

# In The Wyoming Valley

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### SYNOPSIS

The story so far: Enos Baker, a Connecticut boy and an orphan, journeys to the Wyoming Valley in quest of his uncle, James Baker, whose advice he wishes to seek before joining the Continental army in the Revolutionary War. As he enters the Valley of the Wyoming, he is overtaken by a horseman. The lad journeys with the rider to the cabin of James Baker where he discovers that his companion is his uncle.

Distracted by her husband's absence from home (he has been a member of the army for a year) and by reports of possible attacks upon the Valley which is poorly protected because most of the men are at Valley Forge, Mercy Baker, James' wife, gives Enos a sharp and unkind welcome.

Shortly after the arrival of the two travelers, an Indian, Slippery Tim by name, and a settler, Hendrick Van Gordon, both of questionable reputation, enter the yard afoot. After greeting Enos and his uncle, the two strangers, already partially intoxicated, ask for "firewater." It is refused and the two men depart, leaving James Baker apprehensive of future revenge.

That night Enos interrupts an attempt on the part of Slippery Tim to steal his horse, but the morning finds the horse gone, so the boy and his uncle set out for the home of the Van Gordons where they feel sure they will discover the whereabouts of the horse.

As they approach the Van Gordon home, Slippery Tim is seen in conversation with Hendrick Van Gordon, but Slippery Tim sees Enos and James Baker and takes to the woods. Hendrick Van Gordon informs them that Tim had stopped to bid him good bye that he was leaving the valley for good and was going to Fort Niagara. James Baker tells Hendrick that he sounded very strange to him that Tim should bid him good bye and to tell him where he was bound. Things look bad for Van Gordon. James Baker assures him that if Enos' horse is back in his stall by sundown, unharmed, no harm shall come to him. The horse is returned. An arrow is found on the floor of the barn. The arrow is so peaceful in the valley. Enos and James Baker are headed in the direction of the blockhouse. Now go on with the story:

### CHAPTER VIII WATCHING

When Enos stood with his uncle under the shadow of the quaint structure which had been erected some five years ago as a place of refuge for the people dwelling nearest it, for several minutes not a word was spoken and the perplexed lad hardly knew what to make of the strange summons. The lights in the house behind them had disappeared and the darkness that rested over the valley was as intense as the silence.

"On the morrow I go back to the army," said James Baker at last abruptly.

"Why do you go so soon? I had not thought that you would leave before a week had gone at least."

"I gave my word and I must go at once," James Baker almost groaned as he spoke and Enos did not require any additional assurance to enable him to understand that his uncle was sadly troubled.

"Yes, I must go back on the morrow," continued the elder man. "My promise must not be broken."

"Does my aunt know that you go so soon?"

"No, and that's the worst of it, or almost the worst, for I don't mind saying to you, Enos, that never have I gone from home with such a heavy heart. Not only is it a severe trial to leave Mercy and the children here with no protector but you, lad; but in all my life I never have been more fearful of evil."

"Do you fear it for yourself or for us here in the valley?"

"For myself I care little, but I like not some of the reports I hear. I have had a talk with Stephen Dana and he knows more than do most of his neighbors. I fancy that was one reason why he told that old story of Noah Hopkins last night, to make his neighbors mindful that peril and threatening dangers do not all lie behind us."

"Is there anything new? Is there anything that threatens now?"

"Nothing upon which I can lay my hand, and that is the worst of it. Somehow it's in the air, and the very fact that one can feel that peril is near and yet cannot tell what it is nor where it will first strike, only makes matters worse. It was only a few years ago when the Indians were as friendly as if they were what they said they were, 'our brothers.' Many a time have they left a deer they had shot at my house as a token of their friendship, but no such thing as that has been known now for months. Strange redskins are seen in the valley, and the boldness of such a man as Hendrick Van Gordon only goes to prove that he has a confidence such as the Tories have not displayed for a long time."

"Do you fear the Indians or the Tories?"

"I fear both, though I fear the Indians more. 'Tis not likely the Tories will dare do anything here alone, and 'tis not likely that many of their own kind will come to their aid, for they will stay in the places where the redcoats can protect them. But if the Indians should rise against the valley, then the Tories will be heard from too."

"But surely you do not fear the

Indians will come in the winter time."

