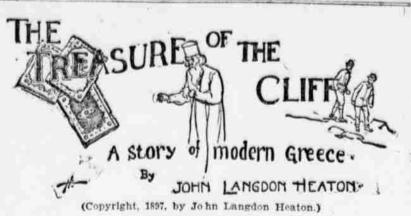
Che Home Reading Circle



PART I.

"E. Atlon's no good!" The short man stopped to wipe his

perspiring brow. "It ain't no good, I say! Book larnin' chases us out o' Paris an' dumps us on a wobble-jointed ship wot spiles our Book larnin' gits us into dis God-forsaken hole, an' we ain't sweatin' goose grease up no twentymile Greek mountain; oh, no, we ain't, jus' 'cause it's writ about in de Sunday school books."

"Doubtless," said the taller man, easily, "but think of the view you're getting! our previous business experience has afforded no such opportunities to inspire the mind. That blue mirror by a thousand keels for three thousand years. Yonder is Paranassus, veiled in spotiess snow. Athens hides beyond the eastern hills, and Marathon, with its glorious memorles-

"Oh, chuck de mem'ries!" "Oh, I'm all right, Sweet William," said the tall man, looking down at his sinewy, well-knit frame, looking every inch the gentleman in knickerbockers hose and Norfolk Jacket. "I'm only sorry that you would insist on desecrating these sylvan solitudes with the unlovely garb of a materialistic civilization. But here comes Dimitri."

Up the steep path there now toiled a little man man with sharp features and beady eyes of a mongre! Greek,

"You climb brave, gentlemans," he panted, as he reached them. "I think should never catch you. I haf lef the horses in ver' good place, and I haf engage a poor man of the village who will come bearing your little baggages. See, there down! He comes In yet five more minutes we shall be at the monastery-how you call himthe convent, Oh, I assure you, the larges' and mos' hospital in Greece

A fourth man climbed painfully into sight, clad in the costume of a Greek peasant, and bearing two silvermounted handbags and a roll of blankets; and the queerly-assorted party moved on up the steep. High above them there seemed to hang in the air rather than rest on the huge cliff, a rambling, many-windowed building On the front a balcony overhung

them as they passed, still two hundred feet below, and from the dizzy perch a bell pealed out a brazen welcome. Thirty or forty monks hung shyly

about the passage by the belfry when the stately, bearded Zenodochos in his tall hat and black gown came forward to lead the party into the great vaulted guest chamber, About its sides were ranged ten narrow beds. The wall was partly covered with uncouth pictures in an ancient manner,

You shall sleep here and the bearer and me. The convent less by comparison with their sacred The only one that was burning in all must receive all who come. But this centents. There were cups and challess | that part of the world, save the pencils distinguished, Here Lordos Byron

"Kin we see the-" "You shall see the treasures," cried the excitable courier, intercupting him. "Away from the world, the world has not their equal. Ah, such beautiful objects! Then the view from the

top of the cliff!"

"The views must be fine, I grant," said the taller traveler, "but I own-" here he turned with a bow to the Zenodochos and to a still older, more stately monk who just then entered and who proved to be the Prior himself-"that I am become somewhat skeptical about these wonderful old books and pictures in out-of-the-way places. The collections in the big cities are apt to be finer, as well as less far to seek."

With a deprecating gesture the courier translated this speech to the Zenodochos and the Prior. They exchanged a smile of amusement not without a tinge of hurt pride

"Hospitality first; then we shall see," responded the Prior. "Some people who have traveled much have been so urbane as to praise our little church and its few treasures."

A younger brother, on whose unshorn cheek and chin the first beard of manhood lay soft and thin, entered noiselessly, bearing a tray whereon rested a single spoon, a bowl of sweetmeats, three glasses of water and thre-

tiny cups of Turkish coffee, The two travelers in turn tasted the contents of the bowl-a very sweet compote of citron-and then enjoyed, as only men tired with a long tramp may do, the delicious, strong, sweet coffee. The Prior drank with them. Then they sat some minutes in chat, the courier interpreting.

The recluse Prior had heard in his cell something of the wonders of America, and wanted to know if in the United States everybody were rich; if French or English were the language most spoken; if the Greeks who went there did not all become wealthy, and if the Americanas were not much interested in Greece-to which queries

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so paire, so sweet, so safe, so speedy, for pre-serving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, and hair, and eradicating every hu-mor, as warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP,

EVERY HUMOR From Pimples to Scrofula.

replies compounded of truth and polite error were returned.

"If you are now rested," said the Prior, after ten minutes or so thus spent, we'll show you our church," "Very well, Dimtri," said the tall traveler; "but don't let us miss the

"Well, whispered the short man, as they traversed a maze of passages, "y'are a good one-

"Shut up!" said the other: "can't you see I'm counting my steps?" As the party entered the church the were joined by a third monk, the li-brarian, who opened the door of a passage leading from the quaint old house of worship, used for thiry generations, into a low-vaulted, gloomy room where, carelessly piled upon each other in unlocked cases, were a score of volumes which a bibliomaniac would do murder to possess. Over

tiny but handsome toilet cases, one at least of which was probably more meant for show than use; a few colterns, and finally some bits of steel, each carefully wrapped by itself in soft cloths.

