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LEMUEL TODD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. OFFICE No. 10, Harper's Row, in the room formerly occupied by Isaac Todd, Esq. Carlisle, August 26, 1841.

LAW NOTICE. SAMUEL R. HAMILL, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Will practice in the several courts of Cumberland county. Office in Main street, the office now occupied by James H. Devor, Esq. Carlisle, September 30, 1841.

WILLIAM B. KNOX, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Carlisle, Pa. OFFICE a few doors west of the Post Office, in Main street.

CHARLES M'CLURE, Attorney at Law. OFFICE in Main street, a few doors west of the Post Office. Carlisle, April 29, 1841.

WILLIAM H. LAMBERTON, ATTORNEY AT LAW. WILL practice and attend to collections in the county of Venango. In any business that may be entrusted to him, he will be assisted by Samuel A. Purviance, Esq. of Butler. Franklin, August 12, 1841.

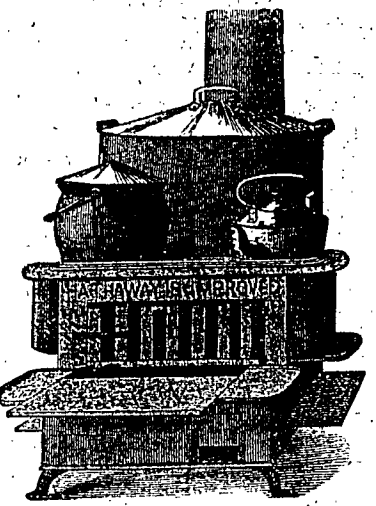
HAT MANUFACTORY. THE subscriber has rented the shop heretofore occupied by Mr. Lindsey Spitzer, near the corner of Harrison and other streets, where he is prepared with the best materials and will keep constantly on hand and on order a full assortment of hats and caps, such as RUSSEL, BRUSH, NUTRIA, CAS-TORS, &c. His work will be done in the most fashionable style, and at moderate prices. He solicits a share of public patronage. WILLIAM H. FROUT. Carlisle, May 20, 1841.

BOOTS AND SHOES. The subscriber respectfully announces to the inhabitants of Mechanicsburg and vicinity, that he has just received from Philadelphia the most splendid assortment of Ladies, Misses, and Children's Morocco and Kid Boots and Shoes, ever offered to the public in this place, varying in price from \$1 to \$150, Misses and Children's in proportion. The subscriber intends to confine his self more particularly to the Ladies' branch of the business, and he flatters himself that he will be able to please the most fastidious. The Ladies are most respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves. Don't forget Cain's Boot and Shoe Emporium, Mechanicsburg. GEORGE F. CAIN. September 9, 1841.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE. In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cumberland county, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, on Saturday the 16th of October next, at 1 o'clock of said day, the real estate of George Myers, late of Silver Spring township, county of Adams, deceased, consisting of a LOT OF GROUND, containing about one and a half acres, with a good LOG HOUSE & STABLE; thereon erected. There is a good spring of water on said lot convenient to the door. There are also on the same a number of good Peach and Apple trees. Said lot is under good fence and in good order. The conditions of sale will be the payment of the purchase money on the confirmation of the sale. DAVID HUME, Adm'r. September 9, 1841.

Public Sale of Real Estate. WILL be sold at public sale, on Friday the 23d of October next, on the premises, in pursuance of the last will and testament of Anthony Black, late of Dickinson township, deceased, the following described real estate, late the property of said testator, to wit: A tract of land situate in Dickinson township, in said county, bounded by lands of John Black, John Heikes, John Myers, John Fishburn and others, containing about 85 acres, of which about seventy acres are cleared and the residue well timbered. The improvements are a large LOG HOUSE & KITCHEN, ADJOINING LOG BARN, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib and other out Buildings, a never failing well of water convenient to the house, and a young and thriving Apple Orchard of choice grafted fruit. This farm is situate in the "Rich Lands," is limestone land of a superior quality and in a good state of cultivation, and about three fourths of a mile south of the turnpike road from Harrisburg to Pittsburg, and about 6 miles west of Carlisle. The terms of sale are as follows: One half of the purchase money to be paid on the 1st of April next, when possession will be given and a deed made to the purchaser, the residue in two equal annual payments thereafter, to be secured by a lien on the land, or bonds with security satisfactory to the undersigned. The rent due on the 1st of April next is reserved, and will not pass to the purchaser. If the above farm is not sold, it will be rented at the time and place above mentioned for one year. WILLIAM CAROTHERS, Executor of Anthony Black, dec'd. September 9, 1841.