"That is my only hope that they will not, and by spring something may be done that will keep them away altogether. This using of the Indians in this war is the most fiendish thing ever heard of. There may be some excuses for the Tories, but for Lord Germain and others across the sea to end over here to have the redskins paid for every scalp they bring to the camps of the British, why 'tis enough to make one rise and fight against King George, if nothing else has aroused him! And then, to think that only a few short years ago the Indians were being reached by Count Zinzendorf and were learning Christian ways, and that now they are being fed on firewater and urged to kill, kill, kill!—why 'tis enough to make one's blood boil at the very thought! And to think that I am bound by my promise to go back to the camp and leave my own family and helpless neighbors here at the mercy of these brutes! Lad, 'tis enough to drive one distracted."

"Why do you not stay, then? There will be no fighting done by the army in the winter time, and you are surely needed here."

"Needed? needed? 'Tis more than that," groaned James Baker. "But I have given my word and no Baker ever yet forgot his promise. But, lad, I have brought you out here where we can be alone, not only to tell you of these troubles, but to make you give me a promise. Will you give it?"

"What is it?"

"True to thy Yankee blood and training! One question answered by asking another. What I want is this, lad. Though I have all confidence in you, for I have seen enough in the short time we have been together to learn that you will do your best anywhere you may be, still I must have you promise that if the dangers increase you will ride straight to our camp and give me word. In the presence of a strong appeal and the coming of a great danger to Wyoming, it may be possible for some of us who belong here and are in the Continental line to come home long enough to help to provide a defense for those who are left here alone. Will you promise, lad?"

"I promise," said Enos simply.

"Listen, then, till I give you instructions as to what you must do." James Baker then proceeded to give his nephew minute directions as to the way he was to take to ride to the camp, how he was to avoid the hostile Tories and unfriendly people who dwelt near the camp, and what he was to do after he had once entered within the lines.

Enos listened attentively and promised to be mindful of all the details in which his uncle so carefully instructed him.

"Lad, I feel better now," said James Baker. "I did not fear that you would be unwilling to do your best to guard Mercy and the children, but now that I have your promise to come to me in camp if the danger becomes still more threatening, I am more content. There is just one thing more I would say and that is, that when the time comes and you do set forth for the place where the army is, that you insist upon Mercy going with the children across the river to Forty Fort. That is the only fort worthy of the name, though what even that could do in a fierce attack or long siege no one knows. I pray there may never be need to know; but in times of quiet 'tis wise to prepare for the perils of attack. What a difference between the present time and the time when the gentle Moravian missionaries were at work here among the Indians! Come, lad, we will now go back—"

Suddenly James Baker became silent and clutched the arm of his nephew, for creeping out from the shadows of the forest and moving stealthily along the roadway two figures were seen. It was too dark to enable either Enos or his uncle to perceive who the men were, but the very stealth with which they moved and the fact of their being upon the road at that time of the night were sufficient of themselves to arouse the suspicions of the watchers.

Almost unconsciously Enos and his uncle drew farther back within the shadows of the old blockhouse and waited for the two strangers to come nearer. The men were partly crouching and it could be seen that each was carrying a gun in his hands. Soon they were directly in front of the blockhouse, and for a moment they paused and stood erect while a low whispered conversation took place between them, not a word of which could be heard by the two men who were intently watching them. Enos' heart was thumping loudly as he thought his uncle's arm tightly, as he thought he recognized the strangers as Hendrick Van Gordon and the Indian, Slippery Tim. He dared not even whisper his suspicions, however, and still continued to watch keenly the crouching figures in the road before him.

There was a movement on the part of the two men as if they were about to turn aside and enter the blockhouse, but the impulse was instantly checked upon Enos was instantly checked by his uncle, who grasped him by the arm. For a moment neither dared to breathe, so intense was their excitement. Neither had his rifle, though Baker had a single pistol, while the men before them were both armed with guns. If a contest should result it would be an unequal one; but in a brief time it became apparent that the men in the road were not planning to enter the blockhouse, for one turning to one side disappeared in

the forest and the other passed silently and swiftly up the road.

As soon as they had disappeared from sight James Baker turned and whispered Enos: "Those men promise no good to us, lad. If I mistake not they are Tim and Hendrick Van Gordon, but whether they be or not it is plain to me that they are seeking, else one would not have started through the woods toward the barn while the other kept on toward the house. Now, Enos, you must follow the one while I go after the other. Which shall it be?"

"I'll go through the woods and follow the one who went toward the barn."

"Very good. Call if you need my help, but otherwise be as silent as if you were speechless. Come on, let us go!"