"Now," said he, at length, "we are all ready, but I suppose we must give them a little time to get sleep. Mean-while I'll study this plan again, They'll all be off by eleven at the latest. Moon rises about two. By that time we ought to be well down the hill. No telegraph. Path over the mountains as plain as day. Morning train for Athens connects with steamer for Constantinople We lock door and throw away key. They'll think we're sleeging late until -well, there are always accidents, but it looks all right. Dimitri may have a bad quarter of an hour tomorrow explaining our absence."

"Hope so, 'E's collared plenty of our dough, all right, all right. 'E's a peach, dat Dimitri." "Overcharging honest travelers is a

fine art in the Levant. Got the stuff ready for the dogs?" "Lie down, then, and get some sleep.

can't. The more you snore the bet-er. I'll wake you in time." Within five minutes the regular rise and fall of Ashby's chest and his heavy, hoarse breathing gave testimony that he was indeed in the land of Nod. No other sound was heard The taller traveler sat reading a paperbound book, glancing from time to

time at his sleeping companion. The light of the candle shown back, effected from the rounded surface of the shining bits of steel. One who had seen such things before might have ecognized them as the parts of a sectional "jimmy."

The night was clear. The blinking stars looked down from a doom of unclouded blue upon the great cliff, towthese the tall man lingered so long in ering out of an impenetrable gulf of



critical appreciation that his compan-

ion grew restive.

Mr. Ashby's impatience disappeared abroad except the low, pleased ripple lifted from its wrappings a book whose | sheer slope; the leaves of all the trees mans," said the courier, as he bust- set with blazing gems. Then followed the rising moon. In the starlight the led about, looking after the comfort of a peep at reliquaries whose ornaments buildings that rose from the cliff the travelers. "There are other guests, of diamonds and emeralds and rubies oh, yes! seven or nine poor fellows, were in their possessors' eyes valueis the chamber of the guests very beaten from soft gold; ikons framed of light in the fkon lumps, was carein pearls and amethysts-such a collecslept. King Otho, too. You shall be in tion, in short, as a thousand years will stole along the mills, picking his way good companies. The other beds, they gather in a quiet nook, sheltered from the storms of the troubled world. There were gifts from the wealth of mighty emperors like Constantine, and from of the church the taller man stood feebler gropers in the crepuscular middle ages like Comnenus and the Palacologi. Half the world had paid tribute here; but these simple-minded nonks toiled for their daily bread, holding in trust a treasure whose value neither they nor any man could tell, And, with open door to every stranger who came, they slept soundly o' nights behind their primitive bolts and bars,

"Now, if you will permit me," said the tailer traveler, after they had pierced the gloom. It shone on the feasted their eyes at length, "I would gleaming of dull gold, and picked bindings of those wonderful old vol-umes I saw first, and then let us go, Dimitri, to the top of the cliff. Pray thank the Prior for his goodness and assure him that, for once, I am quite convinced. Such things as the libraran has shown me I have never seer elsowhere."

"Nor me, neither," said Mr. Ashby. Thankee kindly, gentlemen." Each traveler dropped a golden coin

into the offertory of the church as he When the sun had sunk like a great

globe of fire over the Albanian moun-tains, and when the last trace of red door grew, with jeweled books, and was fading from the sky the party returned from the mountain top to the sainted bones now rudely disturbed, guest chamber. In the visitors' book and great gleaming crosses, and fair they wrote two names, "Harold Morgan" and "William J. Ashby," and manship. then supper was placed before them.

They were served by a beautiful boy not more than ten years old, a novice whose perfect breeding was the result of utter unconsciousness of self and complete obedience. Demetrios, the book covers." courier, hovered in the background, fearing to offend the hospitable monks by assistance, but keeping a watchful eye upon his guests and from time to ness. time making a suggestion for their greater comfort. Then with cherry Ashby. good nights their hosts left the two

to their repose. "Dis is easy!" exclaimed Mr. Ashby ain't a lock in de place wot weighs less'n twenty pounds, an' I could pick any one of 'em wid me teef."

"Still," said the taller man, who sat at the table studying his notebook, anything audible, and gradually crept "it's just as well to neglet no reasonable precaution. I have here an ex- ly steady hiss, sibilant and penetrating. cellent plan of the whole place, so far It was the sound that all the East uses as it concerns us, with every distance to attract attention. From its full, marked and the character of each door unmistakable swell it died away again and lock indicated."

"Shall we need-" and Ashby made before. an expressive gesture toward his hip

"Rather not! It isn't many years since these monks thrashed a whole army of Turks. They're a splended lot of fellows and as strong as bulls. If you fired a pop here, and they found out about our little plans, there wouldn't be enough of us left for the coroner.

Unlocking both handbags, the taller man first carefully examined the door anad windows of the guest chamber, and then drew out a couple of night-gowns of sheer, fine linen, which would pack in surprisingly little space; two

blackness, where the valley vawned with loving hand the librarian of a little runnel tinkling down the covers of solid gold were thick- were still, in the bush that preseemed a part of it.

