

THE AMERICAN PATRIOT.

BELLEFONTE, NOVEMBER 26, 1814.

To speak his thoughts—
Is every Freeman's right.

Once more we are compelled to intrude upon the goodness of our readers another half-sheet. It perhaps, will be displeasing to them; but cannot be more so, than it is mortifying to us. Circumstances have occurred in this office, of which we disdain to speak, that have rendered this alternative as expedient as it was unavoidable. It will, by affording an abridgment of labor, furnish us with an opportunity of putting the affairs of our office in such a state, as will enable us, with great and uncommon industry, to publish regularly a whole sheet, if nothing again should happen.

AN APPRENTICE.

Is wanted at this office. A Boy of reputable character, and who is competent as it respects his qualifications, will meet with an advantageous situation, if he make application IMMEDIATELY.

A JOURNEYMAN will meet with encouragement also.

It would appear from a paragraph in a late Chester county paper, that ISAAC WAYNE, Esq. has lost his election to the 14th Congress by a minority of four votes. A Mr. Hahn was the successful candidate.

The scale was turned, it is said, by the votes of a company in camp, which had not previously been heard from. This information, however, may possibly be incorrect;—though, it is from good, REPUBLICAN authority.

NEW ENGLAND CONVENTION.

The legislature of Rhode Island convened together on the 8th instant, when the government was duly organized; the hon. James Burrill, jr. was chosen speaker. On Saturday a resolution passed for the appointment of delegates to attend the convention in Hartford. The following gentlemen were accordingly chosen.

Benjamin Haggard, Esq. of Newport; Daniel Lyman, Esq. county of providence; Col. Marston, of do; and col. Sam. Ward, county of Kent.

Bost. Gaz.

PRIZES.

The editor of the Baltimore Weekly Register, who has kept a regular account of the number of prizes taken from the enemy since the commencement of the war, states the whole number at ONE THOUSAND, THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY TWO. So vigilant has been our cruisers that not all England's Navy, the thousand ships of war, can, with their boasted prowess on the ocean, beat a Yankee privateer.

ANOTHER VICTORY.

Savannah, Nov. 4

Arrived this forenoon at Five Fathom Hole, the British brig Atlanta, of 253 tons, coppered to the bends, with a full cargo of Wines, brandy, fruits, silks, Cambrics, British bale goods, &c. prize to the United States' ship Wasp, capt Blakely. The Atlanta was from Bordeaux, bound to Pensacola. In coming over the bar without a pilot she went ashore on the South Breaker; but was soon got off, after the loss of her rudder, and her keel considerably damaged.

The Atlanta was formerly the schr. Siro belonging to Baltimore, which sailed from this port (Savannah) with a cargo of cotton, for France last winter; and was captured on her passage by a British frigate.

The Wasp left L'Orient on the 27th August—five days after, at 9 o'clock P. M. fell in with a British sloop of war, and after an engagement of 46 minutes she surrendered to the Wasp. Immediately after the enemy hailed the Wasp, and informed them that they were in a sinking condition and begged for aid. Captain Blakely was on the eve of sending his boats to her when a second sail was descried, close on board him, which compelled him to abandon the idea of taking possession of her. Mr. Gaissinger who was in the action on board

the Wasp, and who is prize officer to the Atlanta, informs us that the brig they engaged went down soon after, and every soul must have perished, as no assistance could be rendered her.

On the approach of the second sail she was discovered to be a brig of war, and the wasp was in ten minutes after ready to engage her, and was in the act of wearing to do so, when two more brigs were discovered, which induced Capt Blakely to make all sail from them; they fired a broadside into the wasp which cut her rigging and did other damage. The loss of the Wasp in the engagement was two killed and one slightly wounded. She received three balls in her hull, and a few in her sails and rigging.

It is supposed that the Wasp has taken since her departure from the United States, property to the amount of TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING.

