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Those who intend making improvements or building new hotels or boarding houses will please notify E. H. Barto, Travelling Passenger Agent of Erie Railroad, Chambers Street Station, New York City, who has charge of the Summer Home business.

Application blanks for space in next seasons Summer Home Book will be ready in ample time, and can be obtained from there near Erie Railroad agent. 12-10-8.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Pike County, to me directed, I will expose to sale by public vendue or outcry at the Sheriff's Office in the Borough of Milford, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19th, 1903

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day,

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the township of Lackawaxen, county of Pike and state of Pennsylvania, containing about two hundred and seventy-five acres, be the same more or less, surveyed in the warrantree names of Ann Shee and John Lardner, and about two miles from Lackawaxen depot and fronting on the Delaware and Hudson canal, it being the same property upon which John A. Tinsman, late of Lackawaxen township aforesaid, resided at the time of his death, and the title to which became vested in Bertha Richter, as by reference had to the deed made and executed by Carl Richter to said Bertha Richter, dated October 1, A. D. 1884, recorded in office for recording deeds in and for Pike county in Deed Book No 41 at Page 501, etc., will more fully appear.

IMPROVEMENTS

Upon said land are erected a good two story frame dwelling house, one large barn, one small barn and other out-buildings, a number of acres are improved, excellent garden with large and small fruits and the land in timber is valuable. This property is desirably located being about mid-way between Lackawaxen and Rowland stations on the Erie Railroad.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Bertha Richter and will be sold by me for cash.

GEORGE GREGORY,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Milford, Pa., }
November 17, 1903. }

DIVORCE NOTICE

IN PIKE COUNTY COMMON PLEAS COURT.

MATTHEW McCONNELL vs. ELIZABETH McCONNELL | No. 8. June Term, 1903. In Divorce. Subpoena and alias subpoena returned. Respondent not found in the county of Pike.

To ELIZABETH McCONNELL, Respondent.

You are hereby notified to be and appear at our Court of Common Pleas to be held at Milford on the third Monday of December next (it being the return day of our next term of court) and answer the complaint of the Libellant filed in the above case.

GEORGE GREGORY,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Milford, Pa., }
November 9, 1903. }

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of PETER A. L. QUICK, deceased. | In the Orphans Court of Pike County, Penn

The undersigned having been appointed by the court, "to make distribution of the funds in hands of the accountant and executrix, in the above estate as shown by her said first and partial account," etc., will meet all parties interested for the purpose of his appointment at his law office in the Borough of Milford, on Monday, the 14th day of December, A. D. 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time all parties having a claim upon the funds or interest in the distribution thereof must appear and prove their claim or be debarred from coming in upon said funds.

C. W. BULL, Auditor.

Milford, Pa., Nov 14, 1903.

WIDOW'S APPRAISEMENT

The following appraisement set apart to widow has been filed with the Register and will be presented to the Court on the Third Monday of December next for confirmation and approval:

Estate of Brasher Wood, deceased. Appraisement of personal property set apart to widow, Elizabeth Wood.

JOHN C. WESTBROOK, Jr.,
Nov. 21, 1903. Register

COURT PROCLAMATION

State of Pennsylvania }
County of Pike }

Notice is hereby given to all persons bound by recognizance or otherwise to appear, that the December term 1903 of the several courts of Pike county will be held at the court house in the borough of Milford on the third Monday (21st) at 2 o'clock p. m., and will be continued one week if necessary.

GEORGE GREGORY,
Sheriff.

Milford, September 23, 1903.

PRETTY HANDS.

How to Care for Nature's Attractive Gift.

There is a subtle fascination in a pretty hand, impossible to explain, but so powerful that it has been able to command love when there was nothing else about the possessor to attract special attention. A naturally beautiful hand is a gift to the few; a graceful, well-cared-for hand is possible to the woman of humblest station.

No matter what the type of your hand may be—the delicate, artistic hand; the square hand of the orderly person; the conic hand of the emotional woman or the philosophic hand, long and angular, with knotted knuckles—to all grace of movement and perfect grooming are possible.

