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I swaped horses with an Anadako Indian at Torreys tradeing house some time in July 1844 and after wards ~~traded~~ traded the animal I got from the Indian to a young man by the name Keen and I agreed to stand good for the title of said animal for some two or three months the exact time I do not at present recolect but in a short time I learned that it was claimed and Keen was down in the settlements and I went down to Bucksnort and left the money with Col Robert Porter for Keen and word for Keen that the animal was claimed and that I was willing pay the amount which was twenty dollars the price of the animal on that I was willing to rise in two or three days afterwards I saw Keen at the tradeing house and made the same proposal either to rise or pay the twenty dollars he said he would do neither that he cleared me of all responsibility this he said in presents of George Barnard Jessee sutton Benjimin sloat and a young man named Syrus and I will see Bunnsinhell before I will pay any thing like money I told Bunns the situation of the animal he said he kill the Indian that claimed [illegible]