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Bedford County, ss:

At an Orphans' Court held at Bedford, in and for the county of Bedford, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1864, before the Judges of the said Court.

On motion of G. M. Spang, Esq., the Court grant an alias rule on the heirs and legal representatives of Frederick Claar, late of Union township, dec'd., viz: Jacob Claar, share owned by Bartholomew Dively; Simon Claar, dec'd., leaving issue eight children, to wit: Frederick, deceased, leaving one child, Elsinda, of whom Christ Briggle is guardian, Maria, wife of Moyer; Rebecca, Susan, Catharine, wife of Henry Feather, Jacob, Aaron and Samuel. 3d. Matthias' share owned by B. Dively; 4th, Peggy, wife of Peter Ickes, now dec'd, issue to wit: Jacob C. Ickes, Nancy, wife of Clay comb and Elizabeth, leaving one child, Walter Bernhimer; 5th. Nancy, wife of Michael Waller, who died leaving issue, to wit: Julia Anna, Sarah, Simon, Joseph, Elizabeth, Michael and Catharine; 6th. Sarah, wife of Jacob Lingenfelter, residing in Illinois; 7th. Barbara, wife of George Lingenfelter, share held by John Claar; 8th. Henry Claar; 9th. Daniel; 10th Rachel, wife of Bartholomew Dively; 11th Elizabeth wife of Jonathan Bentley, share held by B. Dively; 12th Joseph Claar, 13th John W. Claar, to be and appear at an Orphans' Court to be held at Bedford in and for the county of Bedford, on the 2d Monday (13th day) of February next, to accept or refuse to take the real estate of said dec'd. at the valuation which has been valued and appraised in pursuance of a writ of partition and valuation issued out of the said Court and to the Sheriff of said county directed or show cause why the same should not be sold. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said Court at Bedford, the 21st day of November, A. D. 1864.

Dec. 23. O. E. SHANNON, Clerk.

Notice of Inquisition

On the estate of Jacob Cook, late of Southampton township, Somerset county, dec'd.

To Jesse Cook, Dennis Cook, the issue of Mary Hay, to wit: Calvin and William Hay—the issue of Sarah Walker, to wit: Jacob, Catharine, Ellen, Sarah and Samuel Walker, all of Somerset county—the issue of Jacob Cook, dec'd. to wit: Solomon, Sarah intermarried with Peter Boor, Samuel, Elizabeth intermarried with Wm. Benford, John Cook, Henry Cook, Wm. Cook, George Cook and Catharine intermarried with Jacob Hardman. Take notice that by virtue of a writ of partition and valution issued out of the Orphans' Court of Bedford county and to me directed I will hold an inquest to make partition and valuation of the real estate of said dec'd, viz: No. 1. A tract of land containing 120 acres in Londonderry township, Bedford county, with the improvements, known as the Hoyman property.

No. 2. A tract of timber land containing about 400 acres adjoining the above.

No. 3. A tract of land in same township, being part of a tract of land containing 449¾ acres warranted in name of John Cline, containing — acres, on the premises, on Thursday the 19th day of January next, when and where you can attend if you see proper. JOHN ALDSTADT, Sheriff.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Levi McGrigor, late of St. Clair township, dec'd, having been granted to the subscriber by the Register of Bedford county, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JACOB BECKLEY,
December 9, 1864—6t Adm'r.

APPEALS.

Notice is hereby given to the taxable inhabitants of the county of Bedford, that an appeal will be held by the County Commissioners on the days, and at the places hereby specified, to wit:

For Colerain township, on Tuesday the 3d day of January next, at the house of A. J. Pennell.

Southampton township, on Wednesday the 4th, at the house of William Adams.

Monroe township, on Thursday the 5th, at the house of Mrs. Daniel Weimer, in Clearville.

East Providence township, on Friday the 6th, at the house of D. A. T. Black.

West Providence township, on Saturday the 7th, at the house of J. C. Black, (Bloody Run borough.)

Cumberland Valley township, on Monday the 9th, at the house of James Haney.

