

gaged to go with him to Syracuse, and also to keep myself secret, from which circumstance, I was necessarily compelled to abandon all I possessed, and thus lose my horses, camels, &c. Previous to my leaving Dominica, Gen. Eaton assured me the peace would never be made, unless I was placed in my own seat (throne) and often swore by himself that he would never take me from where I was for the sole purpose of making the conquest.

I did not, however, fail to suggest to the general, that in case Jussuf Bashaw should actually remain conqueror, what part he would take in my favor, as I should not be able to remain any longer in the Turkish dominions. I was answered, if the combinations of war should prove favorable to Jussuf Bashaw, that a pension would be granted me, sufficient to maintain my family and suite; the people and money demanded by me, to effect this object (for such a movement) were ready; and that I had better expedite my secretary to captain Hull, to inform him, that the general had conducted me from Upper Egypt to Syracuse, but that I could not trust myself at sea, in the manner he had. My envoy having executed his commission, arrived first in Syracuse, and afterwards in Malta, in consequence of the absence of captain Hull from the first (place) and whom he afterwards found in the second place (Malta) and executed his embassy: He was answered by the same (Hull) that every thing I could possibly want was ready, and in fact, there was sent me a vessel, laden with supplies and provisions, accompanied by captain Hull, which arrived at Bomba, delivering to the general and myself a dispatch (to him directed) from the commodore, in which he renders Hull responsible for every thing I might want: I then asked for cannon, powder, and other warlike supplies, and was answered that a frigate was hourly expected, and that they would be sent to me. I afterwards left Bomba, in company with Gen. Eaton, and we pursued our route towards Demie, arriving near it in 12 hours. Such a voyage made me extremely happy, as well as my people, while the manner in which we were treated by the general excited universal admiration; his dignified soul (conduct) merits applause. We were scarcely on the 12th hour of our voyage, when we saw a schooner, which brought us 2 pieces of cannon, and nothing more. After an attack of 2 hours, in which all the troops applauded and admire the courage of Gen. Eaton, Demie was taken (as the people of that country were much in our favor) and in which attack the general was wounded in the hand.

After the capture of the city, we received from the chiefs of the brigands, letters offering to join us. After 10 days a troop of cavalry and infantry (of the enemy) advanced; they were twice broken and put to flight by us. We now asked from the schooner, which had been sent us, people and arms, while there remained a respite and peace, and were waiting an answer, respecting our demand for people and arms, in order that we might go and take Bergasa and Tripoli: in the mean time arrived a frigate which we supposed had brought us people, but she landed a Turkish ambassador from Jussuf Bashaw, who informed the general of the alliance of Jussuf Bashaw with your excellency; saying that the said Bashaw would restore my family, and that your excellency would give me in the name of the U. S. a pension. The same evening of the arrival of the frigate, the general informed me, that I must embark with all my people, and thus was again compelled to abandon all I possessed—the general having prevented the Turkish ambassador from landing, and thus we parted for Syracuse, where we found the whole squadron.

I daily expected my family, when finally I was told that he (the Bashaw) would not let them go; having thus broken his word, I demanded of the general, to be replaced in my own country, which was also denied me, saying, that he had no orders to that effect from your excellency, and it is thus I find myself in this country, with the small pension of two hundred dollars per month, and on which sum I am to support myself with a number of people. Such a state of things makes me feel that the weight of misfortune has only increased; and for the first time am completely abandoned, and by a great nation; I therefore fling myself on the mercy of your excellency, who under the influence of just laws, will not fail to render me that justice which oppression and misfortune entitle me to.

With the hope of an early reply from your excellency, I remain, &c. &c. (Signed)

**ACHMET BASHAW,**  
SON OF ALI BASHAW, &c. &c.  
Syracuse, August 5th, 1805.  
His excellency the President of the United States of America.

### SHERIFFALTY.

**HENRY TRAPNALL** begs leave to inform his friends, and the voters of the city and county of Baltimore, generally, that he still continues to offer himself a candidate for the office of Sheriff; and he again respectfully solicits their friendship—and suffrage at the ensuing election.

