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**J. M. LINS,** ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Lewisburg Pa. Offers their professional services to the public. Collections and all other professional business entrusted to their care will receive prompt attention. [Jan. 3, '67]

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**SAMUEL ALLEMAN,** ATTORNEY AT LAW, Selingsgrove Pa. Offers his professional services to the public. All business entrusted to his care will be promptly attended to. Collections made in all parts of the State. He can speak the English and German language fluently. Office between Hall's and the Post office. [Jan. 5, '67]

**L. N. MYERS,** ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR AT LAW, Middleburg Snyder County Penna. Office a few doors West of the P. O. on Main street. Consultation in English and German languages. [Feb. 6, '67]

**J. C. BUCHER,** ATTORNEY AT LAW, Lewisburg Pa. Offers his professional services to the public. All business entrusted to his care will be promptly attended to. [Jan. 3, '67]

**GROVER & BAKER,** SEWING MACHINE. Persons in need of a good and durable Sewing Machine can be accommodated at reasonable prices by calling on SAMUEL FAVER, Agent, Selingsgrove. [Jan. 24, '68]

**DR. J. Y. SHINDEL,** SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN, Middleburg Pa. Offers his professional services to the citizens of Middleburg and vicinity. [March 21, '67]

**B. F. VAN BUSKIRK,** SURGICAL & MECHANICAL DENTIST, Selingsgrove Penn. [Jan. 3, '67]

**JOHN K. HUGHES, Esq.,** JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Penn Twp., Snyder Co. Pa. [Jan. 3, '67]

**Y. M. WAGNER, Esq.,** JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Jackson Township, Snyder Co. Pa. Will attend to all business entrusted to his care and on the most reasonable terms. [March 12, '68]

**DR. J. F. KANAWEL,** PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Centreville, Snyder Co., Pa. Offers his professional services to the public. [6-881f]

**F. W. SCHWAN, M. D.,** SURGEON & PHYSICIAN, Port Trevorton Pa. Offers his professional services to the citizens of this place and vicinity. He speaks German and English. [April 16, '68]

**F. A. BOYER, Jr.,** AUCTIONEER, Freeburg Snyder Co. Pa. Most respectfully offers his services to the public as Vendor, Buyer and Auctioneer. Having had a large experience, I feel confident that I can render perfect satisfaction to my employers. [Jan. 9, '67]

**B. T. PARKS,** ATTORNEY AT LAW & DISTRICT ATTORNEY, MIDDLEBURG, SNYDER COUNTY, Pa. Office in Court House, (Sept. 15, '67)

**LEWIS BREMER'S SONS,** TOBACCO WAREHOUSE, No. 322 N. THIRD ST. PHILADELPHIA.

**RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES** of Snyder County for the year 1870, commencing on the 1st day of January and ending on the 31st day of December, both days inclusive.

Item	Amount
Aug Arnold do across Mahant's 19	4.50
School & Bro repairing bridge near	1.00
Moore Krebs, filling abutments at	2.00
Utah's bridge	2.00
Prothonotary's Office.	
J. Cruise, bill of fees in full for 1869,	381.18
do do part for 1870, 171.23	
do do for room writing paper 6	7.70
W. H. Beaver, tape & for stationery	1.00
Shindel & Swinford, for stationery	59.34
S. Wittenmyer, paper, broom, etc	1.17
J. W. Drees, for merchandise	1.17
Miller & Elder, bill for dockets, in-	167.01
cluding also for Reg and Rec office	
Register & Recorder's Office.	
S. B. Schuck, Recorder for recording	

**County Lines.** The following items were paid for running lines between the counties of Union, Snyder, Mifflin and Centre, as directed by Act of Assembly approved the 6th of April, 1870:

Item	Amount
Aaron K. Giff, surveyor, in part	800
S. Bowen, assistant including exp	75.05
G. G. Peters " " " "	40
J. E. Bolender " " " "	38.40
N. S. Dachsman " " " "	23.90
D. Kerstetter " " " "	77.85
J. H. Smith " " " "	16.65
G. A. Sechoch " " " "	151.15
N. P. Hare, provisions for survey party	11.60
J. S. Uhl, " " " "	5.15
Gross, late treasurer, bal due	842.48
the Co. at last settlement	
County Attorney's Fee in case of	
county vs Juniata county	
recovery of costs	10
Huber, tax refunded and	
p to Bonds	10.13
Raybill, tax overpaid and re'd	2.33
of Minimum redemption money	
a tract of land sold as property	
Dan Reigler, and afterwards	
Joseph and his wife, and	11.85
Kiester, stamp to col's bond	1
on Moyer, exp of Teachers Inst	61
John Hoch, taking Com's clerk and	
counsel to Selingsgrove on the way	
to Harrisburg for the purpose of	
getting Com's quota of State	
Taxes reduced	5
Com's Attorney expenses in going	
to Harrisburg in same case	16.45
Com's Clerk, ditto	13.37
D. Krenner, school tax refunded	1
John H. Hing, stamp to col's bond	1
Susan Samsell, Redemption money	
on tract of land sold her and after-	
wards redeemed	12.31
John M. Smith, ditto	10.21
John Dietrich, tax refunded, being	
Com's clerk in litigation between the	
said Dietrich and Geo. Ely, collector	
settled by Commissioners	18
Jacob Gross, entered taxes, paid in	
of Beaver township	87.65
John Emerick, money paid in county	
treasury on entry taxes sold at	
public sale	20
B. Rupp, for discount on note in bank	4.88
G. C. Welker, Agt, insuring Ct house	20
Geo Ely, costs refunded in case of	
John Dietrich vs the said Ely	10
D. T. Rhoads for fixing stoves etc in	
Court house and jail	7.75
Total	\$17,820.734

**Table showing the amount charged, both County and State, and Special State tax levied for delinquency of 1869.**

Item	Amount
Joseph Mattern, Commis...	57.75
John J. Longenecker, do	36
A. J. Peters, Commissioners' Clerk	400
B. T. Parks, do Counsel	100
J. W. Drees, brooms, pens and sta...	11.25
Shindel & Swinford, Stationery	24.09
G. A. Sechoch, advd, ind, pens etc	2.90
G. A. Sechoch, sundries for office	12.85
D. Ranch, Book case do	4
J. A. Wanda, postage, envelopes, etc	8.78
S. Wittenmyer, coal oil, broom, etc	4
Court House Expenses	
D. J. Hassinger, hauling coal, 1869	2.00
C. A. Bolender do do do	4.63
E. A. Steininger do do do	10
John Young do do do	4
John H. Bowser do do do	13.67
John H. Walter do do do	3
S. B. Schuck do do do	4.20
J. Hoch repairing Ct House windows	2.50
Schoch & Brother for coal	14.70
W. H. Beaver for merchandise	1.00
Shindel & Swinford, bill for sundries	8.63
J. G. Smith, repairing Ct house roof	and new conductors for spouting
160	
for repairs at roof etc	26
Robt. Schuck & Rudy grate for stove	20
Wegenseller & Son coal, 1869-70	85.00
Henry Huber, rep'ng Ct house locks	5.75
J. W. Drees, for sundry merchandise	6.50
G. Alfred Schoch, for sundries	1.00
S. Wittenmyer, brooms, stationery, etc	13.02
Court Expenses	
Feb. Term—Grand Jurors	119.50
Petit Jurors	371.64
Tipstaves	24.60
Court crier	12.50
Constables' Returns	63.92
Grand Jurors	91.75
Petit Jurors	167.50
Tipstaves	15.75
Court crier	7.50
Constables' Returns	32.64
Grand Jurors	88.62
Petit Jurors	253.25
Tipstaves	14.75
Court crier	10
Constables' Returns	42.60
H. Schwenk, Janitor, per contract	50
Jail and Jail Expenses	
D. Bolender, late Sheriff, boarding	
prisoners, fees, and lockage	28
John S. Wolf, Sheriff, drawing and	
summoning Jurors to February	
Feb. adjourned and May Term,	
cleaning jail and rep'ng locks	118.25
Same conveying John Douglas and	
S. A. Pollock to Penitentiary	185.10
Same drawing and summoning Ju-	
rors to Sept. and Dec. Terms	70
Same, Bill of Fees, boarding prison-	
ers, lockage, labor, material & in	
repairing jail and out buildings	103
Irvin Smith, for one bed for jail	6.80
Schoch & Bro for coal do	22.78
Geo Schambach hauling coal	8.00
C. A. Bolender do do	1.90
W. H. Beaver, merchandise for jail	2
D. Ranch, repairing, doors, &c	1.10
D. Bolender, for building new privy	
Grain House, lumber, hauling, in-	
ter, &c at jail	386.94
Jeremiah Smith for labor at same	8.37
Joseph Bowersox, for stone and haul-	
ing for same	68
Samuel J. Muser, lime for same	2.75
George Wolf, labor at same	11.62
John E. Bolender do	1.87
Uriah Smith, do	13.87
Phillip Spade, masonwork at same	13.29
Jeremiah H. Smith, Plastering	15
N. Schabach, blacksmithing for same	6
H. E. Bognerff, do do do	2.25
A. J. Spach, plank and lath do	7.93
A. J. Peters, boards do	4.45
E. L. Buffington, Carpenterwork	24.75
H. R. Reigel, labor at repairing	4.60
J. G. Smith, repairing at jail roof	10
H. Schwenk, cleaning jail well	12
J. S. Wolf, Sheriff, stove and pipe	12
do do 2 new counterpane	2
Samuel Smith, hauling boards	2
Shindel & Swinford, paint, oil for	19.80
Israel Bachman, hauling coal	8.23
J. W. Drees, nails, oil, varnish &c	7.93
Schoch & Bro, coal for jail	7.65
W. H. Beaver, buckets, nails, glass etc	9.16
G. A. Schoch, tacking etc for bedding	20
Dan Bolender, shingles for roofing	20
Wegenseller & Son, coal for jail	10
Harris Erdley for wood	15.00
Henry Zecher, carpenterwork at	
Grain House, Privy etc at jail	24.75
S. Wittenmyer, nails, hinges, etc	1.87
Commonwealth Costs.	
The Commonwealth vs the following	
persons for which the county paid	
costs, viz	
Wm Hummel and Wm Muser	\$4.60
Daniel T. Rhoads	2
Charlotte Brunner	0.5
Overseer of Lower Augusta	8.82
John Feller	9.80
N. Benz and J. Foy	6.14
W. W. Davitt	4.62
Walter Seltzer	48.07
Wm Harrison Bailey	8.28
Simon Zookman	28.84
S. A. Pollock and John Douglas	63.04
James Hageman	84.92
Christ Hansen and Fred Waller	6.59
Jury Commissioners for dem pay &	
mileage including clerk	87.00
Road Views and Bridges.	
F. M. Tesis and others, for road and	
bridges views	220.50
For Boats.	
J. Fetters, premiums on Fox seals	47.30
Printing	
S. B. Schuck & S. Looney (German)	102.60
D. S. O'Foy, (English)	108
Lambert & Myers	115
J. Cruise	58
J. Wanda	97.80

