

WEEKLY FAIR PLAY.



THURSDAY, - - SEPT. 26, 1872.

Resurrection of Mrs. Sparkins.

Horatio Sparkins is one of the bright and shining lights of the mercantile community of the Queen City. He attends closely to business during the week, attends church twice a day on Sundays, subscribes liberally to the Relief Union, Bethel Cause, and other public charities, and reads the acknowledgements of the same in the morning papers with great satisfaction.

He has two great troubles in life. His first and greatest is his better half, Mrs. S. is tall, angular, not at all good looking—a great shrew, and of very jealous disposition—so much so that Sparkins is very sorry to enter his own house, and exceedingly glad to get out of it. His second trouble is that he is partially bald. He tries to hide this defect by a skillful manipulation of his black hair, but is not very successful in the effort.

Horatio has been very fortunate in accumulating a plentiful store of worldly goods, and lives in an elegant residence in the west end. At the time of which we write, his family consisted of himself Mrs. S., and her cousin, pretty Polly Perkins.

Mrs. Sparkins lay upon her death bed!

So said the doctor—and doctors are generally allowed to be judges in such matters; besides, Dr. Muddlepatte is a professor of the medical college, lives in a stone front house in a fashionable locality, and has an extensive practice among the bou ton of the city—raison de plus.

"Is there no hope, doctor?" said Polly Perkins.

"Is there no hope?" said Horatio Thomas.

Being the lady's husband he spoke last, of course.

The doctor looked at the disconsolate widower in posse, drew forth his watch, and silently indicating the hour of twelve, he solemnly shook his head.

"I am very sorry to hear it," ejaculated Sparkins.

"Alas my poor cousin," sobbed Polly.

As an impartial historian, truth compels us to say that Horatio neither sobbed nor sighed, his grief was too deep-seated for such outward manifestations.

"She was so good, so kind, and so pious," sobbed Polly.

"So amiable, so humble, and such a good woman!" said Sparkins. A low moan from the subject of their eulogies, showed that they were not altogether lost upon her, and that her parting spirit rejoiced in the testimonial to her virtues.

"She was too good for earth and I did not deserve her, but she is going now, and where shall I get such another?" continued he.

"Not in all this city—that is, just such another," sobbed Polly, as she moved closer to him.

"What is to become of my house and what is to become of me, Polly?"—there was pathos in his tones, and a solitary tear trickled down his nose.

"I'll jump off the Suspension bridge and drown myself," but when he thought of the ice and the cold water, he appeared undecided, and his eyes roaming gloomily around the apartment, could rest upon no object but the sympathizing face of pretty Polly Perkins. He was seated on the side of the bed. "Come here, Polly," said he, and edging along he made room for her by his side. Now it is hard to carry on a conversation with no one looking at you, and she having modestly turned her face away, he gently took her by the chin, and turning her face toward his, looked her steadily in the eye.

"Where shall I get such another?" said Horatio.

"There's the widow Jones!" suggested Polly.

"Pooh, pooh!—she's an old hag; but—but—what do you say to Polly Perkins?"

The murder was out, and he felt infinitely relieved. His hand clasped hers; it was a pretty little hand with long taper fingers and almond shaped nails. When one's right hand holds that of a pretty woman, there is only one thing to be done with the other. Horatio's left arm naturally encircled the supple waist of the lovely Polly.

He drew her closer to him and leaning forward—their lips met in a lovely kiss—nectar and ambrosia. There was a little round polished patch on the summit of Horatio's peri-cranium, from which the hair had gradually receded; a sort of oasis, or rather a miniature mountain peak, rising above the highest point of vegetation. It was on this spot, undefended alike by Art and Nature, that at this moment a blow descended with a terrible "whack."

The interesting couple sprang to their feet and turning about quickly beheld a sight that well nigh petrified them. The all but detestable Mrs. S., sat bold upright in bed, her eyes no longer glazed with the film of approaching dissolution, but flashing fire; while in her hand she held a heavy brush, a weapon of might, as Horatio's bloody head could testify. Her rage had broken her quins, and although she could not speak, and was nearly choked, the rapidity of her guttural intonations argued well for her feature eloquence. Mrs. Sparkins recovered, the fair Polly was banished, but oh Heavens! what a life Horatio has led since then.

Mice harm the cheese, but girls charm the he's. The same is true of their respective eating of cheese and chating of he's.

Public Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will on the 27th day of September A. D. 1872, sell at Public Sale on the premises, now occupied by Mathew Kern, known as "Kern's Hotel," in the City of Ste. Genevieve, in the County of Ste. Genevieve, in State of Missouri, the following personal property, viz:

All the household furniture in said Hotel, consisting of Bedsteads, Bed and Bedding, Wardrobes, Wash Stands, Bureaus, Chairs, Tables, Carpets Stoves, one Cooking Stove, Kitchen Furniture etc.

Also, Two Horses, Three sets of Harness, One wagon, Two Hacks One Buggy, Eight Head of Hogs, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—on all sums over Twenty Dollars a credit of Six Months will be given the purchaser giving Note with Approved Security, bearing Ten per cent from date. Cash in hand on all sums under Twenty Dollars.

No property to be removed until the Terms of Sale are complied with dated September 13th 1872. FRANCIS KERN.

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STE. GENEVIEVE, MO.

Final Settlement.

NOTICE is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Henry Dorsch, deceased, that I Francis Roussin, Administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next Term of the county court, of Ste. Genevieve county, to be held at the City of Ste. Genevieve, on the first Monday (being the 7th day) of October 1872.

FRANCIS ROUSSIN, Administrator.

Trustee's Sale.

