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MONDAY, APRIL 13, 1867.

**Nichols & French,**  
Offer for sale, at No. 12, South-street,  
137 bales India Goods, viz.  
Beecham Gurreahs,  
Meevungee,  
Jaipur,  
M.,  
Alabal and  
Acostoga  
Jaldpore and  
Mow  
Chadpore and  
Tandah  
Jugdia,  
Luckpore,  
Chota'illy and  
Callipally  
Jalapure Sawns,  
Checks, &c. the whole entitled to debenture.  
March 30 eotw

**Isaac Phillips & Co.**  
Have for Sale on accommodating terms,  
2000 Prime and Cargo Pork  
No. 1 and 2  
Half Mess Beef and Mess Beef, put  
up per order for family use  
Sausages, Hams, or in any order for family use  
or exportation  
First quality Hops 1 and 2, in small kegs  
No. 1 and 2  
200 bales Herring of superior quality in tight  
bales  
10 half do. do. do.  
Second Quality Butter  
Hams, Lard, &c.  
A few thousand Marble Flags  
March 2 eotw

**Benj. & Geo. Williams,**  
Offer for sale at No. 1, South-street,  
50 Cases INDIA MUSLINS, consisting of  
Gurreahs, Gossams, Sarrahs, Swots, Battas,  
Mongees, Pusses, Checks, Sooty Romalls,  
Blue Gilla and Ban Lann Handkerchiefs.  
1 invoice of English Goods, of various descriptions.  
40 pieces Russia Sheetings,  
200 do. Russia Linen,  
50 do. Ravens do.  
150 boxes White Havana Sugar,  
20 cases Cognac Brandy, fine  
flavour,  
40 do. do. Spanish White do.  
10 do. do. Mangia Arome do.  
40 hbls. N. E. Rum,  
2000 barrels Island Quality Pork,  
1000 kegs Hops 1 and 2,  
50,000 lbs. Brown Tea,  
200 Boxes Mould Candles,  
Swedish Iron, Copper Bolts and Spikes,  
Fig Lead, Cast Iron, MacFeral, Raisins, Chocolate,  
Liverpool Salt, &c. &c.  
March 27 eotw

**Nathaniel F. Williams,**  
No. 15, South-street,  
HAS received for the schooner Susan and  
William, Captain Luce, from Boston—  
100 boxes fresh Mucatel and Bloom Raisins.  
In Store,  
150 barrels Boston Beef—Mess, No. 1 & 2,  
50 do. fat Mackerel,  
20 qr. casks Sherry Wine, of a superior  
quality,  
20 pipes Cognac and Bordeaux Brandy,  
20 pieces Ravens Duck,  
400 boxes Mould Candles, Hill's brand, 4,  
5, 6 and 8 to the pound,  
100 do. Stewards do.  
400 do. Brown Soap,  
50 cases Raisins,  
50 hmdies sheeting paper,  
6,000 Cheese of a good quality.  
March 31 eotw

**GERMAN LINENS.**  
The subscriber has just received 50 packages  
of German Linens, which he offers for  
sale on liberal terms for approved paper,  
Consisting of  
Rouans,  
White Plattias,  
Brown Hollands,  
Checks & Stripes,  
Britannias,  
On Hand,  
Creas a la Moulais, Dowlas, Britannias,  
Plattias, Ticklenburgs, Burlaps,  
Chittilly Battas, Sawns, Black Florentine,  
Black Hats, Cotton Stripes, Cotton Hose,  
Laces and Edgings, Black Hair Ribband, &c.  
15 pipes high flavored 40 proof Cognac  
Brandy,  
JOHN SPERRY,  
55, Smith's wharf.  
March 30 eotw

**Notice is hereby given,**  
THAT I intend applying to next Washing-  
ton county court, for some one of the judges  
of said court, for the benefit of an act of in-  
vency, passed at November session, 1865.  
PETER MILLER.  
Washington County, March 17 eotw

