

(By Authority.)

AN ACT

Making an additional appropriation for the naval service, during the year one thousand eight hundred and five.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated for that object, the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be, and the same hereby is appropriated towards defraying the expenses of the navy of the United States, during the year one thousand eight hundred and five.

Section 2. And be it further enacted, That the aforesaid sum shall be paid, first, out of the monies accruing at the end of the year one thousand eight hundred and five, from the duties laid by the act passed on the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and four, intitled, "An act further to protect the commerce and seamen of the United States against the Barbary powers;" and secondly out of any monies in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

NATHL. MACON, Speaker Of the House of Representatives. S. SMITH, President Of the Senate, pro tempore. December 11, 1805.

APPROVED. TH: JEFFERSON.

Congress.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Taken for the AMERICAN.]

Monday, December 16.

Mr. Crowninshield, from the committee of commerce and manufactures, to which the bill for the relief of Theodorick Aristed, of Norfolk, was recommended, stated the case of the brig George, at length, and that no relief can be had but from Congress. The committee reported that they could see no difficulty in permitting him to land the brandy from the brig George, and pay the duty; they therefore again presented the bill without any amendment. Moved to refer the same to a committee of the whole.

Mr. Newton objected, and observed that the whole merits of the case had been fully gone into, he therefore wished to have the bill engrossed.

Mr. Smilie said the house wished for the particulars of the case, and now that they were reported, it would be proper that the bill, thus accompanied, should again go before the committee of the whole.

Referred to a committee of the whole, and made the order of the day for tomorrow.

Mr. Saille moved in effect, that the committee of commerce and manufactures be instructed to enquire whether any, and what alterations or amendments are necessary, in an act vesting in the District Judges, the power of mitigating certain penalties, &c. so that the same power may be vested in the justices of county courts.

Mr. Crowninshield, from the committee of commerce and manufactures, reported on the petitions of Gerard Topham, George Jenkins and William Carver, of Newburyport. That the petition was reasonable and ought to be granted.

Referred to a committee of the whole, for Tuesday next.

Mr. Varum moved that the house go into a committee of the whole, on the standing rules & regulations of the house. Carried.

Mr. J. C. Smith, in the chair. A long debate ensued, which went wholly upon the rules to be adopted in debate, &c. and which can be interesting to members only. We therefore do not attempt to follow the different speakers through their long arguments on the alterations and amendments necessary; the mode of keeping the accounts of members, on the adoption or alteration of the mode of putting the previous question, &c. &c. At length the committee rose, reported progress, and had leave to sit again.

Petitions of E. and J. Meg, John McIntire, and John Lowrie. Referred to the committee of claims.

Petition of the late captain of the Alliance frigate, during the Revolutionary war with Great Britain, for compensation.

Mr. Van Cortland moved that the reading of the last petition be dispensed with, and that it be referred to the Secretary of State. Carried.

Petition of Isaac Clarkson, of N. York, for a drawback on 1420 boxes sugar, imported by him, and for the duties of which he gave bond. The petition stated that the petitioner had determined on exporting the said sugar, and for that purpose, had shipped it, about the time the citizens of New York were alarmed by the breaking out of the complaint, called the Yellow Fever; that he had removed his counting house, in great haste, on the 7th of Sept. to a distance from the city, and before the expiration of the ten days allowed to give bond to obtain duties, thereon; that the drawback amounts to fifteen thousand dollars, and which, from the circumstances named, he cannot claim, he therefore prays the house will grant him the same, for drawback. Referred to the committee of commerce and manufactures.

Mr. Dana presented the petition of

lonel William Douglass, late of the army of the United States, praying relief. Also the petition of Moses Tyson, and Richard Law, jun. which were referred to the committee of claims. Adjourned.

American.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1805

It was reported at Bordeaux on the 2d of Nov. that Messina had defeated the Austrians in Italy under the archduke Charles, with immense loss.

On Sunday night last carried in this town on their way to the Seat of the General Government, 18 Indian Chiefs, we are told, of the Cherokee nation, accompanied with two white men. The chief man of this nation by name Doublehead, was with this deputation. We have not been able to ascertain the business that occasions this visit at the present time, on the part of this friendly nation; but it is no doubt concerning the land lately sold by them to the U. S. These people seem to have made considerable advances in civilization, and appear to have divested themselves of much of the Indian habits. They were well dressed in the manner of white men. Those whites who accompanied them say, that under the fostering hand of government, they are becoming possessors of considerable property; and that the manufacturing and agricultural arts have acquired an establishment amongst them that, bids fair in a short time to eradicate all remaining traces of their original habits and propensities. They also say, that English schools are in a flourishing state among them; that many of the young Indians are receiving useful educations, and nearly the whole acquire the use of the English language. These are pleasing facts to the philanthropist—they are honourable evidences in behalf of the government.