### COD FISH.

**TWO** Hundred Eighty One Hogheads COD FISH, of first quality, for Sale by **BIGELOW & PROUD.**  
February 1 d3t

**Maryland Insurance Office,**  
February 1st, 1806.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that agreeably to charter, the Stockholders in the Maryland Insurance Company, are called upon to renew their notes in the present month.

Likewise, that an election for thirteen directors, will be held at the Office of the said Company, on the first Monday in March next.

**JOHN HOLLINS,** President.  
N. B. The transfer books, will be closed from the 10th inst. to the 4th of March next.  
February 1 d1m

### BALLS.

**JAMES ROBARDET** PRESENTS his respectful compliments to the Ladies and Gentlemen, who attend his BALLS, and informs them, that his NEXT BALL will be on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 5th inst. and continue every *Parade* during the season.

His Dancing School is open at his usual place, for the instruction of youth of both sexes; parents and guardians, who will instruct him with pupils, may depend upon an unexampled attention, to instruct them in the necessary and elegant accomplishment of dancing, and will attend to correct their deportment, and endeavor to give them the ease and grace which is requisite in polite circles.  
February 1 d4t

## American AND COMMERCIAL DAILY ADVERTISER MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1806

The editor fondly hopes, that his friends have a sufficiently good opinion of him, in point of diligence, to believe, that it is not usual for him to be remiss and negligent, in presenting them with each important and interesting occurrence which transpires. That he has not made a struggle to be equally early with other printers, in presenting to the public the late able, spirited and dignified MEMORIAL of the merchants and traders of this city, seems to require from him some apology. Influenced by a spirit of accommodation, he was induced to promise that he would suspend its appearance, if other printers would do the same, in order to aid in remunerating the individual who accommodated the committee with copies of an edition he had risked in pamphlet form. However, its publication in the papers of Saturday, almost induced him to furnish it to-day; but he has preferred giving the articles in this day's American, as more new, in preference, under a conception, that the memorial has already been seen, in its different channels of publicity, by all who are particularly interested in its contents. But, as the editor views it as a masterly production, highly valuable and important, he promises it shall very shortly be recorded in the columns of the American, or in supplementary form, for the convenient reference of his readers.

Schooner *Eliza*, hence, arrived at Charleston on the 18th ult. after a passage of 30 days.

On Saturday 1st **WILLIAM KILTY**, Esq. was appointed, by the Governor and Council, Chancellor of the State of Maryland.—Mr. KILTY has, we understand, accepted the appointment.—The hon. R. SMITH, Esq. secretary of the navy of the United States, had been previously appointed, but declined accepting.

On Monday last **WILLIAM HAYWARD** and **JOHN CHALMERS**, Esquires, were elected directors in the Farmers Bank of Maryland on the part of this state for the ensuing year.

On Wednesday last the schooner *Ann* and *Harriot*, captain Reynolds, arrived here from Jamaica. By captain R. V. we learn, that on the 5th inst. in lat. 23, 52, long. 34, 30, he was boarded by two Spanish armed brigs, who robbed him and crew of what money, and nearly what clothing they possessed, together with many valuable articles belonging to the schooner. (Savannah paper.)

