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W. WILSON.

NB. Reference can be made to Mr James Iglehart, Jun. .

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ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1820;

our fellow cittaens, which have at Outhbert, of Georgia, least valuable, regularly through the different times been communicated Resolved, That the thanks of the custom houses the more valuable. vourable to the scheme, and honor and Glergy throughout the United the numerous inlets to the west resolution of the United States for the remainder of the Society. & States for their active benevalence to the views of the Society. & States for their active benevalence to the views of the Society. able to the views of the Society, & afford a pleasing earnest of the wil--Three Dollars per Annum. ling co-operation of our fellow citizens, whenever the same may be-

come necessary. To the judicious measures which have been adopted and pursued by the Board of Managers, and to the zealous exertions of some respecta ble members of the Society, is to be attributed, under Providence, much of the success which has hitherto attended us. These gentlemen have justly entitled themselves to the thanks of the Society, and to the gratitude of those for whose happiness they have generously devoted their talents, and no inconsiderable portion of their time.

All that now remains to be accomplished is, to obtain the countenance and the aid of the National Government, in such manner and to such extent as Congress, in its wisdom, may think expedient. Independent of the unanswerable reason urged by the committee of the House of Representatives, in their report of the 18th Apri, 1818 in favour of colon zation, it may be well qu stioned, whether the humane p to y
of the Government to suppress the slave trade, and particularly whether the act of the 3d March, 1819. authorising the President to send beyond the limits of the U. States all captured negroes, and to appoint agents, residing on the coast of A. frica, to receive them, can be exe cuted in the spirit of the Legisla ture, without establishing a settle ment on some part of the Avican coast, to which captives may be sent, and where they may be receiv ed, supported, and instructed in the arts of civilized life. To jand them on the coast, and to leave th. m cx posed to a repetition of those outrages which has originally destined them to a life of slavery, would seem to accomplish very imperfectly, if at all, the humane & enlarged views of the Government.

I submit it, therefore, to the consideration of the Society, whether it may not be proper to appoint a committee to bring this subject to the consideration of the present congress, and to advocate the claim which the unforunate class of men in whose cause we are engaged. have upon the justice, the cumant ty, and the magnanimity of the National Government.

The present moment is auspicious to our nopes-public expectation is directed towards it -the sentiments of our fellow citizens throughout the United States, favour our views, and the prayers of the pious are offered to the throne of the Most High, for a blessing upon our endeavours. Let us, then, press forward to the great object to which we are associated; and if the railted work of benevolence in which we are engaged, should unexpectedly fail in its accomplishment, let us exonerate ourselves from the imputation of a defect of zeal in our exercions to

procure it." The annual Report of the Board Managers was then read.

The following resolutions were then submitted and adopted:

On motion by Francis S. Key, Esq. Resolved, That a committee be appointed to prepare and present to the Congress of the United States a memorial, r questing that they will take such further steps as, to their wisdom, may seem proper, to ensure the entire abolition of the Afri can Slave Trade.

The following gentlemen were appointed the committee:

Gen. John Mason, Francis S. Key, Walter Jones, jr. Dr. James Laurie, E. B. Caldwell.

On motion by the Hon. Hugh

of the Union, that it would Nelson, of Va. Resolved, That the thanks of the pedient for the General Go-Society be presented to the Presitent to procure a terricory on dent and Board of Managers for the bast of Africa, for the estabzeal, intelligence, and ability, which ent of such a Colony-the no they have exinced in the manages Abziliary Societies already ed throughout the different ment of the concerns of the Society the past year-and that the Presi the warm expressions of aption of the plan & of the views dent be requested to furnish a copy Society, addressed to it by of his address, and the Board of the churches of different Managers a copy of their report, for neminations, as well as the publication.

States for their active benevolence ward where the people are but 100 in advancing the views or the Socie; much disposed to render them eye ty; and to those religious bodies and associations, who have expressed dred slaves are now at Galveston, their approbation of the plans and

On motion by Dr. Win. Thornton, Resolved, That the thanks of the Society be presented to the Auxilia. ry Societies for their aid and sup-

Resolved, That the thanks of the Society be presented to the Rev. William Meade, for the prudence, zeal and intelligence, with which he has attended to the duties of Agent of the Board of Managers.

On mitton by the Hon. Hugh Nelson, of Va.

Resolved. That Mr. Jones be requested to reduce to writing the address made by nim to the Society. and furnish a copy of the same for publication.

