

HEAD QUARTERS.

Left Bank of the Mississippi, five miles below N. Orleans, 13th Jan. 1815.

SIR,

I have the honor to make following report of the killed, wounded and prisoners, taken at the battle of Mac Pradies plantation, on the left bank of the Mississippi, on the morning of the 8th of January, 1815, and 5 miles from the City of N. Orleans.

Killed, 700
Wounded, 1400

Prisoners taken, 1 Maj. 4 Captains, 11 Lieutenants, 1 Ensign, 483 Camp officers and privates, making a Grand Total of 2600.

I have the honor to be, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant.

H. HAYNE, Inspector General.

Major General Jackson,

Extract of a letter, dated N. Orleans, January 8

The enemy made a most desperate charge--they came in solid columns, one in the centre, and the other on the right of our battery--each man had a bundle of brush or sugar cane on his shoulder, for the purpose of filling up the ditch--they were so warmly met as to be thrown into confusion, and retreated and formed, and returned a third time to the charge; they succeeded in getting possession of the bastion with three pieces of cannon in it--but they were soon dislodged and the most of them taken prisoners.

So intent were they in getting over the work, that they pulled off their shoes for the purpose of climbing it. There were a number of officers of distinction killed, and it has been ascertained that the commanding General was mortally wounded. In a pocket of one of the officers that was killed, was found a journal, in which is mentioned that on the night of the 23d, lost 225 killed and an immense number wounded: and on the 28th they lost 15 officers killed. The estimate of yesterday's battle from Head quarters, 800 killed and 600 prisoners, including wounded, which is the largest number, and one hundred wounded, carried off by them. The sight was a terrible one to see a field covered with dead and wounded lying in heaps, the field was completely red. They have retreated this side the river.

The British force on their first arrival is ascertained to have been 11,000, including sailors and marines. Their loss is estimated at 4500. The American force in the neighborhood of N. Orleans, at the different posts is computed at 15,000, well armed.

TO BE RENTED,

(And possession given the 1st of April next.) THE Grist and Saw Mills adjoining the Town of Milesburg, together with the land attached thereto. For particulars enquire of

JOSEPH MILES, Bellefonte.

Dec. 31, 1814.

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber informs the public that he has for sale a general assortment of FRUIT TREES.

As it is one of the best propagations on a farm or lot, he hopes to meet with encouragement in so useful a business, for which he will thank those who will favor him with their custom, and will answer them to their satisfaction.

JOB PACKER.

BALD EAGLE, JAN. 13. 1815.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-Office, Bellefonte, Jan. 1, 1815, which if not redeemed will be sent to the General Post Office in 2 months from this date.

Philip Antis, James Armstrong, John Abis, James Anison, 2; John Adams, Matthew Anison, Nicholas Alexander, Nathaniel Beck, Benjamin Brooks, Henry Binder, John Cook, Daniel Cartner, Jesse Cookson, Amariah Coburn, Mrs. Jane Clark, Phinehas Davidson, John Endsley, Jacob Enrich, John Hanson, Enoch Hastings, Jacob Hether, Patrick Hughes, Thomas Hastings, Henry Hoy, 2; James Harbison, Isabella Henderson, Jacob Holter, Isaac Jones, Jun Johnston, David Johnston, Anthony Kennedy, Caleb Kephart, Christopher Keatey, Michael Meiers, Samuel Miles, Mary McKerrigan, Thomas M Clennend, 2; Philip Moser, James McIntocn, James Newlin, David Nicholson, Wm. Nixon, Joseph Orwig, Jane Patton, John Patterson, Job Packer, Wm. Petrikin, 9; Hugh Quinn, 2; Col. Matthew Rodgers, Wm. Russel 2; George Records, George Seitzer, George Sweaty, Spencer, Eve Stroupe, Margaret and Mary Steer, Eleanor Steer, John S. Sedam, Samuel Taggart, Absolam Tims, Joseph Updegraff, 2; Isaac Updegraff and John Irwin, Jesse Williams, Charles Wilson, Benjamin Way, Herrman Younge.

R. T. STEWART, P. M.

FOR SALE.

Will be sold at private sale, a tract of Land containing 25 acres, in Centre County, Hallmoon township, formerly the property of James Shehan whereon is about 10 or 12 acres of good meadow, a young bearing orchard, a good spring. The land is of a good quality. About 45 acres are cleared. Terms of sale may be known by applying to the owners.

Christian King, John Yoder.

Jan. 23d.

NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given, to all persons that are in any way indebted to the estate of John Barber, late of Centre county, Esq. deceased, to make payment to either of the subscribers, before the 1st day of February next, as on that day, all notes and accounts unpaid will be put in suit:--and every person having any legal demand against the said estate, will please to present their accounts for payment.

JAMES DUNCAN, J. G. LOWREY, Adm'rs.

December 28, 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 Hatter shop, where those who may please to favor him with their custom shall receive every accommodation and attention in his power to bestow.

He has 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 it 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

WHEREAS the subscriber gave to David Storm, two notes of one hundred and ninety pounds each; the first payable 1st of April 1815; the other 1st of April 1816; and eight other notes of one hundred pounds each: the first payable 1st of April 1817, and one each succeeding year; and one other note of one hundred and twenty five pounds, payable first of April 1825. This is therefore to forewarn all persons from taking an assignment on said notes, said Storm not having complied with his engagements.

HENRY YOTTER.

Bellefonte, Sept. 17, 1814.

