

Creek Indians

navy, have expressed that intention some time past, in confidence; and they now do not hesitate to avow it publicly. Their plan of attack is contemplated with a co-operation of the fleet and army, and by regular advances. Their object, however, cannot be known & all that is said on the subject is mere conjecture. There is no doubt of its being an object of the first importance to them & that they will attempt it, if they have the least prospect of success. The Harbor is in a good state of defence, and there is no doubt but that the troops which are here will do honor to themselves and justice to their country; but they are not sufficient in number to oppose a powerful army.

"Our country is new, and there could not be more than 3 or 4000 militia called out in season to be of service, after an actual alarm. It is said that the new ship will bend her sails on the 28th, when they will soon take the Lake, and our fleet haul in.— If they should have the temerity to attack our fleet at their moorings, I have every confidence to believe that our Commodore will teach them a lesson similar to that of Lake Champlain. Their two extremities have lately met a check, and I hope we shall at least do our duty in the centre."

Extract of a letter from Sackett's Harbor, Septemuer 20.

"Sunday before last, the commodore with the Superiour, Mohawk, Pike & Madison, (the three heavy brigs being at the head of the Lake, the Oneida in port and the Lady on the way) beat into Kingston harbour, with a fresh breeze right out the port. Before he got within 6 miles of the the Regent, the flag ship, Sir James hauled his brig close into the dock, got out sprngs and swung his broadside to, that is, of his four ships precisely equal to our four in all respects but one, Sir James has more men than he he knows what to do with.

The commodore beat into Kingston Harbour, just out of reach of the batteries, hauled up his courses, furl'd top-gallant sails, hove to and lay there within about 4 miles of the Knight of St. Bento of Avis all the afternoon 'till dark."

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at New-Orleans, to his friend in Philadelphia, dated September 2.

"An express has this day arrived from Mobile with the information that a treaty has been made with the Creek Indians, by which the United States are to receive about 23 millions of land from the heart of their country. They bind themselves to have no connection with any other nation than the Americans; to raise the tomahawk when requested; and to bring over or extirpate the refractory Indians now at Pensacola. There has been a large quantity of flour shipped within a few days to Pensacola, the exportation of which is this day prohibited by the Governor. General Jackson is at Mobile—up and doing!"

FROM PORTUGAL.

Extract of a letter from an American merchant in Lisbon to his brother in Boston, dated May 27, 1814.

"I lose no time in announcing to you that the Portuguese Government do now refuse to clear vessels of the United States. You can form your own idea upon this conduct, but it is generally considered here as unfavorable, and was quite unexpected."

Bost. Daily Advertiser.

BODY.

It is said a body of a British officer of distinction has been found near Fort M'Henry. Some conjecture it is that of Com. Hardy. It wore two gold epaulets, and a star, the badge of nobility.

[Washington City Gazette.

CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Wednesday Sept. 28.

TO ENCOURAGE DESERTION FROM THE ENEMY.

Mr. Fisk of Ver. offered a resolution for appointing a committee to enquire into the

expediency of offering 100 acres of land to any deserter from the British army, on condition of his settling on it.

Mr. F. supported his resolution in an animated speech, wherein he shewed that the policy of the British government has been to induce our citizens, in many cases, to violate their allegiance. He instanced the proclamations of Admiral Cochrane, Brisbane, &c. He contended that it was the policy of all civilized nations, and we would be perfectly justified in offering an inducement to desert.

Mr. Grosvenor, of N. Y. spoke against the resolution. He contended that it was contrary to the custom of all civilized nations, and the principle was fraught with the most dreadful effects, as was the same which encouraged assassination of officers, &c.

Mr. Sharp, of Ken spoke in favor of the resolution, and shewed that the same principle was always practised, both, by this and every other nation at war, when it could be used with advantage.

Mr. Bradley moved to lay the question on the table, which was negatived, 62 voting in the affirmative, and 70 in the negative. The vote was then taken on the resolution, which was carried, 80 for it, 55 against it.

