# WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS--?

By MARGARET DELAND.

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### PART I.

"The most delightful thing about our engagement is that everybody is so pleased with it." Amy Townsend said this, smiling down at her lover, who, full length on the grass beside her. lenned on his elbow, watching her soft air blowing across her forehead, and the color of the sun flickering through the shadows, hot on her cheek; for she had closed her fluffy white parasol and taken off her hat, here under an oak tree on the grassy bank of the river.

I should have thought that the fact that we were pleased ourselves was a trille more innortant?" he suggested. as rector of the church, But he had But Miss Townsend paid no attention to his interruption.

You know, generally, when people got engaged, there are always people who exclaim; either the man is too good for the girl (and you are too good for me. Billy! or the girl is too good

She is, there is no question about that," the man interrupted.

'He quiet!" the other commanded; but in our case, everybody approves. You see, in the first place, you are a Parson, and I'm a Worker, That's what they call me, the old ladies; 'a Work-And, of course, that's a most appropriate combination to start with." Well, the old indies will discover that my wife but going to run their committees for them," the parson said, emphatically, "besides if I'm a Para, you're a Parson! How do the old ladies bear it, that I haven't any ancestors, and used to run errands in a tin shop? I'm a worker, literally

You are a goose," she told him, calmly; "don't keep interrupting me. Billy. What do ancestors amount to? admit I'm glad that none of mine were hanged (so far as I know) or that they didn't run off with other people's noney-or wives. (I'd mind the wives less than the money, I must confess. I suppose you think that's very medieval in me?) But what credit is their good behavior to me? You are a credit to your people, whoever they were—and my own belief is, they were Princes!

She had such a charming way of flinging up her head, and looking down at him sidewise, that he was willing to have had any kind of ancestors, only to catch that look of joyous pride; and in his own joyousness he was impelled to try to take her hand in his; but her fingers were laced about her knee, and she shook her head.

I'm talking seriously; you mustn't be silly. You must listen to of: First, you are a Parson, and I'm a angry. Worker. Secondly, you are forty-two, and it's high time, high time sir! for you to be married; and I'm twentyseven-and, really, you know, 'my chances are lessening'-(that's what they say, my dear); and I hardly deserve, after all these years -'

"After all these years, Billy, not to get a crocked stick in the end." T'm not crooked, I will admit," he

'And offers?' suggested her lover-

Thirdly," she proceeded, "you are very good-looking, and all the old Tabbies that a handsome minister ought to be married."

The old tabbles might find something better to talk about," he said, his face hardening, "Oh. Amy, that's the kind of thing that makes a man this great, serious, strenuous matter of living-the consciousness of God; that's what living is in its highest expression! and to further that consciousness is the divinest human passion. A man tries to do it, gives his

hand, and by and by they were silent, just for happiness, and because it was sunset, and the river was flickering with light, and there was a faint stir of leaves overhead. They were to be married in a fortnight, and they were going to have all their lives together to say how good life was, so there was

no need to talk now. As the girl has said, it really was a very unsatisfactory match, William West was a man whom everyone honored, and many loved. For fifteen years he had been settled in Mercer; first as an assistant to old Mr. Brown, and then taken his place in the community as a man of strong judgment and high character; perhaps as a citizen, rather than as a minister. Men felt that he was a man, before he was a clergyman; not knowing that his calling had given him his highest manhood, was singularly devoid of cierical affectation; consequently the influence of his own reverence, was not vitlated by a suspicion of his common sense In fact, his sanity in matters religious toined to his knowledge of human nature, made him a man of importance in affairs municipal and social. That he had lived to be forty-two, and had not married, was from no asceticism; he was a very human person, and fully intended to have a wife; only, she must be just what he wanted. And so far, that "not impossible She" who was to possess his heart, had never appeared. When she did, he recognized her immediately, and would have proposed to her the next day, had not a feeling of diffidence as to her sentiments deterred him for nearly two weeks. At the end of that time, he told her-ah, well, never mind what he told her! She, at least, will never forget the passion

of that claiming. Amy Townsend had to come to spend the winter in Mercer, with a cousin. Of course, the first Sunday, she went to St. James, as everybody who was anybody, did. When she came home, her eyes were keen with interest.

