

# STATEMENT

## OF THE RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES OF THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA, FOR THE YEAR 1840.

Agreeably to the 22d and 23d Sections of an act of Assembly, passed the 15th day of April, 1834. The commissioners of the county of Columbia, make the following statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of said county for the year 1840.— To which is annexed a statement of the Duplicates of County Tax for each of the townships in said county, for the year 1840. Also a statement of outstanding debts due the county, per Auditors report.

### RECEIPTS

Of JEREMIAH WELLIVER, late Treasurer of Columbia county, deceased.

To balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1840, \$517 82

COLLECTORS.

Received of Collectors, for the year 1839, 1839, 1,924 98

Do State Funds for 1835, 1836, 186 69

Amount received by J. Welliver in 1840, \$2619 49

CREDITS.

By Commissioners orders issued in 1839, 1046 98

do do 1840, 35 93

Certificates of Fox scalps, 8 75

Treasurers Commissions, 21 87

Cash paid by his administrators, 200 00

Balance due the county, Jan. 1, 1841, 1315 96

Balance due county in the hands of Jeremiah Welliver's Administrators on Jan. 1, 1841, \$1315 96

### RECEIPTS OF L. B. RUPERT, ESQ.

Treasurer of Columbia county, at present.

Received of collectors for the year 1837, 181 12

" " 1838, 377 67

" " 1839, 4102 89

" " 1840, 2819 47

### UNSEATED LAND.

" Tax on unseated land, 307 72

" Of Welliver's administrators, 200 00

" From Sales of old bridges, 83 12

Amount received by L. B. Rupert in 1840, \$8152 00

CREDITS.

By Commissioners orders redeemed, 7903 48

Amount paid in certificates for fox scalps, 55 56

" of tax refunded, 16 56

" paid Register, 1 31

" " R. E. Wright Esq., 26 00

" of Treasurers commissions, 161 25

Amount of payments do receipts, \$8152 00

Balance due the Treasurer Jan. 1, 1841, \$72 11

WE the Commissioners of the County of Columbia, have examined the above accounts, compared them with the vouchers and find them just and correct. Witness our hands the ninth day of January A. D. 1841.

JOHN M'HENRY, } County Commissioners.  
JOHN DIETERICH, }  
CHRISTIAN WOLF, }

### RECEIPTS.

Balance in the Treasury, Jan. 1, 1840, 518 82

Amount received of Collectors for 1837, 181 12

" " for 1838 & 1839, 6485 55

" " " 1840, 2819 47

" of tax on unseated lands, 307 72

" from the sales of old bridges, 83 12

" State funds for 1835 & 1836, 176 69

Actual Receipts in 1840, 10581 50

8042 70

### EXPENDITURES.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS.

Amount paid Joseph Fulton, in full for building a bridge at Cattawissa, 185 72

do paid E. Edson & Co. in full for building a bridge at the mouth of the Huntingdon creek, 1050 00

do Paid William Cole in full for building a bridge across Fishing creek, 388 75

do Paid O. D. Leib in full for building a stone bridge across Laurel run, 480 00

do Paid Enos Trescott & Co. on contract for building a bridge below Bloom, 2000 00

4104 47

BRIDGE REPAIRS.

Amount paid sundry persons for repairs done to the different bridges built by the county, 1659 07

1659 07

COUNTY BUILDINGS.

Amount paid for repairs on Jail, 93 61

do repairing & cleaning Court House, 53 36

145 98

ASSESSORS PAY.

Amount paid the several Assessors for making the Assessment in 1840,

do Paid John Doak for Briar creek, 14 00

do " Samuel Mellick for Bloom, 9 12

do " John Ellis for Cattawissa, 16 12

do " William Carnahan for Derry, 15 00

do " Daniel Peeler for Fishing creek, 11 12

do " Jacob Evans for Greenwood, 11 12

do " John Shoemaker for Hemlock, 10 12

do " Samuel McHenry for Jackson, 5 12

do " John Marshall for Limestone, 10 12

do " William Wilson for Liberty, 14 00

do " Ephraim M'Colome for Madison, 16 00

do " Daniel Hess for Millin, 14 00

do " Edward DeLong for Monteur, 10 00

do " Michael Sanders for Mahoning, 10 00

do " Samuel Johnson for Mt. Pleasant, 7 12

do " William Patterson for Orange, 7 00

do " Aaron Berninger for Roaringcreek, 15 12

do " Jacob J. Kline for Sugarloaf, 15 00

do " David Blue for Valley, 10 00

235 00

BRIDGE VIEWS.

Amount paid different persons for making reports of bridges and viewing sites for the same, 53 00

ROAD VIEWS.

Amount paid different persons for making reports of road views, 161 00

do paid Mathias Kline for damages done by State road, 165 00

296 00

JUROR WAGES AND MILEAGE.

