## The Man who Could'nt Fight.

**A SERIES OF INCIDENTS IN ARKANSAS LIFE.**

The beautiful little town of Van Buren, on the Arkansas river, near the Cherokee line, during its early history, was famous for the number and ferocity of its desperadoes, being the principal meridian and focus of rendezvous for gamblers, Indian traders, and all sorts of adventures who had found it necessary to change their domicile from lands governed by the administration of a rigid criminal code.—The half-breed "braves" from the Cherokee Nation, also flocked to the same side to drink, carouse, take a hand at cards, and exhibit their prowess in sanguinary "set tos" with pistols and long knives.—Such a society may be immagined—it cannot be discribed. Not a sun performed its circut that did not witness some dreadful single combat, with or without murderous weapons, while now and then dozens at a time, and by mutual agreement, marched from the rum shops out into the public square, and encountered in mortal strife.

At this period Thomas A. Meyres emigrated to Arkansas, and opened a large grocery store in Van Buren, acting himself as the keeper and retailer. Such an occupation at that time required a man of the most determined courage, as the store had always a back room or shed attached, specially appropriated to gambling both by day and night, and where the players were supplied with the choicest of liquors, and would be sure to bully the grocer out of his reasonable charges unless they were restrained by fear.

For awhile, however, Meyres succeeded admirably. The half-breeds, loafers, and "chartered fighters," as they called themselves, held a caucus, and unanimously voted "that the new arrival was a dangerous subject and had better be left alone." This verdict was altogether owing to the stranger's personal appearance, as military as might well be conceived. Tall, manly, symmetrical in shape, with great endowments both of strength and agility, he would have had few equals in a fair contest with the arms of naked nature.—But, by the cunning inventions of art, iron, steel and lead, and the thunder and lightning of gunpowder, are made to fight for the feeblest bosom: and thus dwarfs and giants, provided both are alike the heirs of true courage, now stand upon the same dead level. It was believed also that Meyers possessed the resolute will to handle those awful engines of destruction, where life and death hang on the touch of a trigger. His countenance betokened the perfection of bravery. His fine face generally wore a stern expression, and, when that melted to a smile, the smile seemed sterner still. His eyes were exceedingly black, wild, penetrating, and restless, and had that cold gleaming, metalic look, which may be regarded as the surest sign of thorough desperation. Besides he carried an appalling supply of pistols, and a Bowie-knife fourteen inches in the blade. Hence, every body was respectful and obliging to the ostensible heroe for a period of several weeks, during which an unusal calm reigned in the village.

At length a terrible affray occurred in Meyers's grocery. Half a dozen fire arms exploded in quick succession, and the deafning roar so frightened the keeper that he fairly took to his heels and fled from his own establishment. The fact settled public opinion as to his character.

"What a chicken-hearted coward, to run from his castle!" exclaimed General Cole, the Napolean of frontier duellists and gamblers.

"Why, he hasn't the spunk of a dead possum!" lisped Bill Green, the dandy loafer, combing his perfumed "soap locks" with his long rosy nails.

"Let's drink his liquor and smoke his cigars, and not pay him for them, because as how he's a coward," said Jack Warhawk, a huge half-breed; and having enunciated this enthymeme of genuine Cherokee logic, Jack leaped over the counter and began to fill glasses and hand out cigars crying—"Toast to the brave, my boys! We'll never want while the world has chickens of the white feather."

The firing in the grocery having ceased for more than an hour, being replaced by a din of the most boisterous mirth, Meyers by a great effort, mustered the spirit to return. He found the customers helping themselves with a vengeance, and thought to overawe them by the assumption of heroic airs. He snatched his revolver from his pocket, and pointing it at Warhawk's breast, ordered him to leave his house.

"If that's what you're arter," shouted Jack ensheathing his Big Bowie, and springing back over the counter. "Here's what will give you a ladle-full."

Meyers still kept his revolver presented;—but his hand shook like a leaf in the tempest, his very lips grew white with terror and his trembling feet involuntarily retreated backwards by shortquivering steps. The two feelings, physical fear and moral courage, were struggling for the mastery. He was endeavoring to act bravely. His will was brave, but his nerves refused their concurrence, and he remained, so to speak, in equipoise—totally incapable of acting at all. He was impotent to fight, and as powerless to fly.