PUBLIC SALE. BY an order of the Orphans' Court of Cumberland county, I will expose to public sale, on the premises, on Saturday the 16th of October 1841, at 12 o'clock, the following property, viz: A Two Story Plastered House AND LOT OF GROUND, situate in Shiremansburg, Eastpennsylvania township, containing about Four and a Half Acres, more or less, of first rate Limestone Land, having also erected on the premises a small Frame and Log Barn and other out Houses. There is also a never failing well of water on the premises, and a small Orchard of choice fruit trees. The terms of sale will be made known on the day of sale by PETER BARNHART, Guardian of David Stroh. September 9, 1841.



E. ROBINSON & CO.

WE have located in Carlisle for the purpose of manufacturing and selling Hathaway's Patent Hot Air Cook Stoves, and being aware that the people in this place and vicinity have been much imposed upon by the introduction of new and highly recommended articles which they have been induced to purchase, and which have been so slightly made, and of such bad material, that in a short time they have failed and become useless. We therefore do not intend offering stoves for sale until they are fairly tried in this community and pronounced more durable in their construction, and better adapted to the purposes of boiling, baking and all the varieties of cooking, also that they are a great saving of fuel as well as labor.

We earnestly invite farmers as well as residents of this place and the neighboring villages, to call on us at St. Wunderlich's hotel, or notify us by letter (postage prepaid) that they are willing to try our stove, and the stove shall be placed in the kitchen of every person giving us such notice, and taken away at the end of the trial, without any expense to the purchaser. The stoves will be kept on hand at the Shop of Messrs. A. Kestley, and at the Foundry of Messrs. Lay and Stroh, in Carlisle.

I have in use in my kitchen one of Hathaway's Patent Hot Air Cook Stoves, and can recommend it as a very superior article. The one I have is No. 3, it has 5 boilers and an oven sufficiently large to bake 6 loaves of bread. The baking, roasting and boiling, can be done at the same time and with much less wood than required for any stove I have ever used. This stove appears to be peculiarly calculated for Farmers, and for their benefit I invite them to call and see this stove in use, as I shall take pleasure in showing the stove to those who wish to see it. S. WUNDERLICH, Carlisle, September 12, 1841.

Messrs. E. Robinson & Co. Gentlemen—I have fairly tested the "Hot Air Stoves" which you put up at my house and can recommend it as possessing principles of economy and convenience far surpassing any other stoves which I have ever seen. The boilers coming in front of the grate, the fire gives it great facilities for boiling, and the oven is heated on such a principle that bread is baked in a uniform manner as in a brick oven. I find it also a great saving of fuel and labor, and would advise all to adopt it. M. MCLELLAN, Carlisle, September 12, 1841.

Messrs. E. Robinson & Co. Gentlemen—I have during the few days I have had your Hathaway Hot Air Stove in use become convinced of its great superiority over all other stoves I have used or seen—I find by the trial that boiling, roasting, baking and broiling may all be done at the same time, in a most perfect manner and with less than one fourth the fuel I have ordinarily used for the same purposes. I have heretofore been of the opinion bread could not be well baked in a Cook Stove, but I am convinced upon trial that it can be done as well in your stove as in a brick oven. I believe that the general introduction of your stoves into use will be very beneficial to the public, therefore I shall take pleasure in recommending it to my friends. WM. MOUDY, Carlisle, September 13, 1841.

A GRIST MILL AND FARM FOR SALE. THE subscriber, Executor of the last will and testament of Peter Creamer, late of Southampton township, Cumberland county, dec'd, will offer for sale by public outcry, on Friday the 5th of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described Real Estate of said deceased; situate part in Cumberland and part in Franklin counties, viz: ONE HUNDRED & SEVENTY ACRES OF PATENTED LAND, 160 of which is first-rate limestone land, and the balance is excellent slate land—about 100 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation; and the residue covered with thriving timber. A portion of the tract is excellent meadow. The improvements are a GRIST MILL, A DOUBLE TWO STORY DWELLING HOUSE, PART STONE—STONE BARN—TWO APPLE ORCHARDS, &c. &c. The Mill, House and Barn, and about 25 acres of the land, are in Cumberland county, and will be offered for sale separately. The balance, 145 acres, is in Franklin county, in two separate tracts, adjoining each other. The whole is situated about 2 miles north-west of Shippensburg, on the Middle Spring—said stream running through the premises. It is one of the most desirable properties in the two counties. Terms will be made known on the day of sale by JACOB CREAMER, Jr. Esq. September 9, 1841.

