

"Deliberating on the Message of His Imperial Majesty, of the 33d of October."

"After having heard the report of its Special Committee charged to verify the Registers of the Votes remitted by the French People, in execution of the Article 142 of the Constitutional Act of the Empire, dated the 18th of May, 1804, with respect to the acceptance of this proposition:

"The French People will the Hereditary Imperial Dignity in the direct, natural, legitimate and adoptive descent of Napoleon Bonaparte, and in the direct natural and legitimate descent of Joseph Bonaparte and Louis Bonaparte, as decreed by the Senatus Consultum of this day, (May 18, 1804.)

"Having seen the process verbal made by the Special Committee, by which it appears, that 3,524,254 citizens have given their suffrages, and that 3,521,675 citizens have accepted the said propositions, declared as follows:

"The Imperial Dignity is hereditary in the direct, natural, legitimate, and adoptive descent of Napoleon Bonaparte, and in the direct, natural, and legitimate descent of Joseph Bonaparte, and Louis Bonaparte, as decreed by the Constitutional Act of the Empire, dated the 18th of May, 1804.

"The present Senatus Consultum shall be transmitted by a Message to His Majesty the Emperor.

"The President and Secretaries, (Signed)

"FRANCOIS (de Neufchateau,) President.

"PORCHER, CALAUD, Secretaries. Examined and sealed.

The Chancellor of the Senate, (Signed) "LAPLACE."

"We order and command that these presents, sealed with the seal of state, be published and inserted in the Bulletin of Laws; and the Grand Judge, Minister of Justice, is charged to superintend the publication.

"Given at the Palace of St. Cloud, the 1st Brumaire, 1804. (Signed) NAPOLEON.

By the Emperor, The Secretary of State, (Signed) "H. B. MARET."

Examined by us Arch-Chancellor of the Empire. (Signed) "CAMPACERES."

NEW-YORK, February 5.

We have received accounts direct from Lisbon, as late as the 26th of November, which state that a war between England and Spain, was inevitable—that the blockade of Cadix was resumed by Sir J. Orde, who no doubt would capture the most valuable ships belonging to Spain. It was also stated, that in addition to these external evils, divisions were fermenting in the interior of Spain; and it is said the King of Spain has been obliged to leave Madrid and has actually fled to Portugal. The only chance which Portugal has in remaining at Peace, is, that it is the interest of both parties to respect her neutrality. The letter of our correspondent concludes thus—

"There is every prospect, that by the ensuing Spring, all the north of Europe will be involved in the war!"

Price of American Stocks at London, December 12.

Eight per cents	103 a 105
Old 6 per cents	90
New do.	90
Three per cents	42 a 54
Five and a half per cents	91
with div, from Oct. 1, 1804.	

Bank Stock 125/ per share, with dividend 1st July, 1804.

Sleighs.—The danger of running sleighs without the appendage of bells has been fatally exemplified, a short time since, in the immediate death of a person, in a provincial town, who was struck so violently on the breast by the tongue of one as to be instantly killed.—And yesterday in this city a man had several of his teeth beat in by a similar stroke. He very properly carried the driver before the police, where no doubt he paid for his criminal neglect.

WASHINGTON CITY, February 6.

Trial of Judge Chase.

On Monday the trial of Judge Chase commenced before the High Court of Impeachment.

About a quarter before one o'clock, the Senate took their seats, every member of the body being present. Immediately after the Managers, viz. Messrs. J. Randolph, Nicholson, Rodney, Boyle, Early, G. W. Campbell, and Clark, appointed to conduct the impeachment, entered, accompanied by the speaker and members of the House of Representatives, to whom seats were assigned. As soon as they were seated, Samuel Chase, being called upon to appear, entered, attended by his counsel, Messrs. Martin, Harper, and Hopkinson, to whom seats were likewise assigned on the left of the Chair, the Managers being accommodated with seats on the right of the chair in the same line.

The President (Mr. Burr) after stating to Mr. Chase the indulgence of time which had been allowed, enquired if he were prepared to give in his answer.

Judge Chase said he had prepared, as well as circumstances would permit, his answer, which he begged permission to read by himself or counsel; this being granted, he commenced the reading of his answer about one o'clock in which he was relieved by Messrs. Harper and Hopkinson,

and which occupied the court till half after four.

