

Extract of a letter from a respectable American gentleman now in London. "I am very sorry to inform you that from twenty to twenty-five sail of American ships have been brought into this and the out ports of this Island, for adjudication, several of the captains of which I have conversed with: they say that when taken, they were told there was an order to capture all Americans having on board colonial produce—and according to a decision of Sir Wm. Scott, all West India produce is colonial property, as well as much of the East Indies; and that no transfer in time of war can make it otherwise. By the law of nations, he says, they have a right to distress and injure their enemy in any way they please. He observes, they do not injure the neutral nation by taken from them property obtained during the war, because the neutral was not suffered to trade with those colonies for the same article in time of peace: therefore the privilege we now have must be in consequence of their arms, the advantages of which they have a right to claim!—When I was in Spain, I saw the captain of the ship Eagle, which loaded and sailed from Liverpool the 20th of March, bound up the Straits; she was taken and carried into Algiers, the cargo condemned, and the captain received his freight—alho' it was proved to be English property. I mention this merely to shew what different constructions are given to the law of nations. Some persons here have insured against British captures, and have sued the underwriters; but as soon as the case appeared, the judge told them it was not worth while to argue the cause, for that no judge could be bound to make good any thing lost in consequence of acting contrary to the laws of his own country: so that no insurance against British captures, tho' made for the express purpose, is binding on any person in this country.—It is said that an order has passed forbidding the capture of any more of our vessels till November next, that we may have time for notice. But should my countrymen either now or then submit to their explanation of the law of nations, there is an end to all the benefits of neutrality. It is true I am from home, and have navigation among the English; but if a non-intercourse act should take place, let my navigation take its chance. We can certainly fight England better without guns, than any other nation can with, and perhaps we never shall have so good an opportunity as the present. It is acknowledged here by all parties, that their manufactures would be ruined, should such a thing take place in America; and if the English did not give up their pretensions thus to restrict us, in three months, I would be willing to forfeit all I have, the fourth month."

through Milan as he was entering the city, for his coronation, with his magnificent retinue, through triumphal arches, and ranges of prostrate subjects."
"With respect to amusements, the Opera at Paris is still in its glory, though M. Vestris is about leaving it, being wholly forgotten in the wonders of M. Duport."
The following is given in the Foreign Journals, as the letter of the King of Prussia to Bonaparte, recognizing his imperial dignity:—
SIR AND BROTHER—The desire to maintain and to cultivate those relations of amity, and that perfect good understanding, in which I have hitherto had the pleasure of being with the French Government, and at the same time to testify to you my high personal regard, has induced me to transmit, without delay, these presents to my Minister of State, the Marquis de Lucchesini, to accredit him to your person in the quality of my Ambassador Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary. I accordingly request you to believe whatever he may have the honor to say or to propose to you on my part. He will in particular fulfil my intentions by giving your Imperial Majesty to understand the sentiments which I have ever cherished towards you; the sincere interest which I have never ceased to take in all that is calculated to increase and strengthen the prosperity and the welfare of the nation over which you rule; and my ardent wishes that this prosperity may be still farther augmented by the happy restoration of peace and tranquility in Europe. You will invariably find in my mode of thinking and acting, the same candor and the same confidence in you, which I have hitherto been so anxious to shew you.—While I give you this assurance, I likewise renew with pleasure, that of the sentiments of friendship, and the highest consideration with which I am your Imperial Majesty's good Brother and Friend.
FREDERICK WILLIAM.
Berlin, May 7. 1805.

Capt. Henry Brown, in the sloop Blue Bird, a coaster between this town and Boston, returning from the latter place on Friday night last, there being a heavy swell, fortuitously got on shore on North Point, in this river, and a heavy sea filled her. She was literally full, of the most valuable merchandize in market, containing the fall and winter supply of a great number of our English goods merchants. By exertions, stimulated by the greatest anxiety, she was hauled in so near with Plum Island, that at low tide the water left her so as to enable the people on Saturday and Sunday, to effectually unload her. We have taken considerable pains to ascertain the value of her cargo; and shall speak on sure grounds when we say it amounted to between EIGHTY and ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS; and an intelligent merchant informs us that there will be 40 per cent. average loss on the whole amount; others say, 25, or less. (Portland Gazette.)

