street, 20 feet, and in depth 153 feet, more or less.

Late the estate of said deceased. Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale, by

THOS. P. HOBART, Trustee.
By order of the Orphans' Court,
A. DOHMANN, Clerk.
Pottsville, Dec. 24, '64. 52

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