There was no such hesitation in the conduct of Jack Warhawk. Brandishing his great knife with his right hand, he seized the flowing locks of Meyers in his left, and roared at the top of his lungs—

"Down, coward!—down on your marrow bones' or, by the blue blazes, I'll cut out your heart!"

Incredible as it may seem, Meyers, still holding his deadly revolver, loaded with six rounds, cowered to the floor like a beaten hound, and begged most piteously for his life—a prayer which the mocking crowd granted, on this condition that he should treat the crowd for a month. At this hour the unfortunate Meyers was a prey to every species of insult and outrage. The loafers would pull his nose for mere amusement; the half-breeds would spit in his face to make him treat; and General Cole, when intoxicated, would strike him with his cane to cure him of his cowardice, as he said. The poor grocery-keeper brooked all these gross indignities with the patience of a martyr, and would sometimes meekly remonstrate—

"Gentlemen, it is ungenerous to abuse me thus, for I confess that I have no courage. I cannot fight."

This continued for a whole year, when a change occurred that caused the insulters of Meyres to rue their ignoble persecutions. He had a young and beautiful wife, whom he loved with the tenderest passion. One day, when the husband was absent, the hideous half-bread Jack Warhawk, instigated to the damning deed by the persuasion of General Cole, went to the grocery-keeper's private residence, and maltreated his lady in the most shameful manner.

Meyers returned home to find his beloved one drowned, as it were, in tears.—He heard the harrowing tale without any external manifestations of extraordinary emotion. His face it is true, became somewhat pale; his lip quivered an instant, and then settled to an expression rigid as a mouth of iron; and his wild black eye, it may be, shot a few more beams of penetrating fire; but he did not rave or mutter curses. He uttered a whisper of menace: he did not even condole or sympathise with his afflicted wife. He only armed himself with that Bowie knife fourteen inches in the blade from hilt to point, and started for the village.

He came within sight of his enemy, then promenading the public squire and boasting of his villainous achievement.—At this vision Meyers's lip curled into a horrid smile and his dark eye melted in a stream of tears. He approached till he stood nearly touching the half-breed, and then said, in a shrill, hissing whisper—

"Wretch, be quick! Draw, for on this spot one of us must die!"

And he waited till the other should be ready for the strife on equal terms. He did not have to wait long, for Jack, understanding that cold, glittering, snaky, smile and those hot, gushing tears, as the certain tokens of murderous madness, immediately unsheathed at the same moment with his advasary, and they began the dreadful combat, which, indeed, was soon decided. Meyers parried three furious blows of the half-breed, and then, grasping his foe's clothing with his left hand, with his right plunged his knife up to the hilt in his heart. The Cherokee expired without a groan.

And now the inward and terrible passions of Meyers found vent in appalling explosions. His curses were fearful to hear; he spurned his fallen enemy with his foot, and wished aloud that he had a hundred lives, so that he might himself enjoy the pleasure of killing him a hundrd times over. His wrath then changed to his other insulters. He flew at the leader, Bill Green, and tore out his "soap locks" by handfulls. He sprung upon General Cole, and pulled his nose till it was flattened between his fingers—all the while that gory knife dripping with blood in his red right hand! His enemies were so taken by surprise, terror-stricken, stupified, that for a space they seemed utterly incapable of voluntary motions.

The coward had suddenly become braver than the bravest, The equipoise of feelings was destroyed forever; the sheer power of pure will had conquered physical fear! Does any one doubt our strange story? Let him address a letter of inquiry to the Hon. G. W. Paschel, of Van Buren, late a judge of the Supreme Court of Arkansas, and the fullest confirmation can be obtained.

But the tragedy did not end with the death of the half-breed; a greater victim was required to complete the expiation.