As his uncle started up the road Enos left the blockhouse and entered the woods and in a moment realized that he was alone. He stepped swiftly and cautiously from tree to tree, his heart beating loudly and his breath coming hard. All the time he tried to obtain a glimpse of some one in front of him, but the dim light of the forest disclosed no one about him.

He had not far to go before he came upon the border of the little clearing and soon he was near the barn, though as yet he had not discovered any one. His excitement increased, however, when he perceived that the back door of the barn, which was the one directly in front of him, was wide open, and it was evident that some one was within. Enos had no doubt that the visitor had come to take the horses, otherwise the door would hardly be now open. In breathless suspense he watched and waited. The slow moments passed, but not a sound could be heard from the barn. Indeed, it seemed to the lad that never before had he experienced a stillness so intense as that which rested on the valley at that time, though the beatings of his own heart enough to betray his presence to any one who might be near. The thought caused him to glance behind him quickly, for perhaps he himself was the one who was being watched; but the tall trees were the only objects that he could see. Had it not been for that open door of the barn he would almost have been able to convince himself that he was dreaming, all seemed so weird and strange in the faint light.

Ten minutes, fifteen minutes passed, and still the silence was broken. Enos began to wonder what his uncle was doing and if he too was still watching. He was almost tempted to desert his post for just a moment and go around the corner of the barn to take just one look at the house and satisfy himself that all was well there, but to do that would compel him to leave the barn door unwatched, and that he must not do. Suddenly it occurred to him that he might have come too late and that already, before he had taken his stand where he then was, the horses had been stolen, and all the time he had been watching an empty barn! At the suggestion of such a possibility he stepped forth from his hiding-place, and, unmindful of the peril, was about to approach the open door and peer within. He had advanced but a few feet when suddenly he heard the sound of two shots near the house and at the same time an Indian, whom he had no difficulty as Slippery Tim, came to the barn door leading a horse by the bridle.

Hardly aware of what he was doing Enos shouted as loudly as his strength permitted and the startled horse, making a sudden dash for the doorway, slipped from the grasp of the Indian and with a snort disappeared in the adjoining woods. The Indian, as startled as the beast, instantly fled, but all thoughts of pursuit were quickly driven from Enos' mind when he perceived a thin curl of smoke coming through the door and a moment later caught sight of a blaze within the barn.

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### -Maple Grove-

Miss Alice Ruggles has returned to her home after having spent a week with her cousin, Miss Viola Culver at Forty Fort.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lord of New York state called on the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lord on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wolfe and Miss Rebecca Mekeel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mekeel of Lehman.

Harold Fisk of Narrowsburg, N. Y., was a week-end visitor at this place. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wolfe, Tuesday, August 5th, a daughter.

Ezra Daniels has returned from a visit to Lancaster.

Mrs. J. Rutter Ohl of Bloomsburg has returned home after a week's visit with her parents at this place.

W. J. LaBarre, fire warden, has been fighting fires at Ruggles.

After spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ruggles, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wise have returned to their home at Forty Fort.

E. N. Wolfe is painting at Wyalusing.

### NOTICE EXETER TWP. SCHOOL DISTRICT

A reward of \$100.00 is offered by Exeter Township School District for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person or persons found guilty of removing or destroying the four (4) "School Zone Signs" belonging to School District, the same having been placed at proper distance

from school grounds for the protection of school children.

By order of School Board, Exeter Twp. School District.

(Signed) LUCY N. HOWELL, Sec'y.

R. F. D. No. 1, Box 99.

Pittston, Penna.

### SHERIFF'S SALE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1930, AT 10 A. M.

By virtue of a writ of F. I. Fa. No. 122, October Term, 1930, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale by vendue to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Sheriff's Sales Room, Court House, in the City of Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 6th day of September, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, viz:

All that certain tract of land in Franklin Township, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a corner in the center of the public road leading from Dallas to Center Moravia; thence in a northerly direction along land of T. S. Spencer to a corner on land of Charles Howell; thence in a south-westerly direction along lands of Charles Howell to a corner on lands of Peter Barno; thence in a south-easterly direction along land of Peter Barno to a corner in the center of the public road; thence along the center of said public road in a northerly direction to a corner, the place of beginning. Containing about six (6) acres of land. Being the same premises conveyed to William F. Tanner by Frank A. Goeckel by deed dated the 9th day of June, A. D. 1924, recorded in Luzerne County D. B. No. 64, page 79.

