

A Searching Letter.

THE INTERESTS OF THE GOVERNMENT require, the officers engaged in the revenue service should be men whose character for sobriety, skill and vigilance, is above all suspicion.

W. FORWARD.

Secretary of the Treasury. To the Collector of the Custom House at—

The N. Y. Tribune thus notices a lecture recently delivered by Mr. Maffitt in that city, on the "Life of Genius."

We have rarely listened to a more brilliant, and never to a less satisfactory, lecture than that of Prof. Maffitt delivered at the Tabernacle on Wednesday evening.

The sum of his lecture may be stated in few words. He defined Genius—with more truth than originally—to be the power of Creating; and its constituent parts, he said, were ambition, hope, a love of the fitness of things, the longing after immortality, benevolence, singularity, and, most especially, enthusiasm.

On the 24th ult., by the Rev. J. P. Shindel, Mr. Henry Malloch to Miss Lydia Wolf, both of Augusta.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Mississippi for labor, Missouri for labor, and various materials like engines, boilers, and iron.

THE EASTERN CAPITALISTS are operating in this region and we doubt not the happiest results will grow out of it to all concerned.

OSTIATION OR COSTIVENESS.—Costiveness is an unnatural state of the bowels, caused by whatever is injurious to the digestive organs.

Purchase in Sunbury, of H. B. Masser, and of the agents published in another part of this paper.

MARRIED.

On the 24th ult., by the Rev. J. P. Shindel, Mr. Henry Malloch to Miss Lydia Wolf, both of Augusta.

PRICE CURRENT.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Lists items like Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Pork, Beans, Butter, Lard, and Eggs with their respective prices.

Spitting of Blood.

IS another dangerous symptom of Pulmonary Affection, and difficult to arrest when neglected; it commences with cough, copious expectoration, which consists of bright frothy matter, or black, and clotted with blood; there is mostly some fever, headache, palpitation of the heart, flushes of heat, and redness of the cheeks; difficulty of breathing, soreness of the throat, and salivary taste in the mouth.

THE subscriber, respectfully informs the public that he has removed to that large and commodious Tavern Stand, at the corner of Market and Fawn streets, (sign of the Buck) formerly occupied by Jonas Weaver, and lately by Daniel Gibson, where he is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with a call.

LIST OF CAUSES.

Table with 3 columns: Plaintiff, Defendant, and Cause. Lists various legal cases such as Joseph Trego vs Martin A Stock, Edmund Balger for Wm Badger vs Hugh Bellas, etc.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of Charles D. Wharton, of Sunbury, in said county, humbly represents, that he has rented that well known tavern stand in Sunbury, formerly occupied by Hiram Price, opposite the court house, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Sunbury, hereby certify, that Charles D. Wharton, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of Paul Roth, of Coal township, in said county, humbly represents, that he intends to keep a public house of entertainment in the town now occupied by Solomon Fagely, in Coal township, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Coal township, hereby certify, that Paul Roth, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of George Conrad, of Augusta township, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a public house of entertainment, in his old stand, in Augusta township, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Augusta township, hereby certify, that George Conrad, the applicant for license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of David Herb, snr., of Upper Mahony township, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a tavern at his old stand, in the Brick House, in said township, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Upper Mahony township, hereby certify, that Daniel Herb, snr., the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of George Brosius, of Georgetown, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a tavern, at his old stand, in Georgetown, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Lower Mahony township, hereby certify, that George Brosius, the applicant for license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

WHARTON'S HOTEL, SUNBURY, NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public, that he has removed to that large and commodious Brick House, on Market square, opposite the Court House, (formerly kept by Hiram Price) where he is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with a call.

DAVIS & KIRKBRIDE, Wholesale Druggists, HAVRE-DE-GRACE, MD.

WE constantly on hand a general assortment of DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, WINDOW GLASS, DYE STUFFS, &c. &c.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of John G. Wells, of Northumberland, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a house of public entertainment, at his old stand, in Northumberland, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Northumberland, hereby certify, that John G. Wells, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of Sebastian Boughner, of Shamokin township, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a tavern at his old stand, along the rail road, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Shamokin, hereby certify, that Sebastian Boughner, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of Henry Dindinger, of Rush township, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a public house of entertainment, at his old stand, in Rush township, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Rush town, hereby certify, that Henry Dindinger, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

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To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Lower Mahony township, hereby certify, that George Brosius, the applicant for license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of Jacob Spatz, of Georgetown, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a public house of entertainment, at his old stand in Georgetown, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Lower Mahony, hereby certify, that Jacob Spatz, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of James Shortle, of Shamokin, in said county, humbly represents, that he continues to keep a house of public entertainment, at his old stand, in Shamokin, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Shamokin, hereby certify, that James Shortle, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of John Speece, of Sunbury, in said county, humbly represents, that he has rented that well known tavern stand near the Shamokin Dam, formerly occupied by George Clark, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Sunbury, hereby certify, that John Speece, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

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To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Sunbury, hereby certify, that John Speece, the applicant for the license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house-room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

TAVERN NOTICE.