No lamp gleamed from any window, fully shaded, as its stealthy bearer by counted paces and by cunning touch almost as if it had been day. Another figure followed. At the door

aside, and with deft touch the other began work upon it. No need of any "jimmy" here. The huge, clumsy looks, first thoroughly oiled in every part, were easily picked, and the two penertated to the dim low-vaulted interior, where the figures of pictured saintsand martyrs and angels looked down upon them with pitying, inscrutable smiles. The lantern, with its slide now opened, cast a light that feebly like to make a sketch or two from the from the polished surface a gem here and there on a ray of light that seemed more brilliant than its own.

"We'll stack up wot we kin fin" hoursely whispered Mr. Ashby, who now seemed to take the command. "Don't stop to rip off book covers, or dig out de sparklers now. Don't bodder wit' notin' wot ain't de real stuff, Put 'em all near the door. Den we kin meak wit' a few han'fulls if dey comes v'ile we're gittin' de t'ings."

Noiselessly they crept back and orth, selecting, rejecting, scanning, A scond tiny dark lantern was produced door grew, with jeweled books, and golden cups and caskets wherein lay carved crozlers of wonderful work-

"'At's enough," said crooked Ashby t last, resting from his labors. 'Here's twicet wot we kin lug. W'y lidn't de Lord make me a hoss, o'd carry every stick? Rip of dem

The talier traveler, with trembling fingers, was about to obey when a sound stole faintly through the still-

"My God! wot's dat?" whispered

For a moment nothing was heard. They breathed rapidly in their excitement, but noiselessly, with parted lips, in an undertone, when the door had To the taller traveler it seemed that "Dis is de easiest yet! Dere the beating of his heart must be au-lock in de place wot weighs dible throughout the building. Its quick pounding confused his brain.

The sound came again. It began in a torturing expectancy rather than upon conviction in a long, low, perfectgradually, and the silence reigned as

TO BE CONTINUED.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Valuable Real Estate

-ON-

FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1897.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari 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 TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 187, at 16 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendants in and to the following described lots, piece or parcels of land, viz.:

of parcels of land, viz.:

No. 1.—All the right, fittle and interest of the defendant, L. M. Rozelle, in and to, All that certain lot, piece of parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the city of Seranton, county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania; being lot No. 2, in block No. 10 upon street called and named Albright avenue upon the plot of "Winans' addition to the city of Seranton," new known as Park Place, intended to be duly recorded will fully appear said lot being forty-six (46) feet in front and rear and one hundred and fifty (150) feet in depth, more or less; all improved with a two-story frame dwelling house and barn thereon. Coal and minerals reserved.

Selzed and taken in execution at the guit of E. M. Hodson, administrator of Edward Hailing, deceased, vs. L. M. Roselle, Debt. \$324.00. Judgment No. 211, September term, 1855, ft. fa. to May term, 1897.

WARREN & KNAPP, Atty's.

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ALSO

No. 2.—All the right title and interest of the defendants, Jacob A. Swingle and Jessie Swingle, in and to, All that lot, piece or parcel of land, situate lying and being in Jefferson township, Lackawanna county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to wit: "Beginning in the centre of public road leading from South Cannan to Archbald, being a corner of lands of Perry Swingle; thence along lands of Perry Swingle, north thirty-eight (33) degrees, east 148½ rods to post and stone corner; thence along the same north fifty (9) degrees, west 12.7-10 rods to post and stones corner of lands of George McKinney; thence along lands of George McKinney; thence along lands of George McKinney; thence along lands of George McKinney; orth forty (40) degrees, east two rods to corner of lands of George McKinney; thence along lands of George McKinney; thence along lands of George McKinney north forty (40) degrees, east two rods to post corner; thence along land of Jacob A. Swingle, south fifty (50) degrees, east 21 rods to stone corner on Wall; thence along same, south fifty (50) degrees, west 24-10 rods to stone corner in Wall; thence along same south sixty-four (40) degrees, east 25 1-10 rods to corner of stone wall; thence along same, south twenty-one (21) degrees, west 27 8-10 rods; thence south sixteen (16) degrees, seat 30 rods to a corner of wall; thence north eight-two (82) degrees, west 11 1-10 rods to end of wall; thence south twelve (12) degrees, west forty (40) rods to stake corner; thence south thirty-one (31) degrees west 38 rods to centre of the above mentloned public road; thence siong same north seventy-four degrees, west 24 2-10 rods to place of beginning. Containing forty-three and one-half (43%) acres of land be, the same more or less improved with a two story frame dwelling house, two trame barns, orchard and outbuildings thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Sylvester Shaeffer vs. Jacob A. Swingle and Jessie Swingle. Debt \$171.75. Judgment No. 46, May term, 1897, fl. fa, to May term, 1897, and the suit of N. H. Bell vs. Jacob A. Swingle and Mrs. Jessie Swingle, Debt \$100. Judgment No. 44, May term, 1897, fl. fa, to May term, 1897, fl. fa, to May term, 1897, fl. fa, to May term, 1897. JOHN F. MURPHY AND WATSON & ZIMMERMAN, Atty's.