On the same evening Gen. Cole called a special council of his friends to consult on the coure he should pursue. There was but one opinion—that, as he had been insulted by a direct and gross public indignity, he must call his foe to the field of honor, accordingly, on the following morn a challenge was dispatched, which Myers promptly accepted, and fixed the time at noon of the same day—the weapons to be double-barreled shot guns—distance ten paces!

The parties met on the sand beach under the bank of the river above the village, and hundreds collected to witness the issue. The mortal beligerents were placed in position by their seconds, and the death-dealing guns—enormous double barrels— rested with dark yawning muzzles on the sand, in their hands. The spectators were much astonished at the strong contrast exhibited by their appearance. Gen. Cole was an experienced duelist, who had shot his man before he was eighteen, and has often since been engaged in affairs of the kind. On the contrary, Meyers was little acquainted with the use of fire-arms, and had always hitherto been an unmitigated paltroon.—And yet singular to record, the duelist stood up, nervous, agitated, almost trembling, while the reputed coward was calm, firm, steady as a rock, with that apalling smile still curling on his lip, and a few scattered tear drops, gleaming in the sun, on his cheek!

Gen Cole's second gave the word:—"Fire—one—two—three!" He needed not however, counted so many, for with the echo of the second "Fire," Meyers elevated his piece quick as thought and touched trigger. There was an awful roar, and Gen. Cole the duelist, fell dead. His head was torn into fragments, pierced by twenty buck shot.

No one again ever called Meyers a coward in Arkansas—no one ever even thought the term, as his shadow gleamed by in the sunlight. He had taken his degrees in the college of desperation, and his diploma was written in blood. He became a politician of great popularity, leader in that section of the State: was repeatedly elected to the legislature, where he acquired distinction by his talents, but still more by his fearless daring; and as he is said to be yet in the progress of ascension, having recently obtained the commission of a major general of militia, we may expect before long to see his name in the roll of members of Congress. Nature made him a coward; love for his insulted wife rendered him brave; and bravery has conferred honor.—*Sunday Times.*

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## APPEALS FOR THE TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT

APPEALS will be held by the Commissioners in the respective townships and boroughs as follows, viz:

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| In Goshen on | Tuesday, Oct. 30. | at Ab'm Leonards. | |
| Girard | Wednesday, " 31, | at Congress Hill | [School House. |
| Covington | Thursday. Nov. 1st | at J. Maurer's. | |
| Karthaus | Friday, " 2d | at Boarding House | [at Karthaus. |
| Huston | on Monday " 5th | at Jesse Watsons | |
| Fox | Wednesday " 7th | " John I. Bundy | |
| Union | Thursday 8th | R W Moore. | |
| Brady | Friday 9th | W. C. Foust | |
| Penn | Saturday 10th | Jon'a. Evans. | |
| Bell | Monday 12th | Aseph Ellis. | |
| Burnside | Tuesday 13th | John Young. | |
| Chest | Wednesday 14th | Jas Curry dec'd | |
| Ferguson | Thursday 15th | F. B. Davis. | |
| Jordan | Friday 16th | Jas McNeal. | |
| Beccaria | Saturday 17th | S. M. Smith. | |
| Woodward | Monday 19th | C. Shiff | |
| Decatur | Tuesday 20th | John Goss. | |
| Morris | Wednesday 21st | Jas Arbont. | |
| Bradford | Thursday 22d | Wm Hoover. | |
| Boggs | Friday 23d | Commondale. | |
| Bor'o & Lawrence | Saturday 24th | Comm'rs Office. | |
| Pike | Monday 26th | John Drucker | |

The Assessors are requested to be present with their duplicates, at the appeal when held in their appropriate district to assist in making a correct assessment.

An appeal will also be held at the Commissioners office, in Clearfield, on Saturday 24th Nov next, for the purpose of equalizing and adjusting the valuation of Unseated Land throughout the county, at which time and place, all delegates of unseated lands, agents, &c., desiring corrections are requested to present.

JAS. A. REED,
JAS. ELDER,
B. BONSALL, } Com'rs.

Attest, W. A. Wallace, Cl'k.
Commr's Office, Oct. 13, 1849.

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## M'Allister's Ointment.