Londonderry township, on Tuesday the 10th, at the house of George R. Bailey.

Harrison township, on Wednesday the 11th, at the house of William W. Laney.

Juniata township, on Thursday the 12th, at the house of Joseph Feller.

Napier township, on Friday the 13th, at the house of A. J. Snively, (Schellsburg borough.)

Schellsburg borough, on Saturday the 14th, at the house of A. J. Snively.

Union township, on Monday the 16th, at the house of Michael Wyant.

St. Clair township, on Tuesday the 17th, at the house of Isaac Miller, in St. Clairsville.

South Woodberry township, on Wednesday the 18th, at the house of J. Irvin Noble.

Middle Woodberry township, on Thursday the 19th, at the house of William M. Pearson.

Liberty township, on Friday the 20th, at the house of John Besser.

Broad Top township, on Saturday the 21st, at the house of John Drollinger.

Hopewell township, on Monday the 23d, at the house of John Drollinger, Hopewell.

Bloody Run borough, on Tuesday the 24th, at the house of John C. Black.

Snake Spring township, on Wednesday the 25th, at the house of Joseph Mortimore.

Bedford township, on Thursday the 26th, at the Commissioners' Office.

Bedford borough, on Friday the 27th, at the Commissioners' Office.

When and where all persons and corporations feeling themselves aggrieved at the enumeration and valuation of their taxable property and effects, made pursuant to the several Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided, are requested to attend and state their grievances for redress, according to law. Special attention is also directed to the following portion of Article 4th, Section 2d, of "An Act for the organization, discipline and regulation of the Militia of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania," to wit: "On the day the county, or city, Commissioners meet, to review the assessment of real and personal property, or for holding appeals, they shall, also, determine who are exempt, or not liable to do military duty," &c.

The appeals will be held on the days above named, between the hours of 9 o'clock, A. M., and 12 o'clock, M.

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JNO. G. FISHER, Clerk. Commissioners.
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Bedford, Dec. 16, 1864.

STATEMENT

SHOWING the aggregate amount of assessment and valuation of the several Townships and Boroughs of Bedford county, together with the amount of Taxes assessed thereon, agreeably to the 11th section of the Act of Assembly passed the 27th day of July, A. D. 1842.

DISTRICTS.	Seated Lands.	Unseated Lands.	Seated Lots.	Unseated Lots.	Horses.	Cattle.	Money at interest.	Pleasure Carriages.	Furniture over $300	Trades and Occupation	Offices above $200	Value of Watches.	Public Hacks.	Aggregate value for State and county purposes.	County tax at 5 mills.	State tax at 2½ mills.
Bedford Borough			163,625	5,025	3,590	862	7,500	825	5,383	17,920		1,000	1,050	205,780	1028,90	514,45
Bedford Town'p,	212,220	12,231	5,345		13,200	4,290	14,200	3,010	3,000	3,880		,50		271,376	1356,88	678,44
Broad Top,	224,701	95,344	35,750	2,160	7,305	2,000	,800	,160		6,230		,65		374,515	1872,58	936,29
Broody Run Bor.	2,305		43,650	3,870	1,755	,473	2,000	.665	,200	4,800		3,40	,50	59,808	299,04	149,52
Colerain Town'p,	138,929	16,295	8,293	,170	13,540	3,623	3,860	1,500		2,470		,100		188,680	943,40	472,70
Cumb'd Valley,	144,771	10,911	4,055	,400	11,010	3,208	1,750	1,600		6,200				183,995	919,53	459,77
Harrison,	68 896	,300			6,787	2,158	1,650	2,080						81,781	408,91	204,46
Hopewell,	79,955	3,815	,110		6,500	3,405	2,498	,310		,100		,60		96,783	483,92	241 96
Juniata,	94,791		2,240		5,875	3,888	1,150	,435						108 379	541,90	270,95
Liberty,	43,475	3,236	21,790	,860	2,655	,980	4,730	,25	,40	4,450		,480		82,721	413,61	206,81
Londonderry,	126,494	4,630	.600		7,540	3,050	3,820	550		.920		.40		147,723	738,62	369,32
Monroe,	127,199	7,217	5,860	.660	19,009	5,133	.300	.550		2,558				168,429	842,15	421,08
Napier,	166,638	1,539	3,270	.10	8,100	4,446	2,523	1,860		2,460				190,646	953,23	476,62
Providence East,	84,129				6,827	2,540		.440						93,936	469,68	234,84
Providence West,	67,518	2,185			3,410	1,605	.100	.390		.600		.30		75,838	379,19	189,60
Schellsburg Bor.	6,988	1,368	26,235		1,450	.490	2,400	.805	.250	2,015	1,750	.140		40,421	202,11	101,06
Snake Spring Tp.,	85,894	5,392	.700		5,547	2,850	5,300	.750						106,433	532,17	266,09
Southampton	87,109	2,716			12,403	4,994	.656	.60		.614				108,552	542,76	271,38
St. Clair,	162,282	9,489	11,509		11,066	4,044	2,200	1,830		5,473				207,893	1039,47	519,74
Woodberry M.	238,520	11,221	17,020		8,944	2,630	9,800	1,710		4,295		.35		294,503	1472,52	736,26
Woodberry S.	256,055	11,533	6,213	.60	7,992	2,950	18,230	3,034	.150	1,140				307,357	1536,79	768,40
Union,	121,449	5,732	1,547	.162	6,635	4,190	3,476	1,315		4,600		.22		149,128	745,64	372,82