The Atlanta parted with the Wasp on the 22d of Sept. off Madeira, the ship in good order, and the officers and crew in good health and fine spirits.

From the following extracts of letters received by yesterday's mail from Tennessee it appears probable, that the force under Gen. Jackson has achieved another victory over the enemy's force in the neighborhood of Mobile. We hope the next mail from that quarter will afford us ample confirmation of this satisfactory intelligence.

Franklin, (Ten.) Oct. 23.

I have heard that Gen Jackson has had a second battle with the British in the south and came off victorious. He lost 100 killed and 160 wounded. The enemy lost 400 killed on the ground; I have not heard how many wounded

Winchester, Ten. Oct. 29.

Gen. Jackson has, as we hear, defeated the British again, and killed 400 of them.

FROM SACKET'S HARBOR.

Authentic

New York, Nov. 11.—We have accounts from Sacket's Harbor as late as the 1st inst. at which time there were at the post about 6000 militia, and about 11 hundred regulars. Gen. Brown arrived and took command on the 31st ult. His army was expected in the course of a few days. The British fleet was in port; and it was reported that the enemy's army at Kingston was fifteen thousand strong, having been reinforced by General Drummond's army. An attack upon the Harbor was daily looked for though there was but little doubt if an attack should be made, they would be repulsed, as that post was strongly fortified. Our fleet is moored in a strong line across the Harbor, strengthened by gun-boats and land batteries.

A postscript to a letter of the 1st states, that ten sail of the enemy had appeared in sight, steering as it was supposed for the head of the lake: but more probably says the writer, for this place.

(Gazette.)

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.

WANTED

IMMEDIATELY, two or three JOURNEYMAN TAYLORS, to whom generous wages and constant employment will be given, by HENRY STEWART.

November 5, 1814.

CAUTION.

WHEREAS, the subscriber gave to Hugh Milliken, two bonds, of two hundred dollars each. One payable the 1st of June 1815, and the other the 1st of June 1816. This is therefore to forewarn all persons from taking an assignment of said bonds as I am determined not to pay them unless compelled by law.

WILLIAM CALDWELL.

November 5, 1814

NOTICE

IS hereby given to those having demands against the Estate of Sebastian Shade, deceased, to produce their accounts properly attested for settlement, at the house of James Grier in Dunsburg, on the Wednesday's and Thursday's of each week in November next, where due attendance will be given; and those that are indebted to said Estate, are requested to make payment immediately.

JAMES GRIER, } Executors.
WILLIAM WILLIAMS. }
Dunsburg, Oct. 19, 1814.

BY order of the Orphans Court of Centre County, will be sold, at public vendue, at the Court house in the Borough of Bellefonte, on Wednesday the thirtieth day of November next, a certain messuage and tract of land, held by warrant in the name of William Burge, situate in the Township of Halfmoon, containing one hundred and nine acres, more or less. Also a tract of land held by improvement in the name of William Burge, adjoining lands of Christian Bowman and others, in the Township aforesaid, containing two hundred acres, more or less, the property of the late Christian Hamaker, deceased. The terms of sale to be as follows. The purchaser to pay one third in hand, and the remainder in two equal yearly payments—Due attendance will be given by Charles Cadwallader, acting administrator. By the Court.

WM. PETRIKIN, Clerk, O. C.
Nov. 1, 1814.

LANDS FOR SALE.

THREE adjoining tracts situate in Halfmoon township, Centre county.

N. O. I,

Contains 119 acres, of a good quality, with a large proportion of Meadow, and Bottom Land, and lying on Halfmoon and Evans' Runs, a Log Dwelling House 23 by 30 feet, Stable and other conveniences, with a number of Apple trees selected for Summer use; in full bearing, also a Young Orchard containing 130 fruit trees just beginning to bear; Peach trees, &c.

NO II

Contains 50 acres, 6 of which are in a state of cultivation, and adjoining lands of Thos. Downing, Joseph Yoder and others. This lot is of the first quality of lime-stone land in the neighborhood.