Mr. J. Randolph, in behalf of the Managers, requested time to consult the House of Representatives, and likewise to be furnished with a copy of the answer of Judge Chase, for the purpose of making a replication thereto.

The President said the Senate would take the request into consideration, and make known to the House of Representatives the order taken thereon.

Whereupon the Senate retired at the suggestion of the President, to their legislative apartment.

Yesterday the SUPREME COURT of the United States was opened—Present, Chief Justice Marshall, and Justices Cushing, Paterson, Chase and Washington.

The senate have, we understand, rejected the treaty for extinguishing the Indian title to certain lands within the limits of the state of Georgia; twelve votes being given in its favor, and nineteen against it. The treaty provided for extinguishing the Indian title to a tract of land not exceeding two millions of acres, and for the payment by the United States of two hundred thousand dollars, by the creation of an irredeemable stock to that amount, and the payment of a perpetual interest thereon of twelve thousand dollars.

[Nat. Int]

NORFOLK, January 31.

The General Assembly closed their session on Friday, the 1st instant.

The French frigate, which has been for some time blockaded in Hampton Roads by an English frigate, of equal force, has at last ventured out, but not until he knew the Englishman was perfectly out of the way, having sailed some days before.

On Tuesday the directors of the Virginia state Bank of this place, held a meeting for the purpose of electing persons to fill the different offices, when the following were appointed:

Thomas Newton, sen. esq. president
John E. Beal, teller
Richard Bagnall, book-keeper
F. S. Taylor, discount clerk
Henry Bragg, runner
Michael Crossmuck, porter.

At this important season, when fire and provisions are so dear, would it not be humane in the rich to assist the poor? To show the necessity of alleviating distress, we annex the following prices in our markets:

Beef from 8d. to 10d. per lb.
Mutton from 1s. to 1s. 6d. per do.
Turkeys from 7s. 6d. to 10s. 6d. each
Geese from 4s. 6d. to 6s. do.
Fowls from 4s. 6d. to 7s. a pair.
Meal 9s. a bushel.
Fire wood 6 to 8 dollars a cord.

And every other article in proportion.

Our markets at present are enormously high—eggs 2s 3 per dozen—butter 3s per lb.—small Fowls 2s 3 a piece—Turkeys from 4s 6 to 9s do.—and every other article in proportion.

[Petersburgh pap.]

LEXINGTON, (Ky.) Jan. 8.

We were yesterday informed, that a band of Robbers infest the road across the Allegany Mountains, and have committed some depredations.—That several gentlemen who were packing specie from this place to Philadelphia, were so much alarmed that they thought it prudent to leave their money in Pittsburg.

CHESAPEAKE Insurance Company.

THE stockholders in the Chesapeake Insurance Company, will please to deposit in the Office of the said Company, on or before the first day of March next, the securities required by the act of incorporation, for their respective shares, when the same will be submitted to the Directors for their approval.

By order of the Directors,
JAMES CALHOUN, President.
February 6 21w

REMOVAL.

William Ryland
HAS REMOVED from No. 102 to 145, Market-street, opposite the Bank of Baltimore—
Where he offers for sale,
A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF
HARDWARE, CUTLERY,
PLATED AND COMMON SADDLERY,
JAPANNED AND BRASS WARES,
FOWLING PIECES & PISTOLS.
Also,
An assortment of low priced JEWELRY.
January 23 60

Just Published,
PRICE 25 CENTS,
And for Sale at FRYER & CLARK'S Printing Office, corner of Second-street and Market-space, and at the principal Book stores—The
LIFE & MILITARY ACHIEVEMENTS
OF
Toussaint Louverture,
LATE GENERAL IN CHIEF OF THE ARMIES OF ST. DOMINGO;
From the year 1792, until the arrival of Gen. Le Clerc; with an impartial account of his political conduct during, and subsequent to that period, diversified with a variety of circumstances interesting to the citizens of the United States and West Indians; detailing the actual causes of his imprisonment and death; to which is added, a melancholy and accurate description of the rapacious, tyrannical and inhuman conduct of Gen. Le Clerc, until his death; also Generals Rochambeau's actions, until the evacuation of that colony, and capture by the British, in the fall of 1803.
December 21

A Counting-Room,
With a Cellar underneath, a short distance from the Custom House, to Rent—Apply at this office.
January 23 d

American.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1805.