No. 3.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Gertrude Batchelor, to wit: All that piece, parcel or tract of land situate in the village of Dalton, township of North Abington, county of Lackawan, na and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the north side of the public road leading from Dalton to Waverly borough in line of hotel lot owned by Emma A. Carpenter and to a corner of William M. Hurd's lot, thence 574, feet to a corner in said line, thence north 354 degrees, east 1012 feet to the south 58 degrees, east 38 feet to line of William M. Hurd's lot; thence along his line south 205, degrees, east 102 feet to the place of beginning, containing 4,450 square feet of land more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to Gertrude Batchelor.

ALSO

No. 11.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Catherine Biescoker and Erwin Biesecker, in and to, All the following desercibed lots or pieces of hard situate in the township of Madison (formerly Covington) county of Lackawanna, state of Pennsylvania:

The first thereof beginning at a stone heap corner is lands, late of Christian Myers and David Noack, thence by said Noack's land north 30 degrees, west 122 perches to another corner of Noack's land, thence by original lot No. 163, north 40 degrees, west 54 perches to corner of lands now, or late, of John Noack's thence by lands of said Christian Myers, south 40 degrees, west 34 perches to the place of beginning, containing 4 acres and 25 perches conveyed to Gertrude Batchelor.

By Land Borthwith to be recorded. Improved with a two story stone and frame dwelling house, fruit trees, 2 frame barns and other corner, these by lot No. 163, north 40 degrees, west 54 perches to the place of beginning at a stone of last mentioned lands, south 30 degrees, west 122 perches to a corner, and thence by lands of said Christian Myers, south 40 degrees, west 34 perches to a corner, and thence by lands of said Christian Myers, south 40 degrees, west 34 perches to a corner 1891, and forthwith to be recorded. Im-proved with a two story building lately used as a barber shop and dwelling house.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of John B. Colohan, Jr., trustee, vs. Gertrude Batchelor. Debt \$1,375.99, Judg-ment No. 587, January term, 1896, fi, fa.

ment No. 581, June 1897. to May term, 1897. W. L. RADER, Att'y. No. 4.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, George W. Hughes, administrator of Margaret Hughes, deceased, and Hugh Boland, in and to, All that certain piece, percel or lot of land situate, lying and being in the city of Carbondale, county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania, bound and described as follows, to wit: Distiguished as lot numbered three and one-half (3½) on street numbered seventeen (17) as described on the map of the corporation known as the President, Munagers and Company of the Delaware and Hudson Canal company, for the town of Carbondale, being in front thirty (30) feet, in rear thirty (30) feet, and one hundred (160) feet deep, bounded as follows: In front by street number seventeen (17) or Terrace street in rear by street number eighteen (48) or Wyeming street, northerly by lot numbered three (3) on said streets numbered 17 and 18, and southerly by street numbered seven (7) or Seventh avenue. Improved with one store benefiting with dwelling in second story. Seventh avenue. Improved with one store building with dwelling in second story; also one double tenement house. also one double tenement house.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of John N. Tyler vs. George W. Hughes, administrator of Margaret Hughes, deceased, and Hugh Boland, Debt 1,995.75. Judgment No. 754, January term, 1897, lev. fa. to May term, 1897.

JOHN F. REYNOLDS, Att'y.

No. 5.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant. E. R. Griffiths, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land in Hyde Park, in the city of Scramon, county of Lackawanna, and state of Pennsylvania, known as lots number twenty-three (25) and tweaty-four (24) in block number nine (9) and fronting on Price street, being each iwenty-five (25) feet in front by one hundred and fifty (150) feet in depth, according to a pinn or map entitled Price and Panceast's addition to the city of Scranton. Penna. All improved with a two story frame dwelling house, a small barn and outbuildings thereon.

Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of the West Side Bank vs. E. R. Griffiths et al. Debt. 81,280. Judgment No. 85, January term, 1894, ft. fa. to May term, 1897, Also at the suit of assigned to Morgan Bowen vs. E. R. Griffiths. Debt. 81,590. Judgment No. 261, January term, 1894, ft. fa. to May term, 1894, ft. fa. to May term, 1997, Thomas All So. ALSO

No. 6.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Michael Walsh, in and to the following described lot of land situate in the city of Carbondale, county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania. Bounded on the cast by Terrace street, on the north by lands devised to Brilget Walsh by will of Anthony Walsh herein after referred on the south by Eighth avenue, being 60 feet in front on Terrace street, the same in rear, and 75 feet in depth, being the same land devised to Michael Walsh and others by Anthony Walsh by will bearing date the 7th day of April, 1898, duly probated in the office of the register of wills in and for Lackawanna county on February 21st, 1895, in will Book 48, page 446.
Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of Louis Lang, trading as Lang, Bernbeimer & Co., vs. Michael Walsh, Debt 357.00. Judgment No. 744 May term, 1896, ven ex. to May term, 1897. ALSO

thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of J. P. Stanton et al., trustees, vs. David A. Paddock and Josephine Paddock. Debt \$750.00. Judgment No. 117, May term, 1897, fl. fa. to May term, 1897.

REPLOCALE, Att'y.