FROM THE "READING EAGLE."—There was never, perhaps, a Medicine brought before the public, that has in so short time won such a reputation as M'ALLISTER'S ALL-HEALING OR WORLD SALVE. Almost every person that has made trial of it, speaks warmly in its praise. One has been cured by it, of the most painful Rheumatism; another, of the Piles, a third of a troublesome pain in the side, a fourth of a swelling in the limbs, &c., &c. It it does not give immediate relief, in every case, it can do no injury, being applied outwardly. As another evidence of the wonderful healing power possessed by this salve, we subjoin the following Certificate, from a respectable citizen of Maidencreek township, in this county:

MAIDENCREEK, Berks co., March 30, 1847.

Messrs. Roller & Co.—I desire to inform you that I was entirely cured of a severe pain in the back, by the use of M'Allister's All-healing Salve, which I purchased from you. I suffered with it for about 20 years, and at night was unable to sleep. During that time I tried various remedies, which were prescribed for me by physicians and other persons, without receiving any relief, and at last made trial of this Salve, with a result favorable beyond expectation. I am now entirely free from the pain, and enjoy at night a peaceful and sweet sleep. I have also used the Salve since for Toothache and other complaints, with similar happy results. Your friend,

JOHN HOLDINBACH

*Around the Box are Directions for using McAllister's Ointment, for Scrofula, Liver Complaint, Erysipelas, Tetter Chilblain, Scald Head Sore Eyes, Quinsy Sore Throat Bronchitis Nervous Affections Pains Disease of the Spine, Head Ache, Asthma Deafness, Ear Ache, Bunn Corns, all Diseases of the Skin Sore Lips, Pimples &c., Stiffness of the joints, Swelling of the Limbs Sores, Rheumatism Piles, Cold Feet, Croup Swelled or Broken Breast Tooth Ache, Ague in the Face &c &c.*

☞ *The Ointment is good for any part of the body or limbs when inflamed. In some cases it should be applid often*

*CAUTION.—No Ointment will be genuine unless the name of JAMES McALLISTER is written with a pen on every label*

PRICE TWENTY FIVE CENTS A BOX.

*For sale by my Agents in all the principal cities and towns in the United States and by Druggists generally*

JAMES McALLISTER,
Sole Proprietor of the above Medicine.

☞ *Price 25 cents per box.*

*AGENTS:*

*E. & W. F. Irwin, Clearfield.*
*Messrs. Arnolds, Luthersburg.*
*John Patton, Curwensville.*
*Levi Lutz, Frenchville.*

*Clearfield, Jan. 15, 1849.—1y*

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## FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

WM. BIGLER & CO are now just receiving and opening at their old stand a fresh supply of seasonable goods, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, a choice variety of trimmings for Ladies Dresses and Cloaks—also Oils, Paints, Dye Stuffs, Nails, Iron and Glass with the usual variety of notions. The public are invited to call and examine for themselves

Oct 9 1849.

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## TURNPIKE NOTICE.

THE stockholders of the Grass Hope and Little Bald Eagle Turnpike Road company are hereby notified that an election will be held on Monday the 5th day of November next, at the Grist Mill (the heirs of Adam Nevling dec'd) in Beccaria township, in the county of Clearfield between the hours of 12 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon of said day to elect by ballot one person for President, Six persons for Managers and one person for Treasurer of said company for the ensuing year.

A. P. OWENS, Pres't.

Birmingham, Oct. 9 1849.

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A Large assortment of Vestings, Cassimeres, Bonnets, Silk, Braid and Velvet, for sale at the cheap store of BIGLER & co.

