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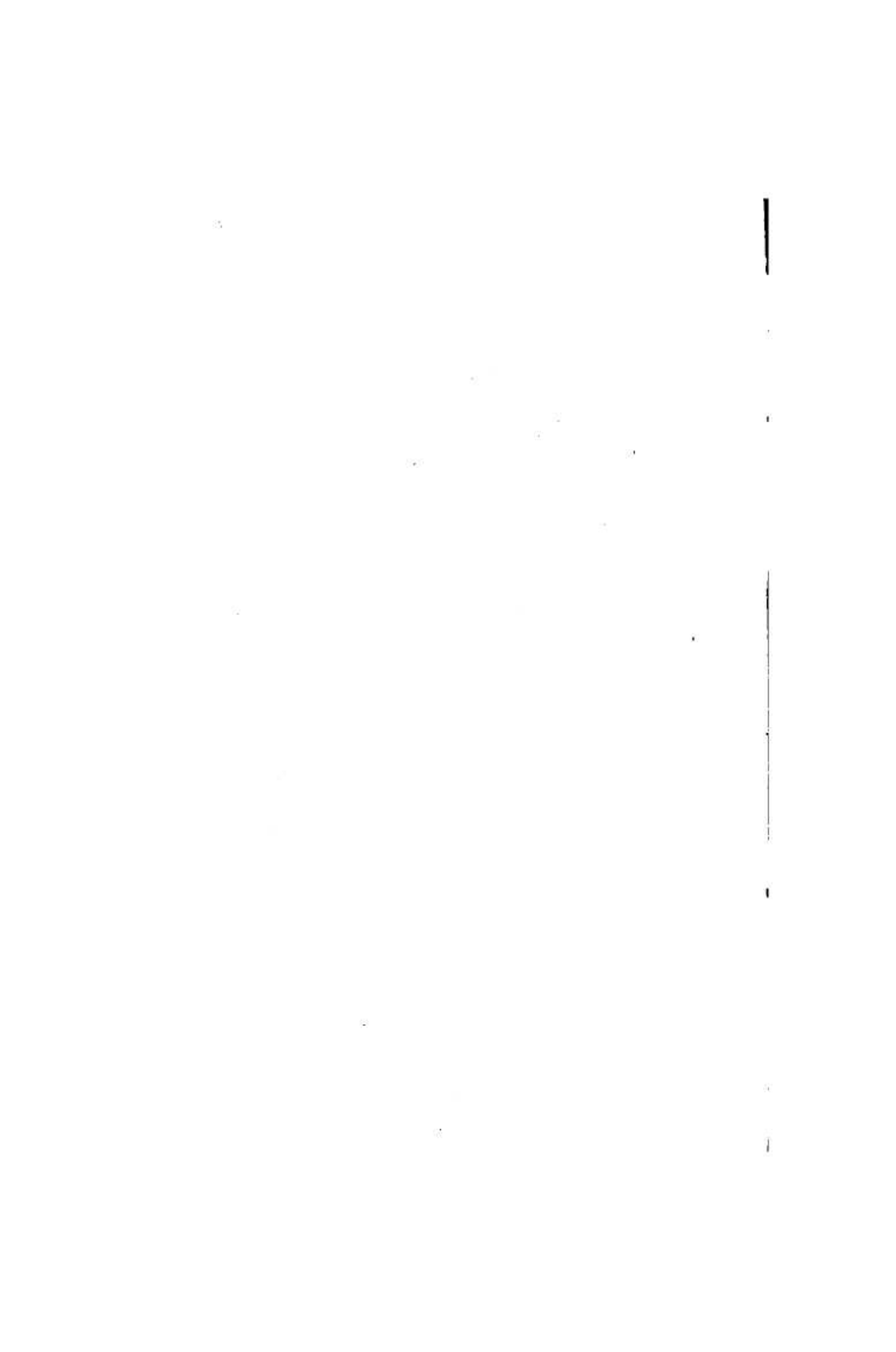
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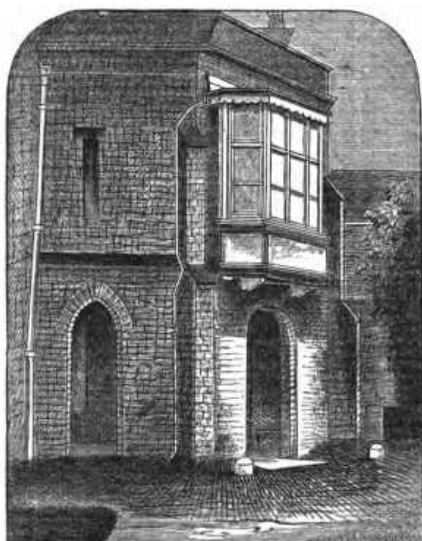
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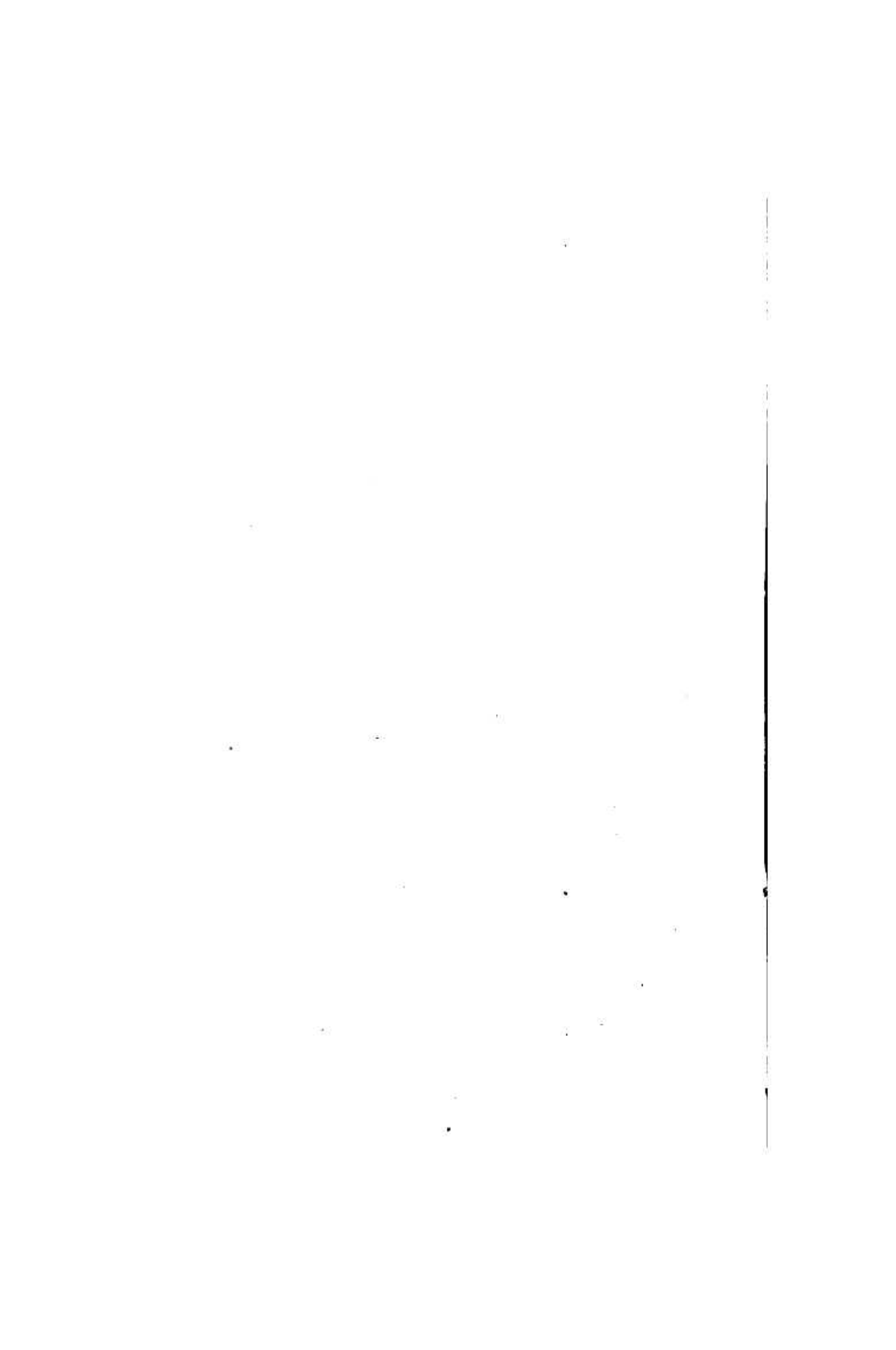
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DEDICATED
TO
THE MEMORY OF
MY BELOVED FATHER.





