

American,
AND
Commercial Daily Advertiser.

SAURDAY, AUGUST 30, 1806.

For Sale,

FOUR hundred white HATS, among which are one hundred and seventy with green unders, light and neatly trimmed, from five to six inches in the brim, calculated for the West India market, will be sold on reasonable terms, for cash or approved paper on a liberal credit, by
RUNYON HARRIS,
No. 188, Market-street.

Who has on hand,

A quantity of mens' & youths' black HATS, which will be sold wholesale or retail. Shippers and country merchants may be supplied by the case or dozen, put up in the neatest manner to ship or send in the country.

Also on hand,

A quantity of Philadelphia GLUB, of a superior quality.
August 21

Madeira Wine.

4 pipes
13 half pipes
and
9 casks
Entitled to drawback—for sale by
W.M. McDONALD,
103, Bowly's wharf.
S&W12

George Maris,

DRUGGIST,
No. 140, MARKET-STREET,
HAS ON HAND,
5000 lbs. Glauber Salts,
200 bottles Castor Oil
100 lbs Arrow root Starch of a superior quality, and fresh,
Antibiotic Pills as usual,
With a general and extensive assortment of Drugs and Patent Medicines, which he will sell
August 7 W&S2m

James Ramsay,

Has received per ship *Abeona*, capt. G. Hobson, from Liverpool,
PART OF HIS ASSORTMENT OF
SHIP CHANDLERY,
Among which are,
A complete assortment of Sail-makers THIMBLES, and SAIL TWINE.
And a handsome invoice of the latest
CHARTS,

From the most approved Authors. He daily expects by the ship *Fair American* from London, the remainder of his supply, which will make his assortment complete, as the greater part has been bought for cash—he will be enabled to sell them at the most reduced prices on his usual credit.

N B Seven tons of first quality Sheathing Paper, and a very handsome invoice of Charts, amount to £60 sterling. Also, an East India Pilot, with a proper directory.
Fell's Point, August 28

Diffolution.

THE co-partnership of Cole & Hewes is, by mutual consent, this day dissolved. All persons having claims on the firm, and those indebted, are requested to present their accounts to JOHN HEWES, who is duly authorized to settle the same.
JOHN COLE,
JOHN HEWES.
August 25 (28)

John Hewes

INFORMS his friends and the public, that he will continue the Printing business, in its greatest variety, at the same place (4, North Charles street) and prices, as heretofore conducted by Cole and Hewes—Where subscribers to the "Epist' from the Yearly Meeting of Friends in London," just published, will please to call by their books.
August 28

The Subscriber

WILL send to each residence, two miles from Baltimore city, lying between the York and old roads, adjoining general Smith's and Mr. Hollis's country seats, containing about thirty four acres of land, one half of which is well improved, the remainder in wood of a large size, and is very fully supplied with excellent water. The very extensive prospect is not exceeded, if equalled, by any in the vicinity or county. It is stocked with an abundance of the best of every kind of large bearing Fruit Trees, at least two hundred Pear Trees, of almost every kind; two apple orchards, containing upwards of thirty-five kinds; Cherries of the best kinds; Peaches; Plumbs; Apricots and Nectarines, of all kinds; Quinces; large Italian black Mulberries; a considerable number of large bearing Gr. Pe. Vines, of various kinds; Figs; English Walnuts; hard and soft-shelled Almonds; Filberts; a large garden stocked with Raspberries; Strawberries; Gooseberries; Currants, and every thing necessary. All the above mentioned fruit has been selected at a considerable expense, and attention for twenty years past, by the subscriber, who thinks it unnecessary to mention any thing further, in respect to the land and improvements, it being so near Baltimore, and it is expected a person desirous to purchase will view the premises. For terms, apply to
THOS. PETERS.
Woodland, Aug. 16

Wanted Immediately,

In the vicinity of Baltimore, a Man calculated to do the work of a Kitchen Gardener; liberal wages will be given. A single man will be preferred. Apply at this office.
August 27

Bricks—for Sale.

50,000 good malleable BRICKS, new pressed, to be delivered, to be sold at a reduced price, for cash, on a short credit, by the subscriber.
RANDEL BARRY,
Spring Gardens
August 19

Lucca Oil & Ginger.