**Select Poetry.** Mrs. Ennis, for I wish to speak with her. "Did you speak with her when she was here?" I asked, heeding not the steward's great amazement. "No," he answered simply. "I tried to speak, but somehow I could not utter a word. I suppose that I was then too weak."

"Was she your affianced wife?" I asked. "Not when I joined the army. We had been affianced once, but she broke off the engagement because—here his voice faltered—"because I was too poor. But I know she loves me."

"She does," I said. "I could see it beaming in her eyes." "If she is here to nurse me," he exclaimed, "I surely shall recover! O, call her now, dear Mrs. Ennis—I must have the assurance from her own dear lips."

But I persuaded him to wait till morning. Morning came, and the surgeon, after a hasty examination, said the captain was much better, and that a chance for life was won. As soon as he was gone I turned again to my patient, who only murmured "Nettie."

"Captain Delmont," I said, calmly. "Nettie is not here." "Not here!" he cried, clutching my hand. "Not here! why I saw her last night. She has not gone away again, and left me here to die alone?"

"No, Harry, but she has not yet been here—not in the flesh." "Mrs. Ennis, am I mad, or are you?" For I plainly saw her, and you said you saw her, yet you say she has not been here."

"Yes, I saw her," I replied, "and she was standing by your cot, and in her hand she held your own. But, Captain Delmont, through her form I saw the candle carried by the steward, half a dozen cots away."

He turned his face to the wall, and then I trembled for the effect I feared my words would have. But when he turned his face again, I saw my fear was groundless. "I called her," he said, earnestly, "and though five hundred thousand miles away, she heard me and came to me. God bless her!"

And for all the surgeon's prophecy he rapidly began to mend. Days glided by, and he grew convalescent. Two weeks later, going out one day, I met a lady going in, and it needed but one glance to tell me who it was. She stared at me, apparently bewildered. I went up to her and took her hand.

"This is Captain Delmont's Nettie!" I exclaimed. She looked frightened. I saw that she grew pale. I guided her to Captain Delmont's cot, and when we reached it she rebeld the surroundings, her face grew paler still.

"Why, this is the very place I dreamed of seeing, about two weeks ago I and you are the nurse I saw sitting by his cot," she gasped, rather than spoke. "I did not reply. Harry Delmont had quietly slipped her in, and I very gently withdrew."

Of course the story ends with happiness and marriage, as is usual; but the appearance at my patient's cot I fear will never be explained. It is a question for psychologists to settle or discuss.—Ballou's Magazine.

