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PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
Valuable Real Estate!

PURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of Somerset Co., Pa., we will offer at public sale on the premises, about 1½ miles north of Rockwood Borough, in said County, on

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 19, 1891,

the following described real estate, late of John J. Hay, dec'd., to wit:

NO. 1. A certain farm situate in Milford Twp., Somerset Co., Pa., adjoining lands of Archibald Livengood, Charles R. Sanner, Silas Walker, Zack Walker, Wm. Hay's estate and others, containing about

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of which about two-thirds is clear and in a good state of cultivation, and balance well timbered. Abundance of water, coal and limestone on premises; also, two good orchards and a

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A two-story frame Dwelling House, Summer Kitchen, large Bank Barn, Wagon-shed, and other buildings. Convenient to churches and to schools.

The above to be sold on the premises at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day.

No. 2. A certain lot of ground 50x150 feet, situate in the Borough of Rockwood, in said County, adjoining lots of Sam'l Smith's estate, No. 3 and others, having thereon erected a two story frame

DWELLING HOUSE

(new) Wash-house, and other outbuildings.

No. 3. A certain lot of ground 50x150 feet, situate in the Borough of Rockwood, aforesaid, adjoining No. 2, Frederick Koontz, and others.

Nos. 2 and 3 to be sold on the premises in Rockwood Borough at 3 o'clock p. m. of said day.

TERMS.

Ten per cent. on day of sale; the balance of one-third on confirmation of sale; one-half of the remainder after the payment of all debts to remain a lien on the premises, the interest thereof payable annually to the widow, Binie Hay, during her lifetime, and at her death the principle to be paid to the heirs and legal representatives of said John J. Hay, the balance to be paid in two equal annual payments, without interest. The deferred payments to be secured by judgment bonds.

BINIE HAY,
DAVID GILDNER,
ANNIE CRITCHFIELD,
Administrators of John J. Hay, dec'd.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
Valuable Real Estate.

PURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, Pa., there will be sold at public sale, on the premises, about one mile north of New Lexington, on

SATURDAY, FEB. 21, 1891,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, late the property of Wm. Sweitzer, dec'd.:

A certain farm situate in the Township of Middlecreek, County of Somerset and State of Pennsylvania, adjoining lands of Alex. C. Moore, Henry Heningkamp, Nelson Saylor, Josiah Pile and Samuel Cramer's heirs, containing about 185 acres, having thereon erected a two-story frame

DWELLING HOUSE

Bank barn and other outbuildings. A small orchard, coal, limestone and plenty of good water on the place. Possession given on the 1st day of April, 1891.

TERMS.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money on day of sale; balance of one third on confirmation of sale and one-third in one year, and one third in two years from April 1, 1891. The deferred payments to be secured by judgment bond.

JESSE C. SWEITZER,
jan28. Administrator of Wm. Sweitzer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE
—OF—
Valuable Real Estate!

IN PURSUANCE of the authority contained in the last will and testament of Hiram Beam, deceased, there will be exposed to public sale at Sipesville, in Lincoln Township, Somerset Co., Pa., on

WEDNESDAY, FEB'Y 18, 1891,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described tract of timber land, to wit:

A tract of land situate in Jenner Township, adjoining lands of Jonas Ankeny, Isaac Kimmell, James M. Cover, Benj. Kline, Mary Miller, and others, containing

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and 147 perches. The tract is well timbered with white oak, chestnut, hemlock, oak and chestnut.

TERMS.

One-half in hand and balance in six months, with interest.

A. J. COLBORN,
jan14. Executor of Hiram Beam.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
Valuable Real Estate!

BY VIRTUE of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, I will sell at public sale on the premises, in Jefferson Twp., Somerset County, Pa., (or at the nearest house adjoining the land), on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1891,

at one o'clock p. m., on said day, the property of John W. Hay, dec'd.

A certain piece or tract of land situate in the Township, County and State aforesaid, adjoining lands of Anton Hay, Simon Young's estate, Jacob Latan and others, containing 44 acres more or less, of which there is about 20 acres clear, balance well timbered. The cleared land is in a good state of cultivation.

Also, a sugar camp of about 200 trees and good spring water on the land; and it is located in a good neighborhood. This is a desirable property and must be sold.

TERMS.

One-third cash, one-third in one year, and balance in two years from date of sale. The unpaid purchase money to be secured on the land by judgments.

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Administrator and Trustee.
J. H. Uhl, Attorney.

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INSIGHT.

On the river of life as I float along,
I see with the spirit's sight
That many a nauseous weed of wrong
Has root in a seed of right;
For evil is good that has gone astray,
And sorrow is only blindness,
And the world is always under the sway
Of a changeless law of kindness.