NO. III,

Contains 188 acres, which is unimproved, but valuable, no doubt, for the Iron Ore it may contain, together with the timber. It will be sold separate, or altogether as may best suit the purchaser for each and every tract.

Indisputable titles will be given. For terms apply to the subscriber, living on the first mentioned tract.

DAVID HOLLINGSWORTH.

Halfmoon, Oct. 20th, 1814.

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. 15, 1814.

HENRY STEWART

TAILOR.

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 Hutter 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

Events of the War

Much complaint and dissatisfaction seemed to prevail among many of the subscribers to this work, on account of the detraction of the books, before they came to hand; but since that time no inquiry has been made about them. The publisher has been at a very great expense in the printing of them, and expects to be remunerated in no other way than by their sale; it is therefore, hoped, that those who have been so generous as to subscribe, will call for their respective copies, and take them; and after that, pay for them.

Office Amer. Pat.

SIX CENTS REWARD.

RUNAWAY from the subscriber, living in Bald Eagle Township, Centre County, on the 6th of October, an indentured apprentice named,

JOHN SWARTS,

about five feet four inches high, had on when he went away, a homespun drab roundabout coat and waistcoat, coarse tow trousers, and small fur hat; talks Dutch, and tolerable English; a great tobacco-chewer and Smoker. Whoever takes up said Runaway and brings him back to me, shall receive the above reward, but no charges paid.

HUGH WHITE.

Bald Eagle, Nov. 19, 1814.

CENTRE BANK OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Stockholders of the Centre Bank of Pennsylvania, are hereby notified, that the Directors have this day declared a dividend, at the rate of nine per cent per annum, or the Stock paid in, which will be paid to them or their legal Representatives at the Bank.

By order of the Board.

JNO NORRIS, Cashier.

Bellefonte, Nov. 7, 1814.

FULLING & DYING.

The Subscriber inform his friends, and the public, that he has erected a new

FULLING MILL,

on the waters of Beech Creek, Centre County, where he intends, carrying on the above business, in all its various branches.—He flatters himself, by attention to business, to merit the patronage of a generous public.

JOHN ANDERSON.

November 19, 1814

FOR SALE.

A tract of Land containing one hundred and fifty seven acres, in Halfmoon township, Centre County, adjoining lands of Thomas Thompson, Jr. Abraham Elder and others. The land is of a tolerable quality, upon which is a very thriving young apple orchard, and other bearing fruit trees. About 45 acres are cleared. There are on the premises a good House and barn, a spring of excellent water. The land is situated within about fourteen miles of Bellefonte. Any person wishing to purchase may know the terms by applying to the subscriber near the premises

JESSE WHIPPOO.

Halfmoon, Nov. 19.

Merchants, and others take Notice!

THE Subscriber at the Tilt Hammer Shop, near the end of Nittany Mountain, will make at the shortest notice, and constantly keep on hand, Spades and Shovels, together with every other article in the line of the Blacksmith and Cutlery business.

JAMES WHITEHILL.

N. B. An apprentice wanted to the above business.

FIFTY CENTS REWARD.

WALKED AWAY from the subscriber (for he was seldom known to run), on the 14th inst. an indentured apprentice boy to the Fulling Business, named

JAMES ANDERSON.

between 19 and 20 years of age, about five feet 8 or 9 inches high, had on when he walked away, a bottle green straight bodied coat, and cotton overalls, and a number of other articles of clothing he took with him. Whoever takes up said walkaway, and returns him to the subscriber, at Beech Creek, Centre County, shall receive the above reward, but no charges paid.

JOHN ANDERSON.

November, 14, 1814.

LAND AGENCY.

THE subscriber will attend to the business of a Land Agent in the borough of Harrisburg. Those wishing to procure patents or copies from any of the public offices will find their business executed with promptness.

ALEXANDER GRAYDON, Junr.
HARRISBURG, Aug. 14 1814.