The arrival of the Rochefort squadron at Teneriffe, is confirmed. A letter was received in town yesterday from Captain Riley, of the brig *Eliza* and *Mary* of this port, dated Orataiva (Teneriffe) Nov. 17, stating, that on the 3d Nov. the Rochefort squadron arrived at San-Cruz, in that island, from a cruise of four and an half months, consisting of one ship of 122 guns four of 74, three frigates and two brigs, commanded by L'Almanac. They brought in six British prizes (three ships & three prizes) viz. ships *Ganges*, *Union*, and *Princess Mary*, laden with Coffee, sugar and Cotton. The squadron sunk and burnt all neutrals they met with, that were bound to, or along the European coast, amounting to 25 sail, four of which were Americans, viz. brig *Minerva*, *Salter*, from New-York for Bordeaux; brig *Two Brothers*, Pennink, from New-York for Nantz; schooner —, *Tuck*, from Boston; and schooner —, *Sargeant*, from Marblehead for Bilbao: the other neutrals were Danes, Swedes, Prussians, Portuguese, and two Moors. When the squadron arrived, an embargo was immediately laid, and all the boats in port were put in requisition, and ordered round to San-Cruz to assist in watering the fleet. The ships and cargoes (prizes) were sold at auction for about 105,000 dollars, and were supposed to be worth 400,000 dolls. N. Y. Paper.

The brig *Two Friends*, Solomon Pennick, master, from this port for Nantz, was on the 22d July last, in lat. 47, 30, long. 14, captured and burnt by the Rochefort squadron. Capt. Pennick writes from Teneriffe, under date of 16th Nov. that none of his crew were permitted to go on shore, and he could not say when he or they should be released. They had been so long on board the squadron; that they were reduced almost to a state of nakedness. About 30 vessels had shared the fate of the *Two Friends*, but only four of them were Americans. [Ibid.]

We have now passed two winter months, without feeling any of the rigors of winter, except eight or ten days in the middle of January, in which time we had some snow and our navigation impeded for a few days with ice, but that, by the late mild weather is now vanished; and yesterday, a number of vessels, detained below, came up.—Our poor have not been in want of work, and our wharves have had a constant supply of wood through the whole season, at no time dearer than in the month of November; in a short, it has been the mildest winter hitherto; that can be remembered by the oldest inhabitant of this city. (Philadelphia paper.)

We learn that the bridge lately built over the Delaware near Trenton, is so far completed, that it was opened on Thursday last, when several loaded stages and some hundred people crossed and re-crossed the same. (Ibid.)

The Northern mail stage was on Saturday evening, the 18th inst. between Richmond and Falmouth, robbed of two trunks, belonging to two Frenchmen, passengers.—The trunks contained, as we learn, besides their clothing, &c. 1200 dollars in cash, and some valuable papers, and were taken from the back of the stage to which they were tied. This daring act was committed by two or three blacks, who have since been committed, and part of the clothing and papers recovered. A proper example will without doubt be made to prevent the like atrocious conduct in future. Virginia Herald.

The following is a specimen of the ingenuity and plausibility of federal impostures—from the N. York paper called the Commercial Advertiser.—“We understand that col. Burr has been appointed minister extraordinary from the U. States to the courts of St. James and St. Cloud.”

Perhaps the man of all others whom our country could select the most fitted by capacity, by incorruptibility by sound political principle; and by love of his country—is our present minister at the court of London—it is hatred and envy of Mr. Munroe's virtues which give rise to these clumsy fabrications: it would be not only a curious but a prodigious political phenomenon to see Munroe superceded at the court of St. James's—the story is one of those pitiful fabrications, the sole object of which is to cast a momentary obloquy on the executive—which lives its hour and is succeeded by days of contempt for its inventors. Aurora.

### IMPORTANT DISCOVERY,

Communicated for Publication in the *Trenton Federalist*.  
Doctor Dexter, of Boston, has discovered as it is supposed the Egyptian Cement, that will resist water, and some persons imagine fire. The first attempt he made was for the purpose of preventing the water running into his house by the sides of the chimney. He made a common water pail full of ordinary lime and sand mortar, and added thereto one pound of brown sugar, which after it had dissolved in the mortar rendered it so soft as to prevent its use for upwards of two hours, after which period it began gradually to stiffen. He then plastered round the chimneys on the roof of his house, and in two or three days afterwards he found it so hard that it was with very considerable difficulty he drove a nail into it with a hammer. It has effectually resisted the water and kept his roof tight.

