

Sale by Auction.

ON FRIDAY, The 8th inst. of our auction room, corner of East and Lemon streets, nearly opposite the Theatre, will be sold, A Variety of DRY GOODS, arranged for our last sale, but not offered on account of the weather...

At 11 o'clock, as usual, A very great variety of Household GOODS and FURNITURE, in addition to that intended for sale on Friday last, but postponed on account of the snow.

W. G. HANDS & CO. Auctioneers

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ON FRIDAY, the 9th inst. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold on the Premises,

A vacant Lot of Ground, Situate on the east side of Jones' Falls, in Green-street, and fronting 19 feet thereon; extending back 90 feet.

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John H. Browning & Co. 12, FELL'S STREET, FELL'S POINT.

Hardware, Ironmongery, Cutlery, &c. &c. &c.

Ship Carpenters' Axes & Adzes

150 BALES TENNESSEE COTTON, of Prime Quality, and in good shipping order.

A few tierces Prime RICE.

T JONES & H. YOUNG

TO MANUFACTURERS.

The subscriber having his hot cylinder in good order, and having had several applications to calendar goods at his own manufactory, respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that he will receive Cotton or Flax Lines to be calendared, at a very moderate price.

L. I. LANNAY

Boarding House and Tavern. CHARLES BURNETT.

GENTLE BOARDING HOUSE.

TO RENT.

Brick Dwelling House.

The Subscriber

ADAM STONE.

Sept 25, 1810

THE WHIG.

BALTIMORE: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1810.

The Rev. Mr. HAROLD is expected to preach next Sunday morning in St. Patrick's Church, P. P. He is reported to excel in pulpit eloquence.

"If I have not CHARITY, I am nothing." The performers at the Baltimore Theatre have generously volunteered under the banners of benevolence, by devoting to-night's performance and profits to the relief of the sufferers by the late fire at Charleston.

The editors of the Whig return thanks to the gentleman who favoured them with a file of London papers, from which they have formed the following Summary of articles, and intend to extract more copiously.

BANK OF ENGLAND. One Randall Jackson, (who is satirically handled in the opposition prints in England) an advocate of the Bank, is very angry with the Bullion Committee of Parliament, for recommending the payment of notes in specie.

GENERAL SARAZIN. Continues to be regarded with suspicion by many of the English subjects. One of the English papers says: "It must be admitted, that the new Crown prince of Sweden is very well represented in this country."

Sir Richard Strahan has declined the command of the expedition against the Isle of France, as he deemed the force assigned inadequate to effect the object.

"Ghosts, goblins, and phantoms" An apparition, called the Sunford Ghost, has lately created much sensation in England; but, by the following notice of it in a London paper, it seems to have been laid.

THE SAMFORD GHOST.—That delusion is now completely exploded, and the credulous believers laughed at.

It is with extreme regret we state, says the Leeds Mercury, that the Banking House of Messrs. Seaton, Sons & Foster, at Pontefract, has stopped payment.

A silver mine has been recently discovered in Cornwall, which promises abundantly to repay the working. The ore yields about a tenth part of silver.

Two Persian corps have been detached, one to Georgia, and the other to the Caspian Sea, to attack the Russian settlements in these quarters.

The enemy, says a London paper, certainly meditates the execution of some design during the ensuing winter, by the preparations that are making in the schools. They have now 13 sail of the line, 2 frigates, 2 corvettes, and 60 gun boats ready for sea; and are daily augmenting their force.

Stocking Depravities. At the Month's Sessions in September last, eleven men were convicted of the unnatural crime. It appears that a club of these abandoned wretches were formed and held their meetings in Vere street.—London

The celebrated counsellor McNALLY, it appears, made a speech at the Dublin meeting, on the Repeal of Union. We regret, that no sketch of it is yet to be found in the newspapers

Several English officers, who had offered their services to the Grand Vizier, met with a flat refusal. So that the very Turks begin to learn the danger of British connection.

RUSSIA AND FRANCE. It is rumoured, says the London Statesman, that a treaty of amity, offensive and defensive, is concluded between Austria and France, the object of which is a combined attack upon Russia.

The Spanish Regency, it seems, rejected the proposition of the English ministry to throw open to Britain the trade of S. America; England having refused to relax her Navigation Act.

TAXING OF BANK STOCK. This has been a bone of contention in the New Jersey legislature for several sessions; but, we find that the advocates of equal taxation have at last succeeded in effecting their purpose.

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FLAXSEED. Extract of a letter dated, Newry Sept 12, 1810.

As flaxseed forms a principal item in the exports from America to this country, it may be important to you to have particular information respecting this article.

State banks will check each other; but, suffer a total monopoly to exist;—our liberties will be swallowed in the abyss.—We say then indeed have a republic in name, but such a republic as that of Venice.