"Do tell me about him, Cousin Kate," she sald; "I never heard that sort of preaching; what does it mean? Is he a real person, or is he just elever?" Mrs. Paul laughed.

"Wait till you meet him! you'll see. But she also adde to herself, "wait till he meets you!" For Mrs. Paul was one of those courageous women who rush in where angels fear to tread; she was a match maker.
"Is he married?" the girl asked.

naturally enough, but blushed furiously the other reasons why we are approved the next instant, which made her

"No; but it's not for lack of opportunity," said Mrs. Paul, dryly, "I declare, Amy, women are dreadful fools. sometimes! I should think a ciergyman wouldn't marry, out of sheer disgust for their silliness,"

"Oh, he's run after, is he?" Miss Townsend said, coldly, "Well, I must admit he's very at-

tractive," Mrs. Paul began, remembering her scheme, and retreating a little-for nothing will put a girl against a man sooner than to know he is "run after."

Then she told his story: the boy had been a waif ("his mother was respectable, I think, said Mrs. Paul, "but no body knows anything about the father.") He had had that dreariest sort eringe!- i mean a minister. Here is of childhood, which knows no other home than an institution. Then, some how, "quite like a story book," Mrs Paul said, a gentleman took an interest in him, and began to help him in one way or another.

"It was that zoological man, Prof. life to it, and immediately he is food | Wilson; you know who I mean?



"YOU ARE A GOOSE," SHE TOLD HIM, CALMLY,

for chattering old women! They gos- | Mrs. Paul explained. "He looked up, his face stirred with anger and man with the 'grand manner!' "But I suppose I must admit that the Parsons bring it on themselves to some extent," he ended, with a sigh; "we don't mingle enough with men; they distrust us, and think we talk twaddle about overcoming temptations we know nothing about; so, being shut out from masculine living, we do haunt tea tables, and gabble about vestments. I suppose there's no doubt

He had a certain stern way of thrusting out his lower lip when he was very much in earnest, and drawing his strong brows together; an impatient fire sprang into his beautiful dark eyes. He turned and looked at her, claiming her understanding. "Yes," she said; "yes; it is so. The

belittling of the profession of the ministry, is a dreadful thing. A shameful thing. I once heard a man say that elderly unmarried women always had to have something to fuss over and coddle, something to lead around by a blue ribbon. Sometimes it was a poodle; sometimes it was a clergyman. And there's truth in it, Billy."

"There is," he said, grimly. "Well, dear," she reassured him.smiling, "your distinguished rudeness to the ladies of your congregation has, at least, protected you from the blue rib-

He began to protest, but the talk slipped back into their own affairs, and about her, but her impulses were grasomehow he succeded in getting her

sip about his affairs, or his clothes, or lafter him. At first he put him his looks even!" William West sat in a tin shop, if you please; fancy! this "Oh, I supposed he was a gentleman,"

Amy Townsend said.

"Amy, you are a snob!" her cousin answered, hotly, "He is!" Mrs. Paul was so annoyed that she ended the story of Mr. West's career very briefly Prof. Wilson oered either to start him in business or put him through college; he chese to go to college.

