THE PATRIOF.

BELLEFONTE, October 1.

FOR THE PATRICT

A STATE TAX-GUAGERS It seems to some a matter of little the lundamental principles of republiwhom the people do not dream, and

as destructive to the substance of the people. The friends of Gregg are offices of this king by way of electioncering. One of them, and a very whom he thought would not mention expected-more a good deal than Shuize. "How so," was the reply. TAX, and of course it must be col- Death," glowing with the sacred fire "Now," said he, " you and of patriotism, would rejoice if an op lected.' I have always been friends, and we may possibly have it in our power to portunity should again effer to battle assist each other."

Some people wonder why Gregg's sons in-law and nephew's are so zeal. ous in his cause-they all want to be GUAGERS and EXCISEMEN. 1 is a politable business. Chief Guager of Centre county would be worth, perhaps, \$1500 a year, and the use of all the money that would be collect-1; and besides there would be underguagers to be appointed, which would attach a good deal of patronage to it Guager is a word that has as agreeable a sound as Doctor ; so that there huld be no objection on that score.

moreover, it does not require so raise Andrew Gregg to the Governand the larnin. To be guager at the or's Chair in Pennsylvania ! Where rate of \$1500 a year, is much better are those who in later days endeavorthat vending pills ; and delivering old ter than any other delivery, because erty by means of aristocratic lawsit would be better pay.

the government spies and orangemen by shameful violence upon unoffendof Ireland, is well qualified for the ing citizens ?- Look around you, and the business he now follows; but I you will find them in the line of Anhope and pray all his fond anticipa- drew Gregg's supporters. Where tions of preying upon the vitals of the people in this way will be blasted by are those who, when England in the the election of Mr. Shulze. There late was agan endeavored to reduce will be no Guagers or Excisemen us to unconditional submission, reeither in case Mr. Shulze succeeds. The democratic party in the west joiced and maliciously exulted when kicked up a dust once already about the fortune of war smiled for a time such gentry, and they will take the upon the British arms; whose hearts power out of the hands of all such as attempt any thing like it again.

reported to the meeting and unani was, " he who is not for us is against ion of ours in arms ; and the latter mously adopted :

us."-" he who is not a whig is a tory." for the duties of the cabinet. Are VALUABLE REAL ESTAPE. Although we are conscious that we And if the suspicion of some persons such men to be called apostates and have nearly arrived at the close of our be well founded that he was actually deserters ? Who can be misled by pilgrimage on earth, and that as to on the side of those wretches whose such slanders ?

ourselves, it may be of very little con-hearts were with the enemies of their Who is J. Andrew Shulze ? True, to seems to some a matter of intro-consequence whether there is a State sequence into whose hands the man-country, to what danger do we ex- he did not serve in the Revolution. Tax or not, but there is more serious agement of the affairs of our country pose ourselves by voing for such a He was at that time too young-but on the premises, on Monday the oth cause for alarm in this than in any should be entrusted-although we are man as Governor of this state, which his father and all his relations are at that period of life in which the eye always was distinguished for the num-known to have been warm whigs ; and can'sm will not effect the purse so is more frequently directed to the re-ber of its whigs. We regret to see so far as we know him, he has inherquick. Besides the tax itself, we gion of the grave, than upon the tu-that some of our brethren in arms suf- ited their principles. He has always numbered in the General plan of said multuous scene of a contested elec- fer themselves to be made the instru- been on the side of those who are the whom the people do not dream, and who have been only known in Erg- ion-although we might rest satisfiments to promote the election of a true friends of the liberty of people; Boggs ownship in said county deland where the poorest oid woman in ed with the consciousness of having man who at the time of the Revolu- who opposed the aristicratic proceed-pecased. Terms of sale-one Fail of the community dare not brew as much porne our share in the toils and strug- tion was as old and perhaps older than ings of the federalists ; and who were the parchase money to be paid when as a hottle of small over, without their gles for liberty, and might leave it to most of them, but whom they cannot ever ready to resort to arms rather ance in one year. Due altendance in one year. Due altendance To talk of Guagers and Excisemen our younger fellow-citizens to pre-acknowledge as a brother in arms, and than see the rights of the country and will be given by John Hammond admay appear nonsense to some, but so serve the sacred gift which they have on whom a suspicion rests which its citizens violated. In short, he has ministrator.