ALSO

No. 8.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Joseph Gilbert, in and to all the following described lot or parcel of land in the Thirteen ward of the city of Scranton, Lackawanna county, Pa., described as follows, viz: Being lot No. 25 in square or block No. 4 and situate upon street called and known as First street upon the plot of Sandersen's addition in said city recorded, called and known as Green Ridge. Said lot is rectangular and is 40 feet in width on said First atreet and 140 feet in depth, the measurement of the depth to commence 10 feet from the inside of the sidewalk on the street aforesaid with the right to enclose, occupy and use the said 10 feet for cellarway, porch, steps, veranda or shrubbery but not to erect any building thereon, being the same property conveyed to Joseph Gilbert by Michael Devine and wife by deed dated November 2, 1822, recorded in Lackawanna county in D. B. 91, page 323, cite, Coal and minerals reserved. Improved with one two story dwellins house thereon.

Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of Cermmonwealth of Pennsylvania vs. Joseph Gilbert. Debt 120.00. Judgment No. 580, November term, 1805, vend ex. to May term, 1807.

WARREN & KNAPP, Att'y.

No. 2.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Arthur Frothingham and Laura Frothingham, in and to all the following described piece, parcel or lot of land situate on the southerly corner of the intersection of Jefferson avenue and Vine street in the city of Scranton, county of Lackawanna and state of Fennsylvania, it being the whole of lot number twenty-three (23) in block number one hundred and eight (68) of the plot of said city, said lot being fifty (60) feet in front on said Jefferson avenue, rectangular in form, and one hundred and lify (150) feet deep along Vine street to an alley. With privilige of using ten (69) feet in front of the front line of said lot and ten (60) feet along the side of lot number twenty-four (24) on Vine street for yard, porch, plazza, cellarway, bay-windows. Coal and minerals reserved. Being the same lot of land which T. Cramer Von Storch conveyed to Laura Frothingham by deed dated May 10, 1894, recorded in Lackawanna county in Deed Book No. 112, page 430, etc. Sheriff to collect 120,000.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Charles H. Wells vs. Arthur Frothingham and Laura Frothingham. Debt 529, 62, 62, Judgment No. 1163, September term, 1896, pluries fir, fa, to May term, 1897, C. H. WELLES AND JAS, H. TORREY, Att'ys. ALSO

No. 10.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Mrs. Ward McDonald and David MedDonald, in and to the following described lot of land, being a part of lot seventeen in William Swetland's plot of village lots in the borough of Hyde Park, now city of Scranton, Lackawanna county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a corner of Hyde Park avenue and North street, now Swetland street; thence northeasterly along the line of said Swetland street about eighty-three (83) feet to the corner in line of lands of Mary C. Lewis' estate; thence northwesterly along line of said Mary C. Lewis' estate; thence northwesterly along line of said Mary C. Lewis' estate, about sixty-six (66) feet more or less to the corner in line of lot number eightoen (18) about eighty-three (83) feet more or less to a corner on said Hyde Park avenue, and thence northeasterly along said Hyde Park avenue sixty-six (66) feet more or less to the place of beginning. Improved with a two story frame dwelling house and outbuildings. Coal and minerals reserved. Sold subject to a mortgage dated 17th September, 1892, and recorded in M. B. 46, p. 637, etc., at Seranton.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of William C. Beaumont vs. Mrs. Ward

Scranton,
Seized and taken in execution at the suit
of William C. Beaumont vs. Mrs. Ward
McDonald and David McDonald. Pebt
\$1,000. Judgment No. 630, May term, 1897,
fi. fa. to May term, 1897.
BROWNING, Att'y.

No. 11.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Catherine Blescoker and Erwin Blessecker, in and to, All the following described lots or pieces of land situate in the township of Madison (formerly Covington) county of Lackawanna, state of Pennsylvania:

The first thereof beginning at a stone heap corner of lands, late of Christian Myers and David Noack, thence by said Noack's land north 30 degrees, west 123 perches to another corner of Noack's land.

Noack's land north 30 degrees, west 122 perches to snother corner of Noack's land, thence by original lot No. 163, north 40 degrees, east 34 perches to corner of lands now, or late, of John Noack', thence by line of last mentioned lands, south 30 degrees, east 122 perches to a corner, and thence by lands of said Christian Myers, south 40 degrees, west 34 perches to the place of beginning, containing 41 acros and 25 perches of land more or loss, improved with a two story stone and frame dwelling house, fruit trees, 2 frame barns and other outbuildings thereon.

The second thereon beginning at a stone corner, thence by lot No. 163, north 40 degrees, east 54 perches to a corner; thence south 50 degrees, east 33 perches, and 104 links to a stake and stones; thence by lands now or late in possession of Jacob Wombacher, south 40 degrees, west 34 perches to a stake and stones corner; thence by lot No. 162, north 50 degrees, west 33 perches to a stake and stones corner; thence by lot No. 162, north 50 degrees, west 33 perches to a stake and stones corner; thence by lot No. 162, north 50 degrees, west 33 perches and 164, links to a stone corner, the place of beginning, containing 114 acres of land, more or less.

The third thereof beginning at a corner of lands now or late of Christopher Kendrew in line of lard late of John C. Noack; thence south 40 degrees, west 1734 perches to a corner in line of other lands of Catherine Besceker; thence by said last mentioned land, south 50 degrees, east 33 perches and 164, links to stake and stones corner on a road; thence by said road south 50 degrees, east 33 perches to a kingle, north 40 degrees, east 64 perches to stake and stones corner on a road; thence by said road south 50 degrees, east 3 perches to a corner; thence by lands now or late of Jacob Wombacher 109 perches to lands of C. Kendrew; thence north 50 degrees, east 3 perches to place of beginning, containing 35 acres and 36 perches more or less.