That was rather fine," Miss Town-"Fine? It just showed what sort of a man he was!" cried Mrs. Paul; "he worked his way to some extent; that is, he was Prof. Wilson's secretary and he did o lot of tutoring. Prof. Wilson left him a good deal of money, but he gave away nearly half of it at once, John says. Quite remarkable for

what he is today? a gentleman and a scholar! John says there is no man in Mercer who has the influence that he Miss Townsend, in spite of her careful indifference, was interested. And later, when Rev. William West met her he, too, was "interested;" and all felt

a young man. Well, that's all; you see

out os the most experienced romancer could desire. Amy had a little money, much charm, a certain distinction that answered for beauty, and a very true nature; there was, perhaps, a certain hard integrity

clous. Also, as the old ladies said, she

was a "worker." She found life too interesting not to meddle with it. So it has come to pass that these two, who, as Mrs. Paul said, "were made for each other," were going to be married.

"Just think, in two weeks!" he said, as they sat here under the oak, the grass blossoming knee deep about them, and the air sweet with clover; "Amy, it does not seem as if I had been alive until now!"

"I wonder does it go on gettingnicer?" she asked him, a little shyly. Amy Townsend was very much in love. but this man's strength always gave her a slight sense of timidity. However, a girl adores this uncomfortable feeling, which men rarely comprehend. "Everything seems to be better, and more worth while," she told him. "I understand," he said.

And they were silent for awhile, because understanding is enough, when people are in love. Then the girl's gayety began to sparkle out:

"Billy, Cousin Kate says if I'm not



HAPPINESS IS SO SERIOUS A THING.

oness; she says I must devote myself to you; not to your poor people," "Mrs. Paul has given a great deal of good advice in her day," the Rev. Billy remarked, meditatively, "and I really think very little harm has come from

"She advised your being called to Mercer. Did you know that?"
"Know it? My dear child! how often have I dined at the Paul's? Just so often have I heard it." "Now, Billy, that's not very nice in

"I but stated a fact; and I have a high regard for Mrs. Paul. Only, when I think how many girls she has tried to make marry me!-but they would none of them look at me."

"And in two weeks the opportunity will be gone," she jeered. "Poor girls!" Rev. Billy commiserated; and was removed for vanity. indeed, just because happiness is so serious a thing, they became very frivolous, these two, sitting watching the sunset, and the river. Amy told him a funny story about the parish; he responded by another concerning Tom Reilly, a policeman; which reminded Amy to tell him that poor Tom had an accident, and hurt his hand,

"But it was very stupid in him," she added, with a little of that resentful goodness that one sees sometimes in women: "I'm not at all sorry for him, secause he deserved it. He had been drinking, and as he went stumbling out of a car, he crushed his hand in

Her lover was not to be lured into professional comments; he only murmured, "Mauvais quart d'heure-" which made her say, indignantly:

"Now, Billy, really, that is too much!" and insist that they should go home immediately, "I cannot descend to such levels," she told him; and was very stern and forbidding, when, looking to the right and left, and seeing no man, he begged to be allowed to kiss

But this was all froth. Beneath, in the man's life, were the great tides of ove, moving, noiseless and unchangeable from out the depths of his soul. In the girl's life it was all shine, and perfume and glitter, like flowers blossoming on a rock; beneath, in her heart, was the solid ground of reverence and faith.

(To be Continued.

### Tours to Florida.

No district in America presents, during the winter season, so many varied attractions as the state of Florida. Besides its delightful climate, which to one escaping from the cold and un-healthful changes of the north seems almost ethereal, it is pre-eminently a land of sport and pleasure. Along its eleven hundred miles of salt water coast and in its twelve hundred fresh water lakes are fish of almost every conceivable variety, from the migratory tribes common to northern waters to the tarpon, pompano, and others of a more tropical character. Nowhere in all our broad land can the angler find a greater variety of game or better

Here also the most enthusiastic hun er finds satiety. Deer, turkeys, bears, panthers and wild cats roam at large through the more sparsely settled rethrough the more sparsely settled re-gions, while birds of all kinds may be ound in abundance throughout the state. The more novel sport of alligator and manatee hunting may also se indulged in by the more adventur-

ous tourist. . With its matchless climate, its orange groves, its rivers and lakes, its boating and bathing, its fishing and hunting, and its extensive forests. Florthe valetudinarian, the lover of na-ture, the sportsman and the explorer.