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I Certify that the above is a correct statement of the aggregate amount of the assessment and valuation of the several objects and things made taxable by the laws of the Commonwealth, for County and State purposes, according to the return of the several Borough and Township assessments, and published by authority of an act of the General Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Government," &c., passed the 27th day of July, A. D. 1842. And that the Commissioners did, on Tuesday, the 29th day of November, last, determine whether any of the valuations of the assessors have been made below a just rate, according to the meaning and intention of said Act.

By order of the Commissioners.
JOHN G. FISHER, Clerk.
Commissioners' Office, December 5, 1864.

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Bedford, November 25, 1864.

Notice of Inquisition.

By virtue of a writ of partition or valuation issued out of the Orphans' Court of Bedford county and to me directed as High Sheriff of said county, I will hold an inquest upon the real estate of Catharine Mowry, of Harrison township, deceased, on the premises, (being the same upon which Henry Mowry resided during his lifetime), on Thursday, the 26th day of January, 1865, said real estate consisting of a tract of land situate in Harrison Township, Bedford county, containing 117 acres, about 75 acres cleared and under fence, with a dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings thereon erected. The children, heirs and all persons interested therein are notified to attend at the time and place mentioned, if they think proper. The heirs mentioned in the writ are as follows, to wit: 1st, Frederick Mowry, 2nd, Jacob Mowry, 3d, Mary Ann, wife of Emanuel Turner, and 4th, Henry Mowry, all residing in Bedford county; 5th, John Emanuel Mowry residing in Somerset county, Pa., and 6th, Lewis Mowry, residence unknown.

JOHN ALDSTADT,
Dec. 23, 1864. Sheriff

STRAY HOGS.

Taken up trespassing upon the premises of the subscriber residing in Bedford township on the 10th inst., three male swine, two of them are black and white spotted, the other one is all white, no ear marks, supposed to be about 9 months old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away or they will be sold according to law.

ABRAHAM ZEIGLER.
December 16, 1864.

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA,

THE WORLD'S GREAT REMEDY FOR

Scrofula and Scrofulous Diseases.

From Emery Eldes, a well-known merchant of Oxford, Maine.

"I have sold large quantities of your SARSAPARILLA, but never yet one bottle which failed of the desired effect and full satisfaction to those who took it. As fast as our people try it, they agree there has been no medicine like it before in our community."

Eruptions, Pimples, Blotches, Pustules, Ulcers, Sores, and all Diseases of the Skin.

From Rev. Robt. Stratton, Bristol, England.