Improved with a frame dwelling house, out buildings, fruit trees, etc., thereon.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Wyoming National Bank of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., vs. William F. Tanner, and will be sold by JOHN MACLUSKIE, Sheriff.

George L. Fenner, Atty.

### SHERIFF'S SALE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1930, AT 10 A. M.

By virtue of a writ of F. I. Fa. No. 178, October Term, 1930, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale by vendue to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Sheriff's Sales Room, Court House, in the City of Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 6th day of September, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

THE FIRST THEREOF: All that certain lot of land situate at Harvey's Lake in Lehman Township, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on Rhoads Avenue, same being corner of lot No. 60 on plot of lots hereinafter referred to; thence along line of lot No. 60 South 140 36' East, 125 feet, more or less, to line of lot No. 74; thence along line of lot No. 74 South 750 24' West, 40 feet to a corner thence North 140 36' West, 125 feet, more or less, to Rhoads Avenue aforesaid; thence along said Avenue North 750 24' East, 40 feet to the place of beginning. Being lot No. 58 on plot of lots known as "Rhoads Terrace," as allotted for the Wyoming Valley Realty Company at Harvey's Lake, Pennsylvania, a map of said plot being of record in Luzerne County Map Book No. 2, page 147.

THE SECOND THEREOF: All that certain lot of land situate at Harvey's Lake in Lehman Township, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on Rhoads Avenue, same being corner of lot 57 on plot of lots hereinafter referred to; thence along line of lot 57 North 140 36' East, 125 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Being lot No. 58 on plot of lots known as "Rhoads Terrace," as allotted for the Wyoming Valley Realty Company at Harvey's Lake, Pennsylvania, a map of said plot being of record in Luzerne County Map Book No. 2, page 147.

THE THIRD THEREOF: All that certain lot of land situate at Harvey's Lake in Lehman Township, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on Rhoads Avenue, same being corner of lot 57 on plot of lots hereinafter referred to; thence along line of lot 57 North 140 36' East, 125 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Being lot No. 58 on plot of lots known as "Rhoads Terrace," as allotted for the Wyoming Valley Realty Company at Harvey's Lake, Pennsylvania, a map of said plot being of record in Luzerne County Map Book No. 2, page 147.

THE FOURTH THEREOF: All that certain lot of land situate at Harvey's Lake in Lehman Township, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on Rhoads Avenue, same being corner of lot 57 on plot of lots hereinafter referred to; thence along line of lot 57 North 140 36' East, 125 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Being lot No. 58 on plot of lots known as "Rhoads Terrace," as allotted for the Wyoming Valley Realty Company at Harvey's Lake, Pennsylvania, a map of said plot being of record in Luzerne County Map Book No. 2, page 147.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Wyoming National Bank of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., vs. Louis A. Barber and A. J. Barber, and will be sold by JOHN MACLUSKIE, Sheriff.

George L. Fenner, Atty.

### SHERIFF'S SALE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1930, AT 10 A. M.

By virtue of a writ of Levavi Facias-sur Mortgage, No. 133, October Term, 1930, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale by vendue to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Sheriff's Sales Room, Court House, in the City of Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 6th day of September, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, viz:

All that lot and piece of land in Township of Butler, Luzerne Co., Pa., beginning at a post in corner of land lately conveyed to J. Behun and C. Koenig to Geo. Grant; thence along land of said Behun and Koenig north 69 1/2 east fifty four perches to a Post; thence by lands now or late of Peter Rarich north 140 west one hundred and seventy perches to a stone; thence by lands of C. Cox south 210 west six and one-half perches; thence northwesterly 230 west thirty-six perches to an old chestnut stump; thence south 69 1/2 west twenty-three perches to a stone; thence south 120 east two hundred and fourteen perches to the place of beginning, containing fifty-six acres and forty-eight perches (56as. & 48 ps.) strict measure. About forty acres being farm land improved with a dwelling house, barn and fruit trees and balance being brush land.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Edgar W. Walp vs. Tilghman Walp, Norman Walck, Stewart Walck, Robert Walck, Paul Walck and Emma Walck, Guardian ad litem of Paul Walck, Emma Walck, Anna Walck, Nevin Houseknecht, Howard

Houseknecht, John E. Walp, Administrator of the Estate of Tilghman Walp, Edward Walck, Edith Martini, Helen Depero, Scott Houseknecht, Nettie Houseknecht, Robert Houseknecht, John Houseknecht, Calvin Houseknecht, Nettie Houseknecht, Guardian ad litem of Robert Houseknecht, Nettie Houseknecht, Guardian ad litem of Raymond Houseknecht, and Nettie Houseknecht, uardian ad litem of Claude Houseknecht, and will be sold by JOHN MACLUSKIE, Sheriff.

