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LOVER'S SPRING.

A Local Legend That Dates Back to Old Shikellamy's Time.

An Indian Maiden's Lover Tomahawked by Enraged Parent While Trysting at the Spring—A Haunted Spot.

The Watsontown Record and Star tells the following interesting tale of Indian lore. The spring referred to is about four miles from Milton. Few of the younger dwellers of Watsontown realize that where they now live was once the scene of primitive beauty, and that a dense forest covered the ground now occupied by cosy and civilized homes, and as few, even of the older generation, have heard the legend attached to the beautiful spring which still yields its crystal coolness to the thirsty at Springtown, barely two miles from this borough. We ask the gentle reader to "List to the mournful tradition still sung by the pines of the forest."

This spring, long before Penn sailed up the Delaware, was the trysting spot of two Indian lovers, one a beautiful maiden, the other a young warrior, tall and straight as the monarchs of the forest that towered above him. By this spring they plighted their troth. But love did not always run smooth even with the dusky race that inhabited this continent before Columbus spread the sails of his fleet of three frail vessels in quest of a new world.

The maiden's father promised her to a chieftain of a neighboring tribe, and when he discovered she had clandestine meetings with a young brave of her own tribe, his rage was terrible.

One evening upon returning home to his wigwam, after a long and weary day's hunt, she was missing. Suspecting her whereabouts, he tracked her footsteps to this spring and found her in company with her young lover. Stealing upon them unawares, he dealt the youth a deadly blow with his tomahawk.

When the maiden realized that her lover had been killed by her father's hand she uttered a scream that echoed through the aisles of the deep forest like the cry of a wounded animal and fell at her father's feet in a death like swoon.

Tradition fails to tell if she was mated to the dusky savage her father had chosen for her, but a belief that the spring was haunted lasted for many years among the Indian tribes, and even after the white man had settled along the banks of the Susquehanna, whenever a weird cry was heard at nightfall, borne on the breeze from the direction of the haunted spring, mothers would gather their frightened offspring about them and with bated breath whisper the "Legend of the Lover's Spring."

Queen of the City, a Novel Contest

The Harrisburg Board of Trade has adopted a novel plan of raising money and arousing public interest in the proposed Old Home Week celebration, the first week in October.

The Board has created the honorary office of Queen of the City. The young lady to occupy this position is to be chosen by ballot. The ballots are being placed in all the stores and public offices, for sale at one cent each.

The proceeds go into the Old Home Week fund, and the girl receiving the greatest number of votes will be crowned Queen of the City at the beginning of the week's ceremonies.

Merchants are vying with each other for the privilege of adorning the "Queen" with the best of their wares. Among other things a \$150 diamond ring is to be bestowed on the fortunate young lady.

The greatest rivalry is among the young men, who are forming clubs and laying plans for vigorous campaigns in behalf of various popular girls.

Dr. Eveland at Williamsport.

President William Perry Eveland of Dickinson Seminary, and his wife, arrived in the city Thursday to take up their permanent residence at the institution on the hill. Their apartments have been thoroughly renewed and made much more cheerful. President Eveland has already assumed active charge of the institution.

There will be nothing done in the way of a formal installation until October 20. It is being arranged to have an elaborate affair at that time. The official program has not yet been completed. However, it has been suggested that the installation ceremony be held in the morning, at which time there will be addresses by prominent speakers.—Gazette and Bulletin.

Rheumatism

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Death of Presiding Elder Baldwin

Passed Away Friday, After a Month's Illness

Reverend Amos Smith Baldwin, Presiding Elder of the Danville District of the Methodist Episcopal church, died at his home in Sunbury, on Friday morning at half-past eight o'clock.

Death was due to cancer. Reverend Baldwin had been failing in health for a period covering over two years but his condition did not become alarming until May. Dating from that period, he grew slowly, but steadily, worse, in spite of medical skill and careful nursing, until death ended his earthly career.

Mr. Baldwin was born in Fulton county, Pennsylvania, and was 51 years of age. He prepared for the ministry at Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, Pa., and took his first charge in the year 1875. By close application and an undivided interest in his chosen life's work, he rapidly rose to the position of Presiding Elder.

Previous to coming to Sunbury, he was the Presiding Elder of the Juniata District, changing places with the Rev. Dr. Evans, about a year and a half ago.