(Frederick-town Advocate.)

Departed this life, on the evening of Monday, after a lingering illness, the pains of which were alleviated by faith and resignation, MARY, wife of Mr. JOSEPH C. WHITE, of this city.

* * * Deagle's Norfolk Packet Will sail This morning.

* * * Ferguson's Packet will Will sail for Norfolk, on Sunday next.

8 puncheons GIN, for sale on board.

Port of Baltimore.

ENTERED, Schr. John and Eley, Moffat, Trinidad CLEARED, London

Brig Sylvan, Oste, West Indies Schr. Squirrel, Drew,

From the Merchants' Coffee-House Books. December 17.

Arrived, Bremen Bark Unternehmung, Wendt, 61 days from Varel. Dec. 10, lat. 33, long. 72, 30, spoke schr. Felicity, Fetty, from Baltimore for Havanna, 56 hours out.—Left ship North America, Vickers, for Baltimore, loading.

Philadelphia, December 16.

Cleared, ship Baltic, Donaldson, Isle of France; Rosseau, M. Levan, Europe and India; ship Samaritan, Farley, London; brig Eliza, Stotsberry, St. Thomas; brig Zoan, Jordan, Cork and a market; Coin. Harry, Meade, St. Thomas; schr. Huntress, Montgomery, N. York; schr. Olive Branch, Crawford, Porto Rico; Sea Flower, Cathcart, St. Mary's. Schr. Bee, Huddle, hence at Jacquemel.

Arrived, ship Martha, Gaul, (late Henderson, who died at Calcutta) 150 days from Calcutta. Left there, the 4th July, ship St. Cuthbert, Hooke, of and for New-York, about 1st September; ship Hampton, Isaacs, do. do. 15th August; ship Elizabeth, Munn, of and for Baltimore, waiting for sugars. On the 7th August, James Hull, a sailor, fell from the bowsprit, and notwithstanding the utmost exertions of the crew could not be saved. On the 5th of October in lat. 33, 11, south, long. 14, spoke ship: Alligator, capt. E. Swain of and from Nantucket, and the same day spoke the ship Industry, capt. Russel, of and from Nantucket, both on whaling voyages, all well, then out 14 months and nearly full.—December 3, lat. 24, 26, N, long. 72, spoke ship Robert Murray, Swinson, from New Orleans, for Bordeaux, out 18 days, all well. The Martha left the Sand Heads the 11th July, and has been on this coast 30 days.

Arrived schooner Detsy, Ellis, from Jeremie, sailed 19th Nov. under convoy of the brig Antelope, of and for Baltimore, and parted company the 3d instant in lat. 29.

Off C. N. Mole the Antelope was boarded by the British sloop of war, L. Raynham, and had 4 men pressed, she afterwards chased the Detsy several hours, but could not come up with her. Nov. 28th, captain Ellis spoke brig Fame, Williams, of and from North Carolina, for Kingston, in lat. 24, Nov. 30th, brig Pillgrim, Smith, 7 days from Savannah, for Kingston, in lat. 27.

Capt. Ellis left his American vessels at Jeremie.

Yesterday arrived, schr. Whitney, capt. Hand, from Antigua. On the 12th inst.

ington, captain B. Crowell, from New-York for Savannah, out three days, who generously supplied captain Hand with some provisions of which he was in great want. Left at Antigua, ship Ontario, and brig —, captain Bunce, of New York, and the sloop George, of Norfolk, all carried in for adjudication.

Same day, arrived schr. Fly, captain McFarland, 15 days from Porto-Rico. Left there, schr. Governor McKean Morse, of this port, who being refused admittance into Maricao or suffered to trade, and having tried several other ports, put into Porto-Rico. He also left there the brig Sally, Brown, of Rhode-Island, who on his passage to Guadaloupe having sprung leak and received other damage, was obliged to put into Porto-Rico, where the vessel was condemned as unseaworthy.—The ship Patty, McCarty, late of New-York, carried in and condemned, was sold and fitted out for this port, for which she was to sail in a few days.