**Bills of Exchange on London**  
FOR sale by  
ALEXANDER, WEBSTER & CO.  
April 11 d4t

**An Apprentice Wanted.**  
A LAD who has received a suitable educa-  
tion, and possessed of pleasing manners and  
a good disposition, will be taken as an Ap-  
prentice in a Grocery and Liquor Store. Ap-  
ply at this office.  
N. B. One from the country of poor but  
honest parents would be preferred.  
April 11 d4t

**A Hostler Wanted.**  
A PERSON who has experience in taking  
care of horses, may hear of a good situation by  
applying at the office of the American.  
N. B. None need apply but what can produce  
satisfactory recommendation of his honesty and  
sobriety.  
April 11 d4t

**For Liverpool,**  
The regular trading Ship  
Expected to sail the 1st May,  
and return the first Fall Ship to this port. For  
freight or passage, apply to  
Wm. TAYLOR,  
Who has imposed on said ship,  
144 crates Quercus &c  
800 bushels Coarse Salt, and  
1000 Bushels Coals.  
April 11 d4t

**Orange Flower Water.**  
20 boxes Orange Flower Water, of excellent  
quality, for sale by  
CORINTHWAIT & YARNALL,  
No. 55, Bowly's wharf.  
4th mo 11. d

**Having taken my Brother,**  
JOHN WHITE, into Partnership, the  
business in future will be conducted under the  
name of Joseph C. & J. W. White.  
JOSEPH C. WHITE.  
April 11 d4t

**Warm, Cold & Shower Baths.**  
THE subscriber respectfully informs his  
friends and the public in general, that  
his BATHS will be open for their reception  
every Saturday throughout the day; Sundays  
and other days until 12 o'clock a.m. rainy days  
excepted.  
Tickets of last year will not be taken until  
the 20th May next, in consequence of the ex-  
pense of fuel, &c. after which time they will be  
taken as cash.  
William Finn.  
April 11 d

**EDUCATION.**  
THE Subscriber acquaints his friends and  
the public, that he has removed his Aca-  
demy to the building occupied by Mr. Robert  
for dancing, where will be taught Reading,  
Writing, Arithmetic in all its parts, English  
Grammar, Composition, Geography with the  
use of the Globes and Maps, Book-keeping,  
Mathematics and the French Language. A  
Lady highly accomplished, is engaged to su-  
perintend the female department, who will in-  
struct in Drawing, and Needle-Work in all its  
varieties.  
The lower Rooms to be let.  
JOHN PHELAN.  
April 11 d4t

**To be Sold at Public Auction,**  
Without reserve, at 12 o'clock on WEDNESDAY  
NEXT, at 12 o'clock P. M. at the office of the  
Auctioneer, No. 51, Market Street, the  
following property, to-wit:  
A Valuable Property,  
Consisting of a new two story frame HOUSE,  
well finished, with back buildings, and Basin  
House; with a good Oven. The House con-  
tains seven valuable Rooms, and a dry Cider,  
No. 11, fronting on Garden-street 24 feet,  
running back about 100 feet, in a healthy situa-  
tion, and good water as any in the city.  
N. B. The property is in Camden-street near  
Howard-street, in sight of Hanover Market.  
Terms made known at the time and place of  
sale.  
NICHOLAS LAURTER.  
April 11 d4t

**For Sale,**  
At No. 19, Water-street, between Colver and  
South-street,  
Spanish Hides and Lambs' Oil, first quality,  
White Whiting, Shrimmy and Buckskins,  
Red, Green, Yellow & Black Mercurio Skins,  
Skirtin, Hugs Skins and Sheep Skins,  
Calf Skins, Upper Leather, and Boot Legs,  
Shoe Throat, Shark Skins & Scotch Stones,  
Currying Knives and Graining Boards,  
Tanners' Fishers and Workers,  
Fishes, and Leather for Hatters,  
Tanners' Brushes and Ben Soals—with a  
general assortment of Leather, and  
250 bags best Green Coffee, entitled to  
prawback, just received, for sale as above.  
JAMES BOSLEY.  
April 10 eotw