G. J. Clark, Atty.

### SHERIFF'S SALE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1930, AT 10 A. M.

By virtue of two writs of F. I. Fa. No. 187 and 188, October Terms, 1930, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale by vendue to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Sheriff's Sales Room, Court House, in the City of Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 6th day of September, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

THE FIRST LOT THEREOF: Beginning at the southeast corner of lot of Hannah Tinkelbaugh; thence north 41 1/2 west 8 perches to a corner; thence north 480 west about 10 perches to a corner in the center of Mill Creek; thence down said creek north 41 1/2 east 1-6-10 perches; thence north 60 west 5-4-10 perches along said creek; thence along the same north 210 east 3 perches; thence along the same north 72 1/2 east 5 perches; thence due east along the same 3-7-10 perches to a corner in line of the said lot of Hannah Tinkelbaugh; thence along said lot south 41 1/2 west 6-9-10 perches to a corner and thence along said lot south 48 1/2 east 10 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 90 square perches, more or less.

THE SECOND LOT THEREOF: Beginning at a corner on the bridge crossing Mill Creek between the Stephens and Leidy lots; thence running near the center of the street in an easterly direction 5 rods to a corner; thence in a southerly direction 16 rods to a corner in line of land of Hannah Tinkelbaugh; thence along same at right angles in a westerly direction 5 rods to a corner; and thence by straight line 16 rods in a northerly direction to the place of beginning. Containing 1/4 an acre of land, more or less.

Being the same land described in a deed from Edward Tinkelbaugh, to a deed from Edward Tinkelbaugh, his wife, to Patrick Kane, dated Feb. 5, 1900 and recorded in Deed Book for Luzerne County, No. 378, page 227. Being the same property conveyed to Patrick Kane to Phillip J. Conway by deed dated Feb. 27, 1912, and recorded in Luzerne County in deed book 480, page 33.

All coal and other minerals in, under, and upon said lots, pieces or parcels of land with the right to mine and remove the same reserved to previous grantors, only the surface or right of soil being hereby conveyed.

Improved with a two story frame building.

Seized and taken into execution at the suits of Peoples Savings and Trust Co. of Duryea vs. Benny Zaborzky and Mary Zarhorsky, and will be sold by JOHN MACLUSKIE, Sheriff.

Leonard D. Morgan, Atty.

### SHERIFF'S SALE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1930, AT 10 A. M.

By virtue of a writ of F. I. Fa. No. 123, October Term, 1930, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale by vendue to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Sheriff's Sales Room, Court House, in the City of Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 6th day of September, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

ALL those certain pieces and parcels of land situate in the borough of Kingston, County of Luzerne and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

THE FIRST THEREOF: BEGINNING at a corner formed by the intersection of the northeast line of Market Street and the northwest line of Landon Avenue; thence along line of Market Street, north twenty-nine (29) degrees fifty-six (56) minutes west forty-five (45) feet to a corner on line between Lots Nos. 5 and 6; thence along said line north sixty (60) degrees four (4) minutes east one hundred (100) feet to a corner on line of Lot No. 12; thence along said line south twenty-nine (29) degrees fifty-six (56) minutes east forty-five (45) feet to a corner on Landon Avenue, and thence along the line of Landon Avenue, south sixty (60) degrees four (4) minutes west one hundred twenty (120) feet to the place of beginning.

BEING Lot No. 6 on plot of lots of Robert H. Garrahan, as recorded in Luzerne County in Map Book No. 2, pages 70 and 71, and

BEING the same premises which Jacob Flasser and Julia H. Flasser, his wife, by deed dated December 1, 1924, and recorded in Recorder's Office in Luzerne County in Deed Book No. 615 at page 130, conveyed to David Walkman and Raymond G. Whalen, the Mortgagors here in.

THE SECOND THEREOF: BEGINNING at a corner on the northeast side of Market Street and in line dividing Lots Nos. 4 and 5; thence along the line of Market Street south twenty-nine (29) degrees fifty-six (56) minutes east, forty (40) feet to a corner in line dividing Lots Nos. 5 and 6; thence along line dividing Lots Nos. 5 and 6, north sixty (60) degrees four (4) minutes west, one hundred twenty (120) feet to a corner in line of Lot No. 125; thence along the line of Lot No. 125, north twenty-nine (29) degrees fifty-six (56) minutes west, forty (40) feet to a corner in line dividing Lots Nos. 4 and 5; thence along line dividing Lots Nos. 4 and 5, south sixty (60) degrees four (4) minutes west, one hundred twenty (120) feet to a corner in the northeast line of Market Street, the place of beginning.