The Society then proceeded to an electio of officers for the ensuing wear, when the following were chosen:

PRESID NT. The Hon. Busined Washington. VICE PRESIDENTS.

Hon, William H Crawford, of Ga Han. Henry Clay, of Kentucky. Hon, William Philips, of Mass. Col. Henry Ratgers, of N. York. Hon. John E H ward, of Maryland. Hon. John C. Herbert, Isaac McKim, sq. do. John Paylor, of Caroline, esq. Va. Gen. John Hartwell Cocke, do. G n. Andr w Jackson, of tennessee Robet Rilston, sq. of Philadelphia Right Rev. Bisnop White, do. Gen. John Mason, Dis. of Columbia Samuel Bavar , . sq. of New-J. rsey. William H. Fitznugh, of Virginia.

MANAGERS. Francis S Key, Walter Jones, Rev. Dr. James Laurie, Rev. Dr. S. B. Balch, R v Obad. D. Brown, Rev. Will am Wilmer, Rev. William Hawley, Henry Fixall, Jacob Hoffman, William Thornton, Thomas Doughercy, Henry Ashton.

Elias B. Caidwell, Secretary. John Underwood, Recording Sec'y Richard Smith, Treasurer.

Illegal Introduction of Slaves. Letter from the Secretary of the Navy to the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Navy Department, Jan. 6th, 1820.

In obedience to a resolution of the Hous of Representatives of the 31st December last requiring the Secretary of the Navy to furnish may have received a nce 1816, and in relation to the introduction of slaves into the US. with a statement of the measures adopted to prevent the same: I have the honour to transmit sundry extracts of letters, numbered 1 to 4 inclusively, comprising all the information communicated to this department since 1816, in relation to the introduction of slaves into the U. States.

I have the honour to refer the house of representatives to my report of the 9th of Jan. 1819, on this subject; and I transmit, herewith, paper marked A. which contains hat part of the instructions from this Department to the commanding naval officers in relation to slave ves-

The public vessels now cruising, have not yet reported their operation ons, nor is it known that any seiz ures have been made by them,

I have the honour to be, with the highest r spect, sir, your most obe-SMITH THOMPSON.

The hon, the Speaker of the House of Representatives

No. 1. Extract of a letter from Captair Charles Morris, to the Secretary

of the Navy, dated United States trigate Congress, Off the Batize, 10th June 1817, "Most of the goods carried to Galveston, are introduced into the any ship or vessel, in any port or

sentiments of many of the best of Ou motion by the Hon John A. United States, the more bulky and place within the jurisdiction of the least valuable, regularly through the ry possible assistance. Several hunand persons have gone from N. Orleans to purchase them. Every exertion will be made to intercept them, but I have little hopes of success."

No. 2.

On motion by Elias B. Caldwell, Extract of a letter from Lt. Commandant John Porter, to the Se-US. brig Boxer,

Off the Baliz-, June 28th, 1817. "I shall leave this on Monday to cruise off the Sabine River; it is reported that attempts will be made to smuggle slaves into Louisiana, from Galveston, and the natural presumption is, that they will attemp the Sabine or the Atchafalya rivers; the depth of the water offthose rivers is very inaccurately represented on the charts, & it will not be in my power to approach nearer the shore than within 10 m les of the Sab re. & not nearer than 30 off the Atchaialya. Whatever can be done to prevent their being brought clandes. tinely into the country, will have to b p rformed by the boats, which sir, shall be actively employed the moment we arrive on the ground."

Extract of a letter from Capt, John D. Henley, to the Secretary of the Navy, dated

US ship John Adams, Amelia Sound, Jan. 24, 1818 "I yesterday detained the Eng lish brig Noptune, of London, for a violation of the slave act: by her papers it appears that she clared from Jamaica for this port, with a small quantity of rum and eig t convict slaves, sentenced to transpor tation for various offences. It is evident that their object was to sanggle them into the state of Georgia, thus making a Botany Biy of the United States. I shall send her to Savannah for trial."

Extract of a letter from Capt. John D. Henley, to the Secretary of the Navy, dated

US ship John Adams, Cumberland Sound, March 27. 1818.

"It would be gratifying to me to know how far the commissions granted by Aury or McGregor, to vessels evidently commanded and manned by citizens of the Unite: States, are to be respected. Thave not the smallest doubt, from the situation those pirates have fixed upon for their rendezvous, that the goods found in their prizes will be disposed of principally in the Unit. ed States, and that the part which copies of such communications he may consist of slaves will be smuggled into Georgia, as many of the such information as he may possess inhabitants are too much inclined to afford every facility to this species of illicit trade."