INDOLENCE

Is not happiness. He that idles away his time in sloth and inactivity, may fancy to himself that he feels an enjoyment in doing nothing: but what is the sum of his enjoyment? that, merely, of an animal who feels little more than half alive. Human nature is destined for something more noble and elevated. It is calculated for action as well as rest: and whoever expects to be happy in the more easy circumstances of life, must also take his part in those which require exertion.

TAKE NOTICE.

The Vendue Notes belonging to the estate of Jacob Sherick, dec. are left with E. Moore in Bellefonte. The drawers are desired to call and pay them off before next November Court, or they will be sued JOHN IDDINGS.

Oct. 13, 1814.

A quantity of BLANK EXECUTIONS for sale at this Office.

WOOD WANTED.

Subscribers in arrears, who are in the habit of hauling wood to this town, will oblige the printer, by bringing a load to this Office, each.

NORTHUMBERLAND ACADEMY.

WHEREAS the office of Principal of the Northumberland Academy, having become vacant by the much lamented death of the Rev. ISAAC GRIER, who for many years past had successfully devoted his time and talents to promote the reputation and usefulness of this seminary, it is deemed expedient that no time be lost in the appointment of a person to take the charge of the institution until a Principal shall be hereafter appointed.

The Trustees, therefore, having full confidence in the scientific and literary acquirements of Robert Cooper Grier, son of the late Principal, and Professor of Mathematics, Natural Philosophy &c. who during the tedious illness of his father, had the care and superintendance of the Seminary, do unanimously appoint the said Robert Cooper Grier Principal pro tempore of the Northumberland Academy for and during the session commencing on the first day of November of the present year and closing the first day of April 1815.

It is moreover Resolved, that the Rev. John B. Patterson, Rev. Thomas Hood and Doct. Samuel Jackson, be appointed to visit the school jointly or severally, to render such assistance as may be requisite, to attend to the various wants of the institution and report their care and attention to a future meeting. Extracted from the minutes. JOHN BRYSON, Chairman.

ATTEST, SAMUEL JACKSON, Sec'y Northumberland, Oct. 7, 1814.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-Office, Bellefonte, October 1, 1814.

William Ammerman, Philip Antis, Geo. Bettner, Jonas Bumberger, William Beard, Wm. Boyd, Isaac Cartwright, Elizabeth Clark, James Collins, Rachel Carr, Richard Cary, John Drain, James or William Dixon, Michael Fitz, Francis Graham, Peter Ginder or widow Shenk, John Graham, James Glen, Thos: Green, Peter Griffith, Peter Hendershat, Jane Haslet, Abraham Hooper, David Hollingsworth, Wm. Kerr, Anthony Kennedy, Frederick Kellogg, Margaret Laird, Wm. Lillyatt, Benjamin Least, Thomas Light, Josiah Lambourn, Jacob Lambert, Archibald Moore, Henry M'Calmont, Joseph Montgomery, Philip Moser, John Mane, John Montgomery, Robert Moore, Hugh M'Guar, William Murrey, Lorence Peters, John Patterson, James Porter, Job Packer, Joshut Redrick John Snyder, Jonathan Saynes, George Setzer, Samuel Scott, Catharine Shissler 2, John Sims, Philp Shreck, Jacob Swentzel, Absolam Timms, John Taylor, Mr. Tipton, Amos Underwood, David Way, Elizabeth Woods, Wm. Williams, Wm. I. Williams, Peter Weire, James Watson, sen. Thomas Wilson, Charles Wilson, Nicholas Ziegler. R. T. STEWART, P. M.

SALE OF LAND.

BY order of the Orphans Court of Centre County will be sold at public vendue on the premises on Monday the seventh day of November next, a certain Messuage tenement and tract of land late the property that was of Jane Templeton deceased, situate lying and being in the Township of Walker in the County of Centre aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit. Beginning at Stones thence by land of Thomas Stewardson, and others South 42° west 447 perches to a fallen black oak, thence by land of Thomas M'Kee North 48 degrees west 59 perches to a white oak, thence north 40 degrees east 55 perches to a pine, thence by land of Andrew M'Kee, north 49 1-2 degrees east, 395 perches to a white oak thence south 48 degrees east, 10 perches to the place of beginning; containing 101 acres of 45 perches and allowance of 6 perches cut for roads and highways. The terms of sale to be as follows, to wit.— The purchaser to pay one half of the purchase money in hand and the other half in one year from the day of sale. Due attendance will be given by THOMAS M'KEE, Adm'r.