BEING Lot No. 5 on plot of lots of Robert H. Garrahan, as recorded in Luzerne County Map Book No. 2, pages 70 and 71, and

BEING the same premises which Robert H. Garrahan and Mabel K. Garrahan, his wife, by deed dated

November 3, 1924, recorded in Recorder's Office in Luzerne County in Deed Book No. 612 at page 222, conveyed to David Walkman and Raymond G. Whalen, the Mortgagors herein.

THE THIRD THEREOF: BEGINNING at a point on the northeast side of Market Street of line between Lots Nos. 3 and 4; thence along said line north thirty (30) degrees four (4) minutes east, one hundred twenty (120) feet to a corner common to Lots Nos. 3, 4, 41 and 42; thence along the line of Lot No. 42; south twenty-nine (29) degrees fifty-six (56) minutes east, forty (40) feet to a corner on line between Lots Nos. 4 and 5; thence along said line south sixty (60) degrees four (4) minutes west, one hundred twenty (120) feet to a corner on Market Street and thence along the line of Market Street north twenty-nine (29) degrees fifty-six (56) minutes west, forty (40) feet to the place of beginning.

BEING Lot No. 4 on plot of Robert H. Garrahan, as recorded in Luzerne County Map Book No. 2 at pages 70 and 71, and

BEING the same premises which Andrew J. Simon, widower, by deed dated August 31, 1925, and recorded in Recorder's Office in Luzerne County in Deed Book No. 631 at page 108, conveyed to David Walkman and Raymond G. Whalen, the Mortgagors herein.

Coal and other minerals excepted and reserved as the same have been excepted and reserved in previous deeds in the chain of title hereto.

With the appurtenances. Improved with a two-story concrete block and tile building, garages and shops; together with any and all other improvements and equipment erected on said premises. Said improvements covering said three parcels of land being located on the northwest corner of Market Street and Landon Avenue in said Borough of Kingston. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Kingston Bank and Trust Company vs. Raymond G. Whalen, David Walkman, with notice to Whalen & Co. Inc. a Penn'a. Corporation and to Ray Whalen, Receiver of said Whalen & Co. Inc., terre tenants, and will be sold by JOHN MACLUSKIE, Sheriff.

Felis W. Bolowicz, Atty.

### SHERIFF'S SALE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1930, AT 10 A. M.

By virtue of a writ of F. I. Fa. No. 153, October Term, 1930, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale by vendue to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Sheriff's Sales Room, Court House, in the City of Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 6th day of September, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, viz:

THE FIRST THEREOF: All that certain tract of land on the easterly side of Harvey's Lake, in the Township of Lehman, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a butternut tree on the northerly side of a public road leading from Harvey's Lake to Kunkle, said corner being also in line of land of Walter C. Teeter; thence along said Road North 870 58' West, eight hundred thirty-seven and thirteen one-hundredths (837.13) feet to a corner on the easterly side of Harvey's Lake; thence along said road North 130 49' East, one hundred fifty-six and eighty-eight one-hundredths (156.88) feet to a corner; thence along said road North 80 36' East, two hundred ninety-five (295) feet to a corner of land now or formerly of George Wright; thence along said land North 750 10' East, five hundred fifty-five and seventy-three one-hundredths (555.73) feet to a corner in line of land of Walter Teeter; thence along said Teeter's land South 860 56' East, two hundred fifty-five and thirty-six one-hundredths (255.36) feet to a corner of said Teeter's; thence along said Teeter's lands South 340 4' West, five hundred ninety-nine and six one-hundredths (599.06) feet to the place of beginning. Containing 10.122 acres.

The foregoing description is intended to embrace all right, title and interest in and to all of the land East of Harvey's Lake which is North of the road leading from said Harvey's Lake to Kunkle, also all the right, title and interest to the lake frontage between Harvey's Lake and the foregoing described property and all the reparian rights therein.

The above described real estate has been platted, which plot is known and designated as "Rhoads Terrace" and is of record in Luzerne County Map Book No. 2, page 147.

EXCEPTING AND RESERVING, however, out of the foregoing described real estate the following lots: Nos. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 31, 32, 33, 3