The next experiment he made was the covering of an old wooden house, that was so bad, my informant told me, the owner was about to pull it off and cover it anew. I saw and examined the house myself some months after it had been done. It has been found too upon calculation to be much cheaper to cover a house in this way, than by giving it a coat of white paint. The house I mentioned had been clap-boarded, or one board projecting in a small degree over the other, and the lath nailed on slantwise, if I may use the expression, to enable the mortar when put on to curl round it: they had thrown on to it when the mortar was first put on and while soft, a fine gravel, which made the whole resemble one solid piece of stone. The covering appeared to me to be as hard as stone, and I observed a great number of houses in Boston, Salem, and in the country round, done in the same way.

It is since found that molasses will answer as well, except that it changes the color of the mortar which sugar will not. In covering houses with tile or slate molasses is preferred.

It is also found sufficient to take a quart of molasses to a bushel of mortar, or thereabouts; the mortar must be made at least two hours before it can be used.

I have such confidence in the Cement that I intend to cover a house I am building at Powles-Hook with it.  
Col. Kenney.

**THE MEMBERS**  
Of the Deptford Fire Company  
ARE requested to attend an Annual Meeting of said Company, at Peck's Hotel, on MONDAY, the 3d of February, at 6 o'clock, P. M.  
JOSHUA INLOES, Sec'y.  
February 1. d4t

## SHIP NEWS

Port of Baltimore.  
ENTERED,  
Ship *Montezuma*, Dashiell, Amsterdam  
Schr. *Harriott*, Mitchell, Augustine  
Traveller, Riddall, Leghorn  
James, Lewis, Trinidad  
Mediator, Graves, Cape Francois  
Victory, Davis, do.  
Repeater, Graves, Cumana  
Medusa, Gold, Havana  
Eagle, Gerrish, Boston  
Anna, Irish, New-York  
CLEARED,  
Ship *Sally*, Gorton, Amsterdam  
Brig *Enrica*, Foster, Salem  
Schr. *Montezuma*, Gold, Norfolk  
Commercy, Pritchard, Guadaloupe  
Hercy, Rider, Boston  
Dart, Sosman, Porto-Ricco

From the Merchants' Coffee-House Books.  
February 1.  
Arrived last night, schooner *Medusa*, Gold; 14 days from Havana—sugar and coffee.—John F. Kennedy. Sailed in co. with schooner *Felicity*, Felty, for Baltimore. Left, brig *Actress*, Howe, for Baltimore, in 10 days; schooner *Mary*, of Baltimore, next day; brig *Sally*, Griffin, of Philadelphia, from Teneriffe; Lydia, of Boston, Fame, of Norfolk.—The brig *Carmelite*, M'Connell, of Baltimore, sailed for New Orleans 7 or 8 days before. Off Chafleston spoke ship *Fair American*, from Teneriffe bound to Charleston; Tuesday last, off Cape Henry a brig from Bengal for Philadelphia. Passenger, captain James Hollis late of the schooner *Prudence*, of this port, which vessel was lost on Salt Keys, on her outward bound passage to Havana. The brig *Happy Couple*, hence to the Trieste was spoken 18th November, 20 leagues east of Malaga, out 31 days.

Extract from Captain *Shotwell's Log-Book*—arrived at Charleston, from *Marseilles* the 18th ult.  
November 18, long. 3, W. twenty leagues east of Malaga, spoke the brig *Happy Couple*, captain Warren, 31 days from Baltimore, bound to Trieste. Same day was boarded by the English frigate *Niger*, captain Hilyer, and treated politely.

November 22, long. 10, W. lat. 35, 40, was brought to and boarded by the privateer ship *Little Phoenix*, of Jersey, captain Duval—on a cruise.

December 10, long. 22, 30, lat. 26, off Teneriffe, was boarded by the *Topaz* English frigate, captain Lake, who left his convoy the evening before, consisting of 40 sail, from Cork, bound to Barbadoes. [This account confirms the report of captain Reilly, of the capture of 40 sail of the Cork fleet by the Rochefort squadron. Captain Lake informed captain Shotwell, that he received information of this squadron, and was apprehensive of falling into their hands.—It appears this convoy was captured the very morning he left them.]  
January 5, long. 70, lat. 26. spoke the brig *Boston*, Franklin, Philadelphia, from Savannah, bound to Jamaica.  
Charleston, January 6.

