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An Exhaustive Epitaph.

THE STORY OF A TOMBSTONE WHICH TELLS OF MANY SAD THINGS.

A correspondent copied the following from a tombstone in Tennessee. The stone was erected by M. Muldoon, of Chatanooga, Tennessee, and the epitah reads:

THOMAS P. AFTERALL,
The 8th son of
SOLOMON FIDELITY AFTERALL,
Killed in 1861 by the Indians,
Of Puritan Stock,
And his Fourth Wife,
ELIZA JANE SMITH,

Who was the third wife of J. Smith, who was her second husband, born at the new city of Indianapolis, Indiana, in the year of our Blessed Redeemer and Saviour, 1814, on the 15th day of January, the same blessed year, and, after having been baptised the proper way and acknowledging the true Baptist faith, was married to Peggy Cott (the tallest one) daughter of Jim Cott (who lived at the forks of the road,) who having died he took to his tender breast his true friend—and mine—Martha Walpole. The two above helpmates gave him seven sweet buds of trust and affection, and I gave him one after his death of myself, who got scalded accidentlly by him on maple sugar, and then still trusting the promise of God, he clasped his wife for the third time. O! so sweet! his now weeping widow, Mary Bangs Afterall (who is myself) and died soon after, on March 10, 1872 A. D., peace to his ashes. Having performed the work laid out for him to do by his Creator, he now rests from his labors. There is no sorrow eth there.

Erected by his weeping and disconsolate widow and his truest wife, Mary Bangs Afterall.

Requires Muscles

From Nikko the Pilgrims go eight miles up to Lake Chinzenji, where their sacred mountain, Nantaisan, guards that lovely sheet of water, pass under a grand torii on the water's edge, [illegible] the path to the mountain summit is kept in order by the temple guardians, who charge twenty cents for every climber, and the climber then has his name inscribed on wooden tablets in the temple grounds, which is fame enough for his humble lifetime. It is seven miles to the summit, and the path, instead of winding and zigzagging as a mountain path generally does, pursues an air line from the bottom to the top and is simply a seven mile staircase, with steps regularly made of sticks laid across and braced in. It is a matter of lunge and knees to get up the mountain, and altogether a matter of the knees to come down, and climbers feel weak and shaky there for days after descending the seven-miles staircase. At Chinzenji there are long barracks provided by the government, where the pilgrims can lodge for a few coppers each night, and several tea houses built at the edge of the lake, with galleries overhanging the water.

Found the [illegible]

A muscular-looking woman with a fight[illegible] [illegible] on Lafayette street [illegible] and asked him [illegible] and [illegible] the Recorder's Court:

"No, sir, I [illegible] the man," she promptly replied, and, beckoning him down to the [illegible], she pointed to a heap of ashes on the other side of the fence. The officer went down and poked it with his baton, and it proved to be an oldish man, bald on top of his head and extraordinarily long in the waist. His face was [illegible] and scratches, his ear was [illegible], and one eye [illegible] it [illegible] and [illegible] baked you [illegible].

Bad Breakfast.

"How are you [illegible]" asked a butcher of a fellow-worker on the street.

"Now you shop-right do [illegible] the emphatic reply.

"Why, Josiah, what's the matter with you?"

"I'z had 'sperience, sah—dat's what's de matter wid me."

"How?"

"I'se got fru serving a sentence of thirty days in de Work House kase I couldn't agree wid de ole woman whether King Solomon had red or black hair. Doan' want no mo' Bible talk fur six months, sah—not a talk!"

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EXECUTORS' SALE OF

REAL ESTATE!

The undersigned, Executors of the last Will and Testament of George Baker, late of Centre township, Snyder county, Penna., dec'd., will expose to public sale on the premises on

Thursday, December 8, 1887.

All that certain Messuage or tract of Land situate in Centre township, Snyder county, Pa., bounded north by lands of David Boyer, East by lands of David Ireson, South by lands of David Weaver and A. Kreamer, and West by lands of David Boyer, containing 140 ACRES more or less, with all the appurtenances whereon is erected a Two-story Frame Dwelling House, New Bank Barn and all necessary outbuildings, a good well of water near the door and a spring at the barn; also an ORCHARD of Choice Fruit Trees. About 80 acres of the above land cleared and under good cultivation the balance GOOD WOODLAND, most of which is well set with WHITE AND ROCK OAK and White Pine—heavy and market does.

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ALEXANDER P. BAKER,
JOSEPH KERR,
Executors.

Nov. 12, 1887.

CAUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have purchased at Private Sale, the following articles of Geo. W. Leister, 2 Mules, 1 Horse and a Set of bobs—to-wit: 1 Set of Horse Gears and all the Road Implements on the Penney Dahlia Camp, Lease No. 151 and 151, 2 Hogs, Sled and all the Household and Kitchen Furniture that the same belongs to Geo. W. Newman from this date and not to Geo W. Leister,

GEO. W. NEWMAN.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Letters of Administration on the estate of Fredrick Roush late of Washington township Snyder Co., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated to

Or his attorney H. H. GRIMM, Middleburgh, Pa. } WILLIAM ROUSH, Administrator, Globe Mills, Pa

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF SNYDER COUNTY.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Court above mentioned to distribute the money in the hands of J. G. Rhoads, Administrator of the estate of Catharine Shaffer, late of West Perry township, Snyder county, Pa., deceased, to and among the parties entitled to the same, for the purpose of his appointment at the office of J. Bower, Esq., in the Borough of Middleburgh and county on Friday the 30th day of November A. D. 1887, at 10 o'clock A. M. when and where all parties having claims are requested to present the same or be forever debarred from coming in for share of said fund.

JACOB GILBERT,
Auditor.

Oct. 29, 1887.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Snyder county, to distribute the money in the hands of Henry Troutman, Assignee of Henry Z. Troutman, will meet the parties interested for the purpose of his appointment at his office in Selinsgrove, Snyder county, Pa., on Saturday, the 26th day of November, A. D. 1887, at 10 o'clock A. M. when and where all persons having claims against said fund must present the same or be debarred from coming in for any part of said fund.

C. G. STAUFFER,
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