**Red Clover Seed,**  
A LARGE supply of excellent RED CLO-  
VER SEED, of the growth of the late  
season, just received from Lancaster and York  
county, and offered for sale by  
GERARD & WM. HOPKINS,  
No. 1, County wharf.  
24 no. 10  
Charles Wirgman  
Offers for sale,  
Gold Watches,  
London Jewellery,  
Tin Plates in boxes,  
Bolt Iron,  
Empty Bottles in hampers,  
Venetian Red,  
Spanish Brown,  
London Porter,  
Hollow Glass Ware in casks, and  
A few tons Logwood and Fustic.  
March 27 eotw

**Codfish.**  
100 boxes White CODISH, in shipping  
order, for sale by  
NATHANIEL F. WILLIAMS,  
No. 15, Bowly's wharf.  
April 1 eotw

**Richmond Tobacco, &c.**  
66 lbs. heavy Richmond Inspected TO  
BACCO,  
72 kegs Manufactured do. of superior qua-  
lity,  
16 tons Capeachy Logwood,  
30 casks Taunton Ale and London Porter,  
30 boxes Tin Plates,  
12 cases Mill, Pitt, and Crockett Saws,  
For sale by  
HENRY THOMPSON.  
April 8. eotw

**Calcutta Goods.**  
50 BATES, consisting of  
Chittilly,  
Luckpore, and BAFTAS. } Entitled  
Jugdia, } to  
Blue Gilly Romalls, and } Drawback.  
Beecham Gurreahs, }  
For sale on very low terms, by  
CHARLES WIRGMAN.  
Also on hand,  
Gold Watches, Spanish Brown,  
London Jewellery, London Porter,  
Tin Plates, in boxes, 3 casks Mustard Bottles,  
Bolt Iron, Hollow Glass Ware, &  
Empty Bottles, in a few tons Logwood, &  
Hampers, Fustic,  
Venetian Red,  
Likewise,  
Bill on London and Newcastle, (England)  
April 9 eotw

**The Grand Master of Malta,**  
A remarkably fine Jack, brought direct from  
Malta, by Commodore Rodgers, will stand to  
cover mares and jennies during the ensuing  
season, at Hampton, the country seat of Gen-  
eral Ridgely, at the moderate price of ten dol-  
lars each, for the season.  
The Grand Master is now 3 years old, and  
is allowed by the best judges, to be the largest  
and handsomest Jack ever seen in this country.  
To avoid trouble, the money must be sent with  
the mares or jennies.  
JOHN GREEN, Manager.  
P. S. The best of clover pasturage may be  
had, but no facility for escapes or accidents.  
March 20 eotw

**Just Received,**  
Per brig *Andalouze*, via Charleston, S. C.  
70 hbls. first quality New-Orleans Sugar,  
On Land,  
305 boxes White Sugar, from Trinidad de  
Cuba,  
Sail Cloth,  
Hyson Tea—For sale. Apply to  
JOHN B. JAUFFRET,  
No. 42, North Gay-street  
April 6 eotw

**For Sale,**  
AT the corner of Pratt-street and Cumber-  
land Row, a quantity of handsome GILT  
CHAIRS, in excellent order for shipping, or  
home use. They will be sold on reasonable  
terms, wholesale or retail. Inquire at said  
corner, of  
JOHN LAWLESS, Grocer.  
April 7 eotw

**To Rent,**  
THE House and Store in Market-street, op-  
posite Mr. William Evans's Indian Queen Ta-  
vern, where Messrs. Cope & Brothers live; a  
possession to be given the 15th April next.  
The stand is one of the best in the city for  
wholesale business; the store is large and com-  
modious, with good cellars, and a large brick  
warehouse in the back part of the Lot, front-  
ing an alley. Any person willing to rent said  
property, may have it for a few years, or by  
the year—And may apply to the subscriber, in  
his country seat, near the city, or to Mr.  
Lope.  
HENRY DIDIER.  
March 3 eotw