Flexibility is the first step toward beauty of movement. No grace is possible with stiffened muscles, and in such a state more nerve force is wasted than in actual physical labor. With perfect control of the muscles you will use the hands naturally, and entirely conceal the art by which you acquired flexibility.

There are a few rules which materially aid one in the struggle for grace of movement. Drop every mannerism in which the hands play an important part. Do not fuss with the hair, pull the ears, rub the nose, finger the face, play with rings or other adornments, or fiddle with any part of the wearing apparel. Do not drum with the fingers, above everything, for that is the most common habit and the hardest to overcome. Bear these things in mind when alone, and you will soon find no necessity for remembering them in company.

White Negroes.

Occasionally it happens that negroes are white, but for all that they are still negroes, since they possess every characteristic, save one, of their race. Linnaeus long ago remarked that color was, after all, merely a secondary character. The negroes of which we speak are of pure stock without any admixture of white blood. A family of the sort has recently been studied in Mississippi, where a traveling archaeologist noticed a number of albino negro children at work in a cotton field. Inquiry developed the fact that they descended from an albino grandfather who married a black woman and whose three sons were all normal and black. All the sons married black women, two of them had children who were perfectly normal in respect of color. The third married twice. By the first wife he had six children—five black and one albino; by the second he had nine children—six black and three albinos. The albinoism, therefore, skipped an entire generation, appearing only with the grandchildren of the original parent, and then only in certain cases.

The Prowess of Miss Kellogg.

Miss Emma Kellogg, who is seeking an appointment as game warden for Routt and Rio Blanco counties, in Colorado is young, a hunter of big game and has had many exciting experiences. She lassoed a young bear once and took it home alive. She was hunted mountain lion, deer and elk and is well versed in woodcraft.

The young woman's most daring adventure was a ride on the back of an elk which had attacked her in the forest. Her gun being out of reach, she promptly climbed a tree. The elk butted the tree with such force that she fell, alighting on the animal's back. She grasped the antlers and held on while the angry brute ran through the thick underbrush. Its antlers finally became entangled in the low hanging branches of a tree, and while the animal struggled Miss Kellogg cut its throat with her hunting knife.—Kansas City Journal.

"The Ould Art."

West Penn—You never heard an Irish person speak of the "Ould Dart." Possibly your ears have doubted the "d" when the "ould art" was named. Your error is common; the best informed writers of English make it, with the exception of those who are conversant with Scotch and Irish dialects.

"Art," in good Irish, means a cardinal point; the Scotch form is "airt.' "Of all the airts the win' does blow," writes Burns. This is only one of thousands of common errors in relation to Irish dialect; cultivated people who have heard and used it cannot recognize it as usually written.

An Untidy Petticoat.

For a petticoat that has frayed around the bottom, cut off an inch all round, bind with velvet binding to match, and just above put a couple of rows of narrow ribbon velvet of the same color, and it will look as good as new. When making a petticoat, it is a good plan to get an extra piece that can be used for a new frill to put around the bottom when the petticoat is half worn.

The potato is a native of Chili and Peru. They were originally carried to England from Santa Fe, in America, by Sir John Hawkins, in or about the year 1563.

The first newspaper, published in Boston, was the "Boston News-Letter," in 1704, which was continued until 1774, and was, up to that period, the only paper published in the country.

Piano-fortes were invented in Dresden, in 1717. The square piano-forte was first made by an organ-builder of Saxony, named Freiderica, sometime about the year 1758.

Better Than a Plaster

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts, is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of deep seated, muscular and rheumatic pains. For sale by Balch & Son, Matamoras, all general stores in Pike county.

FORGOT HIS WEDDING DAY.

Busy Wall Street Man Makes a Dash for Chicago One Day Late.

"We hear a good deal about the busy men of New York," said one of them, "but I have a friend in Wall Street who has broken the record.