they will light down upon us as thick received from their ancestors, yet should deter every patriot from voting ever shewn bimself a true democratas the locusts did in the days of Pha-events will happen to awaken the for him. That they should intend to His talents are unquestionable, and roan, upon the land of Egypt; and be slumbering spirit on the very thresh vote on the side of those who, under his moral character without blemish. old of Eternity, and rouse the heart Adams's administration, endeavored Therefore,

even now, in confidence, promising whose energies have long slept in to change our free government into Resolved, That we consider it a Informs the public and his friends that tranquility. The oldest soldier is an aristocracy-on the side of those tribute to the cause of that liberty for he has rented, and has in complete near relation of Gregg into the bar- re-animated at the approach of an en- who, in the late war, shewed their which we have fought, to give our operation, gain, a very few days since, told one emy. We had to fight sanguinary warm partiality for the enemies of support to the democratic cause, and

emy. We had to fight sanguinary warm partiality for the enemies of support to the detection for J. An-battles against the British hordes who their country. We pity them, being drew Shulze as Governor—and that her with their custom may rest assurwhom be thought would dot include sattles against the British holdes when they will soon ar-it again, that it would be more in the power of Mr Gregg to reward his friends with offices, than some people of slavery—blood and toil and treas friends with offices, than some people of slavery—blood and toil and treas friends bave been grossly imposed upon by the candidate of the democratic part are were expended before the Medusa have been grossly imposed upon by the candidate of the democratic parshuize. "How so," was the reply, like were expended below the first of the last time thrown the candidate of the democratic part satisfaction; and soll the present situation of the State the dust. We, a portion of that arhave, perhaps for the last time thrown that his talents qualify him for the Valuable estate for Sale.

scale of those who are enemies to office of Governor of this Commonthat pure democratic liberty for which wealth : because he has had experi- testament of John Crosthwatte, dec'd. we fought and conquered. Will they ence in the affairs of our state : and will be offered at public vendue on suffer themselves to be led astray by duties as 76ers to the end of our earththat the democratic candidate endea-and the maintenance of democratic distance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance of democratic distance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance of democratic distance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance of democratic distance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance of democratic distance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance of democratic distance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance of democratic distance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance from Duncan's will on Participation of the maintenance o vored to place the military above the principles; and because he is ill-treat creek. On the premises there are a civil authority? By this very asser-ed by those who have ever been unwretches who, in the Revolution, with tion these people cast a reproach on friendly to democracy ; which we conparricidal hands lifted their swords our brother in arms, Joseph Hiester, sider as a sure criterion of his worth the present governor, who in 1821 Look around you, and you will find and 1822 signed laws containing the Andrew Gregg, because he is brought them actively engaged in assisting to same principles as that for which it is before us in disguise, and by persons said Mr. Shuize voted. Read the maning political marks, a tal sale 55th section of the militia law of 1821 wearing political masks-a federalis

and the 69th section of a similar law who is called a democrat, by a federal that vending pills ; and delivering old and these who in face days endeavor-women of their beer bottles is bet-ed to undermine our hard earned lib-of 1822, both signed by Joseph Hies-ic concus which styles itself a democrat. Potter township, Sept. 18, 1825. ter; there it is provided that the de. ic convention; a proceeding which cision of military courts shall not be must create just suspicions ; because

a standing army in time of peace-by We doubt not but this man, from abridging the liberty of the press, and removed to civil courts ; and last win-by assisting to cstablish an illegal Was found on the 27th August, on the ter the democratic candidate voted to banking institution-and by delying, the same effort, that no impediment at the head of it as president, the exeshould be placed in the way of exe- cution of the laws, he has shewn that cuting the militia laws by people who love of money and self-interest are

endeavor to evade their operation; the motives of his actions, and that although they enjoy the protection he is animated by a spirit of speculaof their country, refuse to bear arms tion-alike dangerous to the prosperin its defence. By such allegations ny of the treasury and the state; and

they too plainly show the little regard above all-because his conduct during they have for the opinion of the pres. the Revolutionary War, was suspinet governor, and distinctly demon cious- and we, as seventy-sizers will sunk and whose looks were cast down strate that they are more on the side not expose ourselves to the danger of

FOR SALE, By order of the orphcourt of Centre an's county

lay of October next, a certain HOUSE & LOT

of ground, with the appurtenances situate in the town of Milesburg, and town 30. It being the real estate that was of Charlos M'Clane, late et

BY THE COURT, Certified by F. B. SMITH, C. O. C. Sept'# 1st 1823.

BENJAMIN SNYDER.

In pursuance of the last will and because his strict honesty as a sure the premises, on the 28th day of October next, 260 Actes of land, s tuate a cavin house and Barn, about 50 or 50 acres of cleared land, and a small apple orcha d. The land is well timpered and watered and a good title can be made. There is also adjutting the same, 53 acres of land, with a good awmill thereon, which will be offerd for sale on the said day, unless sold at private sale sooner.

WM. KERR, M. BOLLINGER, Ex'rs.

A Silver Watch,

road between Beliefonte and Milesourg. The owner by calling on the ubscriber, living in Milesburg, and proving his property can have it

JACOB HOOVER. Sept. 23d

Six Cents Reward.

Ranaway from the subscriber, livng in Springfield, Centre county, about the 17th of August last, an apprentice to the Shoemaking business, named JOHN WHITE, aged about 7 years. I forewarn all persons lines harboring or trusting him on my account. The above Reward will be given for his apprehension and return Resolved, That the proceedings of to the subscriber, but no charges paid. WM. PRICE. Sept. 23d 1823.