To this attractive state the Pennsylvania Railroad company has arranged four personally conducted tours during the season of 1897, leaving by special train January 26, February 9 and 23, and Madeh 9. The first three tours will admit of a sojourn of two weeks in this delightful land; tickets for the fourth tour will be valid to return until May

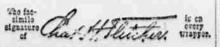
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New York, \$48 from Philadelphia, and
proportionate rates from other points.
For tickets, itineraries and other inermation, apply to ticket agents, spe-al booking offices, or address George V. Boyd, assistant general assenger agent, Broad street station, Philadel-

## Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in

3 Days. Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had inflamatory rheumatism in every muscle and joint her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the Mystic Cure for Rheumatism, it gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by Carl Lorenz. druggist, Scranton, 418 Lackawanne

# CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.



CHERIFF'S SALE.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15th, 1897.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Leveri Facias and Venditioni Exponas, Issued out of the court of common pleas of Lackawanna county, to me directed, I will expose to public sale by vendue or outery, to the highest and best bidders, for cash, at the court house, in the city of Scranton, Lackawanna county, on FRIDAY, the FIFTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D., 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all the right title and interest of the defendants in and to the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

No. 1.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described lot, piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Old Forge, in the county of Lackawanna, and state of Pennslyvania, Being lot No. 25 in Block No. 7, section "F," on the plan of E. M. Smith lots, Lackawanna county, Pennsylvania, drawn and painted by J. H. Rlitenhouse, C. E., and being fifty feet in front on Hickory street and one hundred and fifty feet in depth, bounded as follows:

and fifty feet in depth, bounded as follows:

On the northeast by Hickory street, on the southeast by lot number twenty-six, on the southeast by lot number thirty-three, and on the northwest by lot number twenty-four.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of E. M. Smith vs. Bettle or Baty Goodman. Debt, \$190.17. Judgment No. 243, January term, 1897. H. C. REYNOLDS, Att'y.

No. 2.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, George Sabanas in and to all that certain lot of land situate in the township of Fell, county of Lackawanna, and state of Pennsylvania, being a part of what is known as the "Warren lot," which is a part of the warrantee tract in the name of Peter Beach. Said lot being numbered 127 north plot and situate upon street called First street, upon the Warren plot or addition to Forest City, intended to be recorded; said lot being sixty feet in front and one hundred and fifty-seven feet deep and rectangular in shape. ALSO gular in shape. Coal, mineral and mining privileges, and

subject to conditions and reservations usually contained in deeds from the Warren lines to purchasers.

Improved with one two-story frame

ing house with basement and other out-buildings thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Harmony Building and Loan asso-ciation, No. 2, vs. Anthony Lynch and Mary Lynch. Debt. \$1.876.00. Judgment No. 1446, September term, 1896, lev. fa. to January, 1897. STOKES, Att'y.

No. 4.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, John J. Gaughan and Margaret Gaughan, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Seventh ward of the city of Scranton, in the county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania, described as follows: Being lot number sixteen (18) in square or block number forty-four (44), and situate upon Mineral street, upon the Lackawanna Iron and Coal Co.'s plot of said city. Said lot being thirty (39) feet in front, and one hundred and twenty (120) feet in depth and is rectangular. All improved with a two-story, frame dwelling house and other outbuildings thereon. Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of Lackawanna Building and Loan association vs. John J. Gaughan and Margaret Gaughan. Debt. \$600.00. Judgment No. 258. September term, 1893, ii. fa. to January term, 1897. pary term, 1897. STOKES, Att'y.

ALSO

No. 5.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, John Bossak, in and all the surface or right of soil of all those two certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate on what is called or known as the "Warren lot," or addition to Forest City, in the township of Fell, county of Lackawanna, state of Pennsylvania.