Captain M.F. left at Porto Rico, the schr. Mary Ann, Anthony, of Boston, with horses on board, who was carried in there, where she had been tried, but the sentence not published; also the brig Polly, Trip, of Tiverton, Rhode-Island, carried in, tried and part of the cargo condemned, the vessel and other part of the cargo cleared, and both parties ordered to pay their shares of the costs.—On the 11th inst. capt. M.F. spoke the schooner Hope, Sadler, of and from Baltimore, out three days, who he said he had taken a Baltimore pilot off, to whom capt. M.F. offered to give a passage back, but it was declined.

The brig Clio, Boyd, of this port from Lisbon, for London, was spoken October 18, in lat. 48, long. 15.

The ship Dispatch, Benners, has been liberated and sailed from the Downs for Canton the first of October last.

Providence, December 7.

Arrived on Monday last, brig Argus, Bowen, 18 days from Matel (Island of Cuba.) Left, at Mariel, November 14, ship Eleanor, Randall, to sail for Boston in 15 days; brig James and William, Taylor, of Charleston; schooner Richmond, Logan, of and for Philadelphia, in 6 days; schooner Nelson, Thompson, of Newbern, N. C. sent in by a Spanish privateer, and waiting trial.

On the passage of the brig Argus, Bowen, from Mariel, to this port, on the 25th ult. early in the evening, Mr. Paul Tew, the mate, in the active performance of his duty, fell overboard.—In attempting to save him, by the upsetting of the boat in tempestuous weather, Samuel Spywood and Casar Arnold, two seamen of colour, with the mate, whom they had taken on board, most unhappily perished, relief being impracticable.—Mr. Tew, was a respectable man, and the two men of colour, who died in the highest act of charity, were brave and useful seamen. A mulatto man of the name of Charles Bowers, died on board the Argus, the next day. By the persevering exertion of captain Bowman, 2 men and a boy, all who survived the disasters of the voyage, the brig was brought in safely here, the port of her destination.

Arrived on Thursday, ship Susan, Gilling, in 152 days from Batavia. Left there ship Patterson, Shaw, of this port, waiting for cargo; ship George Washington, of Philadelphia; ship Prudent, Ford; ship Patasco, Hall, of Baltimore, to sail in a few days for the Isle of France; brig Rio, Waine, of Boston; brig Coffin, of do. from the Coromandel Coast.—Ship Connecticut, Storey, of New York, sailed for the coast of Malabar in June last. Ship Alexander Hamilton Spear, of Baltimore, sailed for the Isle of France May 29. The William and Henry, Ring, of Boston, sailed for Point de Gall, in June. The Hope, Lovet, of Beverly, sailed for Calcutta at the same time. The Virginia, Ingraham, of New York, do. The ship Jane, McCarty, of Baltimore, sailed for the Isle of France in June. In lat. 36, S. long. 21, E. spoke ship Eliza, Smith, of Beverly, 28 days from the Isle of France. November 2, lat. 15, N. long. 48, 40, W. spoke ship Minerva, Blackwell of Baltimore, 93 days from Batavia. Captain B. left at Batavia, ship John Jay, Fry, of Providence, waiting for cargo. November 24, lat. 36, N. long. 71, W. spoke schooner Hope, Emory, of Salem, 39 days from Senegal; two of her hands sick, and short of provisions; supplied her with bread, flour and yaler.

From Batavia, to the editor, June 30.

The prices stipulated by the Company are, 18 dollars for coffee, 6 and 6 1-2 for sugar, and 32 stivers for pepper. The ship Mandarin, Magee, from Boston, for Canton, passed the Straits of Sunda, April 6, all well.

NOTICE. A meeting of the members composing the Union Fire Company, is requested at the Globe Inn, on Wednesday evening, the 18th instant, at 6 o'clock. This being a special meeting, no notices will be sent round.

By order, W. SIMPSON, junr. Secretary Dec. 17.

NOTICE. THE Members of the Friendship Fire Company, are requested to attend a special meeting of the said company, at Mr. Charles J. Meyer's Tavern, at 6 o'clock on Wednesday evening, December the 18th 1805.

JOHN WEATHERBURN, Secy.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY.