The commonest error a truth can make
In shouting its sweet voice hoarse,
And sin is only the soul's mistake
In misdirecting its force;
And love, the fairest of all fair things
That ever to men descended,
Grows rank with nettles and poisonous things
Unless it is watched and tended.

There could not be anything better than this
Old world in the way it began,
Although some matters have gone amiss
From the great original plan;
And however dark the skies may appear,
And however soul's may blunder,
I tell you it all will work out clear,
For good lies over and under.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

LOUISE'S FLIRTATION.

The reader is introduced to the little village of Waltham, on the Cornish coast. It was mainly inhabited by fishermen, who, with their families, occupied the row of unpretentious cottages that lined the single street leading up from the beach. Leaning upon the rude gate in front of one of these cottages, with the deepening twilight throwing weird shadows around her, stood Louise Martin, the beauty and pet of Waltham.

"Have you ever looked at a face till it haunted you?" asks a writer. Have you ever seen the face of one, it may be, who was an utter stranger to you, yet that seemed to fill your mind with a sort of recognition that sent you out over a sea of speculation, wondering where you had seen it before, or when you would see it again? The eyes talk to you, and lips tell you a dreamy story."

Such was the beauty of this rustic belle.

Louise's father was a fisherman of the better class, having accumulated what to his modest ambition seemed a competency. It was natural that the daughter should have many suitors, and that adulation should have slightly inflated her rustic vanity, but altogether she was as lovable as she was pretty.

As Louise stood leaning upon the gate, Will Hatfield, her reported sweetheart, approached. With lover-like familiarity he stole upon her, caught her in a vigorous hug, and left a kiss upon her red lips.

"Stop, Will!" exclaimed the beauty. "You mustn't do that."

"Why not, I'd like to know?" returned Will. "I've done it often enough before now, and you didn't object. Come, now, Louise, don't scowl so—give a fellow a smile."

The smile was not forthcoming at his bidding. A decided pout was visible instead.

"I know what it is," and now Will scowled blackly himself. That London chap, that Charles Stanford, has turned you against me. You're dazzled with the notice he has taken of you; but let him look out for himself. If he comes between you and I there'll be something bad come of it. Mark what I say!"

With this threat Will strode angrily away, unheeding Louise's recall. His anger frightened her a little, and she really loved the stalwart, handsome young fisherman. She had meant no unfaithfulness by receiving the pronounced attentions of Charles Stanford, a chance visitor to the village; but his fine clothes, cultivated airs and contrast to the rough exterior of her lover had slightly dazzled her. Now, however, the words that Will had spoken had excited her spirit of opposition, and she resolved to continue the pleasant flirtation as long as possible. Therefore, when Stanford called the same evening he found her all smiles and coquettish airs. They parted finally at the gate with a kiss—a kiss that made Will's blood boil to see and hear, as he had been watching less than twenty feet away.

As Stanford walked down the street to the little tavern where he was stopping Will half resolved to kill him on the way and only repressed the murderous desire by a violent effort. He slept little that night, but lay awake thinking of his trouble. He would marry no flirt, he resolved, though giving Louise up caused him great pain. He could not help loving her; but it was better, he thought, to suffer for a time than to link his fortune with one to whom he could not devote his whole life, and give peace and everlasting affection in return. He loved Lou very tenderly, there was no doubt of that. He fancied her in love with the stranger. His nature was too impulsive to allow him to wait and examine and find out whether he was correct or not.

In the morng he arose irritable, and still thirsting for vengeance upon the man who had so suddenly darkened his whole life. In this frame of mind he sat in his fishing boat for his day's labor.

There were other boats in company with him, and the day being favorable, they soon filled their boats. They then returned to the village; but Will, dreading to go home, making fast his boat to the shore and getting out, he clambered up the hill and sat down near the opening of one of those little caves that are very common among the cliffs on the shore. These grottoes seem almost to have been made by the hands of fairies, they are so beautiful and brilliant inside, the ceiling hanging in pearly crystals which flicker and glimmer in the faint light; sea-weeds hang around, and the sand on the floor is full of tiny, sparkling shells.

It was near one of these beautiful grottoes that will seated himself and watched the boats returning home. As he sat thinking—for the splashing of the waves did not disturb him—he thought he heard the sound of a voice, evidently in the cave; he remembered an interview he had witnessed a few nights before and a sign arose, which he could not repress.

"I won't disturb them—they are lovers," he said to himself. "I am sure I heard the sound of a kiss. Ah, well! I hope they will be happier than I am."

Will sat there a long time; he did not think how long until the setting sun reminded him that it was time to return. The tide began to rise and the spray to foam, it almost touched his feet. At high tide the cave was entirely under water. Will was well acquainted with the place, so he prepared to go. As he was going up the hill he remembered the lovers in the cave.