SHIP NEWS

Port of Baltimore.

From the Merchants' Coffee-House Books. October 15.
Arrived, schr. Fanny, Swain, 27 days from Jeremie—Coffee—Alex. Mactier. Left there, Sept. 18, brig Antelope, Gray, Isabella, Craig; schooners Messenger, White, Nonsuch, White, Eclipse, Wheeler, and Meteor, Frazier, all of Baltimore; the three last just arrived; schr. Betsey, Ellis, for Philadelphia in 6 weeks; the schr. Hetty, Stanley, of Baltimore was chased into Jackmel by 3 French privateers. The ship Mary was still at Aux Cayes.—The day before the Nonsuch got in she fell in with two French privateers, which moved up on each quarter, and fired a broadside into her sails and rigging, but did him no material injury; he ordered his men not to fire until he could learn their further dispositions; in consequence of his keeping his fire, they took him for an English vessel of war, and not liking his appearance, took to their sweeps, and fled; the Meteor was in company, and they both chased the privateers for some time. On the passage spoke an English brig, captain Cromart, one of the Jamaica fleet, who informed him that the Prosperity, Fitch, of this port, some time since re-captured from the French, and brought in there, has been condemned on the evidence of the mate, who deposed that Smith and Gordon, (the owners) were both natives of St. Domingo, that captain Fitch was on board a schr. in the fleet bound to Norfolk. The schr. Experiment, (capt. dead) belonging to Rodgers and Owens, of Baltimore was in the fleet. Capt. S. informs that the Haytian government intended to purchase no more American cargoes, but will still be in requisition until all the debts are paid, that they have contracted.—Great disturbances are said to have taken place in consequence of Dessalines having determined to examine all the titles by which the lands are held, and to dispossess all those that cannot satisfy his commissioners on that head.
The brig George, Stiles, from Martinique, and a ship from Rhode Island, are below.
Boston, October 9.
Arrived, ship Sally, captain Swazy, in 25 days from Gottenburg. Left brig Mary, Southack, for Boston; Pomona, Dillingham, for New-York; Spoke, Sept. 29, on Eastern Edge. Grand Banks, lat. 44, 50, ship Hercules, of Duxbury, capt. D. Bradford, 15 days from Philadelphia for Antwerp, had lost on the 23d September, his mainmast, foremast and bowsprit, in a gale—captain S. supplied him with spars, sails and rigging, and he (captain S.) intended to prosecute his voyage.
Same day, brig Three Brothers, (of Sicily) captain Lathrop, 38 days from Lisbon. Sailed in 60 days for Amphyon.

Pain, from St. Ubes. Left ship Harriot, Harlow, of Portland, from Nantz; schr. Suba, Cruft, from St. Jagoes, at quarantine. Spoke, Sept. 22, lat. 22, 54, long. 30, ship Amphion, Earl, 28 days from New-York for Amsterdam.
Same day, via quarantine, brig Argo, captain Copeland, from Demerara, via St. Thomas; 28 days from the latter place—Left two brigs, one of Portland and one of Boston, names unknown. Spoke nothing but what has arrived.
Arrived, Horace, Lumbard, Baltimore; Anselmo, Kitchen, do; William, Cleveland, do; Five-Sisters, Bates, do.
Cleared, Parrot, Baltimore; Thomas Jefferson, Loring, do.