JUST RECEIVED,
100 boxes Lucca OIL,
100 bags RICE GINGER,
Malaga Wine, Port, West-Ind. Butter, Soap, Sponges and Tobacco Candles, &c.
For sale by
THOMAS MAREAN,
No. 113, Bowly's wharf.
August 29

For Sale,
About 50,000 wt. of best green Martinique COFFEE, in barrels. Apply to
JOHN CARRERE.
August 28

For Sale,

On board the schooner *John Russell*, master, lying at the lower end of Bowly's wharf, About 2000 bushels New Richmond BRAN. Apply to
JOHN YOUNG,
Bowly's wharf
August 28

To Let,

TWO BRICK WAREHOUSES on Smiths wharf. Immediate possession of one can be given, and of the other on the 1 June next.
HOLLINS & M'BLAIR.
March 22

Jno. Campbell White & Sons,
Are landing for sale,

Imperial Young Hyson } TEAS
Young Hyson } of the latest importations
Hyon Skin }
Souchong and }
Bohea }
April 22

2200wt. of Prime Hams,
FIT for EXPORTATION, for sale by
LEVINUS CLARKSON,
No. 2, head of the basin.
July 1

Wanted to Purchase,
A GOOD Second-Hand CURRICLE or GIG. Apply at this office.
August 13

A Black Man
TOLERABLY well versed in Kitchen Gardening and taking care of horses, will be informed of a good situation on application at this office.
August 13

For Sale.
A LIKELY Negro BOY, about twelve years old, who has seventeen years to serve, and sold for want of employment—a purchaser residing in town would be preferred. For terms apply to the Printer hereof,
June 6

John Campbell White & Sons.
HAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE,
Cogniac BRANDY,
PIMENTO, and
PEPPER.
April 29

Jno. Campbell White & Sons,
Have received by the brig *Hibernia*, from Belfast, for sale,
38 hhd's Cut Glass, assorted } Entitled to
6 boxes Irish Linen and } drawback.
Sheetings }
June 1

For Sale,
About 15,000 lbs. St. Domingo COFFEE, green and of a good quality, entitled to debenture, for terms apply to the subscriber.
JOHN SNYDER,
No. 41, Fell's-street, Fell's-Point.
August 6

To Let,
A CONVENIENT two story brick HOUSE and GARDEN, situated in Bridge-street, next door to James Wilson, Esq. and lately occupied by Mr. Lloyd Buchanan. The terms will be accommodating to a good tenant. Immediate possession may be had by making application to
JACOB MILLER,
Near Griffith's Bridge.
July 8

Situation Wanted,
BY WAY OF AN EXCHANGE
A YOUNG French Gentleman, who has been six months in this country, wants to board in a genteel family of this city or state, for the space of twelve or eighteen months, and would engage that a young gentleman of this country, would be boarded for the same length of time in the family of his father who is a lawyer in Paris. Information of his respectability, as also how far reliance can be put on his own word, will prove highly satisfactory. Apply to the printer.
April 25

For Sale, or Rent,
THAT large and convenient WAREHOUSE, on Market street, one door above Howard-street, occupied at present by Mr. James Hughes. For terms apply to
GEO. HOFFMAN.
July 11

John Campbell White & Sons,
Have just received for sale,
200 boxes Young Hyson Tea
151 boxes Hyson Tea
98 boxes Imperial Tea
All of an excellent quality and entitled to drawback.
June 13

Nankeens & Gurrachs.
FOR SALE,
EIGHT thousand pieces short YELLOW NANKEENS, two thirds first chop, entitled to debenture on exportation.
Also, a number of bales of BEERBOOM GURRAHS, that are stout and very white; at the warehouse of H. Peirce—for cash, or approved notes at sixty days. L. PEIRCE.
August 12

Ben. & Geo. Williams,
No. 3, Bowly's wharf—Have for Sale,
47 bales India GOODS, consisting of Salemjoores, Gurrahs, Samahs, Mamoodies, Bafas, Sawas, Cheeks, Blue Gurrachs, Gurrachs, and Nankeens, Gills and Romall Handkerchiefs.
Also,
Russia and Ravens Duck,
Russia Sheetings
19 pipes 4th proof, Straits, white Brandy
20 do Coriça Wine
60 half pipes Catalonia white and red Wine
Muscovado Sugar, in hhd's and barrels
White and brown Havana Sugar
The value of the above articles are entitled to drawback.
25 pipes 1st & 4th proof French Brandy
New England Rum in hhd's and barrels
New York and Baltimore Pork
Mackerel and Chocolate.
August 21

