

[DUPLICATE.]

New-York, 1st July, 1806.  
My Dear General,  
It is with the greatest pleasure I now address you, and I am happy to have it in my power to inform you that your friend Col. Smith and myself have at length triumphed over our enemies, and the oppression of the government.

After a trial which lasted twelve days, two independant juries of our country last week rendered a verdict of *Not Guilty*, in both cases. We thus both stand free and honorably acquitted, and our persecutors, the President, Madison, &c. remain covered with the disapprobation of the independent people of America, and the disgrace brought on them by their unjust proceedings. I have heard with regret, my dear friend, the great disappointments and disasters you have met with in consequence of the unjustifiable and highly reprehensible conduct of the two Lewis's. I can easily conceive all you must have suffered in consequence of those two men, and no one more heartily reprobates their conduct as represented to me, than myself. I trust, however, notwithstanding those transient disappointments, there is an All-Wise Providence that will still guide your foot-steps to the wished for point, and as your cause is that of liberty and patriotism, that you may soon arrive at the climax of your wishes. Both the Col. and myself wait with great anxiety to hear of your ultimate success. The latest accounts we at present have from you is your having sailed from Barbadoes for Trinidad on the 20th June. I have but little doubt but you will there receive such assistance as will compleatly ensure your success.

As to this country, rest assured all the independent citizens of America are in your favor; and when the period arrives that you shall require efficient aid from this country, there will be no difficulty in meeting your views.

The Col. and myself have thus far, with honor, weathered the storm that had been raised over our heads by the Spanish and French ministry, to whose imperial mandates must be attributed the shameful part acted by our government. I rely, my dear sir, with the greatest confidence on your original promises and engagements to me being fulfilled, when your virtuous efforts in the cause of liberty shall be crowned with success; and rest assured no person in America feels a greater desire to continue to promote your views or can do it more to your satisfaction than he who soon hopes to receive your commands and subscribes himself with great attachment and esteem,

Sincerely yours,

SAML. G. OGDEN.

General Miranda.

[DUPLICATE.]

New-York, 6th September, 1806.

My Dear General,

You will receive herewith copy of what I had the pleasure of writing you the 26th July, by the British frigate Chichester, Ca. Stopford, bound for Barbadoes, which vessel having unfortunately sprung a leak, and put into Norfolk, the original will in all probability not reach you until after this.

This will be handed you by Mr. Robert Kennon, a young man of respectable connections, from Virginia, who is desirous of serving in the cause of liberty. I beg leave to recommend him to your attention, as far as you will find his merit may entitle him. He is also bearer of letters to you from Col. Smith, which he has promised to deliver in person, and which contain some information that will, I am sure, be pleasing to you, written in ciphers, which you have the key to decypher.

We have been long waiting in the most anxious suspense to hear of your laudable and consequent success in your laudable designs.

A vessel arrived two days since from Caracas brings a report that your squadron was at anchor near Coro the beginning of August, which place it is said was in your possession. I have little doubt but this has really taken place, and that you will immediately be joined by a sufficient number of the inhabitants to enable you to commence your march towards Caracas. I wait with the greatest anxiety to learn direct from yourself your particular situation, and have strong friends in this country ready to comply with your views and demands as soon as officially made known to me.

A few days since the former commander of the Leander (Ca. Thos. Lewis) returned here a perfect vagabond and outcast from society. His brother J. Lewis also returned here from St. Domingo, in the ship Emperor (making a very bad voyage) about a month since. I have now heard from themselves all that could be offered in their defence for their extremely unfeeling and improper conduct in regard to you. It is impossible it can be more entirely disapproved of by you than it is by me. When I think how much you must have suffered from the ignorance and villainy of J. Lewis, it really makes my blood boil with indignation. I could scarcely have believed any conceivable or conduct so base and infamous. His brother Jacob Lewis is also unfeeling, for having received a sum of money loaning you to the Emperor, he did not remit you to him, promised you no relief, and the Emperor promised you no relief.

him to turn back and abandon one of the most laudable enterprises ever undertaken by man. The very reason which caused him to return would have induced me to persevere. Suffice it to say, my confidence has been completely destroyed in those men. I consider the conduct of Thos. Lewis of the most infamous kind, and that of Jacob Lewis arising from pusillanimity and want of judgment.

I have in my own mind, my dear general, little doubt, notwithstanding all these past provocations and disappointments, but that your heroic perseverance in the cause of liberty will lead to the wished for goal of success. The people of this country will rejoice and are almost unanimously in your favor. Even the president himself, altho' a low and petty policy induced him to prosecute Smith and myself, in his heart I am sure wishes you success; and I am not without hopes this government may yet, seeing the past, even be induced to act a dignified part in regard to your views, and shake off the fetters continually bound round them by the French and Spanish ministers.