Mrs. Hall
RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies of Baltimore, that she daily expects from London and Paris, her
Fall Fashions,
With a variety of rich fancy goods in her line.
Oct. 16 d6t

All the
NEW CHARTS
For sale by
WARNER & HANNA.
Oct. 16 d4t
300 bushels Black Eyed Peas
of an excellent quality—For sale by
MITCHEL & SHEPPARD.
Oct. 16 d4t

A Bank Note
WAS found on the Discount desk in the Bank of Baltimore, a few days since. The owner may have it again on applying at this office, and paying for this advertisement.
Oct. 16 d6t

A pair of Carriage Horses.
FOR SALE, a pair of handsome BAY HORSES, well broke to a carriage, free and gentle, perfectly sound, and without any fault, between seven and eight years old—They are sold only for want of employ. Enquire of the printer.
Oct. 16 d

Wanted,
A YOUNG LAD of respectable connexions, apprentice to the Grocery business; such a one bringing good recommendations, will hear of an eligible situation, by applying at this office.
Oct. 16 d4t

Will be landed this morning,
And offered for sale, at the lower end of Bowly's wharf, for cash or good paper, at 60 days,
22 hhds } New England Rum
14 pipes }
12 hhds Tobacco stems
131 bbls superfine Flour
On hand,
10 hhds Antigua Rura
8 pipes Cognac Brandy, imported in April 1803
20 qr. chests Hyson } TEA, entitled to
20 ditto Hyson Skin } drawback.
Pork
Cut nails and brads of all sizes.
WILLIAM McDONALD.
Oct. 16 e6t

To Let,
A TWO story frame HOUSE, in German-street, now occupied by Mr. F. D. McHenry. The house has two rooms and a passage on the first, and three rooms on the second floor, together with a kitchen and cellar. Possession will be given on the first day of December next—Apply to
PETER CASSAT,
No. 229, Market-street.
Oct. 16 1aw6t

Property for sale.
ONE LOT in fee simple, situated in Bond-street, F. P. 60 feet front and 110 back, with a good two story dwelling house on the same.
One Lot in fee simple, near the Marsh-market, 25 feet front and 70 deep.
One three story House and Lot in Howard-street, adjoining Mr. Finley's.
One corner Lot in Franklin-street, on which built, four frame Houses.
One Lot of about 3 acres, on Baltimore-street, near the Union Tavern, on which are a handsome Country Seat and eight Houses.
One Lot of about 3-4 of an acre, near the Seminary.
The above property will be sold at private sale, for cash and goods, or on a liberal credit, for cash only.
PETER WALTER.
Oct. 16 e6t

Night-School
Will commence on Monday next, the 21st inst. At FELL'S-POINT SEMINARY, (Late Gardiner's.)
Where young ladies and gentlemen are carefully instructed in Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Merchants' Accounts, Geography, and the English Grammar, by FULROD BROWN, and Assistants. The house being large, separate rooms are appropriated for each sex, and also a room for private tuition.
Ladies waited on at their own houses, between the hours of twelve and two, or five and seven.
N. B. Young Gentlemen boarded, &c. &c.
Oct. 16 wk4t

William Birch
INFORMS the Ladies and Gentlemen of Baltimore, that he means to reside in this town a few weeks, for the purpose of receiving orders for Portraits in Enamel; executing Likenesses in water colors; filling up Profiles in an elegant style, and exhibiting for sale some new Plates, subjects, New-York, Philadelphia and the new bridge of Philadelphia, Mount Vernon, &c. &c. He has a room at Mr. Bryden's, where he wishes to shew his abilities, and to receive orders.
Oct. 16 d4t

To be Sold,
AN unexpired lease of 5 years, on a LOT of GROUND, containing 7 acres, situated near the Spring Gardens, with the improvements for carrying on the brick making business—consisting of a new kiln and 2 new sheds; and all the utensils necessary to work a gang. The terms will be made easy to the purchaser, on application to
JESSE YEASON.
Oct. 8 1aw4t

