

THE STEAMSHIP PERSIA.—The following description of the dimensions and capacity of the new Cunard Steamship Persia...

The new steamer sailed to day at 12 o'clock on her first trip from the United States to Liverpool. She carries out 163 passengers...

She is divided into seven water-tight compartments, and the goods also are stored in water-tight compartments, each about seventy feet long...

The Persia is constructed of iron, and is deemed to be one of the most safe, as she is probably the largest, steam vessel afloat...

Marriages

On the 21st inst., by the Rev. Chas. A. Hay, Mr. J. A. COOPER, of Dauphin county, to MARGARET, daughter of David Wolf, of Carlisle.

Deaths

On the 14th inst., at New Cumberland, in this county, RICHARD LEE, son of H. F. and Catharine Lee, aged one year and three months.

New Advertisements

FOR RENT.—The store room in Pitt Street, now occupied by Francis Porter. Enquire at this office, or at Piper's Book Store.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas the Honorable James H. GRAHAM, President Judge of the several Courts of Common Pleas in the counties of Cumberland, Perry and Juniata...

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Coronor, Justices of the Peace and Constables of the said county of Cumberland, that they are by the said precept commanded to attend to their respective duties...

NOTICE.—The members of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will meet at the court house in Carlisle on Tuesday, the 4th of March, at 11 o'clock.

MORE CHANCES!—R. MARTIN & SON, would announce to the public generally, that they intend opening an extensive Lumber Yard in New Cumberland, this Spring...

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—G. W. SHAPIRO in account with the Cumberland County Agricultural Society.

1855, Aug. 23, by not proceeds of \$1200 note in Carlisle Deposit Bank \$1387 20

1855, Aug. 23, paid R. Noble for 6 acres and 20 perches of land 1225 00

The Committee to whom the subject was referred report that they have examined the account of George W. Shearer, Treasurer of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society...

MILITIA ACCOUNT.

N. W. Woods, Esq., Treasurer, in conformity with the 10th section of an act of Assembly entitled "An Act to revise the Militia System, &c.," passed the 30th day of April, 1855, exhibits the following account:

Table with columns: To amount of outstanding Military fines for 1854 and previous years, as per last annual statement; To amount Militia fines returned for 1855, as per duplicates.

Schedule of Militia Fines, exhibiting the amount of Duplicates, amount received, amount exonerated, amount of Collector's fees and amount outstanding, as per table.

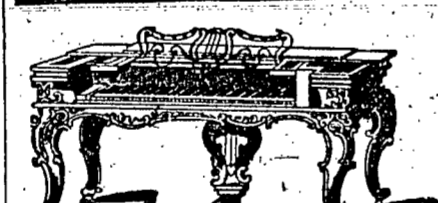
Table with columns: Townships, Collectors' Names, Yrs. Am't of duplicate, Am't received, Col's fees, Am't Exonerated, outstanding.

By amount outstanding Militia Fines, for 1855, and previous year subject to Commissions, &c., \$468 29

Table with columns: Amount of exonerations allowed Collectors for 1855, and previous years; Amount of commissions allowed Collectors for 1855, and previous years; Amount paid Assessors for services in the Militia business.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY, ss. We, the undersigned, Auditors of Cumberland county, elected and sworn according to law, in accordance with the Act of Assembly of the 30th of April, 1855, having examined the above account of N. W. Woods, Esq., Treasurer of the county aforesaid...

J. B. DRAWBAUGH, JACOB STEINMAN, ISAAC RINGWALT, Auditors of Cumberland County.



ROSEWOOD PIANOS FOR SALE.

Two new and elegant Rosewood Pianos of Hubert & Co. Boston, have been imported by the undersigned...

HOME AGAIN!—MRS. REY.

HOLDS would inform all interested, that she has returned from Philadelphia, where she had been for a few weeks, acquiring the new process of AMBROTYPE PHOTOGRAPHY.

STEAM SAW MILL AND TIMBER LAND FOR SALE.