WAS FOUND On Monday evening last, between the hours of nine and ten o'clock, in Eastway street, by the City Watch—Two Pieces of MUSLIN. The owner before taking the same and paying the expense of this advertisement, may have them on applying to

JOSEPH HOOK, Captain of the Watch.

NEW YORK, Nov 6 One day later from London.

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ABSTRACT FROM THE VOTES and PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES OF MARYLAND.

NOVEMBER 5th 1810.

Monday the 5th inst. being the day appointed by the constitution and form of government for the meeting of the general assembly of this State—several members of this house accordingly met on that day, but a sufficient number of members to proceed to business not appearing, the members present adjourned until to day, when a sufficient number of members being convened; they severally qualified in the presence of each other in the usual manner.

The house proceeded to ballot for a speaker, when T. E. STANSBURY was unanimously elected.

JOHN BREWSTER was appointed chief clerk; JOHN S. SKINNER was elected an assistant clerk; CORNELIUS MILLS was appointed sergeant at arms; and JOHN SULLIVAN door keeper; all of whom qualified in the usual manner.

Ordered, That Messrs. Doyle and C. Hall inform the Rev. Mr. WYATT that the house request that he will perform divine service every morning at the meeting of the house.

Ordered, that the house sit this session from 9 in the morning until 3 in the afternoon.

Ordered, That Messrs. Bowles, Comegys, and Herbert be a committee to report such rules as are proper to be observed during the present session.

The house proceeded to ballot for a committee of claims. After some time the gentlemen appointed to count ballots returned and reported that Messrs. Bowles, Forwood, Groves, Welch, Cross, and Hillcay were elected.

Ordered, That Messrs. Marriot and Frazier wait upon his excellency the governor and inform him that this house having met, are ready to proceed to public business, and to receive any communications he may think proper to lay before them.

The house proceeded to ballot for a committee of election.—Messrs. Schley, Bowie, Archer, Eccleston, and Handy were elected.—Ordered, that they have power to send for persons, papers and records.

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relative to this commodity, have destroyed the spirit of enterprise that existed in this trade. By those laws the seed is in the first place subject to inspection before it is landed, or can be sold. This being done it is inspected by a jury, who decide whether it is fit for sowing. That which they pronounce unfit can only be sold for crushing, under a heavy penalty. It might reasonably be supposed, that what they pronounce fit for sowing might be disposed of by the seller without the fear of responsibility; but, strange as it may appear, he is by the law made accountable for its growth, no matter how unsuitable the soil, how unfavorable the weather, or how careless the farmer, if it does not grow the seller must refund the cost and pay for the ground. Many persons have suffered most severely under those laws, and few wish to meddle with the flaxseed business. Taking every thing into consideration we are of opinion, that you will act wisely by making no shipments next year.

TORPEDOES.

On this interesting topic, a respectable correspondent, among other remarks, has the following:

A person having the modesty to assume the name of the late lieutenant Trippe, has taken the pains to shew his ignorance and gross vulgarity in two columns [which were printed in the Evening Post of Saturday] of low abuse against Mr. Fulton and the torpedo experiments. We are not astonished that an illiterate individual, unacquainted with the arts, or the respect which is due to civilized society, and the persons who devote their time to science, should vent his lance against the investigation of ingenious conceptions, which present a rational hope of being beneficial to our country. But that the Evening Post should encourage or print such writings, is most scandalous.

Since the publication of Mr. Fulton's book on torpedo war, the Evening Post & most of the federal and Tory prints, have not been able to conceal their fear lest the whole system should succeed. In this they have shewn their decided aversion to American liberty and independence. For we appeal to the candor of every honest American, whether federalist or republican, if that man can be a friend to our country, who cannot at least wish success to Mr. Fulton's experiments, the object of which is to develop means for aiding its defending our harbors, and give better protection our commerce? He must be a base minded American indeed, who cannot wish them every success. Yet such is the absurd folly of the great majority of weak and unthinking men, that when any new and untried method of experiment or investigation, they deride and sneer at, on the want of probability of its success in theory. And because the whole is not like Adam, at once presented perfect to the world, they conclude it can never succeed. Such are men of the ignorant class.

Of the progress of the experiments we have been silent, until we could obtain some knowledge of the opinion of the very respectable committee which has been appointed to examine the subject. But we can now assure the public, that the whole of the investigation has presented the most flattering hope to the committee; that practice alone is wanting, to render the torpedoes of great national importance; and that although Commodore Rodgers and Captain Chanutey have opposed Mr. Fulton with great ingenuity, yet with a frankness which does them honor, they both confess that they could defend a harbor with torpedoes, so that it would be impossible for an enemy to enter.

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