Auction
FOR THE SALE OF
Books, Maps, Charts, &c.
No. 3, Light-street, next door to Briden's Fountain Inn and Coffee House.
On FRIDAY EVENING NEXT, the 18th inst. will commence the sale of about 6000 volumes of Books, comprehending the various departments of Literature; sale to commence at 6 o'clock.
On this, and one or two succeeding evenings, will be offered, a large collection of Novels, chiefly London Editions, to be sold without reserve. Catalogues may be had at the place of sale.
Oct. 16 d3t

Wessels & Primavesi,
127, MARKET-STREET.
Have on Hand, an Extensive Assortment of GERMAN AND ENGLISH GOODS:—
Consisting of white and brown Hempen Tickenburg, fine and coarse Bourlapps, white flaxen; Osaburg, Hessians, brown Rolls, Dowls, Creas, white and brown Platillas, Flanders Sheeting, House Linen, white, Rolls, Diaper and Table Linen, Toweling, Haarlem Tapes, Turkey Yarn, silk and velvet Ribbons, white and black real Brussels, and common Lace, French Baskets, Pocket Books, Letter Paper, Wafers, Colored Paper, &c.
An assortment of NURENBERG WARES,
Consisting of Looking Glasses, Violins and Bows, Violin Strings, Slates and Slate Pencils, Snuff Boxes, Bird Cages, Crystal Glass and gilt Beads, Cloth Brushes, Needle Cases, and Toys assorted.
Also,
ENGLISH AND GERMAN HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.
Double and single barreled Guns, Pistols, Gun Locks and Flints, Coffee Mills, Straw Knives, Razors and Forks, Pocket and Pen-Knives, Razors, Scissors, Powder Flasks and Shot Belts, Tooth Brushes, Combs, Thimbles, Shaving Boxes, Ink Stands, Fire Steels, Spoons, Waiters and Trays, Watch Keys, Chains and Seals, &c.
An assortment of HOLLOW GLASS WARE.
Tumblers, Goblets, Wine Glasses, plain and cut; Ink Stands, Vases and Flower-Pots, &c.
COLOGNE MILL-STONES, from 5 feet 6 inches to 6 feet.
Which they offer for sale on the usual credit for approved paper
October 16. d6te6t

Removal.
Joseph Cappeau
HAS removed from No. 27 to No. 77, Market street, formerly occupied by Mr. Michael Graham, of whom he has purchased his Stock in Trade, which with a large selection from the different arrivals this fall, forms a complete assortment of
Fall and Winter Goods,
Consisting of
Superfine cloths and cassimeres
Second ditto ditto
Plains and forest cloths
Flushings and coatings
Baizes and flannels
Rose and Stripe blankets
Swandowns and tulinettes
Silk and velvet waistcoating
Bennet's patent corals
Constitution cord and thicksets
Velvets and velveteens
Chintzes and Calicoes
White and colored cambric muslin
Figured and lace ditto
Silk and cotton chambray
Cambric and common dimity
Bombasets and wildbores
Durants and calamacones
White and brown platillas
Bretagnes and dowls
4-4 and 7-8 Irish Linens
6-4, 7-4 and 8-4 Irish diaper
Cotton and linen checks
Ditto ditto stripes
4-4 and 7-8 shirting cotton
Linen cambrics
Linen pocket handkerchiefs
Cotton and camels hair shawls
Lace and wrought cambric ditto
Plain and damask silk ditto
Silk and cotton suspenders
Silk, cotton and worsted hosiery
French and English silk gloves
Extra long and short kid ditto
Ladies and gentlemen's beaver ditto
York tan and wash leather ditto
Gurrahs, cossas and baftas
Bandannoes and nankens
Linetraings and senhaws
Stripes and plain satins
Ronal and gilly handkerchiefs
Real and mock madras ditto
Italian-sewing silk, assorted
India and English ditto
Green, Manteau, plain and bordered Umbrellas, &c. &c. &c.
Also,
Just received from Philadelphia, a handsome assortment of
Fancy Goods,
Among which are,
6-4 and 8-4 checked cambric shawls
6-4 super foreign worked ditto
Ditto Japanned ditto
Ditto checked mull ditto
7-4 superb satin ditto
Elegant worked colonade
Leno and mull veils
Plain and figured dress handkerchiefs
Super diagonal leno muslin
Ditto ditto colonade ditto
Ditto needle worked ditto
Ditto gauze cut stripe ditto
Ditto plad cambrics ditto
Plain and figured mullmull
India and British book muslin
White, gray lead and brown Italian manteau
Drab lead, white, blue, green, and pink sarinets
Black, white, pink yellow, green, and blue crapes
Lustrestring and sarinets ribbons
Velvet ribbon and bindings
A few elegant cambric shirts, superbly wrought, the latest fashion.
The whole of the above goods being bought on the best terms, and principally for cash, will be sold at reduced prices, for cash, or acceptance in town. Country merchants will find it to their interest to call.
Oct. 16 d