Amount paid Grand, Traverse and Petit Jurors at the several sessions in 1840

do Paid at January term in 1840, 804 62

do " April term in 1840, 308 50

do " August term in 1840, 534 87

do " November term in 1840, 344 00

do " August term in 1838, 5 00

1796 99

ROOM FOR JURIES.

Amount paid William Henrie for providing a room for Jury at January Term 1840, 3 00

do paid same for room at August term, 1840, 70 00

73 00

COMMONWEALTH COSTS.

Amount paid witnesses, Sheriff's Justices and Constables in Commonwealth suits, 169 41

169 41

DEPUTY ATTORNEYS FEES.

Amount paid J. G. Montgomery, Deputy Attorney in Commonwealth suits, 44 50

44 50

PHYSICIANS FEES.

Amount paid physicians for post mortem examinations and for medical aid to prisoners in county Jail, 160 00

160 00

CONSTABLES ATTENDING COURT.

Amount paid constables attending court at January term in 1840, 96 60

do paid the same at April term, 1840, 43 18

do " the same at August term 1840, 23 50

do " the same at November term 1840, 36 80

145 08

CONSTABLES MAKING RETURNS.

Amount paid constables for making returns to the several sessions, 62 94

62 94

E. S. PENITENTIARY.

Amount paid E. S. Penitentiary in 1840, to support convicts sent from this county, 143 61

143 61

BOOKS AND BOOK BINDING.

Amount paid for R. E. Wrights Election laws for the several townships, 26 00

do paid W. H. Villee for rebinding books for the Prothonotary, Register and Commissioner's offices, 18 87

44 87

ELECTION EXPENSES.

Amount paid the Election Boards of

do Briar creek, in 1840, 38 60

do Bloom, do, 26 90

do Cattawissa, do, 25 30

do Derry, do, 34 50

do Fishing Creek, do, 38 00

do Greenwood, do, 38 75

do Hemlock, do, 35 30

do Jackson, do, 45 16

do Limestone, do, 35 03

do Liberty, do, 32 60

do Madison, do, 28 00

do Mahoning, do, 27 50

do Monteur, do, 33 30

do Millin, do, 39 85

do Mt. Pleasant, do, 25 30

do Orange, do, 34 50

do Paxton, do, 26 00

do Roaring creek, do, 31 81

do Sugarloaf, do, 42 50

do Valley, do, 12 50

\$696 00

PRINTING.

Amount paid L. L. Tate, in 1840, as salary and for advertising, 60 50

do paid V. Best for the same, 61 50

do paid H. Webb, do, 48 00

do paid Thos. Painter, do, 124 87

do paid Wilber & Shriner, do, 18 00

313 77

STATIONARY, FUEL, &c.

Amount paid for stationary, fuel, candles and contingencies, 78 03

78 03

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

Amount paid for Recording Treasurers bonds, 2 56

do " for Led Book for office, 15 00

17 56

PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE.

Amount paid for Docket for the office, 15 50

do paid V. Best, & J. Eyerly, Prothonotary's fees, 95 74

111 24

AUDITORS.

Amount paid Geo. H. Willis, Sebastian Hower and Jas. Dewitt, as Auditors, 15 00

15 00

COMMISSIONERS AND CLERKS WAGES.

Amount paid Joseph Brobst, as Commissioners in full, 157 56

do " John McHenry, do, 78 00

do " John Dieterich, do, 160 50

do " Christian Wolf, do, 10 50

do " J. Hibler and Wilson as clerk, 150 00

566 56

ATTORNEY FOR COMMISSIONERS FEES.

Amount paid Geo. A. Frick, for counsel, and for commissions for Collecting, 45 00

45 00

COURT CRIER.

Amount paid L. Sholes, Crier of quarter sessions and of common pleas, 66 00

66 00

CORONERS FEES.

Amount paid I. C. Johnson for holding Coroner's Inquests, 131 58

131 58

JAILOR AND SHERIFF FEES.

Amount paid Wm. Kitchen for summoning Jurors and for costs in Commonwealth suits, 228 49

228 49

PANTHER AND FOX SCALPS.

Amount paid on certificates for fox scalps, 65 00

do " " do panther, 5 00

70 00

TAX REFUNDED.

Amount of tax refunded on unseated land, 16 56

do do duplicate, 4 38

20 94

EDUCATION.

Amount paid on school orders for Millin, 23 64

23 64

Total amount of expenditures for 1840, \$11,527 75

Balance in favor of the county on the first of January, A. D. 1841, \$7095 46

We the undersigned Auditors, duly elected to settle and adjust the accounts of Columbia county, having carefully examined the accounts and vouchers of the Commissioners and Treasurer of said county for the year 1840, do report that we find them correct, and that we find a balance of cash due the county in the hands of Collectors for county purposes of seven thousand and ninety-five dollars and forty-six cents, exclusive of taxes on unseated lands

Witness our hands this ninth day of January, A. D. 1841.