The fourth thereof beginning in center of public road leading from Isaac S

ded as seven degrees, west 39% perches to place of beginning, containing 35 acres and 35 perches more or less.

The fourth thereof beginning in center of public road leading from Isaac Swartz to the Turnerville road near Christopher Kendrow's at the Junction of a road leading from said public road to the A. G. Hollister saw-mill; thence north 50 degrees, west 50 the center of said road 94 perches; thence north 40 degrees, east 22 perches to corner in line of original survey; thence hy said line south 50 degrees, east 12 perches to corner in line of original survey; thence hy said line south 50 degrees, east 12 roads to the place of beginning, containing 12 acres and 100 perches of land, more or less.

The fifth thereof beginning at a stone corner of lands of Seth Noack and other lands of said Catherine Deisecker; then we by lands now or late of Adam Beisecker, south 50 degrees, east 128 perches to a stone corner of origins? Into no recorded draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on said draft No. 168; thence by original lot on a post and stone corner; thence along road north 41% degrees, cast 30 perches to the place of beginning, containing 32 acres of land, more or less.

The sixth thereof beginning at a post to a corner; thence along land of Seth Noack's orchard, thence along road north 41% degrees, east 30 feet to a corner; thence along land of Seth Noack, orthere along land of Seth Noack, orthere along land of Seth Noack,

or less.
Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Catherine Bittenbunder vs. Catherine Biesecker and Erwin Biesecker. Debt 2315.56. Judgment No. 918 September term, 1896. fl. fa. to May term, 1897.

ine Biesecker and No. 918 September 2315.56. Judgment No. 918 September 2315.

No. 12.-All the right, title and interest

Eighth avenue, being 36 feet in front on Terrace street, the same in rear, and 75 feet in depth, being the same land designated as follows to wised to Michael Waish and others by Anthony Waish by will bearing date the 17th day of April, 1593, duly probated in the office of the register of wills in and for Lackawanna county on February 21st, 195, in will Book 48, page 40.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Louis Lang, trating as Lang, Bernheimer & Co., vs. Michael Walsh. Debt 37.09. Judgment No. 744. May term, 1896, ven ex. to May term, 1897.

WARREN & KNAPP, Atty's, west fifty (50) feet; thence north forty, 1896, ven ex. to May term, 1897.

ALSO

No. 7.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, David A. Paddock and Josephine Paddock, in and to, All that certain tract of hand designated as lots of the defendants, David A. Paddock and Josephine Paddock, in and to, All that certain tract of hand designated as lots of the defendants, David A. Paddock and Josephine Paddock, in and to, All that certain tract of hand designated as lots of the defendants, David A. Paddock and Josephine Paddock, in and to, All that certain tract of hand designated as lots of the defendants of the defend

deeds in and for Lackawanna county, in D. B. No 169, page 271. All improved with a two story frame dwelling house with basement, and a two story addition, and other outbuildings thereon.

Scized and taken in execution at the suit of George B. Foster vs. E. O. Sardanio. Debt \$230.00. Judgment No. 28. May term, 1895, ft. fa. to May Term, 1897. Also at the suit of A. H. Christy, assigned to O. B. Partridge vs. Emilio Bardanilo. Debt 50.10. Judgment No. 749, September Term, 1894, al ft. fa. to May Term, 1897.

O. B. PARTRIDGE, Att'y.

O. B. PARTRIDGE, Atty.

ALSO

No. 13.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants. John Lierman and Joseph Kioln, administrators of Katharine Lierman, deceased, in and to all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in the city of Scranton, county of Lackawanna and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Being lot No. 21 in square or block No. 25 and situate upon street called and known as Irving avenue upon the plot of Scranton intended to be duly registered and recorded. Said lot being 40 feet in from and 140 feet in deeth, rectangular, with an alley in the rear 16 feet wide, for public use, with the privilege of using 10 feet in front of the front line of said lot on Irving avenue, also 10 feet in front on Hickory street for yault yard, porch, plazza, cellarway or bay windows, but for no other purpose, the top of the outside vaults in no case to be higher than the sidewalk in front of the same, excepting all coal and minerals. Improved with a two story frame dwelling house and outbuilding thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Scranton Savings Bank vs. John Lierman and Joseph H. Klein administrators of Catherine Lierman, decrased, Debt \$1,383.50. Judgment No. 444, January term, 1897, lev. fa. to May term, 1897, lev. fa. to May term, 1897.