The 18th inst. at 12 o'clock in Frederick-street dock, will be sold, The Schooner MINERVA, As she arrived from sea, burdened about 800 barrels. Terms will be made known at time of sale. VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct's.

For Freight or Charter,

The Brig SUSANNA,

William Wickham, master; Burthen 950 barrels, now in complete order to receive a cargo. For terms apply to the captain on board in Smith's dock, or to HUGH THOMPSON, d7t December 18.

108000 lbs. COCOA &

80000 lbs. fine GREEN COFFEE, received by the Antelope. For Sale by JOHN F. KENNEDY, d4t December 18.

Notice.

In the matter of John Gill, a Bankrupt. THE meeting of the commissioners, in this case, advertised for Monday evening is postponed until further notice S. STERETT, Secretary. d3t December 18.

Michael Dwycr,

INFORMS the public that he has commenced the DRY AND WINE COOPERING BUSINESS, at No. 92, Bond-street, Fell's Point, and respectfully solicits patronage. He also will undertake to cure Wines and Spiritous Liquors that have turned sour, at a moderate premium. d4t December 18.

First quality Sugars,

80 hhds. just received from Trinidad, will be landed this day at the head of Frederick-street dock, and sold low if taken off the wharf. GEO. & JNO. S. YEATES. d3t December 18.

TO BE SEEN,

Two Dromedaries,

FROM ARABIA.

THESE are the first of the species ever imported into this country. The value of them is such, that the Arabian, possessed of his Dromedary, has nothing either to want or to fear. They will travel at the rate of a hundred miles in a day, 5 or 6 days together, without either eating or drinking. They are part like the horse, cow, sheep, and the rabbit, and are the most docile animal in the world. They kneel down, take on their load, and wait the pleasure of their keeper to rise. They arrive at their full growth at 6 years old, which is about 20 hands high, and live to the age of 40 or 50 years. The oldest of the above is forty years, and the youngest 17 months. These astonishing Animals are to be seen at No. 86, opposite the lower Marsh-market. It is to be hoped the Ladies and Gentlemen of Baltimore will not lose this favourable opportunity, which may be the only one (at least for many years) of viewing these surprising animals, so much spoken of by naturalists and Historians. Admittance 25 cents, children half price. d3t December 18.

Liverpool Salt.

JUST received by the schooner Eliza, capt. Ferguson, lying at the lower end of South street wharf, 3000 bushels SALT, which will be sold low, if immediate application is made to HUGH THOMPSON. d3t December 17.

Jacob Brandt & Co.

36, MARKET-STREET.

Have just received and offer for sale, 50 boxes fresh Muscatel Raisins 18 do fresh prunes 20 kegs pickled salmon 20 do tongues and sounds 20 boxes mould candles 4, 5 and 6 to the pound of Winchester brand 10 casks cheese d4t December 17.

Just landing and for sale

By the Subscribers,

2800 bushels Turks Island SALT, 30 hhds. prime James River Tobacco & 28 bales Cotton. ARMSTRONG & DUNN, No. 24 Cheap-side. N. B. They daily expect a few pipes first quality Holland GIN. d8t December 16.

Isaiah Mankin,

69, SMITH'S-WHARF. HAS just received per schooner New Bithiah, captain Hall, from Boston, 100 boxes codfish in nice order 108 kegs pickled salmon and 100 do. tongues and sounds. On Hand, 80 hhds. Patuxent Tobacco 18,000 wt old James River do. 30 kegs do. manufactured do. 30 boxes and 1 hhd. codfish. Claret 10 hhds. entitled to debenture 10 barrels and 1 hhd. cyder vinegar 15 barrels and 25 baskets Glauber Salts, &c d4t December 17.

Notice.

THE creditors of JOHN OSBORN, late of Fell's Point, deceased, are directed to call at the subscribers dwelling, No. 14, Alliana-street, on Wednesday next, between the hours of 9 in the morning, and 4 in the afternoon, and receive their dividend of assets, as adjusted by the court. Those who fail to attend, will be excluded. REBECCA OSBORN, Adm'r. d3t December 16.

Baltimore, Dec. 16.

THE Members composing the New Debtors Fire Company, are requested to meet at Peck's Hotel, on Wednesday, the 18th instant, at 6 o'clock. By order of the President, THOMAS SUTTON, Secy. d3t Dec. 17.

Sale by Auction,

THIS DAY.