The Rambler, Hall hence, has arrived at Savannah.

The Law for the benefit of the Insolvent Debtors of Maryland, will be published on fine paper, at 25 cents each, and for sale at Keatinge's Book-Store.

A New York paper, states that Mr. Nathan Sandford, of the city of New York, and one of the district attorneys, has been appointed attorney general U. S. in the room of Mr. Lincoln, resigned.

Mr. Rembrandt Peale, it is stated has repaired to the city of Washington, for the purpose of taking off the heads of distinguished characters for his museum in Philadelphia.

Married on Wednesday, the 6th of February, by the right revd Bishop Carroll, Mr. DANIEL BRAND to the amiable and much accomplished Miss MARY-ANN WHITE, all of this city.

At a meeting of the President and Directors of the Bank of the United States, on the fifth of February 1805—the undermentioned stockholders were elected directors of the Office of Discount & Deposit at Baltimore, from the first Monday of March next, until the first Monday of March 1806, viz.

JOHN SWAN,
HUGH THOMPSON,
SAML. HOLLINGSWORTH,
SOLOMON BETT,
MA. K. PRINGLE,
JOHN OLIVER,
GEORGE GRUNDY,
BENJAMIN COMEGYS,
JAMES HINDMAN,
CHRISTOPHER JOHNSTON,
JOHN HOWARD,
HENRY NICHOLS,
JAMES CARROLL.

Mr. Perkins has obtained leave to introduce into the legislature of Delaware, a bill for the gradual abolition of slavery within that state, which provides, that all children born after the passing of the act shall be free, but to remain the servant of the owner of the mother until twenty-one years of age.—It provides also for the registering by the recorder of each county of all such children, and for all slaves now in this state, and declares that all not registered within six months shall be deemed free.—It also provides against the separation of a husband and wife, or child, under 4 years of age, from a parent, it has passed the committee of the whole house, and its friends hope its final passage.

Gazettes or Newspapers.—Monsieur de Saintfoix in his historical Essays on Paris, gives this account of their introduction.

Theophrastus Renindor a physician of Paris, picked up news from all quarters, to amuse his patients, he presently became more in quest than any of his brethren, but as a whole city is not ill or at least don't imagine itself to be so, he began to reflect at the end of some years, that he might gain a more considerable income by giving a paper every week, containing the news of different countries. A permission was necessary; he obtained it, with an exclusive privilege, in 1632. Such papers had been in use for a considerable time at Venice, and were called Gazettes, because a small piece of money called Gazetta, was paid for the reading of them. This is the origin of our Gazette, and its name. About ten years after, they were common in England, by the name of Mercuries.

INTERMENTS in the different burial grounds of the city and liberties of Philadelphia, from the 16th to the 2d ult.

Adults	20
Children	9
Total,	29

SINGULAR COMBAT.

As capt. Metcalf, his son and one or two others, from Middletown, (Ontario county) were on their way to this place, the fore part of last week, they discovered a few rods from them, a huge Wolf. He had a small trap hanging to one of his legs, which he was caught in about a week before. Perceiving him fatigued, these men, without dog or gun, pursued him—followed him nearly a mile, and completely surrounded him. The Wolf, finding no means of escaping, turned upon his foe, with his jaws spread, and with the fierceness of a Lion he sprung at the son of Mr. Metcalf, who fortunately clinched his antagonist by the jaws, while suspended, one in each hand, and held him in that situation until the father came up and cut his throat. This information we received from captain Metcalf himself, & believe it correct.

[Canadaigua Repository].

From G. Dobbin's Check Book.

Cathedral Church Lottery.
Twenty-Ninth Day's Drawing.

300 tickets were drawn this day, among which were the following prizes:

Prize of 200 dollars:
No. 9812.

Prize of 100 dollars:
No. 13160.

Prizes of 50 dollars:
Nos. 5579 12765 13734.

Prize of 25 dollars:
No. 10479.

Prizes of 20 dollars:
Nos. 9222 13679 19613 12921 8996
6239 3092 5517 1701 16635 196 11351
12919 1309 20638 17106 11529 15528
17001 8625 17168 14934 2043 1096
15883 3899 4045 4488 690 805 19233
13654 16506 7311 14627 4567 20858
8826 8203 19737. And 53 of 15 dollars.