ALSO

No. 14.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Araminta Safford, in and to all that certain lot or piece of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon creeted, situate in the city of Scranton, county of Lackawanna and state of Fennaylvania, designated according to a survey thereof, made by Frank C. Wolfe, C. E., dated February 7, 1896, as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the southwesterly side of Columbia avenue, at the distance of three hundred and twenty (330) feet southeasterly from the southeast side of Capouse avenue and containing in front or breadth on the said Columbia avenue eighty (80) feet and extending of that breadth in length or depth routhwestwardly one hundred and fifty (150) feet, being composed of lots Nos, twenty-eight (28) and twenty-ane (29) in block "A" on a plot of Frothingham's addition to the city of Scranton, aforesaid. Being the same premises conveyed to Araminta Safford by deed dated the 6th of February, 1895, and duly recorded in the office for recording deeds in Lackawanna county in D. B. 120, at page 378, etc. Coul and minerals reserved to the legal owners thereof by sufficient terms in haw and also subject to any exceptions, reservations and restrictions contained in or referred to in said recited deed. All improved with one two story and a half stone and frame dwelling house and one frame two story and basement wood dwelling house.

Selzed and taken in execution at the suit of the United Security Life Insurance and Trust company of Pennsylvania vs. Araminta Safford, Debt 35,812.00, Judgment No. 1909, deptember term, 1886, Allas lev, fa, to May term, 1897.

ALSO

No. 15.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Emelia Minnick, administratrix, c. t. a. of George Minnick, deceased, and said Emelia Minnick devises of George Minnick, deceased, and said Emelia Minnick devises of George Minnick, deceased, terre tenant, in and to, All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate in the city of Scranton, county of Lackawanna, and state of Pennsylvania, known and distinguished on J. Heerman's map of South Hyde Park as lot number two in block No. 48, being 50 feet in front on Fifth street, and 150 feet deep to an alley, subject to the exceptions and reservations contained in the deed hereinafter mentioned. Heing the same premises which were conveyed to the said George Minnick by John Herman, trustee, by deed dated August 20, 1873, recorded in the office for recording deeds, et, in and for the county of Luzerne in deed book No. 299, page 396, etc. Improved with a two story frame dwelling house and outbuildings thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Eastern Union Building and Loan Society vs. Emelia Minnick, deceased, and Emelia Minnick, devisee of said George Minnick, deceased, and Emelia Minnick, devise of said George Minnick, deceased, term, 1897. Lev. fa, to May term, 1897.

TRACY, Att'y. ALSO

No. 16.—All the right, title and interess of the defendants, George Fletcher, administrator of Ann Fletcher, in and to All that certain lot of land in Alfred Hand's addition to the city of Scranton bounded and described as follows: Beins lot No. 49 on Meridian street, on the plot known as Park Hill, and being at present numbered 604 Meridian street, the said lot neasuring 58 feet from on the cast side of Meridian street, 48 feet in rear. 145½ feet on one side and 125 feet on the other. Coal and minerals reserved. The said lot being improved with a two story frame dwelling.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of William Shuster vs. George Fletcher, administrator of Ann Fletcher, deceased. Debt 3860.00. Judgment No. 869, March term, 1897. Alias ft. fs. to May term, 1897.

REPLOGLE, Att'y.

ALSO No. 17.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Agnes J. Carey and W. C. Carey, in and to, all the surface or right of soil of all that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the township of Old Forge, county of Lackawanna and state of Fennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Being lot No. 3 on Bridge street, in the township of Old Forge, as per map in the Pennsylvania Coal company's office, beginning at a corner on Bridge street, thence south \$1 degrees, east 133 feet; thence south \$2 degrees, east 134 feet; thence south \$3 degrees, east 134 feet; thence south \$6 degrees, west \$1.5 feet; thence north \$6 degrees, west \$1.5 feet; thence north \$6 degrees and 30 minutes, west \$2.4 feet; thence north \$1 degrees and thirty minutes, west \$2.5 feet, and thence north \$1 degrees and \$15 minutes, west \$2.5 feet to a corner, the place of beginning. Improved by a dwolling house and other buildings.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Philip Vetter et al. vs. Agnes J. Carey and William C. Carey. Dobt \$1.00.00.

Judgment No. \$1, May term, 1895, alias f. fa. to May term, 1897.

ILEPLOGLE, Att'y. No. 17.-All the right, title and interes

ALSO

No. 18.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, William G. Bresser, Gerhard J. Bresser, Otto C. Fresser, Au-gusta Wirth, Philip Wirth, Mary Volker-andt, John F. Volkenandt, Henrietta Mas-Gerhard J. Bresser, Otto C. Bresser, Augusta Wirth, Philip Wirth, Mary Volko, andt, John F. Volkonandt, Henrietta Masters and James H. Masters, in and to the following described lot or parcel of land, situate in the city of Scranton, county of Luxerne (now Lackawanna) and state of Pensylvania, described as follows, viz. Being lot number eight (8) in square or block number one (f) and situate upon street called and known as Cedar street (now Cedar avenue) upon the plot of Scranton as fail out by the Lackawanna fron and Coal company, which said plot is intended to be recorded. Said lot is situate at the northeast corner of said Cedar avenue and Hickory street and is thirty-five (85) feet in width in front on said Cedar avenue and one hundred and forty (140) feet in depth; said lot is rectangular with an alley in the rear sixteen fest wide for public use, with the privilege of using ten feet in front of the front in o other purpose. Coal and minerals excepted and reserved; being the same lot of land conveyed by the Lackawanna Iron and Coal company to Otto Bresser, now deceased, by deed dated the 25th day of August, A. D. 1874, and recorded in the office for recording deeds, etc., in and for the county of Luxerne in Deed Book No. 189, page 187, etc. All improved with three buildings particularly described as follows, viz:

The first thereof being a three story

buildings particularly described as fol-lows, viz:

The first thereof being a three story brick building with two (2) store-rooms on the first floor, each fronting on said Cedag-avenue; and two (2) single flat tenements of six (8) rooms each, respectively on the second and third stories thereof.