Although his stay in Sunbury was marked by the fatal ailment which prevented him from coming into a closer contact with the people in his district, he was held in the highest esteem.

By his death the church loses one of its most ardent workers and the world sustains the loss of one of its best citizens. The grandest eulogy that can be written is that "He was a good man."

A widow and three children survive to mourn his death: Miss Mary located at Tyrone; Miss Amy, who resides at home, and George, of Philadelphia.

The funeral took place from St. John's Methodist church, in Sunbury, Monday morning at eleven o'clock. Interment was made at Newton Hamilton, Pa.

Opening of Amusement Season

Tommy Donnelly, for seventeen years identified with the Al. G. Field Greater Minstrels, and one of the best minstrel comedians who has ever been connected with a minstrel organization, will give the monologue in the Donnelly & Hatfield Magnificent Minstrels, which open the amusement season at the Bloomsburg opera house, next Wednesday evening. It goes without saying that this will be one of the entertaining features of this company, as this gentleman is sure to come forward with a new budget of jokes. Mr. Donnelly is one of the top notchers in minstrelsy and is famous as a monologist. Mr. Donnelly's songs are also palatable hits, and he is known as the best end man in the country. Arthur Crawford will also be seen on one of the ends this season. He is famous the country over for his darkey dialect.

Sheriff Sales.

Sheriff Black sold the following properties at the Court House on Saturday afternoon:

Property of James S. Wilson on Market street to estate of C. G. Barkley deceased, for \$4700.00.

Property of P. D. Appleman in Rohrsburg to C. M. Swayze for \$300.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE -OF- VALUABLE TOWN LOTS.

The undersigned Trustee, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, to make sale of real estate after an action in partition, will expose to public sale, upon the premises, at the corner of Wood and East Fifth streets in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, on

Friday, September 1st, 1905,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following tracts of land in the Town of Bloomsburg, being 55 Town Lots in Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 1—Beginning at a point on the southern line of East Third street, in the Town of Bloomsburg, 40 feet west of the western line of Penn street; thence south 65 degrees 56 minutes west, 120 feet; thence in a line parallel with the western line of Penn street south 22 degrees east, about 183.05 feet to the northern line of an Alley; thence by the northern line of said alley to a point 40 feet west of the western line of Penn street; thence north 24 degrees west, 183.05 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 2, 3, and 4 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 2—Beginning at the southwest corner of the intersection of Third and Wood streets in the Town of Bloomsburg, thence by the southern line of East Third street south 65 degrees and 56 minutes west to a point 40 feet from the eastern line of Penn street; thence by line parallel with said eastern line of Penn street, southwardly to the northern line of an alley; thence by said northern line of said alley, 364.5 feet to the western line of Wood street; thence by said western line, northwardly 183.55 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 3—Beginning at the southeast corner of the intersection of East Third and Wood streets, in the Town of Bloomsburg, thence by the southern line of the said East Third street, north 65 degrees 56 minutes east, 344.8 feet, to line of land of the Bloomsburg Land Improvement Company; thence by line of land of said Company south 38 degrees and 33 minutes east to the northern line of an alley; thence by said northern line of said alley southwardly, 183.60 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 4—Beginning at a point in the northern line of East Fourth street, in said Town, at its intersection with the eastern line of Chestnut alley, thence north 66 degrees east, 48.6 feet; thence by line parallel with the western line of Penn street, north 24 degrees west, 184 feet to the southern line of an alley; thence by said southern line of said alley south 47 degrees 49 minutes east, 201.2 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 46 and 47 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 5—Beginning at a point in the northern line of East Fourth street, in said Town, 121.5 feet from the western line of Wood street, thence by said northern line of East Fourth street, north 66 degrees east, a distance of 181 feet; thence north 24 degrees west, 184 feet to the southern line of an alley; thence by said southern line south 66 degrees west, 81 feet; thence south 24 degrees east, 184 feet, to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 36 and 37 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg, in Block marked "E".