**"The Wandering Jew."** A rumor comes from a village near Antwerp, that the historic "Wandering Jew" has been seen in that neighborhood. He is reported as having passed rapidly through the market place, and as having on the outskirts of the village addressed a few words to some children, who, bolder than their companions had followed in his path. He was dressed in worn and dirty antique garments, carried a long staff, and with his profuse beard streaming in the wind, presented such an awe inspiring appearance that the terrified villagers fled from him in a fright.

When he paused and spoke to the children, he told them to go back and inform the people that a new governor had arisen in Europe, who would bring Belgium, Holland and other countries under his sway, that many strange vicissitudes would be witnessed, and that many proud heads would be brought low. On being questioned as to his name, he replied, "Seek not to know, I have been here before in the past, I shall be here again in the future. Until the end of time I shall walk the earth unceasingly." The apparition, then waving his hand, turned from the children and resumed its plodding walk, and disappeared in the distance.

The report of this appearance of "The Wandering Jew" is...

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in the legend, and the truth of the legend is credited throughout Belgium. The legend of the Jew who had visited the crucifixion, and wonder over the earth until the time of Christ's second coming, originated in the middle ages, and can be traced back to the chronicle of the Abbot of St. Albans, which was copied and continued by Matthew Paris. This chronicle relates that in 1225 a certain Archbishop, of Armonia Major, came to England on a visit to sacred places, and while enjoying the hospitality of the Abbot of St. Albans, among other strange stories, related that there was a man named Joseph living in Armenia, who had witnessed the crucifixion. This man, originally called Cataphilus, was a porter in Pilate's service, and while Jesus was passing out from the judgment hall impudently struck him on the back, saying, "Go quicker, why do you loiter?" Jesus looked back on him with a severe countenance and said, "I am going, but you will wait till I return." And accordingly Cataphilus is still waiting his return. After Christ's death he was converted and baptized, and his name was changed to Joseph. In 1542 the "Wandering Jew" appeared at Ham-

burg, telling a story similar to the above. He, however, said that his name was Alcazar, and that he was a shoemaker who struck Jesus on the back while on the way to Golgotha. This particular person is described as a tall man, of about fifty years of age, with long hair hanging down to his shoulders, barefooted, and wearing a strange costume, consisting of sailor's trousers, a gown reaching to the knees, and a long mantle flowing down to his feet. He spoke good German in the Saxon dialect. In 1575 the "Wandering Jew" appeared in the Netherlands, and this time used the Spanish language. A few years later the "Wandering Jew" arrived at Stras-

burg, and going before the magistrates informed them that he had visited the city just two hundred years before, which statement, it is asserted, was proved to be true, by a reference to some town records. He next was heard of in the West Indies, and again in France, where, in 1604, he caused considerable sensation his presence being accompanied by destructive hurricanes. On April 22d, 1774, an individual claiming to be the "Wandering Jew" appeared in Brussels, and told his story to the common people; he, however, had changed the popular name of this character called himself Isaac Laquedem. This legend has formed the subject of numerous popular ballads in the different languages of Europe, and also of poems, tales and novels, by distinguished authors. It may be here remarked, that this curious myth seems to have originated in that passage of the Gospel of St. John, twenty-second verse, where Jesus says of John, "If I will that he tarry till I come, what is that to thee? follow thou me. Then went this saying abroad among the brethren that this disciple should not die."

A GERMAN paper states that five German Hussars were quartered in the house of a wealthy farmer in the neighborhood of Tours, and hospitably received by their host. They were all lodged in different rooms of the house and when the farmer remarked playfully that the house was said to be haunted but that the ghosts were of a harmless disposition, and had never injured anybody. In the night one of them was aroused by a slight noise, and to his horror perceived a white figure glide through the room. The figure was gradually approaching the bed, and the Hussar, in his terror, took one of his pistols and fired it. Now the specter thrice up his arms, and fell to the floor. Our Hussar jumped out of bed, struck a light, and saw his friendly host, wrapped in a white sheet, and holding a bloody knife in his hand, in the agonies of death he hastened to the rooms of his comrades, but found them all weltering in their blood, with their throats cut from ear to ear. Procuring the help of some other soldiers, some were searched, and under a pile of cabbage in the cellar were found the mutilated bodies of a number of German soldiers whom the Frenchman had calmly assassinated in the same treacherous manner.

"Twas a two ways of doin' it," said an old-world laborer to himself, as he stood musing and waiting for a job. "If I save me like Thomas' dollars I can't get no more kind of dollars near no more."

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