DR. WILLIAM IRVIN, PRICE and Dwelling in East High street next door to Rev. J. V. Thorn, Carlisle, August 12, 1841.

Wood Wanted. ALL persons indebted to the late firm of Baer & Pitzer are requested to call and settle their accounts on or before the 20th of October next, as after that time they will be left in the hands of a Justice for collection. September 30, 1841.

Valuable Town Property for Sale.

The property of the late John W. L. Hogue, dec'd. THE subscriber will dispose of at private sale, that valuable property at the corner of Hanover and North streets, in the borough of Carlisle, adjoining Mr. Weibley's Hotel. The property is comprised of a full lot of ground, on which are erected a large TWO STORY FRAME WEATHERBOARDED HOUSE,

on Hanover street, and two Frame Weatherboarded Houses on North street. The first mentioned building has been for many years occupied as a store and is admirably calculated, from its situation, for public business of any kind. There is also a Frame Stable on the premises, and a well of excellent water with a pump in it, at the front door of the large building. There is a large cellar, walled, at the corner of the lot, on which a large building might be erected, (this part, if the purchaser wished to build, he might have possession of immediately.) Possession will be given on the 1st of April next. An indispensable title will be given, and terms made easy to the purchaser. Apply to EZZEKIEL BULLOCK, August 26, 1841.

Dr. Swayne's Syrup of Wild Cherry.

CINCINNATI, February 15, 1840. DR. SWAYNE—Dear Sir—Permit me to take the liberty of writing to you at this time to express my approbation, and to recommend to the attention of heads of families and others your invaluable medicine—the Compound Syrup of Prunus Virginiana, or Wild Cherry Bark. In my travels of late I have seen in a great many instances the wonderful effect of your medicine in relieving children of very obstinate complaints, such as Coughing, Wheezing, a hoarseness of Phlegm, Asthmatic attacks, &c. &c. I should not have written this letter, however, at present, although I have felt it my duty to add my testimony to it for some time, had it not been for a late instance where the medicine above alluded to was instrumental in restoring to health a young child, who had been afflicted with a severe attack of Whooping Cough, and had been almost despaired of by the physicians. I thank Heaven for the recovery of this child, and I feel it my duty to state the facts, as they are, to the public. My child is now perfectly recovered, and I feel it my duty to state the facts, as they are, to the public. My child is now perfectly recovered, and I feel it my duty to state the facts, as they are, to the public.

Beyond doubt Dr. Swayne's Wild Cherry Syrup is the most valuable medicine in this or any other country. I am certain I have witnessed more than one hundred cases where it has been used with complete success. I have used it in an obstinate attack of Bronchitis, in which it proved effectual in an exceedingly short time, considering the severity of the case. I can recommend it in the fullest confidence of its superior virtues. I would advise that no family should be without it; it is very pleasant and always beneficial—worth double and ten-fold the price. The public are assured there is no quackery about it. R. JACKSON, D. D. Formerly Pastor of the 1st Presby'n. Ch. N. Y. September 23, 1841.

AGENTS—J. J. Myers & Co. Carlisle; Martin Lutz, Market street, Harrisburg; G. P. W. Davis, 254 Market street, and Rev. J. R. Cook, (52 Market street) Baltimore.

Estate of William M. Duncan, dec'd. ETTERS of administration on the estate of William M. Duncan, late of Southampton township, Cumberland county, dec'd, have been appointed, and the subscriber residing in the same township. All persons knowing themselves indebted in any way to said estate are requested to make payment immediately, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement. WILLIAM G. DUNCAN, Adm'r. September 16, 1841.

