

state, it is thought will fall an easy prey, and thus the independence of the Carracas be secured. We are further informed that on the 13th of Feb. Peter who commanded a privateer out of the port of Margaritta, was shot and beheaded for piracy. Admiral Brian, is using every possible exertion, to detect and to bring to condign punishment, the pirates who have committed so many depredations in the West Indies: he has now three in close confinement, awaiting their trial; one named Joseph, a black by the name of Peter and John Pencil, formerly the commander of the Decatur. Admiral Brian has taken all the privateers into requisition and will now grant no commissions.—We are further informed, that on the 9th of Feb. the Decatur fell in with three Spanish brigs of war, and fought them upward of an hour, before she could effect her escape; it is thought that if there had been but two vessels, she would have brought them into Margaritta. The Decatur did not receive much damage; some men were wounded. The Spanish vessels were much cut to pieces, and one actually ceased firing and hauled off.

Federal Republican.

BELLEVILLE:

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1817.

To our Patrons.

ALL persons indebted to this establishment, are requested to make immediate payment. The ensuing court will afford a good opportunity to many.

We would remark once for all, that unless our subscribers observe more punctuality in paying us, in future, than they have hitherto done, the relation of printer and patron, as far as it has reference to us, must cease with the conclusion of the present half year.

In this day's paper will be found the far-famed letter of Dr. Sutherland.

It is hoped our subscribers will excuse the smutty appearance of our paper this week; the ink being new and not good. We hope to improve it.

The following is a genuine letter from a sailor on his return from an Indian voyage.

Written Hasting East Indyman, of Gravesend March 24, 1814

DEAR BROTHER TOM,
 "This comes hopein to find you in good health as it leaves me safe anchor'd here yesterday at P. M after a pleasant voyage tolerable short and few squalls---Dear Tom, Hpes to find poor old father stout, and am quite out of pig-tail.---Sights of pig-tail at Gravesend, but unfortunately not fit for a dog to chor---Dear Tom, Captain's boy will bring you this and put pig-tail in his pocket when bort. Best in London at the black boy in 7 diles, where go, acks for the best pig-tail ---pound pig-tail will do. and am short of shirts Dear Tom, as for shirts only took two whereof one is quite worn out, tuther most, but dont forget the pig-tail, as I not had a qud to chor, never since Thur day. Dear Tom, as for the shirts your size will do only longer. I like um long; get oee at present, best at Tower hill, and cheap--But be particular

to go to seven Diles for the pig-tail at the black boy and Hear Tom, acks for pound best pig-tail, and let it be good---Captain's boy will put the pig-tail in his pocket, he likes pig-tail so ty it up; Dear Tom, shall be up about Monday, or thereabouts. Not so particular for the shirts, as the present can be washed, but dont forget the pig-tail without fail so I am your loving Brother,
 "P. S.---Dont forget the pig-tail.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

(By Adjournment.)

BY virtue of a writ of *Venditioni Expositas*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on Monday the 28th day of April, inst. at the Court-house in the borough of Bellefonte, a certain tract of land containing two hundred acres, be the same more or less, with the improvements and appurtenances, situate in Hains township, Centre county, adjoining lands of George Old, Adam K. Conner, James Duncan and others. Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Tibbens, and to be sold by

WM. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of *Venditioni Expositas*, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the same time and place, a certain tract or lot of ground, containing sixteen acres, be the same more or less, with the appurtenances and improvements, situate in Ferguson township, Centre county, adjoining lands of Samuel Maxwell, Samuel McCormick and others.—Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Graham, and to be sold by

WM. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
 Also,

BY virtue of a writ of *Venditioni Expositas*, issued out of the court of Common Pleas of Centre county, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the same time and place, a tract of land containing 100 acres, be the same more or less, with the appurtenances and improvements, situate in Boggs township, Centre county, adjoining lands of the heirs of Samuel Miles and of Richard Malone, deceased.—Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Julius Sonnet, and to be sold by

WM. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of *Lavari Facias* to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the same time and place, a certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Bellefonte, containing 60 feet in front or breadth, on Bishop street, and 200 feet to an alley called South Alley, and known to be No. 158, in the general plan of said town.—Seized and taken in execution as the property of Wm. M. Elwane, and to be sold by

WM. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of *Lavari Facias* to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the same time and place, a certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Bellefonte, containing 60 feet in front or breadth, on Bishop Street, and extending 200 feet to an alley, and known to be lot No. 84, in the general plan of said borough.—Seized and taken in execution as the property of Geo. Rickart, and to be sold by

WM. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of *Lavari Facias*, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the same time and place, a certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Bellefonte, containing 60 feet in front or breadth, on Bishop Street, and extending 200 feet to an alley, and known to be lot No. 85, in the general plan of said borough.—Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Hall, and to be sold by

WM. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of *fi. fa.* to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the same time and place, a certain tract of land, containing 150 acres, be the same more or less, situate in Howard township, Centre county, adjoining lands of John Neff and others.—Seized and taken in execution as the property of James Green, & to be sold by

WM. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
 BELLEVILLE, APRIL 7, 1817.