Being a part of an original tract in the warrantee name of Peter Beach; said lots being lots numbered thirty-three and thirty-four, North Plot, situate between Hillside and First streets. Said lots being sixty feet in front and rear, and their combined depth three hundred and fourteen feet,
Improved with two, two-story, frame dwellings.

Selzed and taken in execution at the

dwellings.
Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of T. B. Davis & Co. assigned to F. J. Osgood vs. John Bossák. Debt. \$470.00. Judgment No. 778, March term, 1895, fl. fa. to January term, 1897.

WATROUS, Att'y.

ALSO

No. 6.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, B. F. Butterfield, in and to all the following described lot of land with the improvements thereon, situate in Elmhurst, Lackawanna county, Pennsyl-yania, bounded and described as follows, to wit.

liminus. Lackawahna country reansyvania, bounded and described as follows to wit:

Beginning at a corner on the southwest side of the Delaware. Lackawarna and Western railroad, sixty-two feet from the center of the southern bound track of said railroad, thence south forty-one degrees west along lands of Elizabeth Kinckerbocker, eleven rods and eleven links to a corner in line of U. G. Schoonmaker land, thence south along said line thirty-seven and one-half degrees east, five rods and twelve links to a corner, adjoining lot owned by Charles Page and A. C. Duning, thence north fifty-three degrees east twelve rods and eighteen links to a corner sixty-two feet from the center of said southern bound track, thence northwesterly along said railroad track sixty-two feet from its center seven rods and seventeen links to the place of beginning, containing one-half an acreof land to the same more or less, it being the same lot of land as conveyed to B. P. Butterfield by Robert limits and wife by deed dated June 5th, 1899, and recorded in the office for recording deeds in and for the county of Lackawanna in Deed Book No. 76, at page 278, etc. Improved with a two-story, frame dwelling house and outbuildings. and outbuildings.
Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of Jennie Lommason, et al., vs. B. E. Butterfield, Debt. \$384.00. Judgment No. 1396. September term. 1896, lev. fa. to January term, 1897. C. H. WELLES, Atty.

ALSO

No. 7.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, George D. Brown, in and to all that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land and situate in the City of Scranton and county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania; and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of an alley on the southeast corner of an alley on the southeast ide of Dickson avenue, one hundred and eighty feet and six inches (180 ft, 6 in.) from the corner of Dickson avenue and Breaker street, thence along said avenue south thirty-nine degrees and forty-five minutes (39 degrees, 45 minutes), west one hundred and fifty-two (152) feet to a corner; thence south fifty degrees and fifty-five minutes (59 deg. 15 m.), east two hundred and fifteen (215) feet to a corner, thence north thirty-nine degrees and fifty-five minutes (39 deg. 45 m.), east one hundred and fifty (159) feet to a corner, thence minutes (39 deg. 45 m.), east one hundred and fifty (159) feet to a corner on an alley; thence north fifty degrees and fifteen minutes (60 deg. 15 m.), west along said alley two hundred and fifteen (215) feet to Dickson avenue aforesaid at the place of beginning; containing thirty-two thousand four hundred (32,400) feet of land more or less. Being part of lot number five (5), all of lots number six (6) and seven (7) and part of lot number eight (8) in square or block number nine (8) on plot of land surveyed for William Von Storch by J. L. Lawrence:

Excepting and reserving all the coal

and minerals beneath the surface with the right to mine and remove by any subterranean process, improved with a planing mill, brick office, frame barn 30x30 feet and a block of three dwelling houses and outbuildings thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of William Connell, et al., executors of the estate of Alexander Connell, deceased, Debt, \$5,560.82, Judgment No. 514 January term, 1897, fl. fa. to January term, 1897, C. H. WELLES, Att'y.