The undersigned has for sale a STEAM SAW MILL, situated in South Middle town township, Cumberland county, with which is connected about NINE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THREE ACRES of good Pine, Oak, Chestnut and Poplar timber...

BOOK AGENTS WANTED.

Agents wanted in every Town and County in the United States, to canvass for the most popular Historical and other valuable and saleable books published in America...

BENTZ & BRO., would call the attention of the public to their large and splendid assortment of NEW GOODS.

which they are increasing by daily receipts from the eastern cities, including the best works of T. S. ARTHUR, and other valuable and saleable books published in America...

FARMERS HIGH SCHOOL OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Because of a modification of the plan of the College Building for the Farmer's High School of Pennsylvania, the time for holding the work has been POSTPONED until THURSDAY the 15th day of March next...

JUST RECEIVED.—A lot of patent

Most Grinders, a nice article for Farmers or family use, for sale at Hanover St., Carlisle.

BLANKSMITH'S COAL.—5,000

Best Blacksmith's Coal, a first rate article for coloring and for sale at Hanover St., Carlisle.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

FROM THE 1ST DAY OF JANUARY, TO THE 31ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1855, INCLUSIVE.

Made by the Commissioners in compliance with the requisitions contained in the 22d and 23d sections of the act of Assembly of this Commonwealth, passed on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1854, and also in conformity with the 37th section of the same act...

N. W. WOODS, ESQ., TREASURER.

RECEIPTS.

Table with columns: Balance in hands of Treasurer at last settlement as per Auditor's report; Amount of outstanding taxes; County tax assessed for 1855; Received of Jos. M. Darmond, verdict fees; Carlisle Deposit Bank Loan; Abatement for the year 1855; G. W. Hittner in full of purchase M'Crossky's lot; Jas. Orr and others on bond for sub's to bridge; S. Martin verdict fees; Jacob Bowman verdict fees; J. W. Shearer verdict fees; Of miscellaneous receipts from various persons.

SCHEDULE OF COUNTY TAXES OUTSTANDING ON THE 1ST DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1856, SUBJECT TO EXONERATIONS AND COMMISSIONS.

Table with columns: 1853. Joseph A. Weakley, Dickinson; 1854. Samuel Beeton, Dickinson; William Graham, Frankford; Moses Bricker, Monroe; Robert M'Ever, Newville; John H. Spahr, North Middleton; Henry Heckel, Silver Spring; 1855. William Stephen & Lower Allen, David Taylor, Upper Allen; Henry Saxton, Carlisle; Lafayette Peffer, Dickinson; George W. Fessler, East Pennsboro; Benjamin Juniper, Frankford; Daniel M' Coy, Hopewell; John B. Perry, Millin; John Paul, Monroe; George Flier, Newton; Wm. Porter, New Cumberland; George W. North, Newville; Jacob Howard & North Middleton; John W. Dury, Silver Spring; Alexander Highland, Southampton; Thomas Spencer, Shippensburg; John Stuart, Jr., South Middleton; Thomas Graham, West Pennsborough.

EXPENDITURES.