**Four or five Gentlemen**  
CAN be accommodated with GENTLE  
BOARD & LODGING, in a healthy sit-  
uation, near the Precincts Market House, on  
accommodating terms, by application to the  
Printer.  
March 24 d4t

**Carriage Springs, &c.**  
Coach C and Upright Springs, in sets,  
Chariot and Carriage do.  
Phaeton and Currioles do.  
Gig C and Telegraph do.  
Golf Steps, double and treble,  
Wheel Hoops, Check Strap Leaps, &c.  
Just received direct from one of the first  
Manufacturers in England, and for sale by the  
subscriber, who will take orders for any arti-  
cles appertaining to Carriages and Harness of  
every description, and can reduce Patterns of  
the most modern fashion for both, with the  
particular quality of their  
HENRY THOMPSON.  
April 2 eotw

**To Let,**  
A CONVENIENT two story Brick House,  
with good back buildings, and a nice garden  
spot attached thereto, and well enclosed; at  
present occupied by Mr. William Holdings, and  
adjoining the subscriber's dwelling. Inquire  
of  
GEO. WARNER.  
Possession may be had in a few days.  
April 2 eotw

**Fresh Teas.**  
200 leads superior quality Imperial Tea,  
100 do. Hyson do, each lead containing 2 lb.  
suitable for family use. For sale by  
JACOB & WM. NORRIS.  
No. 15, South-street,  
Imperial Tea, in chests and small boxes,  
Young Hyson, in chests and small boxes,  
Japan Tea, in chests and small boxes,  
All of which are fresh, and selected parti-  
cularly for retaining.  
April 9 eotw

**Notice is hereby given,**  
THAT I intend to apply to Baltimore county  
court, or one of the Judges thereof, for the  
benefit of the act of Assembly, entitled an act  
for the relief of strictly insolvent debtors, and  
of the supplement thereto.  
JOHN PATTERSON.  
April 7 eotw

**To Let,**  
A two story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE,  
situated on the York Turnpike road, about 200  
yards above the turnpike gate; with a good  
kitchen, and a most excellent garden, all in  
good repair, with all other conveniences there-  
to. It may be had for one or more years—  
For terms apply to  
JOSEPH HEAVESON, Coach maker,  
Near the Phoenix Inn, Old-town.  
March 24 eotw

**FOR SALE,**  
By John Geary, Coach-maker,  
A handsome well finished COACHEE, with  
plated mouldings and spring Venetian blinds in  
the quarters, and complete plated harness.—  
This carriage was finished particularly for Mrs.  
Van Bibber, and her not complying with the  
contract she made, puts me under the necessity  
of offering it for sale.  
March 16 eo

**FOR SALE,**  
FOR a term of years, a likely Young Negro  
WOMAN and CHILD; she is accustomed to  
house work, and will be found on enquiry to  
possess as good a character as most servants in  
this city. For further particulars enquire of  
the Editor.  
April 4 eotw

**Just Received**  
Per schooner *Enterprise*, from Leghorn, and for  
sale by  
C. DESHON,  
No. 37, Smith's wharf,  
700 boxes Castile Soap,  
500 boxes Oil,  
200 half chests do.  
2086 Marble Slabs.  
On Hand,  
250 bags Green Coffee.  
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March 20 eotw

BOSTON, April 3.  
FROM FRANCE.  
Capt. Adamson, who arrived since our last,  
left Bordeaux city about the 1st of Feb. The  
reports there were that the French had been  
very much handled by the Russians; it was  
said 50 officers had been killed. Condorps  
was often seen in Bordeaux. They did not ap-  
pear covetous of glory. Business was dull.  
Four frigates were lying ready for sea. The  
Washington of Philadelphia, with the crew of  
the French Valereufe on board, had been taken  
by a British frigate; but was afterwards  
forced into a French port in a gale of wind.  
Some neutral vessels had been seized for an al-  
leged breach of the Nov. Decree.