Orphans' Court Sale. BY virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Cumberland county, will be sold on the premises, by public vendue on Friday the 15th day of October next, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following Mill property, late the estate of Martin Brandt, Jr. of Monroe township, in said county, dec'd, viz: All that mill tract of land situate on the Yellow Breeches creek, in said township of Monroe, bounded by lands of Jos. Lattshaw, Adam Brandt, Christian Lemer and Brandt's heirs, containing 10 acres and 23 perches straddled measure. The improvements are a CHOPPING & CLOVER MILL, SAW-MILL, TWO STORY DWELLING HOUSE, a large double-log-barn, a two-story Tenant House, a Stable and other outbuildings. There is a first rate Orchard of choice fruit on the premises, and a well of excellent water at the house. The water power is very strong and is surpassed by none on the Yellow Breeches creek, being much more than sufficient for the purposes of the mill. It is situated on the road leading from York to Carlisle where the road crosses thereat. Also a tract of Mountain Land nearly adjoining the said mill tract, situate in said township, bounded by lands of Adam Brandt and others, containing 49 acres and 32 perches and allowances. This land is well covered with Chesnut, Pine and Oak timber. The terms of sale will be made known on the day thereof by JACOB GROFF, DAVID BENDER, Adm'r's of Martin Brandt, dec'd. September 16, 1841.

Orphans' Court Sale. BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cumberland county, will be sold by the subscriber by public vendue on the premises on Friday the 15th day of October next, two undivided sixth parts of the following real estate, the property of Martin Brandt, Jr.'s heirs, viz: All that plantation or tract of land situate in Monroe township, in said county, bounded by lands of Robert Cook's heirs, Joseph Brandt, Joseph Lattshaw and others, containing 150 ACRES, more or less, of which about 20 acres are good timber land, and the residue cleared, under substantial fence and in excellent cultivation. The land bounds on the Yellow Breeches creek, and has a large quantity of locust timber growing on it. The sale will take place on the same day that the administrators of Martin Brandt, Jr. sell the mills of said Martin which adjoin this property and the other four heirs of said Martin will sell the same time their interests in the above plantation, so that the purchaser can procure a good title to the whole thereof. JACOB BELSHOOVER, Guardian of Henry & Sarah Brandt. September 16, 1841.

AGENTS—J. J. Myers & Co. Carlisle; Martin Lutz, Market street, Harrisburg; G. P. W. Davis, 254 Market street, and Rev. J. R. Cook, (52 Market street) Baltimore.

LAND FOR SALE. WILL be sold by public sale, on the premises, on Friday the 20th day of October next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., a tract of land containing 423 Acres & 62 Perches, situate in Tyrone township, Perry county, three miles south-west of Landisburg, on the M'Clure's Gap road leading from Landisburg to Newville, being 9/16 miles from the latter place—it adjoining lands of the heirs of Mathias Wollbrant, late of Wood's Run, Nurember on the west, and Daniel Miller on the east. Said land is divided into eight tracts or lots, the smallest containing 40 acres and the largest 66 acres. One of said lots, marked No. 2 in the plot or draft, contains 45 acres and 18 perches, with a LOG HOUSE AND STABLE THEREON erected—about 30 acres cleared, with 4 acres of meadow—a good Orchard, and a never failing spring—a large run and a small one passes through the same, the latter of which is taken through the garden. The other seven lots are heavily timbered with LOCUST, CHESNUT, CHESTNUT OAK, BLACK OAK, WHITE OAK, HICKORY and POPLAR. Each of said lots adjoins the public road, and possesses the advantage of running water, with the exception of No. 8, in the plot. A large stream passes through five of said lots, with water sufficient for a Saw Mill or other water works. An indispensable title will be given. Persons wishing to purchase will find it to their interest to examine the same, as it is believed to be the best tract of timber land in that section of country, the timber having been carefully preserved for twenty five years. Persons wishing to view the same will please call with Mr. Jacob Ruhl, living on the premises, or Mr. Jacob Evinger, Inspector at Landisburg—each of whom are furnished with a plot or draft, and will accompany and show the different lots. A draft of the same can be seen with the subscriber, living at Weggoner's Gap, Cumberland county. Terms of sale—One half of the purchase money in hand, and the balance in three equal annual payments without interest, to be secured by Judgment Bonds. ABRAHAM WAGGONER. September 30, 1841.

