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**Locust Posts**

FOR SALE BY  
**NATHANIEL G. GOVER,**  
No. 25, Market-street.  
June 14 d4t

For Amsterdam,  
The ship  
RANGER,  
Captain Samuel Sherman,  
Now loading for Amsterdam,  
and having a large proportion of her cargo al-  
ready engaged, will sail in the course of 10  
days. For freight, apply to  
**JOHN E. DORSEY.**  
June 14 d10t

Jacob & William NORRIS  
Have just received for sale,  
87 boxes St Julian's C. & C. of vintage 1801,  
excellent quality.  
15 pieces pure Holland Gin,  
10 pounds first quality St Croix Sugar,  
20 small caddies 1st chop Imperial tea, 12  
lbs. each.  
1500 gallons 1st quality Cid & Vinegar,  
100 nice Lumb Bastard Scurf, suitable for  
presenting.  
June 14 d5t-2w6w

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

ENGLISH  
Cheese and London Porter.  
A FEW very fine double GLOUCESTER  
CHEESE, on rind, and a few cases excellent  
LONDON PORTER, to be disposed of by  
the cask or dozen. And a general and well  
selected assortment of GROCERIES, prin-  
cipally laid in for the consumption of private  
families, for sale by  
**LEDUC & BONNEFIN,**  
No. 168, Market-street  
May 23 d3w-4t

For Sale,  
For a term of years,  
A LIKELY negro BOY and GIRL, about  
eighteen years of age. The boy has a  
about two years and a half to serve, and the  
girl 10 years. Apply to the Printer.  
May 23 d

71 packages Fresh Good,  
IMPORTED in the ship Fame, capt. Long,  
from Liverpool, are now opening and ready  
for sale by  
**JOHN WOOD & Co.**  
No. 19, Calvert-street.  
AMONG WHICH ARE,  
Fine and Common Printed Calicoes  
Cumberlark Lotter Dimities  
Silk Chambrey Musins  
Do. do. Shawls  
6-4 twilled and plain Cambriks  
7-8, 9-8 and 14 colored Satin netted do.  
A great variety Printed Velvets, for vest-  
coating  
Do. Dimities and Welted Quiltings  
Nankings, Grandercells and Cotton Cassi-  
meres  
Crimson and Green Silk Umbrellas  
Do. do. Parasols  
Elegant Silk Hosiery, Gloves and Mitts  
Do. Black Lace Cloaks and Veils  
Do. Lenon Tonic Robes  
Sewing Silk, Thread, Pins, Carpeting, &c.  
The goods being bought with cash, great  
bargains may be expected.  
May 22 d

Just arrived from France,  
And calculated for the Spanish or West India  
Market,  
A few trunks elegant Spangled Shoes.  
Also for sale.

A large portable MARQUEE, with every ap-  
paratus for fixing up, under which one hundred  
persons may with comfort dine.—This would  
prove a most commodious retreat for the ap-  
proaching season. Apply at No. 12, Harrison  
street.

May 20 d

Claret Wine, in cases.  
JUST imported, and now landing from on  
board the schooner Venus, captain Allen,  
desert from Bordeaux.

337 cases, containing one and two dozen  
each, Chateau, Margaux, Latour, and Lafite  
CLARET, of the very first growth and vint-  
age of 1800, ordered particularly for home con-  
sumption, and equal, if not superior, to what  
was imported on a former occasion—and

340 cases, containing same quantity, St Ju-  
lien's CLARET, of vintage 1801, calculated  
for exportation.—The whole entitled to draw-  
back, and will be sold on a liberal credit. For  
terms apply to  
**HU. THOMPSON.**  
June 5 d1m

For Sale,  
273 boxes white Clayed Sugar,  
5000 wt. Ginseng, well cleansed, in barrels,  
10 bales Bottle Corks,  
6 pipes Port Wine, and  
A few bags first quality Green Coffee.  
ROBERT BARRY.  
May 26 d

Nicholas S. and D. Jones,  
79, Smith's wharf,  
Have received per the William Murdoch, capt.  
Jerauld, from London

AND OFFER FOR SALE,  
195 doz. old brown Stout, of a superior qua-  
lity, in cases of 6 1-2 doz. each.  
White-Lead in Oil,  
Vaseline,  
Yellow, Red, Black, and Blue Paints.  
Also,  
A small invoice of Charts, Quadrants, Tel-  
scopes and Compasses.  
April 26 d

**For Sale,**

127 chests Hyson Skin TEA, entitled to  
drawback.