FORDHOOK HOUSE.
(Ancient Fordham.)



PREFATORY REMARKS.

Amongst the private effects of my father, the late William E. Barber, of West Chester, Pa., were several papers containing many facts relating to the ATLEE family, which his love for antiquarian studies had prompted him, during a busy life, to collect for preservation. Much of the information contained in his notes was procured, many years ago, from his maternal grandmother (a daughter of COLONEL SAMUEL JOHN ATLEE), whom the writer distinctly remembers as a remarkably lovely and bright old lady of ninety years. The task of properly arranging this material has now been finished. Portions of the record which were wanting have been supplied, and the results of two years' labor are given in the following pages. Family Bibles, old letters, wills, diaries, wedding cards, unpublished records and ancient tombstones have been carefully consulted for names and dates long since forgotten, and many items of family interest have thus been brought together, which must otherwise have been scattered and lost. The most painstaking care has been observed in collecting and arranging the facts. Many conflicting statements were reconciled only after long and tedious correspondence, while, in some instances, no replies whatever could be elicited from those whose pleasure it should have been to assist in the work. In such cases, it became necessary to procure the desired information from other sources.

The method of writing the name varies in different branches of the family, as indeed it does amongst different members of the same branch, the use of the capital L (At Lee) being considered the older form. In writing the name, therefore, it has been my endeavor to conform, in each instance, to individual style.