"I was in his apartment a few nights ago after the theatre, and he was chatting with me about the deals of the day, and as he chatted he was running over a bundle of memoranda. All at once he stopped as if he had been shot.

"'Great Scott!' he exclaimed. 'I'm to be married to-morrow to a woman in Chicago, and I had forgotten the date completely. Say, old man, come with me and help me pack up. Of course, I can't make it now to save my life, even if I hired a special engine and car, for the wedding is set for to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.'

"While he began pitching his things into his trunk I wrote out a message to his sweetheart and hurried it to the telegraph office. My friend left on the first train out and after his arrival in Chicago he wired back:

"'It's all right. She has the measles.'"

Honors Were Even.

Brooklyn and New Jersey exchanged civilities at a recent dinner of Phillips-Exeter Academy alumni. An anecdote was told by Julius H. Seymour of the man who, having successfully assigned to two men their native States, was indignantly contradicted when he told a third that he hailed from New Jersey. "I don't; I'm sick to-day; that's what makes me look so."

Following this, Dr. Henry Sanger Snow, of the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, declared that "Brooklyn was not New York, but it bore about the same relation to it that heaven did."

Wilson Farrand, headmaster of the Newark Academy, couldn't stand for the aspersion on his own State, so he told this:

"Once there was a Brooklyn man who crossed the Jordan. When he arrived on the further shore he looked around supercilliously, and, after prolonged staring, remarked, "I don't see that heaven is so much better than Brooklyn.'

"'But, my dear man, this is not heaven,' he was told."

Nuisances Reported.

"About 20,000 nuisances a year are reported to us," said a clerk in the nuisance bureau of the city hall, "and some of them are pretty queer. Once there was a young woman reported a man for bathing with the blind up. This careless chap, it seems, would hop into his bath in the morning without lowering the curtain. A minister once reported a family for playing ragtime music and popular songs on the piano on Sunday, but, of course, that case was out of our province. A downtown man was keeping a rooster for a friend of his, but he hadn't had it three days before it was reported. It made a nuisance of itself, the complainant said, by crowing at daybreak. Once a spinster had the face to report a baby as a nuisance. She said it cried all night, so that she could not sleep. The boss got mighty indignant with her. 'Are we to let the race die out, madam,' he says, 'so as to keep your rest undisturbed? Do you want us to kill this baby? Remember, madam,' he says, 'that you were a baby once yourself.' A Manayunk man was reported as a nuisance to us last year because he snored loud."—Philadelphia Record.

Accent Still with Him.

At a dinner that the Transportation Club of New York gave recently in honor of J. Pierpont Morgan, Charles H. Cramp of the big Philadelphia shipbuilding firm, said in reference to a financial fight that was under discussion:

"The way the first party accuses the second, refusing to take to itself any of the blame that rightfully belongs to it, reminds me of a story of two Scots which one of the teachers at the Philadelphia Boys' High School told in my boyhood.

"These men were Canadians. They had emigrated from the lank of kale at about the same time. They used to meet once or twice a year, and talk about home.

"One day the first asked the second how long he had been in Canada.

"'About sax years,' was the reply.

"'Hoot, mon!' exclaimed the first then in a patronizing voice, 'why hae ye na lost yer accent, like myse'f?'"

Watching for the Clouds to Bump.

Two little boys, aged six and eight, named Ernst and Hugh, were standing on their front lawn, gazing intently up to the sky, which was filled with dark and ominous-looking clouds, the forerunners of a storm.

"What are you looking at, boys?" asked their mother.

"We are waiting to see the clouds bump together and make thunder," was their reply.—New Orleans Picayune.

Personal.

The Czar of Russia is the largest individual landowner in the world. The area of his possessions is greater than that of the Republic of France.

Emile Waldteufel, the waltz writer, though an old man, still composes a large amount of dance music. Over 800 waltzes, polkas, mazurkas, and other ed by M. Waldteufel.

dances have been written and publish

To be extolled for what one is
One loves, for there's a subtle bliss in't;
But there's a rarer joy than this—
'Tis to be praised for what one isn't.
—Life.