It is within a few days reported that our negotiations with Spain are entirely broken off. Our differences with England appear to be in a fair train of amicable adjustment. There has been of late many rumors that negotiations for peace between France and England were going on in Europe, but they appear to be almost wholly destitute of foundation.

I have no idea that it can be possible for England and France to make peace at the present moment. Our accounts from London are as late as the 21st July, which bring nothing but idle rumors on the subject. I am pleased to find from my letters that my agent, Jona. S. Smith, has conducted himself with propriety, in regard to you and the operation generally. And altho' I do not think he has in some instances shewn a mind sufficiently enlarged on this particular subject, yet I am convinced he is a man of the most perfect integrity, and that to the best of his ability would serve you all in his power. It was his duty and always my intention to give to you the sole and compleat controul of the Leander and all the property in her, to act and do with them as you might think proper, to ensure your success. I had taken on myself the chances of the expedition. Should it fail I engaged to ask no compensation. Should you be successful our contract is not on paper, but more deeply engraven in the breast and honor of both parties. Should Mr. Smith, therefore, in any one instance not have acted with you on that enlarged scale, which I would myself have done, you must attribute it only to his being an agent and not a principal, and to a want of that energy of character which should have accompanied all his actions.

You are doubtless, my dear general, aware that my present situation is that of embarrassment as to pecuniary matters, but which I have no doubt of being fully relieved from by the success of your expedition. This moment my embarrassment has not, however, dephived me of my friends, who stand ready to join me in operations to the greatest extent, the moment I can point out to them the path to pursue. I am young, vigorous and active.

The new channels of commerce to be opened by your freeing a nation, and the immense supplies both military and otherwise, which you must require from this country, give rise to a scope of ideas so expanded that I am not yet certain whether I may not myself embark with our friend the Col. when the proper moment arrives, to pay you a short visit, and being well acquainted with the commerce of this country to take an enlarged view of that, you shall then have made free, and lay the foundation of future operations both commercially & as relates to the supplies you will need.

Depend upon it I will never forsake the cause I have once espoused, and think honorable and just. All the little energy I possess shall be devoted to you, and I have it in my power to interest such strong friends as will enable me completely to fulfil your views. I shall be governed in a great measure in my future conduct by the accounts I am now waiting with the greatest anxiety to receive from you.

Your sincere friend,  
SAML. G. OGDEN.  
General Miranda.

N. w. York, 28th Oct. 1806.

My Dear General,  
I send you herewith copies of what I had the pleasure of writing you the 28th July and 6th September, fearing the originals may not have reached you safe.

The Col. writes fully by his conveyance, and it is unnecessary for me to add to the communication he makes.

Our last accounts from you are dated 2d ult. Since that period we have every reason to believe you will have received important reinforcements from the British, and expect soon to hear of your having made a good landing on the Main, and that you maintain your position successfully.

We are all anxious until we hear something definitive which will enable us to put things in motion immediately.

Order me that the *Advertiser* and *Advertiser Extra* be sent to Col. Franklin's Parsonage, and that the *Advertiser Extra* be sent to the *Advertiser*.

Paris, but it was said there was no prospect of a peace being concluded; he was expected daily to return.

The emperor of Russia had refused to ratify the treaty of peace made by Mr. D'Oubrill, and it was supposed a new continental coalition would soon be formed against France. The English had obtained a considerable and brilliant victory over the French at Calabria. The col. sends you some newspapers, which will give you particulars. The people of this country are looking with much anxiety for the success of your expedition; and but for the infamous measures which have been pursued by our government, you would have even now have been joined by an immense number of volunteers from this country. The time will, I hope, soon come when this will go into effect. And you may depend, altho' the government may oppose obstacles; yet the opinion of the people must ultimately prevail, when aided by a few men of enterprise, who will not be wanting to come forward when something certain is heard from you. In great haste, I am, dear general,

Yours most sincerely,  
SAML. G. OGDEN.

On yesterday evening, after a short and severe illness, departed this life William James Goran, Esq. attorney at law, of this city, in the 27th year of his age—Honorable and respected in his profession—correct and just in his intercourse with man—amiable in all the relations of private life—his worth and merit will live with the remembrance of him in an extended circle of relatives and friends, whilst the decease of this gentleman very justly meets the regret of all who knew him.

Died, yesterday morning, in the 41st year of her age, Mrs. Frances Gouldsmith Presbury, consort of Mr. Joseph Presbury, of Fell's Point. For a long time past she had been called to combat with sore afflictions of body, and manifested in her general deportment and last hours that she had also combated with her sins, and through mercy obtained the privilege of the righteous—"hope in her end." Her friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her own dwelling. This Afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

We were yesterday politely favored with Dutch Gazettes up to the 4th of August. Their contents, of course, (from the dates) afford nothing new.