Certified by Wm. PETRIKIN, Clerk, O. C. October 12, 1814.

NOTICE.

A. COBURN Respectfully Informs the Citizens of Bellefonte & its vicinity, that he will open a School for teaching Church Music this season, if he meets with encouragement—He tenders his thanks to his friends for the very liberal encouragement heretofore received.—He wishes to open Schools in Lewistown and Huntingdon, if the citizens of those towns should be in want of a Teacher of Church Music; having been for several years engaged in teaching vocal Music he flatters himself he would be able to give satisfaction to his Patrons. A. Coburn will tune and new string Piano Fortes. Bellefonte Sept. 15, 1814.

THE creditors of Thomas Barlow, late of Philipsburg, in the county of Centre, an insolvent debtor; and also the creditors of the partnership of "Barlow and Feltwell," of the same place, are requested to exhibit their accounts and demands against said insolvent debtor and partnership, to the subscriber at Laurel Spring Paper Mill, Huntingdon county, or at the office of William Petriken, Esq. in Bellefonte, on or before the twenty ninth day of November next, as a dividend will be made and declared on that day.

CHARLES CADWALLADER. Assignee of T. Barlow, and Barlow & Feltwell, Insolvent debtor.

AUGUST 23.

RAGS

THE highest price that is given in cash will be paid for clean Linen and Cotton RAGS at this OFFICE.

PRINTING

OF ALL KINDS, Executed at this Office.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Samuel Wilson deceased, are requested to make payment immediately; and all those having demands against said estate, will please to present their accounts properly authenticated.

GEORGE BRESSLER, Adm'r. & CATHARINE WILSON, Adm'r. MAY 28, 1814.

5th

HENRY STEWART TAYLOR,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Bellefonte and its vicinity, that he has commenced the TAYLORING BUSINESS, at the House back of Mr. James Rothrock, and immediately adjoining his Hatter shop, where those who may please to favor him with their custom shall receive every accommodation and attention in his power to bestow.

Having served his apprenticeship in the city of Baltimore; and having had an opportunity of perfecting himself in the knowledge of his profession by an exercise of its various duties, in many of the best shops in that place, he flatters himself qualified to give general satisfaction to his customers.

October 3, 1814

WANTED

IMMEDIATELY, two or three JOURNEYMAN TAYLORS, to whom generous wages and constant employment will be given. Apply at my Shop, adjoining the dwelling House and Store of R. T. Stewart, Esq. Bellefonte.

JACOB KLINE.

October, 3, 1814.

M. B. J. KLINE returns thanks for past favors, and Respectfully informs his Customers that he has lately received the newest and most fashionable patterns, from CHARLES C. WATSON, Philadelphia.—Orders upon Iron masters or other responsible persons will be accepted as payment for work.

Causes for trial at the Special Court of Common Pleas Centre county, October, 10, 1814.

Les. of Lauman's Ex'rs

vs. T. Thomas.

Les. of Jos. Lamborn

vs. H. Hartzock,

Les. Lauman's Ex'rs

vs. Ramey & Stratton

Les. of M. T. Simpson

vs. Jackson & Kinter,

Same vs. Same,

Les of James Packer

vs. R. Gunsalus

Les. of R. Gunsalus

vs. Hoover and Beixler,

Les of Lauman's Ex's

vs. Jacob Houser,

Les. of John Ashley

vs. George Reynolds,

Jacob Pouser

vs. Martin Steel,

Same vs. Same,

Les. of Richard Wistar

vs. Ross and M'Kee,

Same vs. Jno. Harbinson,

Duncan and Walker

vs. Jacob Meese,

Les. of D. Harris, junr

vs. William Monks,

Les. of James Potter

vs. R. Pennington,

Les of Daniel Swytzer

vs. J. Meese and al.

Philip Benner

vs. Jacob Houser and al.

Duncan and Ingersol

vs. Daniel Turner.

Same vs. Same,

Letitia Nailor and al.

vs. J. Hurton and al.

G. Robinson, junr

vs. John New