Table with columns: Grand Jurors, for services in 1855; Traverses J. Quigg, for services in 1855; Samuel Hartzel, awarded as per order of Court; DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL; Wm. J. Shearer, Esq., Deputy Attorney General, fees for County cases; WITNESS FEES; JUSTICES FEES; CONSTABLES FEES; AUDITORS; County Auditors and clerks, for services; PHILIP QUIGG, Auditor of Probationary, Clerk of Court and Register; PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE; D. K. Noell, fees for 1855; RECORDER'S OFFICE; John M. Gregg, fees in Commonwealth cases; Samuel Martin, fees in Commonwealth cases; James Tenden, for docket for use; COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE; James Loudon, for duplicates, binding, stationery, &c.; L. Todd, for professional services; Commissioners' travelling expenses; Wm. Riley, as clerk of the Board of Supervisors; Costs of the case of Symlington; J. Armstrong, Esq., pay as Commissioner; John B. Bratton, Esq., do; Geo. M. Graham, do; W. M. Henderson, Esq., do; M. Wise, assisting making Duplicates; M. Wise, for services as clerk to Commissioners; Wm. H. Miller, for professional services; Peter Gutshall, for repairing in Commissioners' office; REGISTER'S OFFICE; Wm. Lytle, for registering births, &c.; Franklin Gardner, for Lever Press; PRINTING; E. Cornman, for public printing; J. B. Bratton, do; E. Beatty, do; Geo. M. Graham, do; EASTERN PENITENTIARY; For support of Convicts; JAIL AND COUNTY PENITENTIARY; Myers & Gutshall, on account of contract of jail; Joseph M'Darmond, Sheriff, for support of prisoners, fees, &c.; N. W. Woods, C. O'Leary, and others, for clothing for prisoners in jail; John Brandt and George W. Hilton, for stone coal; Carlisle Gas & Water Company, for use of water for jail; David Hanson, for charcoal for jail; F. Bente, for mending key; John D. Hendon, for stove pipe, &c.; A. S. Lyne, for cast iron plate for jail; Shump & Golden, for paving gutters in jail yard; Samuel Hepburn, attorney for Symlington; W. W. Dale, physician to jail; Jacob Bowman, Sheriff, for support of prisoners; POOR HOUSE; Jacob Spuler, Esq., Treasurer, amount in full of estimate for 1855; Collins Stevenson, as visitor to Poor House; Mitchell M'Callister, do; John C. Brown, for services as Director; John Glendon, do; George Brindle, do.

ROAD ORDERS AND DAMAGES.

Table with columns: Isaac Miller, Samuel Sadtler, and others, damages awarded by the Court; Paid sundry persons on certificate; BRIDGES; John Finley in full for building bridge at Orr's; John Finley in full for building bridge at Hendon's mill; David Lehman and others for repairs of bridges.

APPROPRIATION.

Independent, Cumberland and Union fire companies, 47 50

ASSESSORS. Assessors, for services performed in 1855, 381 27 1/2

ELECTIONS.

Officers of general and township elections and making return, 853 34 1/2

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Table with columns: Rudolph Natcher, one year's salary as keeper of public buildings, 75 00; Mrs. Dunlap and Mrs. Moody, scrubbing and cleaning court room, 19 00; Ephraim Steel, for a building clock, 17 75; C. Lamson and others, for repairs on Carlisle Gas and Water Company, for use of water for court house, 7 22; C. Inhoff, for oil, fluid, &c., for court house, 21 00; Andrew Hecker, for repairing locks, and making key, 5 50; Monroe Morris for gas and water pipes in court house, 287 31

LOANS AND INTERESTS ON LOANS.

Bonds paid and interest, 4600 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Table with columns: Wm. Bell, amount of contract for erecting fence, 280 00; Commissioners' travelling expenses for 1855, 65 77; John N. Armstrong, for lumber, 10 08; John H. Brandt, for stone coal for 1855, 150 22; Henry Wolf for charcoal, 8 00; Gillard Dock, for scales, 20 25; Robert Muller, for charcoal, 10 50; Henry Saxton, for nails, &c., 8 20; Jacob Spangler, for boxing trees, 9 92; Wm. Line, for trees, 30 00; Alfred Spangler, for assisting in making Duplicates, 5 00; S. M. Hoeyer, for lumber, 5 00; Barney Karney, for whitewashing, 5 00; A. Senneker, for horse hire, 22 50; Geo. M. Shearer, for agricultural society, 100 00; Andrew Hecker, and others, &c., 55 44

INQUESTS.

Table with columns: Ferdinand Reoth, Esq., for holding inquest as juror's pay, 16 13 1/2; J. Longweker, Esq., do, 18 20 1/2; J. C. Thompson, Esq., do, 16 57 1/2; C. Wilber, Esq., do, 17 05 1/2; Wm. D. Shupp, Esq., do, 6 40 1/2; George Miller, and others, &c., do, 4 00

ABATEMENTS.

Henry Highlands and other Collectors, abatements allowed tax payers for 1854 and '55, 2250 44 1/2

REFUNDED TAXES.