A quantity of BLANK EXECUTIVE BONDS for sale at this Office.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by an act of Congress entitled "An act to provide additional revenues for defraying the expenses of government, and maintaining the public credit, by duties on sales at auction, and on licences to retail wines, spirituous liquors, and foreign merchandize, and for increasing the rates of postage," passed the 23d December, 1814, an additional duty of one hundred per centum on sales at auction and an additional duty of 50 per centum on licences to retailers are laid, to take effect from the 1st day of February 1815 conformably to which act, that can be inspected at this office, new obligations are imposed on auctioneers, and the said additional duty on licences to retailers, is to be paid on written application to be made by them, as well by those who have obtained licences for periods extending beyond the 1st day of February, 1815, as by others, in the way therein prescribed, agreeably to forms which can be obtained from the Collector. Given under my hand this 9th day of January, 1815.

Wm. H. PATTERSON,

Collector of the Revenue for the 19th Collection District of Pennsylvania.

Potter's Mills, 9th January, 1815.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, That agreeably to the act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide additional revenues for defraying the expenses of Government and maintaining public credit by laying duties on spirits distilled within the United States and territories thereof, and by amending the act laying duties on licences to distillers of spirituous liquors, passed December 21, 1814, every person who shall after the first d of February, 1815, distil spirits, within the United States, is required, in addition to the duty on the licence already taken, or hereafter to be taken by him to pay twenty cents a gallon on all spirits distilled after that day, or subject to the limitation in the said act expressed, to pay twenty five cents a gallon on all such spirits, in which case no licence is required to be taken, and that agreeably to the said act a bond is required previous to the said day, to be given to the collector, and other duties required to be performed under penalties therein prescribed.

That the distiller may be correctly advised of the duties incumbent on him to discharge, an abstract of the several acts of Congress subjecting stills and boilers, and spirits to duty, has been prepared; a copy of which with annexed forms of statements required from a distiller, will be furnished to him by the Collector on demand.

The Collector will also furnish, blank bonds, and such other blanks as will enable the distiller to comply with the several provisions of law.

WM. H. PATTERSON.

Collector 19th District Penn. Collectors' Office, Jan 9.

LANDS FOR SALE.

A tract of Land situate in Halfmoon township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, 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.

An indisputable title will be given. For terms apply to the subscriber, living near the premises.

DAVID HOLLINGSWORTH.

Halfmoon, Jan 20th, 1814.

TO THE CREDITORS OF SAMUEL WILLIS.

GENTLEMEN,

Take Notice, That I have applied to the Court of Common pleas of the County of Westmoreland, by petition, for the benefit of the insolvent laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and that the said Court have appointed the third Monday of February next, for the hearing of me and my creditors, at the court house in the Borough of Greensburgh, in said County of Westmoreland, when and where you may attend to show cause if any you have, why I shall not receive the benefit of the laws and I be discharged from confinement.

SAMUEL WILLIS,

Westmoreland Jail, January 5th, 1815.

WANTED

IMMEDIATELY, two or three JOURNEMEN TAYLORS, to whom generous wages and constant employment will be given, by HENRY STEWART. November 3, 1814.

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE FURTHER PROTECTION OF HOUSES FROM FIRE.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Borough of Bellefonte, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the owner or owners of all and every dwelling house now built, or which hereafter may be built within the bounds of the said Borough shall furnish the same with two leather fire buckets; which buckets shall be placed in the entry or such other part of the house as shall be most easy of a ccess and be marked with the owners name or the initials thereof; and shall be kept in good repair for using at all times in cases of fire.

Sec. 2. And be it ordained and enacted, that should the owner or owners of any such house, or houses, now built, or that hereafter may be erected and built within the limits of the said Borough, neglect or refuse on or before the first day of April next, or within three months next after any such house may be hereafter built, and occupied to furnish and provide the buckets as aforesaid, such person or persons so neglecting or refusing, being first or convicted before some Justice of the peace in and for the county of Centre, shall forfeit and pay the sum of seven Dollars with costs of prosecution, to be recovered at the suit of the high burgess, assistant burgess and council of the Borough of Bellefonte, which fines or forfeitures when recovered, shall be paid over to the treasurer of the Borough for the use of the same. And the houses so neglected to be furnished by the owners thereof, shall as soon as conveniently may be created, be furnished with two buckets as aforesaid at the expense of the said Borough.

Sec. 3. And be it ordained and enacted that it shall be the duty of the High Constable to visit each and every dwelling house within the limits of said Borough, within ten days next preceeding the last Saturday in the months of February, May, September, & December, yearly, and examine whether the provisions of these ordinances are complied with, so far as respects the fire buckets being in their proper place and in good repair, and make information of every default before some Justice of the peace in and for Centre County, so that the same may be prosecuted and every person or persons being the immediate or joint possessor of such house or houses at the time such default is made, in keeping the buckets aforesaid in their proper places and in good repair, and being convicted thereof on the information aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay a fine or forfeiture of not more than five nor less than one dollar for the use of the said Borough.

Sec. 4. Be it ordained and enacted, That the ordinance heretofore passed for the protection of houses from fire, (so far as relates to providing buckets,) be and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed into an ordinance Jan 10, 1815

ANDREW GREGG, PRES.

ATTEST, OF THE COUNCIL.

ELISHA MOORE, CLK.

SEAL

I do certify that the above is a true copy of the original ordinance, in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the corporation.

ELISHA MOORE, CLK.

CAUTION.

WHEREAS, the subscriber gave to Hugh Minken, 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

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.

Merchants, and others, take Notice!

THE Subscriber at the Tilt Hammer Shop, near the end of Nutary 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 WHITE HILL.

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