6 Pieces cotton Flannel and Table Linen, for sale by BIGLER & co.

12 Pieces of Red and White Flannel, for sale at the store of BIGLER & co.

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## Court Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Hon. George W. Woodward, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 4th judicial district, composed of the counties of Clinton, Centre and Clearfield, and the Hon James T. Leonard and Abraham K. Wright, Esquires, Associate Judges in Clearfield county, have issued their precept bearing date the 1st day of Sept. 1849, to me directed, for holding a *Court of Common Pleas, Orphans Court, Court of Quarter Sessions, and Court of Oyer & Terminer and General Jail Delivery,*

at Clearfield Town for the County of Clearfield, on the 1st Monday of December next, (being the 3d day of the month)

*Notice is therefore, hereby given,*

to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace, & Constables in and for the County of Clearfield, to appear in their own proper persons, with Rolls, Records, Inquisitions, Examinations and other Remembrances, to do those things which their office & in their behalf appertain to be done; and all witnesses and other persons prosecuting in behalf of the Commonwealth against any prisoners are required to be then and there attending and not depart without leave, at their peril. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance at the appointed time agreeable to notice.

Given under my hand at the town of Clearfield, this 24th day of Oct., in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty nine, and the seventy-second year of American Independence.

JOHN SHAWES, Sh'ff.

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## CIRCULAR.

To Clergymen, Post-masters, Teachers of Sabbath-Scools, Book Agents, Students, and Heads of Families.

*Agents wanted in every section of the U. S to sell*

Sear's Pictoral Family Annual;

AN ILLUSTRATED WORK, comprising a [illegible] 460 pages, elegantly bound in gilt, and [illegible] in the most finished [illegible] book making

**Price only Two Dollars.**

This [illegible] Library of Useful Information. Knowledge is increased in some [illegible] manner by [illegible] reading. The engravings, over 200 [illegible] second Sunday Concerts, Marriage Ceremonies, &c.

☞ Such a work will be [illegible] by every intelligent person [illegible] information it may contain as one of the most [illegible] for a father to present to his family as regards both the quantity and quality of [illegible] the morals and the pure character of its [illegible]. In preparing every article for the press the greatest caution has been used to insert nothing but what is entirely improving and instructive character.

To men of enterprise and [illegible] this work also offers an opportunity for profitable employment seldom to be met with. There is not a town in the Union where a right, honest and well disposed person can not sell from 50 to 200 copies according to the population.

All persons wishing sample copies to examine or procure subscribers with a view to receive 1 or more, [illegible] bound in paper covers*—the postage not exceeding 30 cents on each volume will be forwarded on the receipt of ONE DOLLAR. In this way, no matter where a person resides, if only within the reach of a Post Office he can obtain a copy of the FAMILY ANNUAL.

☞ Persons in the country wishing to act as Agents may obtain all the requisite information by addressing the subscriber. To secure attention to any communications they must be post paid. In writing, let each person mention his Post Office County and State.

ROBERT SEARS, Publisher,
No. 128 Nassau st., N. Y.

*NOTE.—The only kind we are allowed to forward under the Post Office Law.

*To publishers of Newspapers throughout the United States.*

*,* Newspapers copying this advertisement, entire, well displayed, as above, without any alteration or abridgement (including this notice) and giving it four inside insertions, shall receive a copy of the ANNUAL (subject to their order,) by sending direct to the publisher Oct 12

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## PROSPECTUS OF THE REPUBLIC.

The undersigned will, on the 13th day of June, 1849, begin the publication in the City of Washington, of a daily Whig Administration paper, to be called "THE REPUBLIC," the editorial supervision of which will be committed to the exclusive care of Alexander C. Bullitt and John O. Sargent.

The Republic will give to the principles upon which the administration of General Taylor came into power, a cordial, zealous and constant support. It will be a faithful record of the times; it will discuss public measures in an impartial and independent spirit, it will be a vehicle of the latest and most authentic information; it will be, in a word, a political newspaper, devoted to the liberalizing and progressive doctrines which prevailed in the late Presidential canvass; to the interests of labor, as veloped in the wants of agriculture, commerce and manufactures, and to the cause of literature, science, and general intelligence.

The Republic will acknowledge no allegiance except to the country. It will aim to merit the confidence and support of the American people. It will be the organ of no person, or party, or fraction of a party, in that compulsory sense which would hinder it from speaking boldly and candidly to the people about whatever it concerns them to know.

The Republic will be printed upon a double royal sheet, in a new, large, clear, readable type.

Besides the Daily paper, there will be published a Tri-weekly and Weekly Republic, made up of the most interesting & important matter of the Daily issue.