George Reintzel
Has removed to Spear's wharf, nearly opposite the store formerly occupied—where he offers for sale, a quantity of
PORK,
BEEF,
MACKEREL,
HERRINGS, and
A few hhd's. James River TOBACCO.
August 26

Briscoe and Partridge,
BOWLY'S WHARF,
HAVE FOR SALE,
40 hhd's. excellent retailing Molasses
100 gr. casks best English Gun-powder
10 pipes 2d proof Brandy
20 bales Soft-shelled Almonds
Sugar in hogheads & barrels
Country and West India Rum
Coffee in bags
3000 lbs. Exuma Salt.
August 27

Thomas Baltzell,
No. 201, MARKET-STREET,
OFFERS FOR SALE,
BOLTING CLOTHS, of the best manufacture.
Likewise, a full assortment of
Dry Goods,
Sold low, on his usual credit.
August 26

Wanted,
AN apprentice in a Mercantile store on the wharf; a lad of respectable connections, and ambitious of learning.
Also,
Wanted an active young man, that has some knowledge of business—none need apply without written recommendations; such as are approved of, will meet with a good situation and suitable encouragement. Enquire of the printer.
August 27

Post-Office, Baltimore,
August 25, 1806.
Letters for the British packet *Princess Mary*, for Falmouth, via Halifax, N. S. will be received at this office, until 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 1st September.
CHARLES BURRALL.
N. B. The inland postage to New-York, must be paid on all letters for the packet.
August 25.

Brown's Academy.
THE friends of this institution are requested to take notice, that the Academy will open on MONDAY next, the 1st of September.
August 29

Slater and Roy,
84, Market-street,
HAVE imported in the *Abeona*, just arrived from Liverpool, a considerable part of their FALL GOODS, consisting of a large assortment of IRONMONGERY, &c.
Among which are,
100 boxes Tin Plates,
Sheathing Copper, light sheets,
42 casks Patent Shot,
Pewter in casks, assorted,
Tea-Pots, Pewter and Metal, in ditto,
Sad-Irons, in small casks,
Twisted Iron Traces, in ditto,
Broad and Cook's Axes, in ditto,
Anvils, (small size) in ditto,
Spades and Shovels,
Frying Pans, short and long handles,
Lantern Leaves (a quantity)
Coach, Gig and House Lamps, an elegant assortment,
Dressing and Pocket Combs, ditto,
Fishing Tackle, assorted,
Corn-Mills,
Bell-Metal Skillets and Kettles,
Copper Warming Pans,
Beaver Traps,
Iron Wire, No. 2 to 30, } nealed and th-
Brass do. No. 10 to 30, } nealed.
Brass Ware, &c.
With almost every article in their line.
Per the *Diana* and *Fame*, the remainder of their goods are expected, with a large and general assortment of every article in the Carriage line of plated Brass and Iron. Their goods will be opened in a few days, and are offered for sale at a low advance, by wholesale and retail, for cash, or good paper on a long credit, and only to those who have been punctual, on the usual terms.
August 28

Richard Lee & Son,
RESPECTFULLY inform the public, and their old friends in particular, that the celebrated and justly appreciated family medicines, which have been sold by Messrs Warner & Hanna (corner of Market & Gay streets) for several years past have been prepared by us only.—We therefore conceive it may be necessary to give this public notice, that, in future, they will be sold under no other name than "Lee's family medicine"; and also, that none are genuine which have not the signature of "Richard Lee & Son" affixed to every article on the outside wrapper, and on the seal of every bottle or phial.
N. B. Please to observe also, that the agency is still continued with Messrs. Warner and Hanna, and N. Knight, No. 23, Fell-street, Fell's Point, Baltimore.
Where may be had,
Lee's Worm-Destroying Lozenges.
Anti-Bilious Pills.
Elixer for Coughs, Colds, &c.
Grand Restorative.
Essence & Extract of Mustard, for Rheumatism, &c. &c.
Sovereign Ointment for the Itch.
Infallible Ague and Fever Drops.
Indian Vegetable Specific for Venereal Complaints.
Restorative Tooth Powder.
Peruvian Lotion.
Eye Water.
Corn Plaster.
Tooth Ache Drops.
Letters post paid, directed for Richard Lee and Son, No. 17, Market-street, Baltimore, will be punctually attended to.
August 28