To the Honorable Ellis Lewis, Esq., President, and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Northumberland: THE petition of Isaac Thompson, of Shamokin, in said county, humbly represents, that he has rented that well known tavern stand in Shamokin town, lately occupied by Jacob Kram, and is well prepared for the accommodation of travellers, &c.

To the JUDGES ABOVE MENTIONED:—The subscribers, residents of Shamokin, hereby certify, that Isaac Thompson, the applicant for license, is a man of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that a public house there is necessary:—they therefore recommend him as a proper person to be licensed to keep a public house.

Counterfeiters' Death Blow.

THE public will please observe that no Brandreth Pills are genuine, unless the box has three labels upon it, (the top, the side and the bottom) each containing a fac-simile signature of my handwriting, thus:—B. BRANDRETH, M. D.—These labels are engraved on steel, beautifully designed, and done at an expense of over \$2,000.—Therefore it will be seen that the only thing necessary to procure the medicine in its purity, is to observe these labels.

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Observe that each Agent has an Engraved Certificate of Agency, containing a representation of Dr. BRANDRETH'S Manufactory at Sing Sing, and upon which will also be seen exact copies of the new labels now used upon the Brandreth Pills Boxes. Philadelphia, office No. 8, North 8th street. B. BRANDRETH, M. D. January 1st, 1842.

H. B. MASSER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SUNBURY, PA.

Business attended to in the Counties of Northumberland, Union, Lycoming and Columbia. Refer to: THOMAS HART & Co., LOWEN & BARRON, HART, CUMMINGS & HART, REYNOLDS, McFARLAND & Co., SEEBING, GOOD & Co., Philad.

NOTICE.

CREDITORS TAKE NOTICE, That we have applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland County, for the benefit of the laws made for the relief of the insolvent debtors; and that the Judges of the said Court have appointed the first Monday of April next to hear us and our creditors at the Court House in Sunbury, when and where you may attend if you think proper.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the Estate of the Widow Mary Myers, dec'd, are requested to make payment immediately, and persons having claims against said estate, are requested to present the same, properly authenticated, to D. BRAUTIGAM, Northumberland, Feb. 12, 1842.—G. E. S.

FOR SALE.

FOR sale a small Farm, containing about one hundred and ten acres, more or less, situated in Point township, Northumberland county, about two miles above Northumberland, on the main road leading from that place to Danville, adjoining lands of John Lehigh, Jesse C. Horton and others, now in the occupancy of Samuel Payne. About forty acres of said tract are cleared, and in good state of cultivation, on which there is a small barn erected. The property will be sold on reasonable terms. For further particulars, persons are requested to apply to the subscriber.

FOR SALE.

Jacob Frisvold & Son, RESPECTFULLY informs their friends and acquaintances generally, that they still continue to keep at the old stand, No. 246 North 3d street, Philadelphia, all kinds of TOBACCO, SNUFF AND SEAGARS, which they will sell on the most accommodating and reasonable terms.

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WHERE their friends and customers will always find a large and general assortment of Foreign and Domestic Hardware, which they will sell at the lowest prices. Philadelphia, November 13, 1841.—ly.

KEEP constantly on hand a large and general assortment of Coach Lamps, Carriage Bands, Axle Arms, Eliphe Springs, Patent Leather, &c.

KEEP constantly on hand a large and general assortment of Books and Stationery, comprising Theological, Law, Medical, Classical, Miscellaneous and School Books, Day Books, all sizes, Ledgers, do., Family Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Writing Papers, Wrapping Papers, &c. &c., which they offer at the lowest prices to Country Merchant's Professional Gentlemen, Teachers, and all others that may favor them with their custom.

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WE constantly on hand, a general assortment of Cordage, Seine Twines, &c., viz: Tarred Ropes, Fishing Ropes, White Ropes, Manila Ropes, Trawl Lines for Canal Boats, Also, a complete assortment of Seine Twines, &c., such as Hemp, Sail and Herring Twine, Best Patent Gill Net Twine, Cotton Shad and Herring Twine, Shoe Threds, &c. &c. Also, Red Cloths, Plough Lines, Bolts, Traces, Cotton and Linen Carpet Chutes, &c. all of which they will dispose of on reasonable terms.

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ALWAYS keep on hand a full and general assortment of Hosiery, Laces, and Fancy Goods, Country Merchants are respectfully requested to give them a call and examine for themselves. Philadelphia, November 13, 1841.—ly.