German Redemptors.
ON board the Bremen ship Washington, captain H. Tecklenburg, are a few Tradesmen and Farmers, who would wish to engage with a master for their passage. For terms apply to the captain on board, or
JOHN BOLTE, Ship Broker.
September 26

Sale by Auction postponed.
THE sale of that valuable HOUSE and LOT, No. 130, Market-street, at present occupied by W. Clemm, jun. and the House and Lot adjoining, occupied by Mr. P. Byrne, as a Book and Stationary store, advertised by Col. Clemm, to be sold this day, will be sold to-morrow, the 16th inst. at 11 o'clock, on the premises, on terms that will then be made known.
VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct's.
Oct. 15

Sale by Auction.
THIS MORNING,
The 16th inst. at 12 o'clock, will be sold by Auction, at Mr. Water's wharf, on Fell's-Point, The beautiful coppered Ship
NANCY,
With all her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture, as she arrived from sea. She is a strong and faithful built vessel, and will carry about 2000 barrels—an inventory may be seen at the vendue office at the corner of second and Frederick-streets, previous to the sale.
THOMAS CHASE, Auct'r.

Sale by Auction.
THE country seat, Paradise, belonging to the estate of Abraham Van Bibber, Esq. deceased, which was advertised for sale yesterday, at the premises, was unavoidably postponed, but will certainly take place TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 17th, at half-past 11 o'clock, at the vendue warehouse, at the corner of Second and Frederick-streets, (between the dry and wet good sale) the tract of land with the improvements thereon, is divided into six parcels, and will be sold separately or together, as may be most agreeably to those who are inclined to purchase.
THOMAS CHASE, Auct'r.
Oct. 16

For Liverpool,
The fast sailing ship
F A M E,
CAPTAIN LONG,
A constant trader. She is now loading and expected to sail in all this month. For freight or passage, apply to
Wm. TAYLOR, or
TIMOTHY GARDNER.
Those who are desirous to have their goods early in the season, and wish to order them by this ship, are notified, she will sail from Liverpool by the 1st of February, or as early as any other spring ships for this port.
October 16 d4t

For New York, Savannah, or
The Carolina, as freight may offer,
The sloop
UNION,
JAMES PIERCE, Master,
Burthen 77 tons. For freight or passage, apply to the captain on board, at the lower end of M'Luze's-wharf, or to
M'QUINN & BARRON.
October 16

Sale by Auction.
On TUESDAY,
The 22d inst. at 10 o'clock, at the auction room, at the head of Frederick street dock, will be sold, by order of the Orphan's court, on a liberal credit, for approved colored notes,
ALL the SOCK in TRADE of George Rossiter, jun. deceased,
Consisting of
A VARIETY OF VALUABLE DRY GOODS,
Among which are,
Superfine and coarse Cloths, Coatings, Flannels, Corduroys, Velvets and Thicksets, Irish Linen, Worsted & Cotton Hosiery, &c. &c. &c.
VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct's.
Oct. 15