Balch & Son, Matamoras, and al general stores in Pike county guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. 2 25 04

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Try putting some of your urine in a glass tumbler, let it stand twenty-four hours. If there is a sediment, or a cloudy, milky appearance, your kidneys are sick. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will surely relieve and cure the most distressing cases of these dread diseases, and no physician can prescribe a medicine that equals it for kidney, liver, bladder and blood diseases, rheumatism, dyspepsia and chronic constipation.

Walter D. Miller, of Delhi, N. Y., writes:

"I suffered for years with kidney trouble and severe pains in my back, at times it was so bad I could hardly walk. My stomach also troubled me and I frequently had twinges of rheumatism. I suffered a great deal and received no benefit until I began the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. After taking it a short while it cured me."

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Colonel Bryan says he shall fight for the democratic party for the next twenty-five years but the Kansas City Journal remarks that if he fights in the future as effectively as he has thus far the democratic party will not last twenty-five years.

New York's new mayor, Mr. McClellan, announces that there will be no "graft" or "red lights" in his administration. Yet Tammany has been taking a very rosy view of the recent election results.

The cable reports announce that the juramentado is very active in the Sulu Islands. This is probably another one of those insect pests which causes the farmers the loss of millions of dollars annually.

The Hon. Webster Davis in his championship of Colombia will probably find the people less financially able than were his Boer friends.

Since Colonel Bryan did not get his $50,000 from the Bennett estate he will have to cut out a great deal in the banqueting and entertainment line on his European trip.

Representative Watson of Indiana in the House the other day asked his democratic colleagues a few unanswerable questions when he wanted to know what the democrats had done in the last twenty-five years in the way of progress. Mr. Watson shows for his theme a rather hackneyed subject since it is generally conceded that the sole stock in trade of the democracy in opposition.

There is no hope longer that eminent statesmen will be able to dust up and redeliver their old speeches on "Our Sister Republic of Colombia."

The quick action of the Washington government in the Panama matter prevented fighting and bloodshed yet the administration's course provoked immediate and vigorous democratic criticism. Had the action of the government been slow and stately the criticism would have been the same.

"The time-honored principles of democracy," a phrase which is being rolled around with apparent relish in the mouths of some of our eminent statesmen, are things which the country wots not of. Time has been occupied otherwise and while she has been marching on these so-called principles have one by one exploded with loud crashes.

The cost of living is shown to have considerably increased in the last few years. It comes high but we must have it.

Mr. Cleveland expresses indignation at his continued mention for the democratic nomination on the claim that it is humiliating to be spoken of as the only available man for carrying the democratic standard. Mr. Bryan, on the other hand, would like very much to be considered the biggest toad in the puddle, even if most of the water has evaporated.

A glass or two of water taken half an hour before breakfast will usually keep the bowels regular. Harsh cathartics should be avoided. When a purgative is needed, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets They are mild and gentle in their action. For sale by Balch & Son. Matamoras, all general stores in Pike County.

REGISTER'S NOTICE

The following account has been filed with the Register and will be presented to the Court for confirmation on the Third Monday of December next.

Estate of Philip F. Fulmer, deceased. First and final account of Ella B. Fulmer and Philip F. Fulmer, executors.

JOHN C. WESTBROOK, Jr.,
Nov. 21, 1903. Register.

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f12 39	f5 04	f7 04	" Eagle Valley	"	f8 27	f4 21	f6 21
f12 47	f5 12	f7 12	" Craig's Meadows	"	f8 23	f4 13	f6 13
12 49	5 14	7 14	" Marshall's Creek	"	8 21	4 11	6 11
f12 51	f5 16	f7 16	" Oak Grove	"	f8 19	f4 09	f6 08
f12 54	f5 19	f7 19	" Fruitdale	"	f8 16	f4 06	f6 09
12 57	5 22	7 22	" Coolbaugh	"	8 12	4 03	6 03
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