SEBASTIAN HOWER, } Auditors.  
JAMES DEWITT, }

# STATEMENT

Of the Amount Duplicate of County Tax assessed on each of the respective townships of Columbia county for the years 1830-'7-'8-'9 and 1840.

COLLECTOR'S NAMES.	TOWNSHIPS.	Whole amt duplicate.	Paid.	Balance due.
1836 John Flood	Limestone	616 00	577 24	38 76
1837 David Philips	Mahoning	1000 69	935 96	65 00
1838 Peter Hetler	Millin	513 59	405 50	108 09
1839 Jesse Yocum	Catawissa	557 99	539 35	118 64
John Fritz	Jackson	101 71	87 28	14 43
John Johnson	Madison	538 33	460 37	77 96
James M. Jones	Mahoning	1096 61	746 75	350 86
Eliazer Brothwell	Millin	602 98	554 68	48 30
Philip Fritz	Sugarloaf	217 54	184 22	33 32
1840 John E. Shaffer	Briar creek	1378 31	260 00	1100 31
Samuel Cresler	Bloom	936 34	220 29	716 05
C. A. Brobst	Catawissa	664 46	120 13	544 33
J. C. Sproul	Derry	923 31	236 77	686 54
Abraham Robins	Fishingcreek	244 09	10 00	234 09
Jacob Evans	Greenwood	424 42	216 98	207 44
John M' Reynolds	Hemlock	494 54	70 00	424 54
John McHenry	Jackson	09 05	15 00	53 45
Joseph Dean	Liberty	503 12	185 50	317 62
John Marshall	Limestone	673 26	242 22	431 04
Christian Zimmerman	Millin	601 95	150 20	451 69
Philip Kline	Mt. Pleasant	170 14	91 40	79 08
Isaac Blue	Mahoning	896 82	240 81	656 10
Thomas Hartman	Monteur	453 63	203 29	250 34
Thomas McBride	Madison	552 78	220 74	332 04
John Vance	Orange	307 83	34 00	273 83
Reuben Fahringer	Roaring Creek	505 64	152 72	352 92
Samuel Rohne,	Sugarloaf	260 44	41 00	219 44
William Boudman	Valley	819 77	89 00	730 77

We the undersigned Commissioners of Columbia County, have ascertained from the books of the Treasurer and Commissioners, and do report that the above is a full and correct statement of the balances as they stand charged against the several collectors before mentioned (commissions and exonerations not deducted) the aggregate amount of which is eight thousand and forty-two dollars and seventy cents due from the different collectors, (errors excepted.)

Witness our hands, this ninth day of January, A. D. 1841.  
JOHN M'HENRY, }  
JOHN DIETERICH, } Commissioners.  
CHRISTIAN WOLF, }

Attest.—JOHN S. WILSON, Clerk.  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Danville, January 9th, 1841.

## THE RESURRECTION OR, PERSIAN PILLS.

SUPERIOR TO THE HYGEAN, BRANDETH'S, EVANS' SINDIAN PURGATIVE, THE MATCHLESS (priced) SALVATIVE, or any other pills or compound before the public, as certified to by Physicians and others.

Let none condemn them until they have tried them, and then we are certain they will not.

It is now a settled point with all who have used the Vegetable Persian Pills that they are pre-eminently the best and most efficacious Family Medicine that has yet been used in America. If every family could become acquainted with their Sovereign power over disease, they would keep them and be prepared with a sure remedy to apply on the first appearance of disease, and then how much distress would be avoided and money saved, as well as the lives of thousands who are hurried out of time by neglecting disease in its first stages, or by not being in possession of a remedy which they can place dependence upon.

The name of these pills originated from the circumstance of the medicine being found only in the cemeteries of Persia. This vegetable production being of a peculiar kind, led to experiments as to its medicinal qualities and virtues. In half a century it became an established medicine for the diseases of that country. The extract of this singular production was introduced into some parts of Europe in the year 1783, and used by many celebrated Physicians in curing certain diseases, where all other medicine has been used in vain. Early in the year 1792, the extract was combined with a certain vegetable medicine imported from Dura Baca, in the East Indies, and formed into Pills. The admirable effect of this compound upon the human system, led physicians and families into its general use. Their long established character their universal and healing virtues, the detergent and cleansing qualities of their specific action upon the glandular part of the system, are such as will sustain their reputation and general use in the American Republic.

I certify that I have, by way of experiment, used the Hygean, and most of the various kinds of Pills, in my practice, which have borne the highest repute in the public estimation, that have been offered for sale in this vicinity for the last five years, including those called the Resurrection or Persian Pills; and the public may rest assured that none among the whole catalogue has answered a better purpose, as an easy and effectual remedy, than the Resurrection or Persian Pills, in most cases of disease.

