## Affecting Incident.

We find the following heart-touching etory in the Pitteburg Commercial Jour-

It was a few days ofter the news of Bueva Vista-the very day that the mail wounded-we were seated in the office, reading over the names with a sad curiosty, seeking out those with which we were of old familiar. McKee we remember well the was in the Third when we knew fall, to John Myers (the husband of Mrs. him. But he married, left the service, Myers) which occasioned his death. From engaged in business, and at the opening of the examination of the contents of his stoof a Kentucky Volunteer Regiment .- left that arsenic had been given to him, work done at this establishment. Brave fellow!-none braver fell on that bloody field.

We were sorrowfully enough engaged in these thoughts, when a young woman cotered the office. When we say young, we mean under thirty. She had a small girl by the hand-a beautiful little creature, about three years old. Both mother features, were dressed with extreme neatness, though all the little elegancies of decoration were bestowed upon the child.

We just looked over the top of the paper, to note these particulars, when having been directed to us by the clerk, she came forward to our desk.

We handed her a chair, and while we endeavored as well as we could to soothe her very apparent agitation, we were somewhat at a loss to account for its existence.

After a few minutes conversation, we discovered the reason in the fact that she was a relative of a soldier in Capt. --company of artillery. This corps had been engaged, and, we remembered, had soffered very severely. She had been informed that the list of the killed and wounded had arrived, and she had called to hear some intelligence of his fate.

She wished us to read over the names. We again took up the paper, and proceeded to comply with her request. We shall never forget the expression of that woman's features as we read. Her agony was terrible. She was not unhandsome. but her face became ghastly pale, and her eyes looked unutterable despair, as she fixed them upon the child, who was playing with a newspaper and laughing joyously in its heedless innocence. Her lips were colorless, the perspiration started on her forehead, and as she litted her hand to wipe the large drops away, we could see

it trembling as though palsied. The presentiment of evil had slready almost broken her heart, we knew that the relative must be a very near one.

She had avoided giving us her name; so soon as we found the list, appallingly leng, which comprised the casualties of the designated corps, we began to read. We did not know when we would reach the fatal name, if at all, and at each individuat we looked enquiringly in the woman's intoxicated, and was taken very ill; and face. She said nothing, however, for some it was alleged that P. had given him arsewas not down, when we read,

-. Sergeant, KILLED.' Such a scream ! It was the wail of a broken heart. Only one-and then still as death. That cry was ringing in our ears for a month. We immediately ran chased two ounces of arsenic at the drug towards her, but she arose from her chair, store of Graham & Forker. He first cal. motioned us her thanks, and without a led for one ounce, then observed that he word left the office.

We had read to her the announcement of her husband's death.

We did not do much service in the of fice that day,

The next morning, happening down on the wharf, we saw the woman and her little girl, going on board the Cincinnati packet. She recognized us, and we spoke to her. She was crushed completely .--She had grown twenty years older in as many hours. She informed us that she he was traced on the read towards Merhad resided with her husband in New York. That she was originally from the ny of Mr. H. Forker, as to the time he west, and on his corps being ordered to Mexico, she determined to repair to her friends, and await the conclusion of the war. She had heard of the battle, and knew that Captain ---- 's battery was edgaged, and on her arrival in Pittsburg, had been directed to the Journal office for turther information. She arrived the very morning after the receipt of the list of bye. She continued her route to her girl- er of which had been used by the druggist ed in every instance where no henefit is received. Philadelphia, Jan. 30, 1847. 3 m. killed and wounded. We bade her good found on the arsenic produced, and neith world, to her, and we to our daily busi ness, a sadder man, indeed.

The little incident recorded above, was recalled to our minds on Saturday, by coming, proved the reverse of what he dereading in a Western paper, the notice of the death of . Mrs. Sarah - widow of strongest links in the chain of circumstan John - a soldier, killed in the battle ces that procured his conviction. of Buena Vista.

It was our acquaintance-there could

be no mistake. .We have often been called upon, on business of a similar nature, by the wives of officers'and soldiers, but none of them ever left so strong yet so painful an impress-

ion as the wife of the artillery man killed trial will be asked. at Buena Vista.

A western editor declares that some of the young women who pass his village in arks, on the river, are perfect divinities .-He means, says a northern paper ark angels.

. Why do you walk so near the railroad? said Mrs. B. to her daughters, very fine girle, who had passed their teens without being married. Because, mamma,' they replied. we thought we might catch some sparks from the locomotive.'