NEW YORK, April 10.  
By the ship New York from Jamaica, we have  
received Kingston papers to the 15th of March.  
A prospect to the Royal Gazette of the 14th  
inst.

By the Eagle Guineaman, arrived here from  
Trinidad, we learn that a vessel had arrived  
there on the 27th ult, with accounts of Cu-  
rumb, on the Spanish Main, having been taken  
by general Crawford, who sailed from England  
early in November last, in the Specter of 74  
guns, the Hon. Commodore Stopp, accompanied  
by the Thebeu, Ganges, and Captain, of  
74 guns each, and several other vessels of war.

London Phoenix Company.—A letter from Al-  
bany, received yesterday, states that a bill to  
reform the London Phoenix Company has passed  
both houses of the legislature. The time  
limited for the dissolution of that company, ac-  
cording to my letter, is the first day of Septem-  
ber next.

The effects of the late gale have not been so  
frequent and extensive as we had reason to ex-  
pect. We have heard from Hampton Roads,  
from Egg-Harbor, Barabara, Shrewsbury, &c.,  
at number of which places are there any vessels  
aboard except small craft.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.  
House of Representatives.  
Monday, April 6.

The resolution offered a few days ago by  
Boisau prohibiting the reading in any court  
of this Commonwealth of any precedents or  
cases of law except decisions in courts within  
the United States, was taken up for conside-  
ration and adopted—yeas 51, nays 38.

The act to extend the right of preemp-  
tion to cases not heretofore provided for,  
which had passed both houses and was  
returned by the governor with his objections,  
was reconsidered in the senate where it origi-  
nated, and lost for want of a constitutional  
majority.

The act declared that in proceedings for  
foreclosure of mortgages the plaintiff should have  
the right to challenge ten per cent. prothonary,  
and that in proceedings for the same, the defend-  
ant should have the right to challenge six per cent.  
and that in such cases the plaintiff should have  
the right to challenge the defendant's right to chal-  
lenge ten per cent. prothonary.

Wednesday, April 8.  
Yesterday morning the house resolved itself  
into a committee of the whole upon the report  
of the committee of inquiry into the govern-  
ment and the resolution, &c. Resolved—  
That THOMAS McKEAN, Governor of this  
Commonwealth, be impeached of High Crimes  
and Misdemeanors.

The resolution was opposed by Messrs. To-  
lpin, Ingham, C. Smith and Henry, and sup-  
ported by Messrs. Lutz and Lockett. The  
committee rose at 6 o'clock last evening and  
had leave to sit again this morning. After  
some further discussion today, when the ques-  
tion was about to be taken, Boisau, having  
expressed his opinion in favor of the resolu-  
tion, moved that the committee rise for the  
purpose of referring the subject to the atten-  
tion of the next Legislature. This motion was  
lost, and on taking the question upon the resolu-  
tion the yeas were called and voted in favor of  
the resolution 50 against 37. The committee  
then rose and reported their agreement to the  
resolution, which Boisau renewed his motion  
to refer it to the next Legislature. A motion  
was then made to adjourn the question until  
tomorrow, which was agreed to.  
The resolution relative to the reading of pre-  
cedents and law cases, in the courts of this  
state, was adopted in the Senate.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 15.  
Died, on Wednesday last, in his 55th year,  
JOHN BECKLEY, Esquire, Clerk of the House  
of Representatives of the United States. He  
was born in Great Britain; but, when only  
seven years old, came, under the protection  
of his uncle, to this country, where he has  
continued to reside ever since.

Our country with Great Britain no longer  
begin to unfold itself, than yielding to the most  
ardent impulse of patriotism, he took an active  
part in it, and assumed the difficult and dan-  
gerous charge of duties full of responsibility  
and particularly those of the May-ratry of Richmond,  
a place assigned him, notwithstanding his youth,  
by the confidence of his fellow citizens, and at  
a period when the British army was over-run-  
ning the state of Virginia.