**Terms:**

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| For the Daily Republic, | $10 00 |
| For the Tri-Weekly, | 6 00 |
| For the Weekly, | 2 00 |

*To Postmasters.*—Any Postmaster who will transmit us $10 shall have six copies of the *Weekly* Republic sent to such persons as he may direct, and $15 will entitle the Postmaster to three copies of the *Tri-Weekly* paper.

No paper will be sent unless the order is accompanied by the money.

All communications upon business must be addressed to GIDEON & Co.,
Washington City.

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## Estate of Michael Seyler, Deceased.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the subscribers on the estate of Michael Seyler, late of Brady township, Clearfield county, dec'd—all persons having claims or demands against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement, and all persons indebted to the same are requested to make payment without delay.

JOSEPH SEYLER, } Adm'rs.
JOHN SEYLER.

Oct. 12, 1849.

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## MONEY SAVED.

## FARMERS LOOK HERE.

*Four Horse Power Tumbling Shaft and Strap Threshing Machines for $75.*

S. & S. WILSON, of Strattonville, Clarion county, Pa., would respectfully inform the people of Clearfield county, that they are still manufacturing, and keep constantly on hand, Four Horse Power Threshing Machines, at the low price of SEVENTY-FIVE DOLLARS, warranted to be good.

Also, Two Horse Power Threshing Machines, not surpassed by any in the State, and we will warrant them to thresh in one day 125 bushels Wheat, or 125 bushels Rye, or 225 bushels Oats, or 15 bushels clover seed, if well attended.

They have erected a Foundry and Blacksmith shop which enables them to sell machines at a much lower price than ever offered in Pennsylvania.

PATENT CORN-SHELLER. They are now making, and keep on hand, a Patent Corn-Sheller at the low price of One Dollar and Fifty cents each.

The subscribers will receive in payment of the above Threshing Machines, GRAIN, Wheat, Rye, and Oats, delivered at Shaw's Mill, at Clearfield, or at Irvin's Mill, Curwensville.

RICHARD SHAW, Clearfield, and R. HARTSHORN, Curwensville, are agents for the sale of the above machines in this county, either of whom will give all necessary information relating thereto.

S. & S. WILSON.

Strattonville, June 15, 1849.

MACHINES have been purchased by the following named persons in Clearfield county, where those wishing to purchase can call and examine for themselves.

*John Stites*, Boggs township,
*A. G. Welch*, Lawrence township,
*Thomas Read*, " "
*James A. Read*, " "
*John Nodgie*, Penn towhship,
*Joseph Patterson*, Jordan township,
*William Leonard*, Goshen township,
*Isaac Barger*, Bradford township,
*Hugh Henderson*, Woodward township.
*William Martin, James McCully,*
*E. Williams, John Williams.*

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## Valuable Real Estate AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscribers offer to sell the following described real estate.

The farm on which he resides in Penn township, Clearfield county, containing 70 acres—40 of which is cleared, under good fence and in a good state of cultivation. The improvements are a good two story Frame House and frame barn, and also a good Apple Orchard with other out buildings necessary for a farm and a never-failing spring of water at the door.

## Also,

Another place in the same township, containing 121 acres—is partly timber and, with 18 acres under cultivation. The first is situated on the public road leading from Curwensville to Punxsutawney, and half a mile from Moore's Mill.

This property will be sold on very reasonable terms. For further particulars apply to

GARRETSON JOHNSON.

June 27, 1849—3pd $1

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## CLOCK & WATCH MAKER.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has commenced the above mentioned business, in the borough of Clearfield, ONE DOOR north of the Mansion House, where he is prepared to repair Clocks, Watches and Jewelry of every kind. He hopes by strict attention to business to merit and receive a share of public patronage. Work done on the shortest notice, and most reasonable terms.

J. L. PAINE.

Clearfie'd Sept 12, 1849

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## PRINTERS

OF Newspapers are informed that the subscribers are extensively engaged in the manufacture of PRINTING INK of every color and quality, which they know to be equal to any manufactured, and which they will sell at the lowest prices for Cash. As they are determined that their ink shall recommend itself they only ask ONE TRIAL of it, relying upon its merits for more patronage. Their colored inks are warranted superior to any manufactured. A circular containing prices, &c., will be sent to those who desire it. Orders for cash or cities agents accepted.