> Ye who would marry by the Scales, . In this, the heart-in that, the gold. Remember, when the wife is bought, As surely is the husband ' sold.'

#### From the Mercer Luminary. Trial for Murder.

Commonwealth This case came John Parker and the Venango coun-Ity court last week ; James Forcest. Mary Myers.

brought the official list of the killed and occupied the time of the court to the from Tuesday until Sunday morning. The defendants were charged with hav-

ing administered poison, some time last which caused his death; and the delend. ants some days after his death were arrested on suspicion of having administered it.

A great number of witnesses were call. ed and examined with regard to every thing, bearing directly or indirectly on the case; which, with the addresses of counsel, occupied the time until Saturday, and child, for such no one could doubt to when the court charged the Jury; and be their relationship, who observed their about four, o'clock they retired, and returned a verdict on Sunday morning of Guil.

> The evidence in the case, we understand, was altogether circumstantial. My- in exchange for lumber or country proers was a very intemperate man, and lividuce. Call and examine for vour-elves. ed unhappily with his lamily. His wife had frequently made threats of taking his life. At one time she stated to his broth. er that she intended applying for a divorce; he replied that she could not get one; and in turn she said, she would have one, if in no other way at the risk of her life. At another time she observed that she could not live with him, and if she had some arsenic, she would give him a dose. Other expressions, somewhat similar, were proved against her.

An improper connection between her and Parker was alledged; but nothing will present their duly authenticated. positive was proven to sustain the charge, except the admissions, or rather boasts, of Parker. It appeared however, that he was frequently at the house of the deceased ; that he and Mrs. M. were very intimate, and accompanied her from Clarion, where they met and passed off as strangers, and were introduced to each other as such by the keeper of the house at which they

This alledged illicit intercourse, and the threats made by her, formed, we be lieve, the chief testimony against Mrs. M.

The evidence chiefly relied upon to convict Parker, was the following. A short time before Myers took ill, he got an ounce of arsenic in Franklin; in a few days he got another, giving as a reason that he had lost the first on his way home. The night on which Myers first took sick, he returned from Clarton, where he had Curwensville, Pennsylvania, been with Parker, they separated about three miles from the house of Myers, and Parker got home about seven o'clock, but time, and we began to hope that the name nic in his liquor. There were other cir-was not down, when we read, the strongest was the lact, that a lew days ufter Myers' decease Parker being told that he was suspected of foul play in the matter, came over to this place, and purwould take another for a neighbor; these were wrapped separately, then both enclosed in one paper. When arrested, he was challenged with respect to the arsenic he jurchased in Franklin, and replied that he had it at home, and would produce it; that he had both ounces having found the one he supposed was lost. When brought lorward suspicions were entertained that it was not the same as was procured in Franklin; and enquiry being set on foot, cer, on the day corroborating the testimosold to him. Mr. F. could not positively identily Parker; but described an overcoat he had on very much resembling one it was proven he wore. The wrappers used by Mr. F., however, were still more conclusive on this point. He had used Jayne's Medical Almanac; taking a leaf for each wrapper, and a particular kind of thread corresponding exactly with that

> Parker denied having been at Mercer. but the evidence given left no doubt of the contrary; and the object aimed at in signed, and it turned out to be one of the

A motion for a new trial was made by the counsel for the defence, which will be

# Public Vendue.

ILL he sold at public vendue, a the residence of the subscriber, in Decatur township, Clearfield county, on Saturday the 19th day of June, inst., the following described

PERSONAL PROPERTY. One new dearborn wagon, horses, ne new dearborn wagon, horses, UST received a fresh supply of Brancows and calves, sheep, hogs dreth's justly celebrated pills with

furniture, without reserve. A reasonable credit will be given. lale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. WM. HUGHES.

June 4, 1847.

# CLEARFIELD BRIDGE WOOLLEN FACTORY.

up for trial before THE business at the above establish ment will in future be conducted by

Particular attention will be given to the

ALSO-Carding and Fulling. WOOL taken in exchange for Satinets.

Flannels, &c. All kinds of grain, and other country produce, delivered at the Factory, will be the war resumed the epaulettes as Colonel mach, and the tests applied, no doubt was taken at the market price in payment for April. 1847.

NEW GOODS. LARGE and general assortment of well selected spring and summer goods just received by the subscriberconsisting of DRY GOODS, GROCE. RIES, QUEENSWARE, CUTLERY, HARDWARE, BOOTS and SHOES, &c. &c., and everything else usually kept in a country store, all of which he will dispose of at very low rates, for cash, or F. P. HURXTHAL.