From the Reading Chronicle. Spirit of '76. At a meeting of old soldiers, resid. ing in the Borough of Reading, who, in the Revolutionary War consecrated their lives, their fortunes; and their sacred honor in support of the liberty and independence of their country, and whose aged bosoms still grow warm at the recollection of those times when the spirit of liberty soared triumphantly over British despot ism and the still more bideous monster of Toryism, held on the 30th of James were appointed secretaries.

when glorious victory crowned Amer- of those who refuse to do military du- voting for a man who perhaps was can prowess; who did homage to ty than of those who are willing to not a WHIG.

the traitorous proceedings of the serve their country. Will you suffer fartford Convention, and who again yourselves to be misled by the idle this meeting, with the signatures of acted the part of tories as far as was tale of the enemies of the democratic all of us, be published.

with those monsters; but as this may

not be, we will at least discharge our

y existence, by giving to our breth-

Where are the survivors of those

against the liberties of their country?

en the warnings of experience.

consistent with circumstances and candidate, who say he is an apostate. heir personal safety ? Look around because he relinquished, twenty years ou and you will find them in the ago, his profession as a minister of the gospel, and engaged in a differanks of those who are trying to fur-

ent pursuit ? Is it to be a maxim of her Mr. Gregg's election. Who is Andrew Gregg? We, who American liberty, that a freeman have lived in the times of the Revolu-shall be forbidden to engage in any ion, and taken an active part therein, loccupation not prohibited by law? know him not as one of our brethren That he shall be obliged contrary to in arms; we never heard that he la. his inclination, to pursue the profes-August, 1823, at the house of Jacob boured in the Cabinet for the cause of sion in which he has been educated i Gossler, in the Borough of Reading his country, or that he did any thing Do we live in a country of guilds-o -PETER RITNER was chosen Chair- in any way towards supporting its de-licensed and fettered corporations ?man, and Henry Rightmyer and Wm. fenders. We have read and heard No, we live in a land of freedommuch of what is said in his favor by freedom for which we fought. Who The purpose of the meeting having his supporters, but on the topic of ever on this account reproaches Mr been duly stated, after a free inter-the Revolution they are as silent as Shulze, betrays principles really arischange of sentiment upon the subject, the grave. Are they afriad to touch tocratic, and evinces a partiality for

Sebastian Algaier, Samuel Millard, Sthis subject lest witnesses might rise the slavish customs of Europe, and Philip J. Lott, were appointed a com- up to whom he had been known in more than disrespect for a hero of the mittee, and instructed to prepare res. those times and who would prove that revolution, and for an able American Vigilance to promote the election of olutions expressive of the views and he WAS AOT A WHIG? Exercis. statesman. Gen Peter Muhlenberg Andrew Gregg, without our knowl opinions of the meeting, in order that ing our utmost liberality in this mat- was a distinguished preacher of the ing on that committee, as we are de- late of Baines township, decrased are the same might be published togeth-ter, we are left to conclude that he Gospel, and performed as such many termined to use all our endeavours in requested to make p yment, and these er with the signatures of those who had found some means to withdraw essential services. Frederick A layour of John Andrew Shulze, the having demands, are requested to were present. The committee then from the dangers of the conflict. Ad- Muhlenberg had also devoted himself retired to another room, and after some mitting even this to have been the to the same profession. They both time returned with the following pre-case, his sentence has been proboun-relinquished it

PETER RITNER, Chairman. VENRY RIGHTMYER, 2 WILLIAM JAMES, S Secretaries.

George Rightmyer, Thomas Evans, Leonard Fehler. Martin Kepple, Andrew Schenfessler, Andrew Fox, Philip J. Lett, Adam Koch, John Goodman, John Ulrich. Sebastian Allgaier, Francis Hariman, Martin Felix, Michael Grate, Samuel Millard, Casper Madiera, Nicholas Lott, Philip Zieber.

From the Lancaster Free Press.

Lancaster, August 30. Mr. M'Kelly-We the undersign d being placed on the Committee of

candidate of the Democratic Party. EDWARD HUFFNAGLE, DAYTON BALL, MICHAEL DIRTRICH



The subscribers will attend at the house of James Gallaher, near Chyst Creek, on Thursday the 16th day of October next, to dispose of kind owned by J C. Fisher, to persons desirous to settle thereon The terms are, three dollars per acre; ten per cent of the purchase money must be paid when the contract is entered into; the balance in seven equal an. nual payments, with interest after the expiration of three years.

J. M. FOX, F. W. RAWLE Bellefente, September 15th 1823.

120 ALL persons indebted to the estate

present their accounts, duy anthenticated, for sculement, on or belove the 20th day of Gataber next. MICHAIL MUSSER.)