☞ Publishers of newspapers inserting this advertisement to the amount of $2 and sending us a copy of the paper, by remitting $5 at any time, will receive a 30 lb. keg of Extra News Ink.

ADAMS & CO.

Steam Printing Ink Works Paris.

Agents for the sale of new and second hand Printing Materials. July 30

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## RED & BROWN PILLS.

AGENTS for the sale of Dr. E. Green's Red and Brown Pills in Clearfield county.

*Richard Shaw*, Clearfield.
*Bigler & Co.* do
*John Patton*, Curwensville.
*I. L. Barrett*, Clearfield Bridge.
*Thomas McGhee*, McGhee's Mill.
*David Kipport*, Cherry Tree.
*P. W. Barrett*, Luthersburg.
*Clark Fitchin*, Girard township.
*Levi [illegible]*, Frenchville.
*James [illegible] Murray*, Burnside township.
*Jas. M. Gill*, Philipsburg, Centre co.

June 13 1849.

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## NEW CABINET & CHAIR Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has commenced the above mentioned business, in all its various branches, in the town of Clearfield, directly opposite the Methodist Church, where he is prepared to manufacture

CABINET-WARE AND CHAIRS

in the most durable manner. He hopes by strict attention to business, to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

☞ COFFINS made to order on the shortest notice.

J. C. CAMPBELL.

Clearfield June 18, 1849

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## Drugs, Medicines, &c

THE subscriber respectfully announces to the citizens of Curwensville and the public at large, that he has just opened a

## DRUG STORE,

in Graham's Hotel, in Curwensville, comprising a well selected assortment of

*Drugs, Medicines, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Dye Stuffs, &c.; together with an assortment of Glass, and in short, all other articles usually kept in Drug Stores.*

Being assisted in the practical work by one who has had years experience in the business, he may rest assured that his Drugs are of the purest character.

R. V. WILSON.

July 6, 1849.—3m

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## COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber will keep a constant supply of COAL—either raw or coked at the BANK—for cash—country produce or an order from R. Shaw.

T. C. MANUEL.

Aug. 22, 1849.—3m

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## CAUTION.

TAKE NOTICE that my wife ELLEN and her daughter ELIZABETH, on the night of the 3d of October, inst., about 11 o'clock, absconded from my house in Centre township, Indiana county, Pa., and stole from me, two MARES and two COLTS—the mares are both bay, one eight years old, the other seven—the oldest has a bright star on her forehead, and some white on both hind feet—the other has a small star on her forehead, and a narrow strip of white down her face and her left hind leg a little white above the foot.—The Colts are both bay horse colts 5 months old, both bald faced, with white legs, and large for their age.

I hereby warn all persons against harboring or trusting my wife Ellen on my account, or purchasing the horses or colts.

JAMES GALLAHER, sen.

October 16, 1849.—pd.

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## LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING in the Post Office at Clearfield, Pa., for the quarter ending 30th September, 1849.

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| Ardery Susannah | Ogden Leonard |
| iAny Daguerean Artist 2 | Read Jane Miss |
| Butler Wm G | Southard John |
| Cox James | Shortess Jesse |
| Lynch Simon | Thompson W H esq. |
| Marks Levi | Wainwright Thos. |
| Younkin Charles | |

WM. RADEBAUGH, P. M.

October 1, 1849.

