

A Woman's Caprice in Hosiery.

"The riskiest business in America today," answered Mr. Berwick, "is the dry goods business, and the most unstable part of the dry goods business is in the line of stockings. I never saw anything like it. The caprice of American women concerning stockings is something almost surpassing belief. Two men have within the last month been sent back to the United States from Chemnitz raving lunatics, driven insane by the fluctuations in taste in the stocking demand at home."

I thought the statement was a joke, and smiled.

"It's strict truth I'm telling you, and no nonsense. I don't know how much longer I'll hold out. My whole existence is one elongated hose. I eat, sleep, drink and think stockings."

"We've got stockings on the brain," said Mr. White.

"On the brain! I should think so," replied Mr. Berwick. "Between the top of my nose and the roof of my head I've got 5,000 dozen of stockings packed away. I used to be able to put the whole subject out of my mind on the Sabbath; now the church I attend is full of stockings. I am wondering during the sermon what the particular taste is of every one in the congregation concerning stockings, not excepting the minister and his wife and family. The very pulpit is hung with stockings."

"A perpetual Christmas."

"Santa Claus is better off than I am, for at least he doesn't have to furnish people with stockings."

"What is it exactly that causes you this great anxiety?" I inquired.

"The constant fear of having 30,000 or 30,000 dozen expensive stockings thrown on our hands, dead stock, to be sold at 50 cents on the dollar of what it costs us, though the crack-brained notion of some few so-called leaders of fashion. Why, one noted lady in a town—one alone—has it in her power to change the styles in stockings in space of twenty-four hours. Mrs. Jones or Mrs. Smith can walk into a store, ask to look at stockings, be shown the greatest novelties, and if the bulk of the stock happens to be red she has but to say, "Oh, red's no good now; green's all the rage." That's enough. From that moment we have to seize people by the throat and maul them to get them to take a red stocking."

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Attempt to Lynch a Little Boy.

On Wednesday last a negro boy named John Briggs, aged 7 years, who lives in Raymond City, Putnam county, was arrested and placed in jail on a charge of attempting to commit a felonious assault on a little white girl 6 years old. Late at night it was rumored about the village that a large party of men had determined to lynch the negro at once.

The jailer applied to the sheriff for aid and a number of special constables were hastily sworn in to defend the jail.

When the mob arrived they found that if they attempted to carry out their designs there would be a bloody fight, and therefore they held a formal meeting, and the chairman deliberately put the question as to whether they should proceed.

The voting was done by ballot, and resulted in 45 against 41 for lynching. After making a slight attempt to persuade the constables to admit them, the mob dispersed and went home. — Wheeling, Va., Herald.

Andrew Wentling, of near Marion, Franklin county, who became crazy some time ago and tried to kill himself by jumping into a well, and was confined in the Franklin county almshouse, escaped from that institution on Friday last. He secreted himself in the fields until night-fall, when he proceeded to his home for the avowed purpose of killing his family; but they, learning of his liberty, sought refuge at a neighbor's. Finding them absent, Wentling burned the house and then started to set fire to a house and barn of a neighbor, Mr. Miller, when he was captured and returned to his old quarters. — The family, consisting of a wife and eight children are left without any means whatever, and without clothing except what they had on. — Enterprise.

Adam Bowerbox, of Dover, York county, has two pigs grown together, having two backbones, one set of intestines, two hind legs and two tails. The heads, forelegs and shoulders are perfectly formed.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias and Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Perry county, Pa., and to me directed, I will expose to public sale, at the Court House, in the borough of Bloomfield, on

Friday, the 26th day of July, 1878, at one o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described real estate, to wit:

A Tract of Land, situated in Jackson township, Perry county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: On the north and east by lands of Peter Ahl & Co., south by Daniel Henry, and west by Sam'l Miller, containing 65 acres, more or less, 10 acres cleared, and having thereon erected a two-story log house, with kitchen and log barn, with outbuildings; as the property of John H. Lay and John M. Lay.

Also defendant's interest in A Tract of Land situated in Spring township, Perry county, Pa., containing 85 acres more or less, bounded by lands of Daniel Reaspome, Daniel Foose, Henry Foose and others, having thereon erected a two-story stone house, bank barn and other outbuildings; as the property of John Reeder.

Also, A Tract of Land, situated in Tuscarora township, county and State aforesaid, containing 17 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of Abraham Fry, Mrs. Linn, George Rice and Mrs. Vance, and having thereon erected a small log house, small stable, &c.; as the property of Wm. Myers.

Also, A Tract of Mountain Land, situated in Tuscarora township, county and State aforesaid, containing 402 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of the late Robert Selfridge, David Orr, Michael Donnelly, Wm. Dewees and others; as the property of D. W. Barrick and Wm. Myers.

Also, A Tract of Land, situated in Tuscarora township, Perry county, Pa., bounded by public road leading toward Bloomfield, thence by lands of W. H. Swartz, W. L. Donnelly and Daniel Linn, containing 112 acres, more or less, having thereon erected a two-story log frame house, pebble dashed, frame stable, together with other outbuildings, with a variety of young fruit trees in good growing condition, &c.; as the property of William A. Meminger.