IN consequence of not being landed in time the 43 hhds. prime Guad. Sugar, Advertised yesterday morning, was postponed till THIS MORNING, the 18th inst. at 12 o'clock, at the auction room, at the head of Gay-street dock. LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auctrs. December 13.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 18th inst. at 10 o'clock, precisely by order of the executors of the late Mr. O'Donnell, at the Rope and Chandery Store, No. 19, Thames-street, Fell's Point, will commence the sale of the whole contents of said store, CONSISTING OF A variety of valuable SHIP CHANDLERY A quantity of excellent CORDAGE assorted 81 quills of Match ROPE 12 bundles of rigging LEATHER A Cabin Store, 2 boilers, Jack Screw, &c. Immediately after, at the wharf near the Fountain A SCOW AND OARS, and a number of pieces of timber, the greater part square. LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auctrs. TERMS OF SALE. Less than \$100 cash For approved indorsed notes \$100 & less than \$200, 60 days \$200 or more, 6 months. December 18.

Sale by Auction.

Just received and will be sold at the vendue warehouse, on Second and Frederick-streets, on THURSDAY next, at 12 o'clock, on a liberal credit, 40 hhds. } First quality Trinidad SUGAR. 7 hhds. } THOMAS CHASE, Auct'n. 2 tierces } December 18.

Sale by Auction.

On THURSDAY-MORNING, At 10 o'clock precisely, at the vendue warehouse, at the corner of Second and Frederick-streets, will begin the sale of DRY GOODS,

Amongst which are, 4 bales ticklenburgs 1 do. Dowlass 1 do. Superfine Cloths 2 do. Coatings and blue Plains 2 boxes Irish Linens 3 cases cotton and worsted Hosiery Calicoes, Linities, Bed-Ticking, &c. Also on 6 months credit, 1 case containing 40 pieces rich striped satins, entitled to a drawback. And at 12 o'clock, 40 hhds. } Of excellent Trinidad Sugar 11 barrels } 2 tierces } 43 boxes Havanna white do. 34 do brown do. 25 pipes Madeira, Tenerife and Lisbon wine 10 pipes old port do. A few punchons old rum Cogniac and other Brandy 50 boxes best Spanish Segars A small quantity of the best English Cheese 16 boxes Fish put up for the West India market THOS: CHASE, Auct'n. Also for private sale, 150 boxes of the first quality brown Havanna Sugar. 166 boxes white do. T. C. December 18.

Sale by Auction.

ON FRIDAY NEXT,

The 20th instant, at 11 o'clock, will be sold no the premises,

All that valuable piece of ground near Chapel-Hill, to the East of Charles-street, which has been advertised by Messrs. Michael Benderffer, Hoffman & Decker, and is now laid off into 9 lots, five of which front about 28 feet each on St. Paul's-street, and extends North to a twelve feet alley, three do. front on St. Paul's Lane 28 feet, and runs West 138 1-2 feet, to a twenty feet alley, each commands a beautiful prospect, and the rapid and elegant improvements in the neighborhood, added to the very healthy situation, must certainly rank the lots in equal value with any about the city. A plot may be seen at the vendue office, and the terms of payment will be made known at the time of sale. THOS: CHASE, Auct'n. Dec. 17.

Sale by Auction.

ON THURSDAY,

Morning the 19th inst. at 10 o'clock precisely, at Waters's-wharf, Fell's-Point, will be sold on account of the underwriters, A valuable 13 1-2 inch CABLE 120 fathoms long and almost new. LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auctrs. December 17.

Notice is hereby given,

That on THURSDAY the 18th inst. will be sold by Public Auction, on the premises, (weaker permitting, if not on the next fair day) upon terms that will then be made known, at 11 o'clock.

ALL those three new two story BRICK HOUSES and lots of GROUND adjoining the estate and residence of Mr. JOHN S. HOWE, situate on Lads and Mulberry streets, one of which houses (that Mr. JACOB MOON, painter, lived in) has a garden lot attached to it, that would admit the building of a good corner house upon.—There is a pump of the best water on the Premises, and the houses have good dry cellars. The New Market, through the centre of which Pat-street runs, makes this property of increasing value, and great improvements are now making in the neighborhood than in any part of Baltimore at this time. LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auctrs. December 16.

For Sale,

THE unexpired time of a YELLY WOMAN, who has five years to run, and has a CHILD twelve months old. For further particulars enquire of the printer. Dec. 17.