FOR THE AMERICAN.
Mr. Pechin,
I HAVE latterly observed in your useful paper, several nominations of persons as delegates to represent the city of Baltimore in the next state legislature. Nominations, it is to be wished they may continue, and that they may never prove efficient in their express design.—It is not to be understood in my using the plural number in the word nomination, I consider all those gentlemen who are in nomination, as incompetent to discharge the important duties attached to a legislator. No, sir—I particularly advert to one and only one of those who form these several nominations.—one whose age and experience would have taught us to believe he had a common share of wisdom had he remained in the ordinary steps of life and not come forward and sacrificed that wisdom and prove to the disinterested and calm mind, that "ignorance is the mother of arrogance." I allude, sir, to a person whose merits are unexceptionable in the private paths of life, whose probity and integrity dely the base tongue of calumny, and whose services as a citizen have been highly extolled and much sought after. Yet, admitting all this, all these fair and indispensable ingredients in the character of a man and a citizen—I say admitting all this, there is a more essential requisite still failing to constitute the apt, the finished and circumspect legislator, which at this present juncture our suffering city (as respects judicial affairs) loudly and vehemently calls for. Men, sir, of experience and reading in such cases should be called upon to conduct the affairs of state.—Men, sir, who have spent their earlier and juvenile years in diving into its mysteries, and who have through indefatigable and assiduous perseverance plucked the flower from its surrounding leaves; such men only can insure success to our cause and give entire satisfaction to the state at large, who, when they are duly elected, consider themselves as the servants of their constituents only. Yet, when in session, are legally and constitutionally considered to act in conjunction with their colleague delegates, in the mutual and reciprocal interests of the state in general.

It is somewhat strange, and will afford matter of speculation, that so populous, so flourishing a city as Baltimore, the metropolis of Maryland, is so utterly destitute of men possessed of legislative talents, as to have recourse to a man, whose education and legislative erudition, neither entitle him to the voice of his fellow-citizens or the franchise of representing so respectable a city. Our city, sir, has heretofore been represented by men of distinguished talents, whose transactions while acting in the capacity of legislators, have given universal satisfaction to the well-disposed part of our citizens.—Why then should we now, at so momentous a crisis, prostrate that reputation we have so long possessed in the house of delegates.—Why degrade our political reputation, and put it in the power of artful designing delegates to act as to them shall seem most meet and most conducive to their own interests, which will unquestionably be the result if the gentleman I allude to is suffered to represent us. A dictum now occurs to me of a distinguished Latin author, which will in some degree strengthen the arguments I have adduced in opposition to such persons being sent as delegates: "Ne sutor ultra crepitum," and is as much in point as the fable of the shepherd and the wolf, when applied to the notorious liar.

It behoves us then to have a scrutinizing eye on occasions similar to these under review, when our interests are so materially concerned, and our political reputation so shamefully debased as even to excite the indignation of the vulgar at men who have heretofore been considered as the true advocates of sound legislators, who possess expansive minds, and unbias'd by party favour. I will here cite as a confirmation of what I have advanced, that even age with its concomitant experience, without a firm basis will never be able to support that massy fabric on which legislative energy has its support, from a learned author whose allowed universal sapience and contestable accuracy can never be brought into question.—"Indeed it is perfectly amazing that there should be no other state of life, no other occupation art or science in which some method of instruction is not looked upon as requisite except only the science of legislation, the noblest and most difficult of any apprenticeships, are held necessary to almost every art, commercial or mechanical; a long course of reading and study must form the divine, the physician, and the practical professor of the laws; but every man of a superior fortune thinks himself born a legislator." From this it evidently and palpably appears that all men are not gilded with that benignity of talent to discharge the duties incident to legislative functions, and as there may be a choice, and which there is, let us each lend our aid and mutually interest ourselves, and select persons; and those persons only who possess all these necessary and indispensable requisites, and with whom we fully calculate on adding another ray to the legislative sun.