FOR SALE,
 A TRACT OF LAND,

CONTAINING 200 acres, more or less, called Bayer's Delight, situate in Ferguson township, Centre county, adjoining lands of Jacob Houser, Benjamin Whitehill and George Coble; about 7 miles from Bellefonte.

The aforesaid tract of land is of the first quality limestone land, its improvements are, about fourteen acres of the first rate meadow—an orchard of 70 bearing apple trees—one hundred hewed logs, from 10 to 14 inches face, 60 feet long; and about 3000 shingles—all on the spot, and in complete preparation for building a bank barn. There are in the whole about eighty acres of cleared land, under most excellent fence. Terms of sale will be made known to any person disposed to purchase, by

ROBERT MOORE.

Ferguson township, April 7, 1817.

Take Notice.

All persons indebted to the estate that was of Peter Dewit, late of Patton Township Centre county deceased, are hereby requested to make immediate payment. And all persons who have any demands against the said estate, will please to present them legally authenticated, forthwith to the subscriber living in said township, for settlement; so that he may know whether the said estate be solvent or otherwise.

ARTHUR SMITH Admr.

Bellefonte April 7, 1817.

ANDREW STEWART,
 TAILOR,

Acquaints his friends and the public generally that he has removed to the house in which Mr. Robert Hayes lately resided, near to Mr. R. & W. STEWART'S Store: and carries on the

Tailoring Business,

in the shop formerly occupied by George Tracy.

Gentlemen favoring him with their custom may rely upon every attention being paid to their orders.

No pains will be spared to accommodate those who may think proper to employ him, with the newest Philadelphia fashions.

Bellefonte March 31.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

The partnership of John Rowls and Son, Blacksmiths, has by mutual consent been this day dissolved. Those indebted to said firm are requested to settle their accounts.

John Rowls.

Richard Rowls.

LAST NOTICE.

The collectors of county tax, who are in arrears are requested to pay off their respective duplicates at the April court, as after that time, suits will be brought against all delinquents.

P. CAMBRIDGE Treasurer.

Bellefonte March 27, 1817.

ROSS'S GREEK GRAMMAR.

NO real proficient in the Greek Language needs to be informed of the importance of having the rules of the Greek Grammar in Latin.

The student, who can construe, parse, and write Latin well, enters with peculiar advantage on the study of the Greek Language.

Not only the rules more concisely express in the Latin than in the English; but the best scholiasts, Commentators and Grammarians of the Greek language have generally written in Latin; and the student who has become a proficient in Latin, will acquire the knowledge of the Greek with much more facility and accuracy than he who, without such a previous knowledge, applies to it merely with English rules. The former, whilst he is studying the Greek Grammar by Latin rules, is, at the same time, improving the knowledge of the Latin, the Greek Grammar in Latin being a most excellent classic book; the latter as he studies the Greek by an English Greek Grammar, cannot possibly do this; it is unnecessary to state how important the

knowledge of both Greek and Latin is to a liberal education.

The editor has used in the first edition and will continue to use in this, his best endeavors to render it both concise and comprehensive; his chief aim being to enable the student to pronounce, resolve in good Latin, and parse the Greek with precision and critical accuracy.

He excels in the recollection that the first edition has for a considerable time, been used in the Jersey College, the Chambersburg and New Ark, [Del.] Academies, and others reputable seminaries, where it is studied with superior approbation.

Application (post paid) may be had to the editor in Philadelphia, North Fourth street No. 44.

JAMES ROSS.

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To those who are so unfortunate as to be afflicted with

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AND to those whose feelings of humanity excite them to inquire and direct where they may obtain a perfect cure for the malady, in the most safe, easy and effectual way:

Doctor Griggs,

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Confident that his remedy is superior to all others that have ever been in practice, thinks it his duty to make it known to the public, that he has succeeded in effectually curing near one hundred persons in this city, of the most dreadful of all maladies, the CANCER, within the last 2 years many of whom had despaired of ever obtaining a cure, some of whom had been attended in the Alms House and Hospital of this place, without success and now are effectually cured—

By the afflicted's Humble servant

Daniel Griggs.

N. B. Reference can be had of some hundreds of the most respectable citizens of Philadelphia.

All editors of papers in this state will please insert the above once a week for three months, and send their accounts for payment as above.

All Editors in the United States will subscribe the cause of humanity by giving the above a few insertions in their respective papers.

September 5, 1816.

Wanted immediately, 1

or 2 Journeymen Tailors, to whom good wages and constant employment will be given by

Samuel Baird.

BELLEVILLE, July 10, 1816.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Philip Auman, dec. late of Hains township, are requested to come forward and make payment, on or before the first of March next; and those having demands against said estate, are desired to have their accounts legally proven and presented for payment

JACOB HERRING, Admr.

FEB. 8, 1817.

James Roberts,

SADLER,

Respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has lately fixed his residence in Millsburg, where all orders in the line of his profession will be gladly received and expeditiously executed.

Dec. 9, 1816.