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## LIST OF GRAND JURORS

*For December Term 1849.*

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|---|---|---|
| Geo. Thompson | Farmer | Brady |
| R C Taylor | Potter | do |
| John Fenton, jr. | Farmer | Goshen |
| Matthew Tate | do | do |
| Thomas Mills | Coachmaker | Borough |
| Hugh Leavy | Mason | do |
| David Hoover | Farmer | Lawrence |
| J B Stewart | Lumberman | Beccaria |
| Joshua Comstock | Farmer | do |
| Aseph Ellis | do | Bell |
| Wm Hoover | do | Bradford |
| John W Kylar | do | do |
| Joseph Potter | do | Morris |
| Wm F Johnston | do | Penn |
| Thomas Kirk | Millwright | do |
| Jno. Mehaffy | Lumberman | Burnside |
| Joseph Brothers | Farmer | do |
| A B Waller | Merchant | do |
| Jon. Hartshorne | Farmer | Pike |
| Thos. Ross | Surveyor | do |
| John J Bloom | Farmer | do |
| Francis Grossaint | do | Covington |
| Wm Wells | Miller | Boggs |
| D McCullough | Farmer | Jordan |

## LIST OF TRAVIS JURORS

*For December Term 1849.*

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| F Hollopeter | Farmer | Brady |
| David Horn, jr. | Tailor | do |
| R Mehaffy | Lumberman | Bell |
| Jacob Walters | Farmer | do |
| Hugh Gallaher | Lumberman | Burnside |
| R Mossop | Cordwainer | Borough |
| David Litz | Blacksmith | do |
| John Luzere | Farmer | Bradford |
| Wm Graham, jr. | do | do |
| John Kline, jr. | do | do |
| Dennis Crowell | do | Decatur |
| David Gearhart | do | do |
| Jacob Runk | do | do |
| Thomas Dixon | do | do |
| Wm Albert | do | do |
| Thos. M'Cracken | Lumberman | Ferguson |
| John P Hoyt | Merchant | do |
| Wm Mitchell | Farmer | Lawrence |
| John Long | Carpenter | do |
| Martin Nichols | Farmer | do |
| Wm Mapes | do | do |
| A G Welch | do | do |
| James Irwin | do | do |
| Sam'l G Davis | do | Beccaria |
| Ab'm S Keaggy | do | do |
| Jackson Kincaid | Laborer | do |
| Adam Huey | do | Covington |
| John P Dale | Farmer | Pike |
| Jas. B Caldwell | do | do |
| Wm Alexander | do | Woodward |
| Adam Spackman | do | Girard |
| Robert Graham | do | Goshen |
| Samuel Miles | do | Jordan |
| Robert Thompson | do | do |
| Alpheus W Heath | do | Fox |
| Thomas Kylar | Merchant | Morris |

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## $50 REWARD.

BROKE Jail on the night of the 6th instant two men named LERIAS COLEMAN & SAMUEL MILLER. Said Coleman is about 5 feet 9 inches high, stout built, light hair, and fair complexion; his clothes were a black coat and pants, a mixed summer cloth, and black hat with broad brim, and is about 22 years of age. Miller was also about 5 feet 9 or 9 inches high, pretty stout built, very black bushy hair and whiskers, dark complexion, and very black piercing eyes. He had on a black frock coat and pants, and black hat.

$20 of the above reward will be given for the apprehension and lodgement of Coleman in any of the adjoining counties, or his delivery to the subscriber, and the balance ($10) for Miller.

H. B. BEISSEL, Keeper.

Clearfield, Oct. 9, 1849.

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## STRAY STEER.

CAME to the plantation of the subscriber in Bigg township, Clearfield county, on the 26th day of August last, a BRINDLE STEER supposed to be two years old. The owner is requested to come forward and prove his property, otherwise it will be disposed of as the law directs.

GEORGE WILSON, sen.

September 16, 1849.

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## DISSOLUTION

OF partnership. The partnership heretofore existing between Jacob & Lewis Kuntz has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Those having claims against said firm will present them immediately to Jacob Kuntz for settlement, as the property is now in his possession and he is to pay all debts due from the firm.

JACOB KUNTZ,
LEWIS KUNTZ.

Brady township, April 11, 1849.

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## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary have been granted to the subscriber upon the estate of Adam Rishel, late of Bigg township, Clearfield county, deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make payment on or before the 1st of October, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

ELIAS RISHEL,
JOSEPH LANES, Ex'rs.

Sept. 6, 1849.—1t

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2 Pieces French Merino for Ladies Cloaks, for sale at the store of BIGLER & co.