ALSO

No. S.—All the defendant's right, title to, and interest in the following described piece or parcel of real estate, situate, lying and being in the borough of Dunmore, county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvanial, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake on a street in line of A. B. Slikman's land, thence southeast along said A. B. Slikman's land, 157 feet to an alley; thence northeast along said alley 100 feet to a stake; thence northwest 157 feet to the aforesaid street; thence southwest along said street 100 feet to the place of beginning. Containing about one-half (%) of an acre of land, more or less, coal and minerals reserved. Being same premises conveyed to Albert Butterman by deed dated August 39th, 1886, recorded in Lackawanna county in D. B. No. 38, page 426. etc. All improved with a two-story and basement single dwelling house, a double house arranged for two families and outbuildings thereon.

Setzed and taken in execution at the suit of the Eastern Building and Loan society vs. Albert Butterman. Deht, \$3,500,90. Judgment No. 84. Septemberterm, 1897, alias fi. fa. to January term, 1896.

ALSO

No. 9.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Guy A. Robinson, administrator, C. T. A., of the estate of William Robinson, deceased, in and to all that certain lot or tract of land situate in the township of Roaring Brook, county of Lackawanna, state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit Beginning at a point in the center of the old Drinker turnpike and corner of land of Thomas B. Hardenberg, thence 70% degrees west 39 rods to a corner of said Hardenberg and John Brady lots; thence north along said Brady line 13½ rods to a corner of post and stones, thence north 70% degrees east 32 1-6 rods to center of said Drinker turnpike; thence south 29½ degrees east 31 1-8 rods to place of beginning. Containing about three acres of land, more or less, all improved with a two-story, frame building house, one frame barn, outbuildings and orchard. Seized and taken in execution at the sult of A. T. Searle, assignée of Mary A. Gardner vs. Guy A. Robinson, administrators of William B. Robinson, deceased. Debt, \$250.00. Judgment No. 638 January term, 1897.

BEERS & GRAMBS, Att'y.

ALSO

No. 10.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Joseph Glencross and Agnes Glencross and Elizabeth Glencross, terre tenants, in and to the following de-

Improved with one two-story frame dwelling house.

Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of T. L. Horton, assigned to F. J. Osgood vs. George Sabanas. Debt. \$50.00, Judgment No. 771, March term. 1896, fl. fa. to January term. 1897.

ALSO

No. 3.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Anthony Lynch and Mary Lynch, in and to all that certain int, piece or parcel of land situate in the Twentieth ward, in the city of Scranton, in the county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and twenthirlds (349-2.3) feet to a corner; thence south 634 degrees west along the line of lots 13, 12 and 11 three hundred and forty-nine and two-thirlds (349-2.3) feet to a corner; thence south 634 degrees west along the line of lots 13, 12 and 11 three hundred and twenty-four (124) feet to a corner; thence south 634 degrees west three hundred forty-nine and two-thirds (349-2.3) feet to a corner; thence south 634 degrees west three hundred forty-nine and two-thirds (349-2.3) feet to a corner in the center of Main street thence along the center of Main street thence along the center of Main street thence and three hundred and seventy (170) feet to a corner; thence south 634 degrees east one hundred and seventy (170) feet to a corner; thence north 224 degrees west one hundred and seventy (170) feet to a corner; thence north 224 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 224 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 224 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 224 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 224 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 225 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 225 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 225 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 225 degrees east sifty (50) feet to a corner; thence north 226 degrees east sixty-two (62) feet to the place of beginning. Containing 55,000 feet

dred and seventy (170) feet to a corner in the center of Main street; thence north 22%; degrees east sixty-two (62) feet to the place of beginning. Containing 35,050 feet of land more or less. Excepting and reserving all coal and minerals.