Also,

**ROBERT LEMMON,**  
Head of Smith's Dock

June 6 d1t

**B. II. Mullikin**

Sign of the sheaf of Wheat and two Pigeons.

No. 101, Baltimore-street.

HAS received via New-York and Philadel-  
phia, also by the different arrivals from London  
and Liverpool.

A handsome assortment of

Fancy and reasonable Goods,  
With his usual supply of Irish and German  
Linens, India Muslins, &c & & which he will  
sell wholesale or retail at reduced prices.

May 20 d2t

Benjamin & George Williams,

No. 3, Bowly's wharf,

**H A V E   U S T R E C E I V E D**

400 pieces Russia HEETINGS, Entitled to

200 do. RAVENS DUCK \$ drawback.

50 hogheads N. E. RUM,

50 b. r. do.

June 11 d4t

LONDON, May 1.

**NEW-YORK, June 12.**

The ship Challeton, capt. Hall, arrived  
at this port last evening, in 38 days from  
Liverpool. She left there on the 3d of May,  
and brings London papers of the 1st,  
two days later than our advices by the Fane-  
try. To the politeness of capt. Hall, the  
editor of the Mercantile Advertiser is enti-  
tled for the London "Courier" of that  
date, which, excepting the articles that fol-  
low, is filled with parliamentary debates on  
Mr. Windham's new military system.

The trial of lord Melville was progressing.  
It had reached the third day; and when the Courier was put to press, Mr. Plummer, of council for his lordship, was addressing the court after the examination  
of witnesses.

LONDON, May 1.

By the Prevoyante storeship, arrived in  
the Downs, the following letter is received,  
dated Gibraltar, 31st of March:—"This  
day's letters from Spain, state that a war  
between that country and Portugal is cer-  
tain, and that 50,000 French troops are on  
their march to Portugal. His majesty's  
ship Pompey, rear-admiral sir Sidney  
Smith, captain Davies, arrived here on the  
27th inst., with a fleet under convoy from  
Falmouth, in 5 days passage."

This morning we received Paris papers to  
the 20th, and Duten to the 26th. The return  
of the French troops who were evacuating  
Germany, has not only been suspended,  
but martial Lawbys corps, 20,000  
strong, which had but a few days crossed  
to the left bank of the Rhine, has re-crossed  
it at Menz, and advanced into Aarstadt.  
Great preparations are making to place  
the main in a respectable state of defence,  
and the head-quarters of the French army  
are still at Lutte. Yet an article from  
Stuttgart of the 12th, states that the suspension  
of the return of the Austrian prisoners  
to Austria has been taken off; which would  
seem to show that some arrangement of the  
difference between the two powers had  
taken place.—The following are the prin-  
cipal contents of the French and Dutch  
papers, which are of considerable impor-  
tance.

Upon the motion for the second reading  
of the bill for the repeal of the additional  
defence act, an interesting discussion took  
place in the House of Commons last night,  
in which Mr. Canning distinguished him-  
self by one of the most argumentative and  
eloquent speeches we ever heard; he said,  
with all due deference to the ministerialists,  
who describe themselves as concentrating  
all the talents, all the genius, and all the  
patroism of the country. None of the  
ministers took any part in the discussion; a  
circumstance of a singular nature.

Mr. Canning proposed as an amendment  
to the motion for the second reading of the  
bill, that it be read a second time that day  
three weeks. A division took place, and  
119 voted for Mr. Canning's amendment,  
235 against it. The amendment was of  
course lost, but the ministers did not seem  
to be at all prepared to expect that the oppo-  
sition would divide so large a number. It  
doubts the amount of what the concentra-  
tion of all the talents, genius, and patriotism  
of the country were in the habit of dividing  
during the greater part of Mr. Pitt's ad-  
ministration.