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PURSUANT to the last will and testament of Jacob Keigley, dec'd, the following described real estate, to wit: A large tract of land, situate in the township of Tyrone, Perry county, containing 423 acres and 62 perches, more or less, and being the same as that sold by Abraham Waggoner, on the 30th of September, 1841, at 10 o'clock, A. M. All that certain TWO STORY WEATHERBOARDED HOUSE AND HALF LOT OF LAND, situate on the east side of Samuel Coult on the east, Mr. Richard Directors on the north, the heirs of Agnes Steel on the west, and Pomfret street south, containing sixty feet in front and one hundred and twenty feet in depth, be the same more or less. Terms made known on the day of sale by SAMUEL SHEAFER. Carlisle, September 30, 1841.

From the New Haven Register. The Whiggy's visit to the deserted Log Cabin. Ain—'Soldier's Tear.' Upon a keg head, And stole a last fond look At the cabin's lone, deserted look, And the bottles in the nook; He listened for the song Of 'Tip and Ty' so queer, And the funny strains of the Sing Song Club, But they came not to his ear! Beside the cabin porch, An empty keg was there— And high upon the gable-end A coon-skin flattered bare: They brought old scenes to mind— The cider revels dear— And drew his sleeve across his nose, And wiped away—a tear. He rose, and wedded in— Oh! do not deem him weak; Because his nose did shame the rose. That blossomed on his cheek! Go watch and learn his grief— As close behind the door, He tries vainly the empty cask That blessed his love of yore! "Is this the cask," he cries, With mouth like yawning chasm, "Which once was filled up to the bung, With whiggy enthusiasm! Its hollow sound proclaims The emptiness within— 'Tis like our leaders, when most loud Their patriotic din. "This cursed place is where, My nose first caught its glow; The better times that we've pledged, Are shown in these 'old clo' Good bye, ye whigs! no more Your songs my soul shall stir; I'll leave the party—mend my ways— And turn totaller." PERCEIVE-ALL.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT.—M. Narcisse Benoit, a respectable farmer in St. Gregoire, opposite Three Rivers, left home with his wife to visit a brother-in-law in St. Denis, of the name of McDonald, who with his wife accompanied them to Bouville Mountain to view the splendid scenery of the neighborhood. The two women, while their husbands were tying up their horses, went into one of the mills belonging to the Hon. H. DeLétoile. The miller having agreed to show them the mill, they ascended to the upper story before him. He lost sight of them for a minute, and was looking for them, when he heard a terrific scream from a small room, in which was enclosed a portion of the machinery, and into which strangers very seldom entered. He rushed into the room, and to his astonishment and horror, found both sisters entangled in the machinery. Crying hide of me, he endeavored to pull her out; but, to save himself, was compelled to let go. Mrs. McDonald was drawn through a space less than six inches, every bone in her body being crushed. Her husband was also so mangled that she died instantaneously. Mrs. B. leaves six children, the eldest, under eleven years; and Mrs. McDonald leaves seven, of whom the oldest is not fifteen; and each of them an infant. A coroner was soon afterwards sent. The grief and despair of the husbands can scarcely be imagined. Montreal Herald.

The Paris (Mo.) Sentinel states that a young girl in Mazon lately married a man whom, not liking after a few weeks trial, she had married a second time. The Grand Jury indicted, for bigamy, and, upon trial, the Circuit Attorney dismissed the indictment on the ground that, as she was but sixteen years old, when first married, she had not in law a capacity to contract, especially as there was no evidence of her father's consent. Mr. Sentinel says the circuit attorney is a married man. If this be the law of Missouri, we suppose girls may get married as often as they please before they arrive at the proper age, provided they take care not to let their papers consent to it.—St. Louis Republican.

McLeod's Trial.

PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENTS. The trial of Alexander McLeod for the murder of Durfee commences to-day, (Monday), all the witnesses and commissions on behalf of the prisoner having arrived. The number of witnesses for the prosecution is about fifty. The evidence for the defence is mostly documentary, taken under commission, and about half a dozen witnesses who will be examined. The proof contained in most of these depositions can have little, if any force, and throw no light whatever upon the presence or absence of McLeod at the destruction of the Caroline, or his participation in that outrage. Consequently, they can be of little avail in his behalf—the main point of his defence being in the establishment of an alibi. Indeed, as far as I can ascertain, there are but three among all the witnesses, present here or in Canada, who will swear positively that he was not present on that occasion; and each of these, as I learn, will be impeached beyond all chance of salvation. The court have adopted very salutary and vigorous orders in relation to the ingress and egress of the bar, witnesses, spectators, &c., at the court room. Utica, Monday, Oct. 4, 1841.