Having been educated to the bar, he pursued  
that profession with reputation, so far as vari-  
ous public duties admitted, until the organiza-  
tion of the General Government, when he was  
chosen clerk of the House of Representatives, a  
place which he filled with rare, perhaps un-  
precedented distinction, with the intermission  
of a term of two years, until his decease. His  
articulation was distinct, his education comman-  
ding, and his parliamentary knowledge accurate  
and extensive. But his highest distinction was  
his inflexible patriotism, and adherence to re-  
publican principles. Through the period of his  
life he pursued an unbending course. Devoted  
to the cause of liberty, much of his happiness  
flowed from its triumphs; and the zeal which  
prompted him in the arduous of youth, to resist  
external tyranny, remained unabated during  
the more mature period of life, against internal  
oppression.

On the 5th instant, in this city, J. W.  
PRATT, Esquire, late deputy marshal of the  
District of Columbia.

RICHMOND, April 7.  
On Thursday last, before the District Court  
of Richmond now sitting, William Nash, a  
Soldier in the public Guard, was convicted of  
Murder in the second degree, for shooting Mr.  
John McKredie, and the term of his confine-  
ment in the Penitentiary fixed by the Jury at five  
years. We understand that all the evidence  
taken by a committee of the Executive, appoint-  
ed to examine into the circumstances and causes  
of that unfortunate event, together with the  
proceedings of the Council upon the report  
made by the committee, will shortly be publi-  
cated. We are also informed, that four members  
of the Council, viz. Messrs. Stuart, Henning,

Aslett and Mumford, were of opinion that Capt.  
Quarrier had been guilty of culpable neglect of  
duty, in not having had the orders of the Legat  
at Governor McKean, Page and Cabell prop-  
erly and regularly communicated to the men un-  
der his command, and especially to the Con-  
tinents; and therefore, although they acquitted  
him of any evil intention, and of the accusation  
of having given orders contrary to his orders  
received, they voted for removing him from  
office. Messrs. McKean, Conrart, Harlan and  
Harvie voted against his removal. The Council  
was therefore equally divided, and, accord-  
ing to the constitution which for some years  
has been given to the Constitution, the Gov-  
nor declined giving the casting vote. Of course,  
Capt. Quarrier remains in office; but has lately  
given notice of his intention of resigning on  
the first day of August next.

Messrs. Stuart, Henning and Mumford also  
voted for removing Lieutenant Underwood, on  
the ground of neglect of duty, but the other five  
gentlemen voted against him. Lieut. Underwood  
has since resigned, and Maj. Peter Crutchen, of  
Hanover County, was unanimously appointed  
his successor.

It is understood that the deposition of com-  
modore Truxton, lately received by the attorney  
for the United States, contains a strong con-  
firmation of the truth of Gen. Eaton's statement;  
since it appears that similar treacherous propo-  
sals were made to Commodore Truxton, by Col.  
Barr, with false allegations by Gen. Eaton to  
have been made to him.

COMMUNICATION.  
It is reported, and we are sorry to say, that  
the fact appears indisputable, that Col. Aaron  
Burr and the Chief Justice of the U. S. sat side  
by side together at Mr. Wickham's, since his ex-  
amination, and took his honor and himself to-  
gether, and decided that there were probable grounds  
to believe him guilty of a high misdemeanor  
against the U. S. We acknowledge that the  
Chief Justice ought not to be returned to  
this country by a resolution of those who believe  
him innocent, and we are glad that the  
Chief Justice, in order to be certain as to the  
guilt of Mr. Wickham, and Mr. Mann, and not per-  
petrate the extreme indignity and impropriety of  
a trial upon the Chief Justice of the United States,  
who is to be tried on his trial, and who, by his  
own conduct, has already proved himself to be  
a high and honorable character, which can only be  
vindicated by his future acquittal.