Jacob and Wm. Norris,
64, Market-street,
HAVE FOR SALE,
14 hhds high 4th proof Jamaica Rum
21 do Antigua do
11 pipes real Cogniac Brandy, 4th proof
7 do Bordeaux do do
25 barrels old-Ackoma Peach Brandy
80 boxes Brimstone, of about 70 lb. each, in good order
110 boxes brown Soap
70 do dipt Candles
150 do mould do
150 do Spanish Segars
2 cases Nutmegs
Cinnamon, Mace and Cloves, loaf and lump Sugar, warranted Chocolate, Indigo and Fig Blue, Poland and common Starch, English and American Powder in kegs, Battle Powder in lb. papers and in kegs, Pepper, Allspice, Madder, Coppersas, Alum, Ginger, Playing Cards—at the manufacturer's prices; Pipes in boxes, Barley in bags, Windsor Sosp.
40 dozen twilled hair Sifters
Patent Shot, assorted
Madrira, Sherry, Lisbon, Port and Malaga Wines, in quarter casks; Olives in jars; Writing and Wrapping Paper; London and Philadelphia Mustard; old Cabines Tobacco, in kegs and half kegs; Gum and Pistol Flints; Salsptra; basket Salt; Leiper's and Mamilton's Snuff; at Philadelphia prices; Imperial, Hyson, Young, Hyson, Padre Souchong and Hyson Skin Teas; Molasses in casks. Spermaceti Oil in casks; Jamleson's Crackers and Pilot Bread, &c.—All of which they will sell at the most reduced prices for cash, or credit to punctual customers.
Winter-strained Spermaceti OIL by retail.
Oct. 11 2aw6t

To be Sold
And immediate possession given by the subscriber, DIFFERENT tracts of LAND, lying about 2 miles above Reister's-town, to the right and left of the M'Allisters-town road, namely, part of Copper-Ridge, Beef-Hall, Park-Hall, improved with a two-story log dwelling, nearly new, three apple orchards, & other fruit trees, and possessing several good springs—the turnpike road from Reister's-town to Hahover runs through the above land; and my undivided half part of the M'Nicholson's Manor, the latter part purchased in Company as tenants in common & not as joint tenants, with Isaac Dickson, the whole about 350 acres. For terms or particulars enquire of the subscriber, lying about two miles from the city of Baltimore, on part of Mount Royal tract, nearly adjoining Mount Royal Mills, or to WALTER ROE, Esq. of South-street, in the said city.
ABRAHAM LARSEN.
September 4 1aw

A Store
In a good stand for business,
TO RENT, No. 7, of County wharf. I has conveniences to accommodate a family, if necessary. For particulars, apply No. 2, on same wharf, to
PETER COX.
Oct. 3

MEMORANDUM
Of articles robbed from the sloop Harriet, captain Wilson, by a French privateer, of the 15th of August.
Beef, pork, bread, beans, candles, sugar, coffee, rum, wine, porter, brandy, cheese, three dozen forks, six ducks, corn, stumps, dishes, plates, knives and forks, candle sticks, spoons, coffee mugs, cups and saucers, rumjags, tinware, and leded water pump, all (nearly) new glassed, tipping sails, lead, log, and fishing line, signal flag, all the baggage and wear of apparel of the crew and passengers, pd. 3,100 dollars.
[Charleston paper.]

PARIS.—In a letter to a friend, an American gentleman, now in France, gives the following description of the Metropolitan of Europe:—
"Paris is now so splendid and fashionable as in the days of Louis XIV. The Emperor has embellished the Tuilleries, restored the gardens, repaired the Chateau of Fontainebleau, and intended to lavish the money of his subjects on the improvement of Paris, and the grandeur of his palaces. His ambition is not limited to magnificence and splendor at home, and his court most strikingly exhibits it."