TRIAL OF ALEXANDER McLEOD FOR THE MURDER OF A. DURFEE. At half past 9 o'clock, his Honor, Judge Gridley, took his seat on the Bench, together with Judges White, Kimball, and Jones, of the County Court, who do not form part of the Court at this trial, they being only on the civil order of the Court. On behalf of the prosecution, appeared W. G. Hall, Esq.; Attorney General, Timothy Jenkins, Esq.; District Attorney of this County, and W. Wood, Esq.; and on behalf of the prisoner appeared Joshua C. Spencer, Esq., and D. Gardner and Alvan C. Bradley, Esq. of Utica. After the Court, Bar, and Jurors had taken their seats, the public generally were admitted to the extent of the capacity of the room, and in doing which a remarkable degree of regularity and order was preserved. Judge White briefly stated to the auditory the necessity of strictly preserving order and silence, and no disposition was manifested by the audience to disobey. The Clerk then opened the Circuit Court and Court of Oyer and Terminer of Oneida county; and by direction of Mr. Hall, Attorney General, called the name of Theodore Stone, a witness for the prosecution, who, not answering, Mr. Hall moved for an attachment against him, which was forthwith issued. The prisoner, McLeod, was then brought in and placed by the side of his counsel—His appearance indicated a man who had lived well, and felt much at ease. Mr. Hall then called on the trial of McLeod, and the counsel for the prisoner expressing their readiness to proceed, the prisoner was arraigned and informed of his right of challenge. The Clerk then proceeded to call the Jury. After several challenges, the jury was finally constituted as follows: Charles O. Curtis, of Paris. Edmund Allen, of Augusta. John Molt, of Sangersfield. Elisha Brush, of Rome. Ira Bryington, of Camden. William Carpenter, of Kirkland. Isaiah Thurber, of Utica. Peter Sleight, of Westmoreland. Asher Allen, of Augusta. Seymour Carrier, of Steuben. Esack Allen, of Floyd. Tunley Elliott, of Kirkland. The residue of the petit jurors were discharged till 8 o'clock on Friday next. Mr. Hall, Attorney General, then proceeded to open the case for the prosecution. He commenced by expressing briefly, but feelingly, the delicacy of his situation and the duty which had now devolved upon him and the jury. He next reverted to the great excitement which pervaded the public mind, from one extremity of the Union to the other, in relation to the important trial upon which they had now entered, and the evidence of which was before the eyes of the jury, in the living masses which thronged and surrounded the Court-house. To this excitement it was the duty of the jury and himself to close their eyes, to know it not, and to eschew its influence. Their duty was plain. It was to solicit the truth, to be governed by truth alone, and to keep their minds and their judgments free from all extraneous influences, prejudices, or fears. Truth was his only pursuit; and if, from an innate weakness, he fell short of the full performance of his duty, he prayed the jury to redouble their own vigilance, and solicit truth through the channels presented to them, in all cases in which he might be deemed remiss. Mr. Hall then read to the jury the greater part of the indictment found against the prisoner at the Niagara Circuit, for the shooting and killing of Amos Durfee, on the 30th December, 1837. There were a great number of counts in the indictment, some charging the murder to have been done with a gun—some with a pistol—some charging the murder upon the prisoner, and others upon sundry other individuals, named and unknown, the prisoner being present and aiding and assisting therein. In these several counts were included every species of murder or killing known to the statutes; and those Mr. Hall briefly glanced over to the jury. To sustain this indictment, Mr. Hall stated it would be proved before the jury, on or about the 28th December, 1837, the steamboat Caroline, a boat of some 50 or 40 tons burthen, left Buffalo for Schlosser. The boat was manned by citizens of the U. States; was duly enrolled at the Custom House, and was licensed to run between Buffalo and Schlosser.

At that time a band of Canadian insurgents, three or four hundred in number, had taken possession of Navy Island, and held it in the name of the British government. A great effort was also making, at the same time, to enlist the feelings of our own citizens, on this side of the lines, in behalf of the people who had been driven thence by their hardships and sufferings, and for their wives and children who had been thrust from their houses and homes in the midst of a Siberian winter, found no difficulty in enlisting among a portion of our citizens, especially among the young, the sympathy their deplorable situation naturally drew forth. But with the band on Navy Island the Caroline had no connection; and it would be made to appear before the jury that she was not at all in their employ. Mr. Hall was proceeding to explain to the jury the well known circumstances which preceded the destruction of the Caroline, and the various circumstances attending the same, when we were obliged to despatch our express, at a quarter to 1 o'clock, P. M.