PARIS, April 20.

Upon being continued in the office of  
president of the tribunate, M. Fabre de  
L'Aude, after expressing a grateful sense  
of the favors conferred upon him by the  
emperor and the tribunate, said, "Justice  
requires us, gentlemen, to proclaim this  
truth, with which we must be all impressed  
by our official communications with the  
emperor—the necessity of preserving to  
cance her freedom and independence, of  
recruiting her navy, of opposing strong ar-  
mies to the continental powers which might  
still think of weaving new plots, and new  
coalitions, by violating the faith of treaties,  
could alone have induced his majesty to in-  
crease the direct contributions."

The expenditure for the year is stated to  
be 94 millions, (between 38 and 59 mil-  
lions sterling.)

Baron de Gravenreuth, the king of Ba-  
varia's minister of war, and envoy extraordi-  
nary to the emperor of the French, is ar-  
rived at Paris. Admiral Villeneuve is also  
expected from Moulins.

Letters from the banks of the Rhine an-  
nounce the entire suspension of all the  
orders relative to the evacuation of Germany  
by the French. Brannau, which was to be  
evacuated on the 3d, is to be fortified more  
strongly by the French. All the troops of  
the grand army have stopped in their march  
towards the Rhine. Leclerc's corps has  
even repassed to the right bank.

FRANKFORT, April 21.

General Kalkreuth has been ordered by  
his sovereign to take military possession of  
Pomerania and the Isle of Ruegen.—Resis-  
tance is expected.

Since the invasion of Dalmatia by the  
Russians, thick clouds have darkened the  
political horizon, and Germany, which had  
already suffered so much, is once more de-  
prived, for the moment at least, of the hope  
of being released from the burthen of for-  
eign troops. Marshal Berthier has ordered  
the troops to halt, and Brannau is not to be  
evacuated. Leclerc's corps has resumed  
its cantonments in Darmstadt. Yet since  
general Leopold Berthier has set off from  
Vienna for Paris, it is said that all difficulties  
are removed between Austria and France  
on the subject of Catoro, and that till that  
place is surrendered to France, the latter  
will continue to occupy Brannau.

HAMBURG, April 21.

Some fermentation is said to exist in Swe-  
den. The chamber of commerce of Stock-  
holm having been revoked lately, a letter  
was read from the king, in which he de-  
manded a contribution to enable him to fit  
out 15 ships of the line or frigates, to  
protect the Swedish ships against the French

privateers, which had taken a great name-  
ber.—The discussion enabled some mem-  
bers to deduce the miseries to which Sweden  
was subjected by her fatal alliance with  
England. It was unanimously decided that  
no sum should be granted to the king.—  
(We do not believe a word of this article.)

A short but sharp debate took place after  
the division.

To a question put by Mr. Canning, Mr.  
Windham replied, that he had no intention  
of making any alteration in the new mili-  
tary plan which he proposed before the  
recess.

Ten transports arrived in the Downs yes-  
terday from the river with troops on board.  
Their destination is a profound secret.

"Admiralty Office, April 21,  
half past one, P. M.

"The Donegal man of war arrived  
at Spithead this morning, & the following  
Mesage has been received by the  
Telegraph:—Captain Malcolm passed  
Cape Maze with Admiral Duckworth  
on the 22d of March.

The Donegal and the Brave partic-  
ipated company with the other ships on the  
8th off the Western Islands. On the  
morning of the 12th, the Brave's main  
mast went overboard, and she began to  
open very much. The crew were  
therefore removed, in the course of the  
day the foundered. She had been very  
much cut up in Admiral Duckworth's  
action.

The Jupiter, one of the other prizes,  
arrived at Spithead last night.

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The following is extracted from a pamphlet  
published at Boston, on the subject of the ap-  
proaching Solar Eclipse, to take place this  
morning.