Captain Ernhartson touched at Havana on his passage from Campeachy, and sailed from thence eight days ago, and was informed that captain O'Discoll, of the Resolution from hence for Havana, had been captured by a British privateer and carried to New-Providence.

The armed sloop *Mediator*, Graves, arrived at Cape Francois, from Baltimore on the 3d December.—The day before, she fell in with a French privateer in Square Hanukerchief Passage, and after beating her off, chased her ashore on a small key to the south-east of Turk's-Island. Captain Graves hulled her several times with his eighteen pounder. The privateer had 70 or 80 men, and 10 guns.

### The Subscriber

Has received and offers for sale, 400 barrels well cured HERRINGS, not more than two months inspected.  
Also,  
50 hhd. choice Bordeaux Claret. Apply to  
JOHN M'FADON.  
February 3 e4t

**James River Tobacco & Cotton.**  
32 hhd. prime James River TOBACCO  
19 bales COTTON  
For sale by  
ARMSTRONG & DUNN.  
February 3 d4t

**Lisbon Wine.**  
15 pipes London particular dry white Lisbon Wine, of an excellent quality.  
Also on hand,  
10 pipes particular Teneriffe Wine  
30 casks Linseed Oil, entitled to debenture,  
For sale, apply to  
JOHN RANDALL,  
95, Bowly's wharf.  
February 3 d4t

**Imported**  
And for sale by the Subscriber,  
250 boxes and 15 hhd. of Newfoundland Codfish, of the first quality, and in prime shipping order.  
Holland Duck AA. L. AB. A, &c.  
Raven Duck  
February 3 MARK PRINGLE. d4t

**Positively the Last Week**  
OF the exhibition of the instructive and amusing *Model of Jerusalem*, at Market space, No. 6. open from 10 A. M. till 9 at night. Admittance 25 cents—Children half price.  
February 3 d4t

**Wanted,**  
A YOUNG MAN who is acquainted with the Grocery Business, writes a tolerable good hand understands accounts. Apply at the office of the American.  
February 3 d4t

**Elias Glenn,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
HAS opened his Office in Second street, in the next house but one to South street, and adjoining the dwelling of Mr. Jacob Rogers (Hatter).  
January 30. e4t

**PRINTING**  
IN THE  
JOB LINE.  
Executed neatly at the Office of the  
AMERICAN.  
Custom-House and other Blanks,  
kept constantly for Sale.

**Sale by Auction.**  
TO-MORROW MORNING,  
The 4th inst. at 10 o'clock, at the auction room at the head of Frederick-street dock, will commence the sale of  
A VARIETY OF DRY GOODS,  
A part of which are the following damaged goods, for account of the underwriters,  
3 bales Sail Duck  
1 do Ravens do  
1 do Russia Sheetings  
2 boxes Plaitails.  
And at 12 o'clock,  
33 hhd. Sugar  
219 boxes white and brown Havana Sugar  
63 barrels and 48 bags Green Coffee  
6 pipes Holland Gin.  
Also,  
1300 Grind Stones in Lots.  
VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct's.  
February 3

**Fell's-Point**  
Book Auction.  
ON TUESDAY EVENING NEXT,  
The 4th inst. at Mr. Peck's Coffee-House, Fell's-Point, will commence the sale of an extensive assortment of BOOKS, among which are, a great variety of Novels, chiefly London Editions, also, a variety of Maps, Charts, &c. &c. Catalogues may be had and the books viewed any time during the afternoon preceding the sale, which will commence at 6 o'clock.  
SOWER & S. COLE, Auct'rs.  
February 3 d4t