I shall now endeavour as far as is consistent with the intent of this essay, to point out the objects most necessary for the observance of those gentlemen who are to represent us in the next legislature, and which is most sanguinely expected by a number of our citizens, and no doubt will be strenuously urged by our delegates, to impress the legislature with the propriety and consistency of its motive and the benefits that will result from its effect—it will have a visible tendency to relieve our courts of judicature from those trifling and insignificant causes that daily occur in the city, and which will, through the interposition of the legislature, be made less expensive; and at the same time accelerate pure justice—the object I allude to for the more speedy administration of justice, is the constitution of a mayor's court, and giving it cognizance of all offences coming within the legal and technical definition of petty larceny, and also all assaults and batteries not extending to mayhem, which is an aggravated species of battery, and therefore considered in the eye of the law as a more heinous offence, and consequently requires that its investigation should be retarded, in order to ascertain whether the crime so termed may not merge into one of a deeper and more flagrant hue—to wit, manslaughter or murder, according to their attendant circumstances; and in this, the law has ever been particularly jealous in its views, considering the perpetrator guilty of the crime of manslaughter or murder, if the person so assaulted die within a year and day after the perpetration of the act—consequently public policy, and a due regard to the fate of the person charged, will, as is consistent with the nature of things, vest this power in the superior courts, to determine such causes as may border on the crimes & circumstances above stated. But then it may be vociferated—hey will, in doing this, deprive us of the trial by jury—that great barrier against oppression?—Oh, no!—those rights can, and will be preserved. The same legislature that constitutes this court, can also vest in that court power to summon a jury at the prayer of the party, and by which means, much lost time may be preserved, and the court of oyer and terminer relieved of many trifling and frivolous causes that have for their end only to take up the time of the court and jury, and as a necessary consequence, enhance the imposts in the county—these circumstances should be strictly attended to, as they will, in their observance, prove of service to the citizens in general; and we sincerely expect that our representatives will consider this as their primary duty, and represent, as far is consistent with the policy of government, those oppressive exactions. Similar alterations may be effected in our civil judicial department, and which will have the like effect. In a future essay I may perhaps, expatiate more largely on the subject, and evince to the well disposed part of the citizens of Baltimore, the propriety of such measures.

NEW-YORK, AUGUST 27.
Capt. Bates, of the *Ranger*, from Isle of France, informs, that when he sailed, that place was attacked by a British 74 gun-ship and a frigate.
About one o'clock yesterday, Mr Sand's powder-house at Brooklyn blew up.—We understand that about 400 kegs of powder were in the building at the time of the accident. No lives were lost. The church at Brooklyn received some injury besides having the windows broken. A rope-walk in the neighbourhood was levelled with the ground. Many of the windows in Brooklyn, and several in this city, were broken by the explosion.

COURT OF VICE ADMIRALTY.
Navesu, Tuesday, August 5, 1806.
Before the worshipful Henry Moreton Dyer, esq. sole judge and commissary.
STORZ, CORNELL, Master.
For sentence on second assignation.—
Mr. Armstrong, solicitor general, prayed the claim by him given (in behalf of Hersey Bradford, of Bristol, Rhode-Island, merchant) to be admitted, and the ship, cargo, and private adventure of the master to be restored. Mr. Wylly, his majesty's advocate general, prayed the said claim to be rejected, and the ship, cargo, and private adventure, too be condemned.—His Honor the Judge having heard the said claim and proofs read, and advocates and proctors on both sides thereon, rejected the said claim with respect to the said ship and cargo, and by interlocutory decree pronounced the said ship and cargo to have belonged, at the time of the capture and seizure thereof, to enemies of the crown of Great Britain; and as such, or otherwise subject and liable to confiscation, and condemned the same as good and lawful prize to his Majesty's schooner *Redbridge*, lieutenant Edward Burt, commander, and the private ship of war *Fancy*, John Mackie, commander; admitted the said claim, with respect to the private adventure of the master, pronounced the same to belong as claimed, and by further interlocutory, decreed restitution thereof to the claimant.

The cargo of this ship, consisting of jerked beef, was brought from Buenos Ayres to Bristol, in a ship called the *Ann*, from which ship upon her arrival at Bristol, the same was immediately transhipped on board of the *Stork*, for Havana. It did not appear that the property upon such transshipment had been really and bona fide altered, the goods not having been landed at Bristol, nor any duties paid on the importation of the same, which with other concurring circumstances, induced the court to consider this case as a continuous voyage from Buenos Ayres to Havana, merely touching a neutral port.