CHARLES TOM, March 28.  
Extract of a letter from the supercargo of the schooner  
*Santa Rosa*, to the Capt. of the steamer *Savannah*,  
(N. Y.) March 14, 1867.  
It is with much concern that I have to in-  
form you of the loss of the schooner *Sally*, cap-  
tain Abbot, on the 21st instant. Remaining down  
for the night in the Rees, about two o'clock in  
the morning, the crew on the rocks, and after  
remaining some time on the rocks, but after  
a heavy gale of wind, and a rain storm, the  
schooner being a leaky vessel, and the crew  
being exhausted, and the vessel being in a  
very dangerous situation, and the crew being  
unable to save her, they were in vain  
endeavoring to save her. We then cut the  
cables, and ran down the beach, our prospects  
were very bad, and the vessel was dashed  
against the rocks, and the crew was  
scattered in every direction, and the  
vessel was completely wrecked. The  
vessel was a very leaky vessel, and the  
crew was very much exhausted, and the  
vessel was in a very dangerous situation,  
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a place assigned him, notwithstanding his youth,  
by the confidence of his fellow citizens, and at  
a period when the British army was over-run-  
ning the state of Virginia.

Having been educated to the bar, he pursued  
that profession with reputation, so far as vari-  
ous public duties admitted, until the organiza-  
tion of the General Government, when he was  
chosen clerk of the House of Representatives, a  
place which he filled with rare, perhaps un-  
precedented distinction, with the intermission  
of a term of two years, until his decease. His  
articulation was distinct, his education comman-  
ding, and his parliamentary knowledge accurate  
and extensive. But his highest distinction was  
his inflexible patriotism, and adherence to re-  
publican principles. Through the period of his  
life he pursued an unbending course. Devoted  
to the cause of liberty, much of his happiness  
flowed from its triumphs; and the zeal which  
prompted him in the arduous of youth, to resist  
external tyranny, remained unabated during  
the more mature period of life, against internal  
oppression.

On the 5th instant, in this city, J. W.  
PRATT, Esquire, late deputy marshal of the  
District of Columbia.

RICHMOND, April 7.  
On Thursday last, before the District Court  
of Richmond now sitting, William Nash, a  
Soldier in the public Guard, was convicted of  
Murder in the second degree, for shooting Mr.  
John McKredie, and the term of his confine-  
ment in the Penitentiary fixed by the Jury at five  
years. We understand that all the evidence  
taken by a committee of the Executive, appoint-  
ed to examine into the circumstances and causes  
of that unfortunate event, together with the  
proceedings of the Council upon the report  
made by the committee, will shortly be publi-  
cated. We are also informed, that four members  
of the Council, viz. Messrs. Stuart, Henning,

APPOINTMENTS,  
Made by and with the advice and consent of the  
Senate.

Brookland Livingston, of New York, an affo-  
ciate justice of the Supreme Court of the U.  
States, in the room of William Patterson, de-  
ceased.

William Hull, Governor of Michigan, a com-  
missioner to treat with certain Indian tribes in  
the vicinity of Detroit.

William Henry Harrison, of Indiana, Govern-  
or of Indiana.

Eli Williams, of Maryland, a commissioner for  
the road from Cumberland to Ohio.

Joba Lertz, of Kentucky, one of the judges  
of the territory of Orleans, on the resignation  
of John B. Prevor.

Walter Leake, of Virginia, one of the judges  
of the United States, for the Mississippi terri-  
tory.

John C. Belmont, of Kentucky, one of the judges  
of the United States, for the territory of Mich-  
igan.  
Michael McClary, of New Hampshire, mar-  
shal of New Hampshire.  
Peter Curtman, of New York, marshal of N.  
York.  
Petr A. Schenck, of New York, now Sur-  
veyor of the Port of New York, Inspector of  
Revenue for the same.  
John Barnes, of the territory of Columbia,  
Collector and Inspector for the District of  
Georgetown.  
Willis W. Parler, of Virginia, new Collec-  
tor of the Port of South Quay, Inspector for  
the same.