"I only do my duty to you and the public, when I add my testimony to that you publish of the medicinal virtues of your SARSAPARILLA. My daughter, aged ten, had an afflicting humor in her ears, eyes, and hair for years, which we were unable to cure until we tried your SARSAPARILLA. She has been well for some months."

From Mrs. Jane E. Rice, a well-known and much-esteemed lady of Dennisville, Cape May Co., N. J.

"My daughter has suffered for a year past with a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. Nothing afforded any relief until we tried your SARSAPARILLA, which soon completely cured her."

From Charles P. Gage, Esq., of the widely known Gage, Murray & Co., manufacturers of enamelled papers in Nashua, N. H.

"I had for several years a very troublesome *humor* in my face, which grew constantly worse until it disfigured my features and became an intolerable affliction. I tried almost every thing a man could of both advice and medicine, but without any relief whatever, until I took your SARSAPARILLA. It immediately made my face worse, as you told me it might for a time; but in a few weeks the new skin began to form under the blotches, and continued until my face is as smooth as any body's, and I am without any symptoms of the disease that I know of. I enjoy perfect health, and without a doubt owe it to your SARSAPARILLA."

Erysipelas—General Debility—Purify the Blood.

From Dr. Robt. Swain, Houston St., New York.

"DR. AYER. I seldom fail to remove *Eruptions* and *Scrofulous Sores* by the persevering use of your SARSAPARILLA, and I have just now cured an attack of *Malignant Erysipelas* with it. No alterative we possess equals the SARSAPARILLA you have supplied to the profession as well as to the people."

From J. E. Johnston, Esq., Wakeman, Ohio.

"For twelve years, I had the yellow Erysipelas on my right arm, during which time I tried all the celebrated physicians I could reach, and took hundreds of dollars worth of medicines. The ulcers were so bad that the cords became visible, and the doctors decided that my arm must be amputated. I began taking your SARSAPARILLA. Took two bottles, and some of your PILLS. Together they have cured me. I am now as well and sound as any body. Being in a public place, my case is known to every body in this community, and excites the wonder of all."

From Hon. Henry Monro, M. P. P., of Newcastle, C. W., a leading member of the Canadian Parliament.

"I have used your SARSAPARILLA in my family, for general *debility*, and for *purifying the blood*, with very beneficial results, and feel confidence in commending it to the afflicted."

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From Harvey Seckler, Esq., the able editor of the Tankhannock Democrat, Pennsylvania.

"Our only child, about three years of age, was attacked by pimples on his forehead. They rapidly spread until they formed a loathsome and virulent sore, which covered his face, and actually blinded his eyes for some days. A skilful physician applied nitrate of silver and other remedies, without any apparent effect. For fifteen days we guarded his hands, lest with them he should tear open the festering and corrupt wound which covered his whole face. Having tried every thing else we had any hope from, we began giving your SARSAPARILLA, and applying the iodide of potash lotion, as you direct. The sore began to heal when we had given the first bottle, and was well when we had finished the second. The child's eyelashes, which had come out, grew again, and he is now as healthy and fair as any other. The whole neighborhood predicted that the child must die."

Syphilis and Mercurial Disease.

From Dr. Hiram Sloat, of St. Louis, Missouri.

"I find your SARSAPARILLA a more effectual remedy for the secondary symptoms of *Syphilis* and for syphilitic disease than any other we possess. The profession are indebted to you for one of the best medicines we have."

From A. J. French, M. D., an eminent physician of Lawrence, Mass., who is a prominent member of the Legislature of Massachusetts.

"DR. AYER. My dear Sir: I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent remedy for *Syphilis*, both of the *primary* and *secondary* type, and effectual in some cases that were too obstinate to yield to other remedies. I do not know what we can employ with more certainty of success, where a powerful alterative is required."

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"I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent alterative in diseases of females. Many cases of Irregularity, Leucorrhœa, Internal Ulceration, and local debility, arising from the scrofulous diathesis, have yielded to it, and there are few that do not, when its effect is properly aided by local treatment."

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