CHARLES BACKUS, M. D.  
Rochester, N. Y. Sept. 21, 1837.

TO MOTHERS.

Messrs. E. Chase & Co.—Gents.—Hearing much said about the extraordinary effects of the Resurrection or Persian Pills, upon those about to become mothers, we were induced to make a trial of them. My wife was at that time the mother of five children, and had suffered the most tedious and excruciating pains during and after her confinement of each. She had tried every means and taken much medicine, but found little or no relief. She commenced taking the Persian Pills about three months before her confinement (her health being very poor about this length of time previous) and in a short time she was enabled by their use to attend to the cares of a mother to her family until her confinement. At the time she commenced taking the Persian Pills, and for several weeks previous, she was afflicted with a dry hard cough, and frequent severe cramps, which the use of the Pills entirely removed before using half a box. It is with the greatest confidence that we advise all those about to become mothers to make use of the Persian Pills. All those that have taken them in our neighborhood have got along in the same easy manner, and are about the house in a few days. There does not appear to be half the danger of other dangers setting in after confinement, where these Pills are taken.—We untidily say, let none neglect taking them, for they are in the reach of the poor as well as the rich. We are truly thankful that there is a remedy which females can easily procure which tends to lessen the world of suffering, which many of them have to bear,

and perhaps save the lives of thousands which would otherwise be lost.

Rochester, May 14, 1838; corner of Callidonian square, Edinburg street; for further particulars see subscribers.

S. ROBERTS,  
ANN O. ROBERTS.

ROCHESTER, Sept. 24, 1836.

Messrs. E. Chase & Co.

I think it my duty to let you know what a great cure your Pills have performed on me—I had been sick about 7 years—about 2 years and a half confined to my bed. I had been given over as incurable, with Consumption, by twelve physicians of the first standing; my lungs were seriously affected; I had 3 ulcers gather and break; my cough was dry and harsh most of the time; my liver was much swollen, and my stomach very dyspeptic. I had chills, fever, and night sweat, accompanied with extreme irritableness of the nervous system, and other difficulties which I forbear to mention. After I was given over, I tried almost all medicines which were advertised, but to no advantage, until I tried your Vegetable Persian Pills. I began to gain in a short time after I commenced taking them; and, to be brief, before I took 3 boxes, I was able to ride out and to take considerable exercise, and at this time I enjoy good health, and am able to do good day's work. If any one wishes a more particular history of my sufferings, he may call on me, at the corner of Main and Clinton-streets, Rochester.

RUBY ADAMS.

FITS CURED.—The undersigned hereby certify, that we are the Parents of two children who have been afflicted with fits more or less from their infancy, and that we have spared no pains or expense in endeavoring to effect a cure, but without any beneficial effect, until hearing of the Resurrection or Persian Pills, when four boxes were immediately procured, and before three boxes were taken, the fits had abated in frequency, and every symptom much improved, and now we are happy to state that our children by the use of the Persian Pills, with the blessing of God, are entirely cured and have no symptom or appearance of fits, will find in the Persian Pills a sure and perfect cure.

JOHN & MARTHA JOHNSON  
Canton N. Y. Dec. 10, 1837.

The above pills may be had of the following agents—John Moyer, Bloomsburg; H. Miller, Berwick; J. Cooper & Sons, Hazleton; C. Hartman Espeytown; John Sharpless, Cattawissa; Lyman Sholes, Danville.

Ezra Taylor, agent for the State of Pennsylvania, residing at Rochester N. Y. to whom all orders can be addressed.

DR. SWAYNE'S  
COMPOUND SYRUP OF  
PRUNUS VIRGINIANA  
OR  
WILD CHERRY,  
For Coughs, Colds, Asthmas, Spitting of Blood, Soreness of Throat, Whooping Cough, and all Diseases indicative of CONSUMPTION.

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS.—So it is with those who neglect their COLDS and COUGH.—At first you complain of having a Cold, which is neglected; after which a soreness is experienced in the Bronchia, with a Hacking Cough, and finally the disease settles upon the lungs, which the patient will soon perceive by a wasting away of the body, attended with hectic fevers and spitting up of florid blood and matter from ulcers on the lungs; a pain and weight is also experienced at the affected part of the lungs; the functions of the animal economy grow languid; the body becomes dry; the eyes sink deep within their cavities; at length the patient pays the debt of nature, when he is flattered himself with the hopes of a speedy recovery. To obviate all those distressing symptoms "Spare no Time" in procuring the above Invaluable Medicine at the very commencement of your Cold and Coughs whereby your health may be secured and time and money saved. For sale at Tobias's Health Emporium Bloomsburg