May 20, 1847.

#### Notice.

TOTICE is hereby given that Letters Testamentary have been granted to the subscribers on the estate of J. V. E. Anderson, late of Jordon township, Clearfield county, dec'd, - and that all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased are required to make payment without delay, and those having claims against the same

JOHN THOMPSON. BENJ. S. ROBERTS.

Jordon 'p. May 4, 1847.

Administrator's Notice.

OTICE is hereby given that letters of administration have been granted to the subscriber on the estate of Thomas of the public generally. In doing so he feels call-McCracken, late of Ferguson township, Clearfield county, dec'd-therefore all persons indebted to said estate will make payment immediately, and those having demands will present them duly authenti

JAS. T. McCRACKEN, Adm'r. Jordon tp. April 9, 1847.

# CRANS & BROTHER.

AVE, and will keep constantly on patient. hand, a large assortment of Myers not until midnight. He was much Dry-Goods, Hardware, Queensware, Groceries, Drugs and Dye-Stuffs, Tin-ware, Books & Stationary, Hats, Caps and Bonnets, sectionaries, Paints, Oils, Teas, &c. &c.,

All of which they are prepared to sell on the most reasonable terms.

CRANS & BROTHER are the Agents for he sale of Dr. Jaynes' celebrated family medicines. Goods exchanged for Lumber, Pro-

luce and Furs, for which the highest prices will be given.

March 12, '47-1f.

# DRUGS! DRUGS!! DRUGS!!!

# THOMPSON & CRAWFORD, Wholesale Druggists; No. 40 Market Street, (South side below Second,) PHILADA.

OFFER for sale a large stock of Fresh Drugs, Medicines and Dye-Stuffs, to which they call the attention of Country Merchants and Dealers visiting the

Coach, Cabinet, Japan, Black, and other Varnisher of a superior quality. Also, White and Red Lend Window Glass, Paints and Oils--cheaper than ever. Sor I & C. are also proprietors of the Indian Vegetable Balsam, celebrated throughout their own and neighboring States, as the best preparation for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, &c. Money refund-

# TO MILL OWNERS.

HE attention of mill owners and others is respectfully invited to

Bryce's Patent Water-wheel, (made of cast iron,) which has been recently introduced into this county. The subscriber feels confident that they are argued on the 10th inst. A strenuous ef- superior to any other wheel now in use in fort was made to have them tried separate- this country, and he desires all persons ly, but it was overruled by the Court; interested to see them in operation and and the renewal of this motion will form judge for themselves. He would refer to ctor for the sale of the above medicine in Clearone of the chief grounds upon which a new the following gentlemen who have them in their mills, viz :- James Shaffer, John Miller, Jacob Coleman, and James Mix, on the Sinnemahoning ; E. & W. F. Ir. win, Clearfield ; Levi Lutz, Frenchville; and Wm. Irvin, Curwinsville.

A. COWLES. Clearfield, Jan. 16, 1847.

# BRANDRETH PILLS.

and young cattle, one Durham directions for use. Price 25 cents per bull, one brass clock, together box. For sale by E. & W. F. Inwin, complaints in general. with the household and kitchen borough of Clearfield. who are the only authorized agents in the Nov. 27, 1846.

> CLOVER SEED and BACON for sale by CRANS & BROTHER. Curwinsville, May 11, 1847.

# COMPOSITION

For Rendering Boots, Shoes, &c., Water-proof. .

The subscriber hereby makes known to the public that he has for sale a Composition, without the use of India Rubber or Gum, which will render Boots and Shoes and Louther of every description exclusion of all other business, continuing manufacture of Cloth, Blankets, Baizes, Water Proof-permanently Water Proof, against wet or damp, by proper application, besides suftening and improving it.

This composition is patented both in this country and in Europe, and is one of the great and tru-

ly beneficial discoveries of the age. Price per dozen boxes, \$2, single box 25 cents. As a guarantee of the character and gonumeness of the composition the subscriber will refund the mo

nev should it not give entire satisfaction Ho is also prepared to render cloths of every doscription, Awning, Sailcloth and Cotton Duck completely water proof and secure against mildews and

Apply at the United States Water-Proofing com pany, No. 11 Walnut street, Philadelphia, to

Philadelphia, Feb. 17, 1847. One Agent in each of the towns in this state vill be appointed to dispose of the Composition, to whom liberal terms will be made on application

#### marran arranand DR. JAMES LOCKE,

SURGEON DENTIST. WILL visit Clearfield and Curseveral times a year.