"I suppose they don't think about the tide," said Will. Then, going within a few steps of the cave, he cried:

"Hallo, friends! The tide's rising, and you must leave!"

Scarcely had he uttered these words before a cry, half stifled as it was uttered, struck on his ear.

Will gave a start. He rushed madly into the cave, and in another instant he was at its mouth, bearing in his arms—Louise. No one followed them out of the cave, and the waves now were licking the smooth sand on its floor. With desperate strength Will bore Louise up the rocky path, out of the reach of the tide; then, setting her down on her feet, he pushed her from him, and pointed, with an imperative gesture toward the village. Without a word she went on her way, while Will, his hands clasped tightly over his breast, his lips strongly compressed, stood gazing after her.

Then, drawing a blood-stained knife from his bosom, he threw it as far as he could into the sea.

"Charles Stanford will never part lovers again!" he muttered, savagely.

Unfastening the boat from its moorings he hoisted the sail, and soon reached the village.

How Lou reached home she scarcely knew; but having arrived there, she found herself, from excitement, to be obliged to go to bed. She said nothing about the day's event, and it was not until nearly a week later that inquiries as to Charles Stanford began to be made. His disappearance had not at first caused much remark, he being a total stranger to everybody in the village.

In the meantime Will had visited the cave, and found it empty. The tide, he concluded, had carried the body out to sea.

One day, just as search for the missing man had began to excite interest, a body was washed ashore near the village. It was decomposed to a degree, past recognition, but there existed no doubt in the minds of the fishermen as to its idenity. Then inquiries were instituted, Louise was compelled at last to tell what she knew, and the excitement culminated in Will Hatfield's arrest. He was taken to the county jail some twenty miles distant, awaiting his trial.

In the interim Louise, whose heart bled for her lover, and whose imagination found excuse in his love of her for his terrible crime, visited him often in his cell, and Will, repentant of his mad, murderous folly, forgave her inconstancy, and took her to his heart again. Louise volunteered to absent herself, or to refuse to speak at the trial, but Will would not allow it. He neither denied nor admitted his guilt, but resolved to abide by the result unflinchingly.

On the morning of the trial—a rainy, dismal morning in January—a dense crowd surged about the Assize Court long before the hour for the proceeding to begin. Belief in the prisoner's guilt was almost universal. Consequently, having heard and accepted this theory, the public mind was very bitter against the prisoner; and on the morning of the trial there were hundreds of anxious spectators, eager to get a glimpse of the young man's face. They counted on seeing quite a ferocious and dangerous-looking person, and were disappointed when at last the young man, with his fine, genial face, walked up between the two officers and took his place in the dock. There was a general murmur of dissatisfaction. Was that the man? Any other person in the court looked more like a murderer. But they had made up their minds to believe in his guilt, and they saw no reason for changing their opinion. They tried to shudder, and look very much horrified as they looked into his brave, handsome face. They had scarcely ever enjoyed such a rare excitement before, and they could not refrain from gloating over it.

The trial lasted only a day, the principal witness being Louise, whose faltering words unwillingly told the story of her lover's guilt. The jury were out less than an hour, and returned with a verdict of "Guilty" against the prisoner.

Just here, however, something occurred that put a different face upon the matter. Something so novel and romantic, so like what they had read in the story-books, that the crowd went wild with excitement. No less a person than the supposed murdered man entered the court alive!

He advanced towards the bench, and the centre of all eyes, spoke a few minutes with the Judge and then to the counsel for the prosecution. After which amid the most breathless stillness the Judge said:

"Mr. Stanford states that he was injured by the prisoner, but, as we all see not fatally. He escaped drowning by climbing up the rocky side of the cave and left the vicinity quietly upon the tide going down. Wishing to avoid further trouble, he has absented himself; but upon learning that the prisoner was being tried for murder he has come here to make his statement. He does not desire to prosecute the prisoner for the murderous assault, and therefore the prisoner is discharged."

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Wire Nails From Steel.

It has always been considered impossible to cut wire nails from any material except wire, but it is reported that an ingenious arrangement has been introduced into a mill in Pittsburg which enables wire nails to be made from steel plate. This invention may be attached to the ordinary cut-nail machine, and is said to be capable of producing perfectly formed nails in greater quantity than is possible by the present wire-nail apparatus.

It is easy for a man to believe in the wisdom of God when everything comes his way.

DEFECTIVE TOOTH STRUCTURE AND DENTAL HYGIENE.

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Should we attempt to enumerate any of the original causes of defective tooth structure, and at the same time investigate these causes, we would find ourselves delving down into mysteries connected with the development of the teeth far prior to the eruption of the teeth; but as it is only the period subsequent to eruption with which we have to do at this time, any consideration of these earlier stages of development would be foreign to the purpose of this article.