Gain of the wheel this day 930 dollars.
Total gain, 13405.

Adjournd till Saturday, 10 o'clock.

Whole, half and quarter tickets for sale by
GEORGE DOBBIN.

The Directors of the Impartial Free School gratefully acknowledge the receipt of the amount collected at the Exhibition of Captain Phelan's Pupils; and whilst they return many thanks to their Instructor for his polite attention, and generosity in this act of benevolence, they cannot withhold their tribute of praise to the numerous little orators (under his care) who so pleasingly exercised their juvenile talents in the orphans' cause.

By order of the President,
KEZIA NORRIS,
Sec'y I. F. S.
February 8.

TO THE HUMANE.

It is with real concern that the visitors of the poor feel themselves impelled to state, that the funds obtained for the relief of the poor, (although the most rigid economy has been observed in the disbursement of them) are wholly exhausted, and there remain many persons in a state of wretchedness and want so deplorable, that unless timely relief is afforded, they must perish. In consequence of the extreme severity of the season and the high price of fuel, the number of poor daily increases; and among them are to be found many meritorious persons, whose industry and good conduct have heretofore secured them from want. They now call aloud upon you for the exercise of your humanity. The visitors not conceiving it necessary to state facts in detail, or make further comments, feel it to be their duty to propose to their fellow citizens a second subscription; and for that purpose they request the solicitors in the several wards to proceed to make their collections as speedily as possible.

GEORGE DECKER,
JACOB FITE,
JOHN NORRIS,
JESSE HOLLINGSWORTH,
JAMES MOSHER,
GEORGE P. KEEPORTS,
BALTZER SHAEFFER,
JACOB MYERS,
GEORGE ACKERMAN,
JAMES BAKER,
FREDERICK SHAEFFER,
GEORGE HUNSEY,
THOMAS MELDERRY,
JOHN KESLO,
JOHN BANKSON,
OWEN DORSEY,
PETER LITTLE,
AND W. BUCHANAN, } Purchasers of
WILLIAM JESSOP, } provisions.

The following are the names of the solicitors in the several wards:

First Ward.
Solomon Etting, Andrew Snyder,
Geo. F. Warfield, John Mitchel.

Second Ward.
Walter Simpson, John Norris,
Emanuel Kent, Robert Ferguson.

Third Ward.
William Lorman, John Scott,
Andrew Clopper, Thomas Poultney.

Fourth Ward.
Thomas Kell, John Hillen,
William Cole, David Armour.

Fifth Ward
James Hindman, Joseph Sterett,
Joshua Dorsey, Daniel Howland.

Sixth Ward.
William Carman, Dr. Wm. Stewart,
Peter Bond, John Willfon.

Seventh Ward.
Jno. Munnikhuysen, William Mundel,
Caleb Smith, John Smith.

Eighth Ward.
Thorndick Chase, John Snyder.

For the Western Precincts.
Daniel Lamport, Alexr. Robinson,
George Warner.

For the Eastern Precincts.
Thomas M'Elderry, John Kelso.

SHIP NEWS

New-York, February 5.

There were no arrivals at this port yesterday. The three ships, 2 brigs and 1 schooner mentioned before are all below. Wind N. W.

Cleared, ship Eagle, Thompson, Londonderry; brigs Quantibaycook, Jancy Sligo; Venus, Hildreth Charleston.

The ship Juno, has arrived at New Bedford, from Nantz in 56 days.

The ship Gen. Davis, captain Coxe, of Plymouth, N. C. from New York for Cowes has put into Kinfale in distress.

Philadelphia, January 5.

A ship, a brig and a schooner entered the Capes on Thursday last—the brig and the schooner are said to be drifting in the Ice, which nearly extends from Cape to Cape. On Friday seven sail were seen standing in for the Capes from the southward.

Norfolk, January 25.

Arrived, schooner Java or M Kenzie, 23 days from Martinique, bound to Alexandria

Captain Davis, of the brig Cabinet, from Fecamp, has furnished the following list of vessels at that place:—Ship Louisa, Wilfon, of Philadelphia, for Naples, in 10 days; brig Friendship, Clements, of Lynne, for Naples, to load at Pensance, to sail in 10 days; Ship Hantonic Rollins, of Portsmouth, for Civitta Vecchia, in 10 days.