All operations upon the TEETH Warranted to answer the full expectations of the patient in every case, & otherwise there will be no charge.

Teeth made on trial, it desired. His next visit will be at the September court.

#### DR. OSBORY'S INDIAN VEGETABLE RESTORATIVE PILLS

Prepared by Dr. George Rennet, of New York. and for sale by the annexed list of agents in Clearfield

THE unprecedented success that has attended the use of these pills in the practice of the proprietor for the last six or eight years, has induced him to yield to the importunities of many who have is in truth used and been benefitted by them, and make arrangements to place them within the reach ed upon to say that the Indian Vegetable Restorative Pill is decidedly superior to any with which he is acquainted. They combine the properties of many of the best vegetable medicines, (used in no other pills) in such a manner as to attord not only immediate and temporary but perma

nent relief. The valuable tonics which enter into their com gentle and natural operation without inconvenience or pain, and while they restore a natural and healthy action of the stomach, liver and bowels, they increase, instead of diminish, the strength of the

They have been used as a family medicine for years by many of the first respectability - and although they are not recommended to "heal all the that it has been found necessary for those using them to employ any other medicine, and their occa sional use will almost invariably prove an effectual Boots and Shoes, Tobacco and to the use of families, travellers and scamen; they preventive to discase. They are exactly adapted Segars, Umbrellas, Carpet and cleanse the blood, causing a free circulation-open Carpet and Cotton Yarn, Con- bile, and consequently are an excellent medicine obstructions and promote the secretion of healthy for Nausca, Indigestion. Nervous Disorders, Dejection. Liver Complaint, pains in the Head, Side, and Breast, Costiveness, Loss of Appetite, Urmary obstructions, Ague and Fever, Bilious and Intermit tent fevers, Dysentery, Rheumatism, Scrofula, and are eminently useful in all female complaints - and in one word, all diseases arising from unhealthy secretions and impurity of the blood. Numerous lestimonials of their efficacy in particular cases, might be added, but the proprietor profers presenting a few certificates of thoir general character, from persons of unquestionable candor and veracity, who would not in any degree lend their influence to promote any thing that is not of decided utility. and rely on their intrinsic ments to gain them a reputation, feeling a most porect confidence that one willabandon their use who give them a fair

The following letter from the Rev. George Bowors, with other certificates in the hands of the agents, will serve to show the efficacy of those pills ELE HORN, Walworth Co., Wisconsin.

Dr. Osborn: - With pleasure I inform you of the great benefits which I have derived from your pills. I have been in a decline for some time, which has greatly alarmed me, more especially as my com plaint was a consumptive one, and also I have been very bilions, and have labored severely with pains in my head, and my eyes have been so affected as to turn of a sallow, cloudy, and other disagreeable complexions. My wife had suffered also from great to wonderfully relieved us, we have sounded the Philadelphia. name of them all over our neighborhood; they will certainly be over regarded in this place, and wherever my extraordinary cure is known, as the most valuable preparation for purifying the blood and regulating the system. I should not have known the worth of your Pills had it not been for the Rev. Wm. F. Dowitt, of Cuddeville, Sullivan co., N. Y., who with great kindness sent me a box to try them, and to that box of Pills I owe my health, and as the agent here is out of your pills, I wish you would send me a package of boxes as soon as possible,-GEO. BOWERS. eir, yours respectfully, BTE & W. F. IRWIN, Clearfield ; John Invin. Curwinsville; James McMurray, Burnside town. ship; G. W. & --- ARNOLD, Luthersburg, and LEVI LUTZ, Frenchville, are Agents for the proprifield county. nov. 25, '46-ly.

#### DR. E. GREEN'S RED & BROWN PILLS.

HE demand for the above medicine in the last 2 or 3 years, is deemed a sufficient apology for placing it now fully before the people; and the diseases for which it is applicable have become so prevalent in this country that a remedy enti-

tled to confidence, is a great desideratum. (Liver affection,) Dyspepsia, and female

The above pills will be kept constantly for sale by

Richard Shaw, Clearfield. Bigler & Co., Bell township. Graham & Wright, Rradlord James McGirk, Philipsburg. Oct. 20, 1846.