It is sufficient for us to know that instances are common, and we might say numberless, in which there is an inherited predisposition to conditions which favor and induce decay of the teeth. Despite the prevalence of diseases of the dental organs and surrounding tissue, the unsightliness of these wrecked dentures, the suffering induced by these abnormal conditions, the impairment of general health and the possibility of steering clear of nine-tenths of all this misery and wretchedness, there is but a small proportion of our people who earnestly seek information regarding the nature of the teeth, the dangers which beset them, and as to how these dangers are best warded off. Usually in giving information bearing on the conservation of the teeth, it is customary to inculcate the importance of perfect cleanliness, and while no one could for a moment question its importance as a factor in the preservation of the teeth and in lengthening their term of usefulness, yet there are other causes of disintegration of tooth structure more destructive than even the lodgment of foreign substances about the teeth. It is a fact quite generally known that the general health exerts a powerful influence over these useful organs, but as to how this is done is less plain. In perfect health the oral secretions are found to be either alkaline or neutral, and if those chemical conditions prevail continually the teeth will last indefinitely, as far as chemical influences are concerned, but unfortunately there are some reasons why these benign influences do not always prevail.

While all very well know that if the digestive fluids are present in proper quantity, as in perfect health, the question of the digestibility of food resolves itself into one of mechanical conditions; that is to say, the more finely divided the particles of food, the more readily digested, on account of the increased surface exposed to the action of these solvents. While all this is known to every one, yet we Americans will as a people bolt our food, will consume inordinate quantities of the same, will persist in the use of highly concentrated foods, and as a result of these errors of diet, there is an unbalancing of the functions of the different organs, there is gastric or intestinal irritation, and on examining the oral secretions, instead of finding them alkaline or neutral, as was before referred to, we find them distinctly acid, and a thick, ropy, acid mucus clinging to the teeth, thus clogging the interstices and preventing a free movement of saliva between them; we find calcareous deposits about the necks of the teeth, irritating and causing recession of the gums and the gums are found to be spongy and swollen, bleeding at the slightest touch, and we may expect to find cavities of decay forming on the approximal surfaces and in the sulci of the teeth.

This is a sad state of affairs, and at this stage the dentist is appealed to for assistance, though it is indeed little he can render in the case without the co-operation of the patient; and as he is applied to as a dentist, and not as a physician, he will, to protect himself from the ill-will of the patient, stop short of what should be done in the case in the way of giving advice. To meet the case properly he should give strict orders as to regulation of diet; proper amount of rest and sleep, exercise in the open air, strict and uncompromising rules in regard to bathing, and all in fact that would in any way tend to bring about a nearer approach to perfect health of the body in general. It is then that the removal of the salivary calculus from about the necks of the teeth, the application of astringent washes to the spongy gums, and such other local treatment as the intelligent dentist sees fit to carry out will result in permanent good. Yes, then, and then only.

We would thus forcibly impress upon the minds of all those who really desire information on this point, the fact that there are more important points in hygiene to be considered, as it relates to the care of the teeth, than even that of keeping them clean. The habit of studiously avoiding the use of the teeth by choosing soft and over-prepared foods is a source of evil most fruitful. The teeth having been made to overcome the great amount of resistance met with in the proper comminution of the food for the stomach will not without this natural exercise develop those qualities of firmness, density and shapliness which are so essential when either beauty or utility are to be considered. The crust of bread contains more carbon than the softer portion of the loaf, and consequently is more grateful to the stomach—abnormally acid—than the softer parts, which in too many instances are chosen by the very persons who most need the hard baked portions.

The tough crust, apart from being wholesome and nutritious, offers that resistance which forces the masticatory appartus into the proper amount of exercise to promote development. And again with meats, the average person finding big steak a trifle tough and cartilaginous (or as we imagine we hear him say, too closely related to India rubber), husbands his muscular powers by leaving it untouched, though it is rich in the elements of food for the bony tissues, and, it is unnecessary to say, would afford any amount of exercise for the teeth. But without jesting in the matter, we do think that many of these tough portions should not be despised.

We might here advance the most generally accepted theories regarding the retrogressive molecular change of tooth substance and as to how it is most likely accomplished, but this would be out of place in an article of this kind, as we only wish to hint to those who follow us in this line of thought that general malnutrition may react upon the teeth by inducing the failure of the supply of their constituent salts, while perhaps they are actually robbed of much of this reserve store of materials, thus rendering them more liable to decay by lessening their resistive power to disease.

Further consideration of this subject is now deferred until some future time, and if this short article on an important subject shall be found to embody a few hints which will assist the reader in summing up a part of the causes of dental caries and in removing these causes, as far as ones own personal efforts could be made available in this direction, then my object in taking up the subject is entirely gained.

"When they say that money talks," mused St. Agedore, "do they refer to the spokes of a cart-wheel dollar, I wonder?"