**The Sloop Olive Branch,**  
Late regular trader from this port to Alexandria and Georgetown, is now lying at Bowly's wharf, ready to receive a cargo, and will positively sail as soon as any other vessel, as I am determined to establish her as above, and all those who think proper to commit goods to my care, may rely on their being delivered with all possible care and dispatch.  
BEDE CLEMENTS.  
February 3 d4t

**For Boston,**  
The Schooner  
EAGLE,  
Samuel G. Gerrish, Master.  
Burthen six hundred barrels—  
For freight or passage, apply to the master on board, or to  
NATHANIEL F. WILLIAMS,  
15, Bowly's wharf,  
Who has received for sale,  
60 tons Plaster of Paris  
50 bbls. New England Rum  
11 do Tanners' Oil  
30 qr. casks Malaga Wine, entitled to drawback  
15 bags Pimento  
1 sack Almonds.  
February 3 d4t

**For Sale,**  
The cargo of the brig *Ann and Mary*, from St. Jago de Cuba,  
Consisting of  
274 boxes White } First quality clayed  
122 do Brown } SUGAR,  
12 bbls. do.  
11,000 lbs. Royal Orange, (Naranjada) and red Jesuit Bark, superior quality  
15,000 lbs. Coffee  
15,388 lbs. Fustic  
197 dried Hides  
40 lbs. Turtle-Shell  
30 boxes choice Segars.  
ROBERT BARRY,  
12, North Gay street.  
February 3 d4t

**Welfels & Primavesi,**  
127, MARKET-STREET,  
Have imported per the ship *Union*, from Amsterdam, and the North America from Yareb, 10 pipes best Holland Gin  
1 box Haarlem Checks and Stripes  
100 Bedcovers  
1 case fine Cambricks  
3 boxes Holland Quills, assorted Nos.  
200 doz. bottles Haarlem Oil  
25 lbs. White Lead in Oil  
12 do. yellow Ochre do.  
25 common Gin cases  
32 kegs new Dutch Herrings.  
1 bale fine red Turkey Yarn  
6 pair Cologne Mill-Stones  
2 boxes Listados  
4 boxes Bretagnes,  
Also, on hand entitled to drawback,  
3 boxes Diaper  
1 box fine Dowlas  
68 boxes German Window Glass, 10 by 12  
2 boxes white Osamburgs  
2 do. white Rolls  
6 do. brown Hempen, and  
3 bales brown Rolls  
Creas a la Morlaix; white and brown Plaitails; Hessians, &c. Silk Cords & Ribbons of French, Brussels and German Laces, &c. &c. Which they offer for sale on the usual credit, for approved paper, or in batter for Tobacco.  
February 3 d3t-e4t

**The Subscriber**  
Has this day received from Amsterdam, per ship *Industry*,  
A most beautiful assortment of Hyacinths, of the finest kinds produced in Holland. Also, Ranunculus, Anemones, Polyanthus Narcissus, and a variety of other kinds, together with a few Moss Rose Trees, which he offers for sale at his house near the French College; but immediate application must be made, as the season is far advanced and the roots are now in prime order. He has also received, by the same vessel, and offers for sale at the store of Mr. John Bacon, Druggist, No. 181, Market street, a large and well selected assortment of Garden Seeds, warranted fresh and of the best quality, amongst which are: Early York and Early Sugar Loaf Cabbage, Cauliflower, different kinds of Peas, &c. &c.—They may be had in any quantities.  
JOHN HENRY HOSKINS.  
February 1 d12t

**Baltimore Insurance Company**  
THE Stockholders are informed that an election will be held at the said Company's office, at 10 o'clock on MONDAY the 3d of February next, for the choice of Thirteen directors, agreeably to Charter.  
BY order of the board,  
WILLIAM G. COCHRAN, Sec'y.  
January 27. d2 w4p

**A German Servant Girl**  
Of good character, who understands washing, sewing, &c. &c. will be sold for two years. She is present at the residence of the employer, for her Amphy, &c. &c.  
January 30