Also, A Tract of Mountain Land, situated in Buffalo township, Perry county, Pa., containing 355 acres, more or less, bounded by public road leading from Liverpool to New Buffalo on the east, by Jeremiah Bair, Isalah Bair, Jacob Albright's heirs, Isaac Meek, Samuel Buck, George Blattenberger and others; as the property of Edward Matchett and Nathaniel Greer.

Also, Two Lots of Ground, situated in New Buffalo borough, Perry county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: South by Locust alley, west by Rockhill alley, north by Long alley, east by Market street, and known in the general plan of said borough as lots Nos. 74 and 75, containing 15,000 square feet; as the property of Edward Wells.

Also, A Lot of Ground, situated in Liverpool borough, county and State aforesaid, containing 1 acre, bounded west by Main street, south by Mr. Rupp, east by G. Cary Sharp, north by Mulberry street, and having thereon a two-story log house, weatherboarded, with outbuildings; as the property of D. Brink.

Also, Defendant's Interest, being the one fifth, in A Lot of Ground, in the borough of Millertown, Perry county, Pa., bounded on the north by lot of Samuel K. Gable, on the west by an alley, on the south by J. C. Kipp, and fronting on Market St., and having thereon erected a 2-story frame house, weatherboarded, and log stable; as the property of Wm. Bolinger.

Also, A Lot of Ground, situated in the borough of Dunannon, Perry county, Pa., bounded by Market street on the west, S. A. E. Rife on the south, Susquehanna river on east, and Jacob Weaver on the north, said lot being 26 1/2 by 120 feet, and having thereon erected a two-story frame building, brick front, with store room and work shop within; as the property of J. R. Cromleigh.

Also, A Tract of Land, situated in Centre township, Perry county, Pa., containing 23 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of Josiah Fieske, David Stateman, John Myers and others, having erected thereon a two-story log frame house, with basement kitchen, with other outbuildings; as the property of Wm. F. Asper.

Also, A Tract of Land, situated in Tuscarora township, Perry county, Pa., containing 15 acres, more or less, about 12 acres cleared, bounded by lands of Frederick Cluck, David Barrick, John Hutchison, and the valley road, having thereon erected a two-story log house and log stable; as the property of John S. Baker.

Also, A Tract of Land, situated in Watts township, Perry county, Pa., containing 137 acres, more or less, about 100 acres cleared, bounded by lands of Wm. Wright, Jesse Johnson, Michael Shatto, Wm. Liddick, and others, having thereon erected a two-story frame house, frame bank barn and outbuildings.

Also, A Lot of Ground, situated in Buffalo township, Perry county, Pa., containing two acres, more or less, all cleared, bounded by lands of J. P. Motter, Charles Troutman, and the main road leading from Liverpool to New Buffalo, having thereon erected a two-story frame house, frame stable and outbuildings (known as the Girty Note Hotel); as the property of Thomas McElvy.

Also, A Tract of Land, situated in Tyrone township, Perry county, Pa., containing 270 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of David Morrison, Elizabeth Reigleman, Cumberland county line, and Emanuel Morrison, having thereon erected two two-story frame weatherboard houses, frame bank barn, together with other outbuildings; as the property of Jerome W. Trout.

Also, Two Lots, 60 by 140 feet, situated in the borough of Marysville, Perry county, Pa., bounded by Main street south and Jacob Zeng west, Susquehanna river and Dr. Geo. W. Eppy east, having thereon erected a two-story frame weatherboarded house with basement cellar and other outbuildings; as the property of John Rupley.

Also, A Lot of Ground, situated in the borough of Marysville, Perry county, Pa., bounded by Dolien street, Verbeck street, Jane Miller and John Wetzel, being lot No. 71 according to town plot, having erected thereon a two-story frame weatherboarded house with kitchen attached, and other outbuildings; as the property of Geo. W. Crossley.

Also, Defendant's interest in a Lot of Ground, 60 feet by 230 feet, in the borough of Marysville, Perry county, Pa., bounded by Chestnut street, by lot of Mr. Kreamer, and by an alley, having thereon erected a two-story frame weatherboarded house, with other outbuildings; as the property of Henry Gamber.

Also, A Lot of Ground, situated in the borough of Newport, Perry county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the South fronting on Walnut street of said borough, on the west by Austin Low, on the north by lot of James McClintock, and on the east by an alley, and having thereon erected a two-story frame and weatherboarded house, 20 by 24 feet, with a one-story kitchen, about 12 by 13 feet attached; as the property of John W. Albright et al, heir of John G. Albright, deceased.

All Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by J. A. GRAY, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Bloomfield July 19, 1878.

NOTE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid when the property is stricken down, and the balance on the first Monday of August, A. D. 1878.

ESTATE NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah Hurd, late of Buffalo township, Perry Co., Pa., dec'd have been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township.

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