Improved with a two-story, frame house with kitchen attached, fruit trees, barn, grape-vines and other fruit.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Horan & Healy vs. Joseph Glegross. Debt, \$159,59, Judgment No. 443, May term, 1894, fi. fa. to January term, 1897, also at the suit of Horan and Healy vs. Joseph Glencross. Debt, \$159,74, Also at the suit of Horan and Healy vs. Joseph Glencross. Debt, \$159,75, Judgment No. 342 April term, 1892, fi. fa. to January term, 1897, Also at the suit of Horan & Healy vs. Joseph Glencross, defendant, and Agnes Glencross and Elizabeth Glencross, terre tenants. Debt, \$359,25, Judgment No. 562, March term, 1895, fi. fa. to January term, 1897.

H. C. REYNOLDS, Att'y.

ALSO

No. 11.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, H. N. or Harriet N. Brumdage, in and to all that certain piece, parcel or lot of land situate, lying and being in the township of Scott, in the county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the south corner of a tract of land in the warrantee name of John White, thence along line of said tract and of another tract in the warrantee name of William Blair, north forty-three and three-fourths (43%) degrees west ninety-seven (97) perches to a beech stump corner; thence by land now or late of John Gardner, north forty-six and three-fourths (45%) degrees east eighty-three and one-half (83%) perches to a stone corner; thence south fifteen and one-quarter (15%) degrees east thirty-nine and three-tenths (39 3-10) perches to a hemlock stump corner; thence north laking and an an annual of 85% perches and one-quarter (1642) degrees east thirtynine and three-tenths (39 3-10 perches to
a hemlock stump corner; thence north
eighty-five and one-half (85½) perches
to a stone heap corner, thence north fortyfive (45) degrees east one hundred and
thirty-five and one-half (135½) perches to
a post and stones corner in line of the
said John White tract, and of a tract in
the warrantee name of John Mears; thence
along said line south forty-four (44) degrees east thirty-nine (39) perches to the
east corner of said John White tract;
thence along line of same south forty-five
and three-fourths (45%) degrees west two
hundred and twenty-four (224) perches to
the place of beginning. Containing eightyone (81) acres and eightynine (89) perches
of land, be the same more or less. All
improved with a story and a half frame
dwelling house, frame barn, outbuildings,
orchard, fruit trees, etc., land mostly improved.

Saized, and taken in execution at the

proved.
Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of W. W. Watson, trustee of R. F. Breed estate vs. H. N. or Harriet N. Brundage Debt, 33.174.36. Judgment No. 232 January term, 1897, fl. fa. to January

### WATSON, DIEHL & HALL, Att'ys. TERMS OF SALE.

FIFTY DOLLARS CASH WHEN PRO-PERTY IS STRUCK OFF AND BALANCE IN CASH IMMEDIATELY AFTER SALE IS CONCLUDED. WHEN SOLD FOR COSTS, COSTS MUST BE PAID

WHEN STRUCK OFF. ALL PROPERTIES ON WHICH ABOVE TERMS HAVE NOT BEEN COMPLIED WITH WILL BE RESOLD BEFORE AD-JOURNMENT.

FRANK H. CLEMONS, Sheriff. Sheriff's office, Scranton, Pa., Dec. 24th,



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10.15 a. m., week days, for Hazleton, Pottsville, Reading, Norristown, and Philadelphia; and for Sun-bury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburg and the West. 3.15 p. m., week days, for Sunbury,

Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Balti more, Washington and Pittsburg and the West. 3.15 p. m., Sundays only, for Sun-bury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, and Pittsburg and the West. 6.00 p.

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## RAILROAD TIME-TABLES

Del., Lack. and Western. Effect Monday, October 19, 1896.
Trains leave Scranton as follows: Extress for New York and all points East,
40, 2.50, 6.15, 8.00 and 9.65 a. m.; 1,10 and 1.40, 2.50, 5.15, 8.00 and 9.55 a. m.; 1,10 and 3.33 p. m.

Express for Easton, Trenton, Philadel., phia and the South, 5.15, 8.00 and 9.55 a. m.; 1.10 and 3.33 p. m.

Washington and way stations. 3.45 p. m.

Tobyhanna accommodation, 6.10 p. m.