WHEREAS, Peter Haxel and Catherine Haxel, his wife, by their deed of trust, dated the twenty third day of August, A. D. 1869, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds, in the county of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, in book "C," pages 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64 and 65, conveyed to Joseph Bauman, as trustee, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Ste. Genevieve and State of Missouri, to-wit:

A certain lot in the town of Ste. Genevieve, being sixty feet front on the street running nearly parallel with the Mississippi river, running back one hundred and ninety feet, being the whole of lot number fourteen and so much of lot number fifteen as will make the depth aforesaid, in block numbered one, of Ziegler's Addition to the City (Town) of Ste. Genevieve, as per the plat of said addition will fully appear, it being the same lot sold by Sebastian Ziegler and wife to Mathew Kern, by their deed dated the 20th day of May, 1862, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds, in book "H," one of the land records of said county of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, on page 452. Also, lot numbered thirteen in block numbered one in Ziegler's addition to the city (Town) of Ste. Genevieve containing 20 feet front by 177 feet more or less in depth being the same lot conveyed by Sebastian Ziegler to Mathew Kern, by deed dated September 6th 1863, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in said county of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, in book "H," one of the land records, on pages 643 and 644; the said lots hereinbefore described, being the same lots conveyed by Mathew Kern and Johanna Kern, his wife, to Wendelin Obermiller, by deed dated the 6th day of December A. D. 1864, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in the county of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, aforesaid, in book "O," page 741, one of the records of conveyances of said office, also lots numbered ten, eleven and twelve, in block numbered one, in Ziegler's addition to the city (town) of Ste. Genevieve, and being the same lots purchased by Felix Hettig from Isidore Dufrenoy, and by the Felix Hettig, and Adele Hettig, his wife, conveyed to Wendelin Obermiller, by deed dated June 1st, 1866, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in said county of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, in book "R," one of the records of conveyances, pages 69 and 70; also about two acres and a half of ground purchased by Wendelin Obermiller of John Troll, the said two acres and a half of ground being the lot of ground on which the beer cave, near and on the south side of the north fork of the Gaberion creek, in or near the town of Ste. Genevieve, and north of the late residence of John Troll, now the property of Joseph Bauman, also the following described tracts of land situate in the county of Ste. Genevieve in the State of Missouri, to-wit: South half, south east of surveys Nos. 1294 and 1308, of section No. 24, township 28, north of range No. 8 east, containing sixty acres more or less, and being part of the same land entered by Francis Govereau, (now deceased), on the 25th day of April 1844, and which descended to his children and legal representatives at his death, and purchased by Henry Wilder of said heirs; also fifty arpents off from the south east end of the land described in the petition in the case of Henry Wilder against Francis X. Govereau, et al., in the Ste. Genevieve court of common pleas, commencing at the north east corner of survey No. 1308, thence in a southwesterly direction with the line of said survey 17 chains and 50 links; thence in a northwesterly direction and parallel with the northern line of said survey, 24 chains and thirty and a half links, thence in a northeasterly direction and parallel with the eastern line of said survey 17 chains and 50 links to the northern line of said survey, thence in a southeasterly direction, with the line of said survey, 24 chains and thirty and a half links, to the north east corner of said survey, the whole of the above described tract of land hereby conveyed, containing one hundred acres, more or less, with all the casks, tubs and fixtures, belonging to and situate on the first above described real estate. Which said conveyance was made to secure the payment of three certain promissory notes, therein fully described, and whereas, two of said promissory notes, that is to say, the sum of money specified in said two promissory notes, and the interest accrued thereon, are due and unpaid. Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said deed of trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said promissory notes, I will on

Saturday, the 3th day of October 1872,

At the east front door of the Court House, in the town (city) of Ste. Genevieve, in the county of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m., and five o'clock p. m., of said day, proceed to sell the above described real estate at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy and pay said notes and sum of money and the interest thereon accrued, together with the costs and expenses of this trust and the execution thereof.

JOE BAUMAN, Trustee.

Ste. Genevieve, Mo., Sept., 5, 1872.

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Final Settlement.

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JOSEPH BAUMAN.

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COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The Tax Paying inhabitants of Ste. Genevieve county are hereby notified that I will meet them for the purpose of collecting and receiving their taxes for the year 1872, at the following places and dates, to-wit:

BEAUVAIS TOWNSHIP. Ste. Mary, August 19, 20 and 21. Schoolhouse, near Peter Blanda, August 22.

SALINE TOWNSHIP. Bryan's Old Tanyard, August 23. Avon, August 24, 25 and 27.

UNION TOWNSHIP. Chestnut Ridge, August 28, 29 and 30. A. S. Jenning, August 31. Turley's Mills, September 2.

SALINE TOWNSHIP. Bryan's Old Tanyard, August 23. Avon, August 24, 25 and 27.

JACKSON TOWNSHIP. Parjoub, September 3, 4 and 5. Felix G. Poston's, September 6. Carron's Store, September 7.

STE. GENEVIEVE TOWNSHIP. Sauer's old Storehouse, September 9, 10 and 11. Court House, September 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28.

ROBT. G. MADISON, Col.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The attention of the Tax Payers is respectfully called to Sections 113 and 118 of the Revenue Law. Section 113 provides that the Tax payers of each Township in the County shall Meet the Collector at the time and place appointed, and pay such taxes as may be due against them.

Section 118 provides that the Collector shall have power to seize and sell the goods and chattels of persons liable for taxes, and no property shall be exempt from such seizure and sale. And the Collector shall not receive a credit for delinquent taxes, until he shall have made affidavit that he has been unable to find personal property out of which to make the same.

ROBT. G. MADISON, Collector.