# JOY- TO THE WORLD.

# PERRY DAVI VEGET JBLE Pain Killer.

THIS valuable Medicine, which has recently been discovered by Perry Davis, of Providence, Rhode Island, is, unquestionably, the best family medicine over compounded. even by the Medical Faculty as thousands who have experienced its efficacy, can testify. But few of the diseases which it has cured and can cure can he mentioned in the limits of an ordinary adver. sement; but among them are "

Dyspepsia, Dysentery, Erysipelas, Hheu. matism (of the worst character) Croup. Quinsy, Piles, (internal and external.) Cough, with the raising of blood, Spasms, Cramp, Caked, Sore and Bro. ken Breast, Pain in the Side and Stomach, Cankered Mouth & Lips, Toothache, sick Headache, and most other diseases to which the human family are

subject. , it may be said that the reported cures it has effected are too many, and that it is of course & hoax; but keep it in your families-keep it on board your vessels-you will need no other medicine chest; and keep it near you, and however you may be attacked, apply the Pain Killer imme. listely, according to directions, and you will no longer be faithless. Try it, and prove it, before you call it a hear or a humbug. M. A. FRANK, Ag't, FOR SALE by

April 22, '47-tf.

# IT IS WRITTEN

Clearfield, Pa

IN THE BOOK OF NATURE AND OF COM-MON SENSE, that the natural vegetable productions of every country are, if properly applied am. ply sufficient for the cure of every malady incident to each peculiar climate.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, OF THE

NORTH AMERICAN COLLEGE OF HEALTH These extraordinary Pills are composed of plants are, therefore better adapted to our constitutions than Medicines concocted from foreign druge, however well they may be compounded; and as

founded upon the principle that the human body SUBJECT TO BUT ONE DISEASE.

WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS ero

namely, corrupt humors, and that said Medicina cures this disease on NATURAL PRINCIPLES.

by cleansing and purifying the body, it will be man. tiest that, if the constitution be not entirely exhausted, a perseverance in their use, according to directions, is absolutely certain to drive disease of every name from the body.

When we wish to restore a swamp or morass to notition by their action upon the secretory organs fertility, we drain it of the superabundant water. hold in check the purgative principle and induce a In like manner, if we wish to restore the body to

WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS will be found one of the best, if not the very best medicine in the world for carrying out this GRAND PURIFYING PRINCIPLE.

because they expel from the body all morbid and corrupt humor, the cause of the disease, in an easy and Natural Manner; and while they every day ills that flesh is heir to," yet it has been very rare GIVE EASE AND PLEASURE, disease of every name is rapidly driven from the body. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills

Can be had genuine of the following highly respectable storekeepers in Clearfield County.

Richard Shaw, Charfield: Daniel Barrett, Curwinsville; David Irvin, Luthersburg. Elk County.
Cobb & Gallagher, Ridgeway; George Weis. St. Marys. Centre County.

Brockerhoff & Irwin, Bellefonte; J & J Potter, Potters' Mills; Adam Fisher, Centreville; Henry Wilmer, Aaronsburg; Samuel Lipton, Milesburg; Henry Adams, Walkerville; Wm Murray, Pine Grove Mills; George Jack, Boalsburg; H L Musser, Manheim; FA Whittaker, Coverley Hall; David Duncan, Spring Mills; F Burkhardt. Rabersburg:

Boozer & Gilliland, Centre Hill, BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS .- The public are cauioned against the many reurious medicines which n order to deceive, are called by names similar to Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills.

Offices devoted exclusively to the sale of VRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS. of the North American College of Health, No. 288 Greenwich Street, New York, No. 198 Tremout street, Bosweakness and severe pains, and as your Pills have ton; and PRINCIPAL OFFICE, No. 169 RACE STREET.

#### WAR! WAR!! Not with Mexico but with the old Tyrant RHEUMATISM.

R. WM. P. HILLS, feeling much sympathy for those afflicted with Rheumatism, takes this method of inviting them to call at his office and get cured. With best wishes for your prosperity, I am, dear This method is almost new, and very simple, but will positively effect a cure on the most scientific principles, Rheumatism has long been a desideratum with physicians, and it is only of late that the true principle of cure has been discovered.

He would state, to all concerned, that he has already performed a number of cures, and can confidently assert that his is the only true method.

TRY IT AND SEE. Clearfield Nov. 3, 1846.

# NOTICE.

TS HEREBY GIVEN, that Letters of Administration have been granted to the subscribers on the Estate of Alexander Dunlap, late of Brady township, de-The diseases I allude to are Hepatitis, ceased. Therefore, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are resubscribers, and those having demands will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

SAMUEL C. DUNLAP. JAMES W. DUNLAP. Administrators.

Brady township, May 10, 1847 .- pd