John Streck and others refunded taxes, 32 82

FOX ORDERS.

On certificates for fox scalp, 47 50

CONSTABLES' RETURNS.

Amount of Constables' returns on certificates of clerk of Court, 89 08

CR.

By amount on Commissioners' orders, \$41,161 64 1/2

Treasurers' commission fees at 1/2 per cent., 617 25

Uncurrent money in Treasurers' hand, 11,576 40

Outstanding taxes unpaid by Collectors, 1,346 62

Collectors' fees at 4 per cent., 725 96

Exonerations, 725 96

Amount of receipts, 55,622 85

Balance due Treasurer, \$102 91 1/2

CUMBERLAND COUNTY, ss.

We, the Commissioners of Cumberland County, do hereby certify and submit the foregoing as a correct statement of receipts and expenditures of the county aforesaid, from the 1st day of January, to the 31st day of December, 1855, inclusive, as also a schedule of the outstanding taxes of the 1st day of December, 1855, in the borough and townships therein stated, together with a statement of the expenditures under each head of appropriation made by the Commissioners in compliance with the requisitions contained in the 22d and 23d sections of an act of Assembly of this Commonwealth, passed the 15th day of April, 1854. Witness our hands and seal of office, at Carlisle, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1856.

J. ARMSTRONG, G. M. GRAHAM, W. M. HENDERSON, Commissioners.

Attest—W. M. WISE, Clerk.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY, ss.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Cumberland county, do hereby certify and submit the foregoing as a correct statement of receipts and expenditures of the county aforesaid, from the 1st day of January, to the 31st day of December, 1855, inclusive, do hereby certify that the sum of one hundred and two dollars and ninety-one and a half cents, due by the county of Cumberland, as will appear by the foregoing exhibition, in testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands at Carlisle, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1856.

J. B. DRAWBAUGH, J. STEINMAN, ISAAC RINGWALT, Auditors.

VALUATION OF ALL PROPERTY ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1856, TAXABLE FOR COUNTY AND STATE PURPOSES, AS RETURNED BY THE ASSESSORS OF THE RESPECTIVE TOWNSHIPS AND BOROUGHS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, SUBJECT TO REVISION AND APPEAL.

Table with columns: Townships and Boroughs, 1856, Assess. '55, Decrease; Carlisle, 1,383,068, 107,146; East Pennsboro, 1,263,620, 165,122; Frankford, 274,057, 8,882; Hanington, 264,697, 43,025; Hopewell, 229,709, 14,703; Laws, Allen, 111,221, 8,865; Monroe, 917,202, 90,489; Mechanicsburg, 294,161, 60,166; North Middleton, 838,596, 102,689; Newville, 146,544, 13,689; North Cumberland, 59,951, 5,074; Newton, 715,895, 85,084; North Middleton, 1,002,394, 17,256; Silver Spring, 968,450, 56,081; Southampton, 322,700, 76,315; Shippensburg (W.P.), 181,003, 79,822; Upper Allen, 624,273, 67,150; West Pennsboro, 690,288, 130,408; Total, 12,616,524, 1,140,209, 7,827

FARMERS, TAKE NOTICE.

The first premium awarded at the State Fair, held in Harrisburg in 1855, also first premiums at the county fairs of Northumberland, Franklin, York, Schuylkill, Centre, Westmoreland, Washington, Berks, Lehigh, Montgomery, Delaware, and Chester, in competition with from eight to ten different reapers and mowers. The maker's self-making reaper and mower will be for sale at the factory at Harrisburg, also at Boyer & Bros. Farmers wishing reapers and mowers for the next harvest can have them at a reduced price, by giving their orders for them before the 1st of March, 1856.

ANOTHER INVOICE OF Elegant

A Needle Worked Collars, Ruffing, Insertings and Edgings, just received from New York, at very reduced prices. CHARLES OGDEN, dec. 19, '55.

BARN DOOR ROLLERS.—A new

and superior article for hanging Barn Doors. Just received and for sale at H. SEXTON'S, Nov. 23, '55.