Utica, Monday, Oct. 4, 1841. The court have adopted very salutary and vigorous orders in relation to the ingress and egress of the bar, witnesses, spectators, &c., at the court room. Utica, Monday, Oct. 4, 1841. On behalf of the prosecution, appeared W. G. Hall, Esq.; Attorney General, Timothy Jenkins, Esq.; District Attorney of this County, and W. Wood, Esq.; and on behalf of the prisoner appeared Joshua C. Spencer, Esq., and D. Gardner and Alvan C. Bradley, Esq. of Utica. After the Court, Bar, and Jurors had taken their seats, the public generally were admitted to the extent of the capacity of the room, and in doing which a remarkable degree of regularity and order was preserved. Judge White briefly stated to the auditory the necessity of strictly preserving order and silence, and no disposition was manifested by the audience to disobey. The Clerk then opened the Circuit Court and Court of Oyer and Terminer of Oneida county; and by direction of Mr. Hall, Attorney General, called the name of Theodore Stone, a witness for the prosecution, who, not answering, Mr. Hall moved for an attachment against him, which was forthwith issued. The prisoner, McLeod, was then brought in and placed by the side of his counsel—His appearance indicated a man who had lived well, and felt much at ease. Mr. Hall then called on the trial of McLeod, and the counsel for the prisoner expressing their readiness to proceed, the prisoner was arraigned and informed of his right of challenge. The Clerk then proceeded to call the Jury. After several challenges, the jury was finally constituted as follows: Charles O. Curtis, of Paris. Edmund Allen, of Augusta. John Molt, of Sangersfield. Elisha Brush, of Rome. Ira Bryington, of Camden. William Carpenter, of Kirkland. Isaiah Thurber, of Utica. Peter Sleight, of Westmoreland. Asher Allen, of Augusta. Seymour Carrier, of Steuben. Esack Allen, of Floyd. Tunley Elliott, of Kirkland. The residue of the petit jurors were discharged till 8 o'clock on Friday next. Mr. Hall, Attorney General, then proceeded to open the case for the prosecution. He commenced by expressing briefly, but feelingly, the delicacy of his situation and the duty which had now devolved upon him and the jury. He next reverted to the great excitement which pervaded the public mind, from one extremity of the Union to the other, in relation to the important trial upon which they had now entered, and the evidence of which was before the eyes of the jury, in the living masses which thronged and surrounded the Court-house. To this excitement it was the duty of the jury and himself to close their eyes, to know it not, and to eschew its influence. Their duty was plain. It was to solicit the truth, to be governed by truth alone, and to keep their minds and their judgments free from all extraneous influences, prejudices, or fears. Truth was his only pursuit; and if, from an innate weakness, he fell short of the full performance of his duty, he prayed the jury to redouble their own vigilance, and solicit truth through the channels presented to them, in all cases in which he might be deemed remiss. Mr. Hall then read to the jury the greater part of the indictment found against the prisoner at the Niagara Circuit, for the shooting and killing of Amos Durfee, on the 30th December, 1837. There were a great number of counts in the indictment, some charging the murder to have been done with a gun—some with a pistol—some charging the murder upon the prisoner, and others upon sundry other individuals, named and unknown, the prisoner being present and aiding and assisting therein. In these several counts were included every species of murder or killing known to the statutes; and those Mr. Hall briefly glanced over to the jury. To sustain this indictment, Mr. Hall stated it would be proved before the jury, on or about the 28th December, 1837, the steamboat Caroline, a boat of some 50 or 40 tons burthen, left Buffalo for Schlosser. The boat was manned by citizens of the U. States; was duly enrolled at the Custom House, and was licensed to run between Buffalo and Schlosser.

The witnesses' examination terminated at half past 6, and the court adjourned till next day Tuesday, Oct. 5. Daniel Stewart, Frederick Emmons, Jas. Field, John C. Haggerty, Henry Emmons and John Harker were examined on the part of the prosecution.—Their evidence only amounted to a repetition of the facts of the employment of the Caroline in running with freight and passengers to the Island; the attack, the finding of the body of Durfee, &c. No evidence was given as to McLeod's presence.

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