November 26, in lat. 43, long. 33, spoke the brig A ligator, Johnson, of New Orleans; it blowing a gale, could not learn where bound. December 1 in lat. 44, long. 36, spoke the ship Magnet, of Portsmouth, (N. H.) from Tonningen, bound to Philadelphia, out 30 days. December 4, in lat. 43, long. 38, spoke schooner Jane, of Newburyport, Dudley Sergeant, master, from Nantes, bound home, 43 days out. December 9, spoke the ship Two Sisters, of Scarborough from Liverpool, bound to Boston, out 38 days, in lat. 42, N. long 45, W. January 4, in lat. 41-55, long 61, 10, W spoke the ship Merchant M. Lanthelm, master, of Boston from Charleston, bound to Liverpool, 8 days out.

Entered, ship Glory, Woodend, Dublin; schooners Lavater, M'Kenzie, Martinique; Rachel, Neal, Barbados; Thomas, Haywood, Jamaica; sloop Grand Sachel, Hoiles, Turks-Island.

Cleared, brig Dolphin, Bang, Wilmington, N. C. schooner Angler, Fornis, Vigo; sloop Delight, Boon, Baltimore.

John Baron

HAS a constant supply of well flavored RUM, equal in quality to any imported from the West Indies, which he offers for sale on liberal terms to those that may apply either at his Office in Holliday street, corner of Orange alley, or at his Distillery on Jones's Falls.

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Any person having 4000 Dollars to Loan, may be accommodated with an interest of 8 per cent, legally secured, on some of the best property in the city, insured and clear of every incumbrance.

February 8 d

ROMAN Catholic Cathedral Church LOTTERY TICKETS.

GEORGE DOBBIN respectfully informs the public, that he has contracted with the Managers of the above Lottery, for the remaining unsold Tickets: Therefore TICKETS and SHARES can only be had of him at the Telegraph Printing Office, No 6, Baltimore-street, at the following Prices, viz—

WHOLE TICKETS	11 00 Dollars.
HALF Do.	6 00
QUARTER Do.	3 25

From the limited number on hand, and the exceeding great demand for Tickets in this Lottery, the above rates will only continue for a short time, when they will be further advanced in price.

In order more promptly to meet his engagements, G. D. is under the necessity of informing the public, that he will on no account enter tickets on credit to any person.

PRIZES TAKEN IN EXCHANGE.

A Regular Check Book is kept by G. Dobbin, as above, where tickets are examined and registered, and every information given on reasonable terms.

February 8 d

Sale by Auction.

By virtue of an order from the orphans' court, will be sold, on FRIDAY MORNING, the 17th inst. at 10 o'clock at the late dwelling house of Mrs. Elizabeth Vernez, deceased, in Frederick-street,

A general assortment of Dry Goods, consisting of cloths, swansdowns, flannels, handkerchiefs, &c. together with a variety of Household and Kitchen Furniture. Terms to be made known at the time and place of sale.

JOHN CLINGMAN, and'r.

February 7

ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL CHURCH Lottery Tickets, NOW ON SALE AT John Rice's Book-Store, No. 182, Baltimore street, corner of north Charles-street.

Where the ticket, 11400, drawn a prize of 500 dollars, was sold and registered.

A correct numerical check-book kept of each day's drawing.

Prizes taken in Exchange.

February 5 d

Public Sale.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Joshua Price, and others; to us the subscribers; will be sold at public sale, on MONDAY, the 13th day of February next, at major George Betts's tavern on the turnpike road leading from the city of Baltimore to Reister's town,

PART of a TRACT of LAND, called Crowell's Chance, containing about sixty two acres, more or less, about 5 miles from the city of Baltimore. There is on the above land an excellent spring of water, about 10 or 15 acres of woodland, and about the same quantity of meadow ground. Any person desirous of viewing the above land, may see the same by applying to Mr. Elijah Norwood, on the turnpike road, above Mr. Mumsa's tavern. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

CORNELIUS HOWARD,
CALEB HERRMAN,
CORNELIUS HOGIST.

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