If the reader will please to correct an error in the advertisement of Mr. Robinson against Mr. Deputy-Sheriff Picket. Instead of "30 dollars 81," read 36 dollars 88 1-2. The advertisement shall appear (corrected) to-morrow.

Wishing to lay immediately before the public the interesting documents referred to in general Wilkinson's evidence, and to publish the whole of Ogden's letters to Miranda at one time, we have postponed several articles intended for today's paper. Whatever has been omitted, will be carefully attended to to-morrow.

OFFICIAL  
Return of the Election held on Monday, Fe. 4 delegates from Baltimore county, to the General Assembly of Maryland:

Candidates  
Votes.

Little, 940

Stanbury, 691

Harryman, 634

Brown, 449

Ogden, 377

Lemmon, 283

Randle, 279

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Port of Baltimore.

CLEARED:

Ship Junius, Mexick, Tonnington

Schr. Industry, Bryant, Core

From the Merchant's Coffee-House Boit.

Oct. 7.

Arrived, ship Scio, Deale, 57 days from Amsterdam—gin and canvas—Smith and Buchanan. August 13. lat. 49, long. 21, spoke ship George Dyer from Amsterdam, for Baltimore Sep. 24, lat. 37, long. 68, ship James, 78 days from Amsterdam, for Baltimore. Passed a Bremen ship off Swan Point, and a ship supposed to be the Wm. Wilson.

Also, Schr. Messenger, White, 14 days from Havanna; Sugars. T. Tenant. Left schooner Merchant, for Baltimore, 103 days: brig —, Burr, for ditto, in 3 days; and others. Came into the Capes on Monday. Saw two 74's, two frigates, a 90 gun ship, and a armed brig. Passed in the Bay, 15 or 20 square-rigged vessels, bound up, among which brig Cyrus, Cour-

sels.

Arrived, Bremen ship Martha Margareta, Dierck, 81 days from Bremen—ballast—Von Kappi and Brune. Sept. 26, off Cape Henry, spoke brig Susannah, from Smyrna, for Baltimore.

Also, brig Hero, White, 28 days from Surinam—Sugar, Rum, Hides, &c.—John Dillon—Nothing New.

Also, ship William Wilson, Gibbon, 79 days from Amsterdam—Gin and Dry Goods—Nathan Levering. July 28th, off Plymouth, spoke ship Hamet, 27 days from Philadelphia, for Amsterdam. August 21, lat. 39, long. 31, brig Huron, of New Bedford, from Cape Verde for Belfast.

Also, ship Lovely Matilda, 45 days from Bordeaux for Philadelphia. September 23, brig Embroider, 3 days from N. York, for Martinique. 27th, schr. Franklin, from Martinique, for N. London.

For Havanna;

Thi-Schooner COLINA, Captain Worms,

Will sail in a few days if freight or passage apply to

JOHN H. HEIDELBACH,

No. 39, South street.

October 8.

For Bordeaux,

The Barque PATRIARCH,

Capt. N. W. Easton;

Intended for a constant trader.

She is a fine new vessel, burthen about 170 tons; has excellent accommodations for passengers, is in complete order to receive a cargo, and will sail with all possible dispatch. For freight or passage apply to

N. W. EASTON,

Great York street, or to

D. L. THOMAS,

Ship Broker.

FOR SALE,

50 tierces RICE, on accommodating terms,

if immediate application is made. Apply as above.

Oct. 8.

For Sale,

A Negro Man about 25 years of age, well

skilled in all kinds of farming work; is a sober

industrious fellow, and understands taking

care of horses.

For Sale,

A Negro Woman with two children, about

21 years of age, is acquainted with house

work, and may be confined to her good uses.

For particular enquire at this office.

Oct. 8.

Notice is hereby given,

That application will be made to the General Assembly in the next session, to amend the laws of the city of Baltimore, all

and make new, of ground situated on the north side of the river, laying south of

the beginning of the intersection of Wood

Gardner and the north side of Franklin Street, and hence to the east portion of the same.

## Columbian Volunteers.

Ordered, That you parade this afternoon, at half past one o'clock precisely, at the Court-house, with arms and accoutrements, provided with eight rounds of blank cartridges.

J. WILSON, Sec'y.

oct. 8

## Sale by Auction.

Cole & I. Bonsal, Auct'res,

Will offer for sale on THURSDAY, 8th inst at their Warehouse back of the Union Bank of Maryland, (entrance from S. Charles street,) a variety of

## Household Furniture,

Together with a variety of PRINTS, of different descriptions.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock,

oct. 6

## Sale by Auction.

THIS MORNING,

The 8th instant, at 10 o'clock, at the Vendue Warehouse at the corner of Second and Frederick-streets, will commence the sale of

## A Variety of Dry Goods;

Among which are,

8 bales of Flannels, Baizes, &c.

1 bale fine Cloths

2 bales blue and mixed Plains

2 ditto Catings

3 ditto Rose Blankets

2 trunks