> Extract from the instructions of the Navy Department to the commanders of all United States vessels, cruising in the Atlantic Ocean, Gulf of Mexico, &c.

"You have also enclosed, such parts of the several acts of Congress, pronibiting the importation of slaves into any ports or places, within the jurisdiction of the Unit ed States, as are necessary to paint out to you your duty and authority under these laws; a dit is . xpected and required of you by the President, that a strict and vigilatit attention be paid to the direction therein contained, that if possible, this inhuman and disgraceful traffic may be suppressed.

By the act of the 20th of April, 1818, you will perceive, that it is made unlawful to import or bring in any manner whatsoever into the U. States or territories thereof, from any foreign kingdom, place or country, any negro, mulatto, or person of colour, with intention to hold, sell or dispose of, such person as a slave, or to be held to service.

By this act it is also made unlaw. ful for any citizens of the United States, or other person, to build, equip, load, fit or otherwise prepare,

United States, or to cause any such ship or vestel to sail from any port porting any such slave to any port br place whatever. And any ship or vessel employed in such, importation of slaves, or so built, fittet out, or prepared, is liable to be seized and forfeited. And by the act of the 3d of March, 1819, the President is any thorised to employ any of the armed vessels of the U. States, to cruise in such places as he may think proper, where he may judge attempts may be made to carry on the slave trade by the citizens or residents of the United States, in contravention of the acts of Congress prohibiting the same; and to instruct such armed vessels, to seize, take, and bring into any port of the United States, to be proceeded against according to law, all ships or vessels of the U. States, wheresoever found, which may have taken on board, or which may be intended for the purpose of taking on board, or of transporting, or m y have transported, any negra, mulatto, or person of colour, in violation of any of the provisions of the act of the 20th April, 1818, above referred to, or in violation of any other act or acts prohibiting the traffic in slaves."

rality of the provisions in these laws, you are authorised to take and bring in all ships or vessels of the United States, which may have been in any manner employed or intended to be employed in the slave trade; or any other vessel ff. nding against the provisions of a prof the taws you have enclosed. You will articularly notice the two provisos to the first section of the act of 1819, the first of which directs in what manner you are to keep and dispose of the slaves which may be found on board of any ship or vess seized by you. If brought w thin the United States, they are to be delivered to the marshal of the distric: where brought in and transmit the evidence of such delivery to this d partment. Upon the capture, therefore, of any vessel having slaves on board, you will immediately proceed to the Island of Sherbro, on the coast of Africa, and deliver such staves to the agent appointed by the President to receive them, pursuant to the provisions of the act, or to any other agent so appointed, at any other place on the coast of Africa. The second prov so relates to the disposition of the officers and crews of such vessels so captured by you.-Great vigilance will be expected from you, in the safe keeping of all such offi ers and crews, until they shall be handed over to the civil authority, to be proceeded against according to law.

You will perceive, from the gene-

"P. S. No pro is on having as yet been made for the reception of slaves upon t e coast of Africa, you will for the present, and until ordered consider the foregoing orders relative to the disposition of such slaves as you may capture, so far mo ifi-d, that you will deliver them on Smith's Island, at the mouth of the Chesapeake Bay, to such agents as may be appointed by the President to receive them there."

NEW YEAR.

We take this opportunity (says the Portland Gizette) to jog the sluggish memories of our delinquent customers & ear estly entreat them to think of the Printer.

"Hath not a Printer eyes? "Hath he not hands, organs, dimensions, senses, affections, passions? Fed with the same food, subject to the same dise-ses, healed by the same means, warmed and cooled by the same summer and winter that another man is? If you prick us do we not be all I you wro g us do we not suffer? And if you neglect to pay us shall we not starve?"

The above will apply with equal force to various other newspapers as well as the Portland Gazette.

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SPENCE. BRECKENRIDGE, MAULSBY,

ROSS. The Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice, will sit every to during the present Session iron o clock in the morning until 3 oda in the afternoon.

By order, J. W. PRESTON, Ch.

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A TAVERN, and will use every exertion to tree andsetters and all others who into avoir less termage. He will board Lefters day, week, month or year an exercise at a short sorter, with hit the desired.

November 14, 1819.

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Nov. 11.