Express for Binghamton, Oswego, Elmira, Corning, Bath, Dansville, Mount Morris and Buffalo, 12.20, 2.35 a. m., and 1.55 p. m., making close connections at Buffalo to all points in the West, Northwest and Southwest.

Bath accommodation, 9.15 a. m.

Binghamton and way stations, 1.05 p. m.

Nicholson accommodation, 5.15 p. m.

Binghamton and Elmira express, 5.59 p. m. Express for Utica and Richfield Springs, 2.35 a. m., and 1.55 p. m. Ithaca 2.35 and Bath 9.15 a. m. and 1.55 Ithaca 2.35 and Bath 9.15 a. m. and 1.55 p. m.
For Northumberland, Pitiston, Wilkes-Barre, Plymouth, Bloomsburg and Danville, making close connections at Northumberland for Williamsport, Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington and the South, Northumberland and intermediate stations, 6.00, 9.55 a. m. and 1.55 and 6.09 p. m.
Nanticoke and intermediate stations, 8.09 and 11.20 a. m. Plymouth and intermediate stations, 3.40 and 8.47 p. m.
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Trains leave Scranton for Pittston, Wilkes-Barre, etc., at 8.20, 9.15, 11.30 a. m., 12.45, 200, 3.66, 5.00, 7.10 p. m. Sundays 9.00, a. m., 1.00, 2.15, 7.10 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 8.20 a. m.

For New York, Newark and Elizabeth, 8.20 (express) a. m., 12.45 (express with Buffet parlor car), 3.66 (express) p. m. Sunday, 2.15 p. m. Train leaving 12.45 p. m. arrives at Philadelphia, Reading Terminal, 5.22 p. m. and New York 6.00 p. m.

For Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton and Philadelphia, 8.20 a. m., 12.45, 3.06, 5.00 (except Philadelphia) p. m. Sunday, 2.15 p. m.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, etc., at 8.20 a. m. and 12.45 p. m.

For Reading, Lebanon and Harrisburg, via Allentown, 8.20 a. m., 12.45, 5.00 p. m.

Sunday, 2.15 p. m.

For Pottaville, 8.20 a. m., 12.45 p. m.

Returning, leave New York, foot of Liberty street, North River, at 9.10 (express) a. m., 1.10, 1.30, 4.15 (express with Buffet parlor car) p. m. Sunday, 4.30 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, Reading Terminal, 9.00 a. m., 2.00 and 4.30 p. m. Sunday, 6.25 a. m.

Through tickets to all points at lowest (Lehigh and Susquehanna Division.)

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2.20 p. m. For Honesdale—5.45, 8.55, 10.15 a. m.; 12.00 For Honesdale—5.45, 8.55, 10.15 a. m.; 12.90 noon, 2.20, 5.25 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre—6.45, 7.45, 8.45, 9.38, 10.45 a. m.; 12.05, 1.20, 2.28, 3.31, 4.41, 6.09, 7.50, 9.30, 11.30 p. m.
For New York, Philadelphia, etc., via Lehigh Valley Railroad—6.45, 7.45 a. m.; 12.95, 1.20, 3.33 (with Black Diamond Express), 11.30 p. m.
For Pennsylvania Railroad points—6.45, 9.38 a. m.; 2.30, 4.41 p. m.
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Trains will arrive at Scranton as follows: Trains will arrive at Scratton as for-lows:
From Carbondale and the north—6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.34, 10.40 a. m.; 12.00 noon; 1.05, 2.24, 3.25, 4.37, 5.45, 7.45, 9.45 and 11.25 p. m. From Wilkes-Barre and the south—5.40, 7.50, 8.50, 10.10, 11.55 a. m.; 1.16, 2.14, 3.45, 5.22, 6.21, 7.53, 9.03, 9.45, 11.52 p. m. J.W. BURDICK, G. P. A., Albany, N. Y. H. W. Cross, D. P. A., Scranton, Pa.

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