The second thereof being a three (3) story frame building, with two (2) store-rooms on the first floor thereof and a sin-gle flat tenement on each the second and third floors thereof, all of which said sec-ond building fronts on Hickory street, in said city.

being in the borough of Mayfield, county of Lackawanna, and state of Pennsylvania, distinguished as lot number four in block twelve on the property of the Hillside Cost and Irrn company as described and designated in the survey of the same, accompanied by a map thereof; being in front, on Penn avenue, fity-one (51) feet, and in rear fitty-one (51) feet, and one hundred and fifty (150) feet deep, and being bounded as follows: On the northeast by lot number three, on the southeast by Penn avenue, on the southwest by lots five, six and seven and on the northwest by land now or late of the southoast by Penn avenue, on the southwest by lots five, six and seven and on the northwest by land now or late of the soft of the Hillside Coal and Iron company. Excepting and reserving to the said the Hillside Coal and Iron company, their successors and assigns, all the coal and minerals under, in and upon the said lot of land. Being the same land conveyed to said defendant by the Hillside Coal and Iron company, by deed dated November 2, 1891, recorded in the office for recording deeds, etc., in and for Lackawanna county in Deed Book No. 8a t page 125, etc., Improved with a two story frame dwelling house and outbuildings thereon.

Seized and taken in excention at the suit of J. D. Stocker & Co. vs. Thomas B. Hart. Debt \$373.25. Judgment No. 500, September term, 1892, f. fa. to May term, 1897.

T. F. WELLS, Att'y.

No. 20.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants, Annie Tuttle and Irving Tuttle, in and to, All the surface or right of soil of that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the First ward of the city of Seranton, county and state aforesaid; described as follows: Being the southwesterly half of lot number seven (7) in block "F" upon the plot of "Woodlawn Park Resident Addition" to the city of Seranton, and measuring twenty-live (25) feet in front on old "Boule-yard" one hundred and sixty and fifty-six hundredths (100,56) feet deep; and twenty-four and elshiy-six hundredths (24,85) feet in rear as shown on map; being the same lot conveyed to Annie Tuttle by deed of George W. Finn et al. and bearing even date herewith. And subject to all the conditions, reservations and exceptions in said deed last referred to. The said lot is improved with a single frame dwelling and outbul dings thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of M. W. Edwards vs. Anie Tuttle and Irving Tuttle. Debt 31,100,00. Judgment No. 738, May term, 187, ft. fa. to May term, 187.

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ALSO No. 21.—All the right, title and interest of the defendants in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Scranton, county of Lackawantain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Scrantos, county of Lzekawanna, and state of Pennsylvania, known and distiguished on J. Heerman's map of South Hyde Park as let number ten (9) in block number diffy-free (53), being fifty-feet in front on Sixth avenue and one hundred and fifty feet in depth to an aliey excepting nevertheless all coal and minerals beneath the surface of said lots of land with the sole and exclusive right to mine and remove the same in the same manner and to the same extent as the same are excepted and reserved in the deed of the said land to the said William B. and Ann James from William H. Jessup, trustee, bearing date the loth day of January, A. D. 1883. Improved with a two story wood dwelling and other outbuildings. It being the same lot sold and conveyed by William H. Jessup, trustee of estate of Joseph Fellows, deceased, to William B. James and Ann James, by deed dated the 10th day of January, A. D. 1883, recorded in Lackawanna county in Deed Book No. II, page 20, etc.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Q. W. Wellington, assignee, vs. William B. James and Anna James. Debt \$525.39, Judgment No. 659, September term, 1896, lev, fa. to May term, 1897.

ALSO

No. 25.—All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Edward A. Melnzer, in and to, All their certain lot or piece of land in Lackawanna county, state of Pennsylvania, bounded and Jescribed as follows: Reginning at a corner on dividing line between lands of L. B. Cramer and John Emerson; thence south 43 degrees and 31 minutes, west thirty-six (35) rods to a stone corner; thence north 48 degrees and 30 minutes, west eight-nine (89) rods to a corner; thence north 43 degrees and 30 minutes, east thirty-six (36) rods to a corner; thence south 46 degrees and 30 minutes, east thirty-six (36) rods to a corner; thence south 46 degrees and 30 minutes, east thirty-six (36) rods to a corner; thence south 46 degrees and 30 minutes. minutes, east thirty-six (35) rods to a cor-ner; thence south 46 degrees and 30 min-utes, east eight-nine (89) rods to place of utes, east eight-nine (89) rods to place of beginning, containing twenty acres more or less. Improved by one and one-half story frame house. Seized and taken in execution at the suit of assigned to S. F. Moore vs. Edward A. Meinzer. Deht \$200.00. Judsment No. 656. May term, 1855. ft. fa. to May term, 1857.

REPLOGIE, Att'y.

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