"At Philadelphia the moon will appear  
to pass north of the sun's center, and as  
so it is from thence will not be total. On  
the contrary, at West Point, about 20  
miles north of the city of Albany, the moon  
will pass south of the sun's center, and as  
viewed from that place the sun's north  
side will be visible in the middle of the  
eclipse; and consequently cannot there  
be total. But it would be an error af-  
fording to describe this eclipse as it will ap-  
pear at all places, because the distance of  
50 miles will occasion some difference.  
If we could transit ourselves to the  
earth's center, and could view the eclipse  
through the dark body of the earth, the  
sun would appear only one-third eclip-  
ped; and at London it will be less than a  
third.

"At the time of this eclipse, the  
moon's dark shadow will over a circular  
spot on the earth's surface of about 101  
miles in diameter; and this will be, in  
or near the center of the earth, in the  
time of the mid-day of the eclipse.  
Consequently, persons living from Boston  
to 50 or 65 miles north or south, will  
see a part of the sun; and to them the  
eclipse can be total. But as the motion  
of the shadow is in an easterly direc-  
tion, those who live in that or a westerly  
direction will be more likely to see the  
eclipse total than those differently situ-  
ated.

"During the eclipse, the moon's motion  
from the sun through the heavens, will be at  
the rate of 39 miles every minute of time;  
and with the same velocity her shadow will  
travel over the earth's surface, which is almost  
as swift as the motion of a cannon  
ball. It is true we shall not be sensible of this  
motion, because we are not in a proper situa-  
tion to observe it.

"Al though the moon's dark shadow will  
not much exceed 400 miles in breadth; yet her  
penumbra, or faint shadow will cover an ex-  
tent of almost five thousand miles on the earth's  
surface, viz. from eleven degrees to 82 de-  
grees north latitude, within which the sun  
will appear more or less obscured, as the ob-  
server is less or more distant from the centre  
of the shadow. Beyond the above limits the  
whole body of the sun will appear. This e-  
clipse will probably be seen total in some  
parts of Africa and in the Atlantic ocean.

"This eclipse is such a novelty in the phe-  
nomena of nature, that a similar may not again  
take place for many succeeding ages.

"His eclipse can be seen with most  
advantage by a good telescope; but as few persons  
are possessed of this instrument, perhaps  
the best sub-title is one of the dark glasses  
of a common quadrantal. By this means the sun  
can be viewed without any offence to the eye.  
As the sun at that time of the day will be very  
high in the heavens, it may be convenient to  
view his image by a common looking glass, by  
which means he may be seen in any direction;  
and to look directly into the glass instead of  
the sun. In this case the darkened glass must  
be used as in the first instance. The manage-  
ment of this apparatus will not be difficult.  
Those who are possessed of a seaman's qual-  
rant will find it extremely convenient in view-  
ing the sun. By this instrument, the sun's  
image can be seen in any position as shall  
please the observer.

"A common spy-glass may be made to  
answer extremely well instead of a tele-  
scope. The front glass must be closed  
by something to intercept the greatest part  
of the sun's rays to take off the glare of  
light. Perhaps a piece of very thick  
green glass will do very well. But every  
one must try that which best answers his  
purpose.

"Those who are not possessed of any  
of the contrivances above mentioned, must  
have recourse to a piece of common win-  
dow glass, smoked on both sides sufficient-  
ly to prevent any injury to the eye. The  
glass should be several inches square to  
be used with good advantage, and it will  
be much more convenient than a small  
piece. The smoke of a common lamp  
is probable the best for this purpose,  
as the glass will not be so liable to  
break.

"Eclipses of the sun are more frequent  
than those of the moon; but we have  
more visible eclipses of the moon than of  
the sun, because a lunar eclipse is seen  
from all three places on the earth  
whereas an eclipse of the moon may be  
seen by one half of the world at the same  
time. But an eclipse of the sun can be seen  
only at those places which lie in the  
path of the moon's shadow. It is  
much like a cloud passing over the sun  
whilst he is visible to the adjacent com-  
munity, and the sun may be totally eclipsed  
one place, and not the least obscurity be-  
seen in another.

"The number of eclipses in any year  
cannot be less than two nor more than  
seven; the mean annual number is four and  
it is very rare to have more than six."

When there are only two eclipses in a  
year they are always both of the sun;  
and when there are three, one is of the sun  
and two of the moon.

"In astrological calculations, the  
use of great use is in ascertaining the period