No. 6—Beginning at the northeast corner of the intersection of East Fourth street and Wood streets, in said Town, thence by the northern line of East Fourth street, north 66 degrees east, 288 feet; thence north 24 degrees west, 184 feet, to the southern line of a 16 foot alley; thence by the southern line of said alley south 66 degrees west to the eastern line of said Wood street; thence by said eastern line south 24 degrees east, 184 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34, in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 7—Beginning at a point in the southern line of East Fourth street, in said Town, at its intersection with the eastern line of Chestnut alley; thence by said southern line of East Fourth street north 66 degrees east 76 feet; thence south 24 degrees east, 113.5 feet to line of land of Mrs. Hassert; thence south 66 degrees one minute west to the eastern line of Chestnut alley; thence by said eastern line northwardly 125.7 feet to the place of beginning; Being lot number 48 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 8—Beginning at a point in the southern line of East Fourth street in said Town, 157 feet east of the eastern line of Chestnut alley; thence north 66 degrees east, 40.5 feet; thence south 24 degrees east, 107.2 feet to line of land of Mrs. Hassert; thence south 65 degrees one minute west to the eastern line of lot No. 50 in Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg; thence by said eastern line of lot No. 50 northwardly, 109.32 feet to the place of beginning; Being lot numbered 51 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 9—Beginning at a point in the southern line of East Fourth street, in said Town, 121.5 feet west of the western line of Wood street, thence north 66 degrees east, 121.5 feet to the western line of Wood street; thence by said western line south 24 degrees east, 184 feet to the northern corner of an alley; thence by the northern line of said alley south 66 degrees west, 121.5 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 57, 58 and 59 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 10—Beginning at the southeast corner of the intersection of East Fourth and Wood streets in said Town, thence by the southern line of East Fourth street north 66 degrees east 360 feet; thence south 24 degrees east, 184 feet to the northern line of an alley; thence by said northern line of said alley south 66 degrees west, 360 feet to the eastern line of lot No. 56; thence by said eastern line north 24 degrees west, 184 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67 and 68 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 11—Beginning at a point in the northern line of East Fifth street, in said Town, at its intersection with the western line of Wood street, thence north 24 degrees west 184.4 feet west to line of an alley; thence by said southern line of said alley south 66 degrees west to line of land of an alley; thence north 64 degrees east, 100 degrees east to the northern line of East Fifth street; thence north 64 degrees 49 minutes east 62 feet; thence north 27 degrees and forty minutes west 18.4 feet; thence north 63 degrees and 54 minutes east, 61.8 feet; thence south 27 degrees and 40 minutes east 19.4 feet to the northern line of East Fifth street; thence by said northern line north 64 degrees and 49 minutes east, 62.1 feet to the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 71, 72, 73, 74 and 75 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

No. 12—Beginning at a point in the northern line of East Fifth street, in said Town, at its intersection with the eastern line of Wood street, thence north 64 degrees and 49 minutes east, 120 feet; thence north 24 degrees west 180.7 feet to the southern line of an alley; thence by said southern line south 66 degrees west, 120 feet to the eastern line of Wood street; thence by said eastern line of Wood street south 24 degrees east to the northern line of East Fifth street, the place of beginning; Being lots numbered 76, 77, and 78 in the plot or plan of Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg.

The above described lots are admirably situated for building purposes, and are located along East Third, East Fourth and East Fifth streets, south of the Normal School property in a section of the Town which is rapidly increasing in value. A draft of these lots can be seen at the office of Fred Ikeler Esq.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of one-fourth at the striking down of the property, and the balance of the one-fourth on the 1st day of October, 1905, and the remaining three-fourths in one, two or three years thereafter, as the purchaser may desire; said remaining three-fourths to be secured by bond and mortgage, with interest at five per cent., payable semi annually; Deed to be delivered on the 1st. day of October 1905.

FRED IKELER and GEO. E. ELWELL, Trustees.

The annual Harvest Home services under the pastorate of the Rev. A. Houtz will be held as follows: On Sunday September 3, St. James at 10:15 A. M. and Zion at 2:30 P. M., on Sunday September 10, Hilday at 10:30 A. M. and Orangeville 7:30 P. M.

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New Blankets and Comforters at 20% discount until September 2nd, after that regular marked prices will prevail.

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NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Northumberland. In the matter of the dissolution of the Righter Coal Co. Notice is hereby given that the Righter Coal Company filed its petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland county, on the fourth day of August, 1905, praying for a decree of dissolution, and that the Court have fixed September 15th, 1905, at ten o'clock, a. m., for hearing said application for dissolution, when and where all persons interested can attend if they deem it expedient, and show cause against the granting of the prayer of said petition. S. F. WOLVERTON, solicitor for Petition.

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