

from the British government, an acceptance of the condition, on which the French government was willing to concur, in putting an end to all the edicts of both against our neutral commerce. If he should afterwards have succeeded, you will, of course, on receiving information of the fact, immediately claim, from the French government, the fulfillment of its promise; and by transmitting the result to Mr. Pinkney, you will co-operate with him in completing the removal of all the illegal obstructions to our commerce.

Among the documents, now sent, is another copy of the act of congress, repealing the non-intercourse law, but authorizing a renewal of it against Great Britain, in case France shall repeal her edicts, and Great Britain refuse to follow her example, and vice versa. You have been already informed that the president is ready to exercise the power vested in him for such a purpose, as soon as the occasion shall arise. Should the other experiment, in the hands of Mr. Pinkney, have failed, you will make the act of congress, and the disposition of the president, the subject of a formal communication to the French government; and it is not easy to conceive any ground, even specious, on which the overture specified in the act can be declined.

If the non-intercourse law, in any of its modifications, was objectionable to the emperor of the French, that law no longer exists.

If he be ready, as has been declared, in the letter of the duke of Cadore, of February 14th, to do justice to the U. States, in the case of a pledge on their part not to submit to the British edicts, the opportunity for making good the declaration is now afforded. Instead of submission, the president is ready, by renewing the non-intercourse against Great Britain, to oppose to her orders in council a measure, which is of a character that ought to satisfy any reasonable expectation.

If it should be necessary for you to meet the question, whether the non-intercourse will be renewed against Great Britain, in case she should not comprehend in the repeal of her edicts her blockades, which are not consistent with the law of nations, you may, should it be found necessary, let it be understood, that a repeal of the illegal blockades, of a date prior to the Berlin decree, namely, that of May, 1806, will be included in the condition, required by Great Britain; that particular blockade having been avowed to be comprehended in, and of course identified with, the orders in council. With respect to blockades of a subsequent date, or not against France, you will press the reasonableness of leaving them, together with future blockades, not warranted by public law, to be proceeded against by the U. States, in the manner they may choose to adopt.

It has been heretofore stated to you, a satisfactory provision for restoring the property lately surprised and seized by the order, or at the instance, of the French government, must be combined with a repeal of the French edicts, with a view to a non-intercourse with Great Britain; such a provision being an indispensable evidence of the just purpose of France towards the U. States. And, you will, moreover, be careful, in arranging such a provision for that particular case of spoliation, not to weaken the ground on which a redress of others may be justly pursued.

If the act of Congress, which has legalized a free trade with both the belligerents, without guarding against British interruptions of it with France, whilst France cannot materially interrupt it with G. Britain, be complained of, as leaving the trade on the worst possible footing for France, and on the best possible one for Great Britain, the French government may be reminded of the other feature of the act, which puts it in their own power to obtain either an interruption of our trade with G. Britain, or a repeal of her interruption of it with France.

Among the considerations which belong to this subject, it may be remarked, that it might have been reasonably expected, by the United States, that a repeal of the French decrees would have resulted from the British order in council of April, 1809. This order expressly revoked the preceding orders of November 1807, heretofore urged by France in justification of her decrees, and was not only different in its extent and its details, but was essentially different in its policy.

The policy of the order of 1807 was, by cutting off all commercial supplies, to retort on her enemies the distress, which the French decree was intended to inflict on G. Britain.

The policy of the order of April 1809, if not avowedly, was most certainly to prevent such supplies, by shutting out those only which might flow from neutral sources, in order thereby to favour a surreptitious monopoly to British traders. In order to counteract this policy, it was the manifest interest of France to have favoured the rival and cheaper supplies through neutrals; instead of which, she has co-operated with the monopolizing views of Great Britain, by a rigorous exclusion of neutrals from her ports. She has, in fact, reversed the operation, originally professed by her decree. Instead of annoying her enemy at the expense of a friend, she annoys a friend for the benefit of her enemy.

If the French government should accede to the overture, contained in the act of Congress, by repealing or so modifying its decrees, as that they will

cease to violate our neutral right, you will, if necessary, transmit the repeal, properly authenticated, to Mr. Pinkney, by a special messenger, and you will hasten and ensure the receipt of it here, by engaging a vessel, if no equivalent conveyance should offer, to bring it directly from France, and by sending several copies to Mr. Pinkney, to be forwarded from British ports.

I have the honor to be, &c.
R. SMITH.
Gen. John Armstrong, &c. &c. &c.
(To be continued.)

CONGRESSIONAL.

IN SENATE.

MONDAY DEC. 10, 1810.
Mr. Leib laid before the Senate certain resolutions of the Legislature of Pennsylvania, passed in March last, approving the measures of the general government.

Mr. Giles's resolution, for referring so much of the message of the President of the United States as relates to West Florida to a select committee was agreed to; and Messrs. Giles, Pope, Crawford, Anderson, and Bradley appointed a committee accordingly.

On motion of Mr. Campbell
Resolved, That so much of the message of the President of the U. States as relates to commercial abuses committed under the American flag, in carrying on an illegal traffic in enslaved Africans, be referred to a committee to examine and report thereon to the Senate; and that the committee have leave to report by bill or otherwise.

Messrs. Campbell, Dana, Bradley, Cutts, and Gilman, were appointed a committee accordingly.

Mr. Anderson presented the petition of the President and Directors of the Bank of Potomac, praying for a charter, which was committed to Messrs. Anderson, Gilman, Tait, Goodrich and Leib.

Messrs. Cutts, Halsey and Gilman were appointed a committee on engrossed bills.
Messrs. Leib, Campbell and Dana, were appointed a committee of accounts.

Mr. Cutts was appointed on the committee of enrolled bills.

PORT OF BALTIMORE.

From the Merchant's Coffee-House Books.
December 11.

Cleared,—ships Clinton, Williamson, New-Orleans; Indian Chief, West, Lisbon.

Port of Boston, Dec. 6.

Arrived, Rosebud, Marson, Plymouth, N. C.

Below a ship, signal white and blue on her fore-top gailant mast head.

There is no truth in the report of vessels being ashore on Cape Cod, which sailed from this port on Sunday.

Cleared, schrs Pocahontas, Winslow, Madeira; Friendship, Little, St. Croix; Six Brothers, Lane, Lisbon; Republican, Baltimore; Charles, Todd, Richmond; Jane, Cleveland, Alexandria; Elizabeth, Hawes, Baltimore.

Brig Oliver, Bourne, 19 days from Santa Cruz, via Vineyard put into Salem on Tuesday, for a harbour. Left at Santa Cruz, brig Perseverance, Maclintock, of Portsmouth.—A brig and a schr put into Marblehead on Tuesday morning.

Port of New-York, Dec. 8.

ARRIVED,
Brig Three Friends, Vallo, Havana, 26 days.

British schr. Nancy, Duncomb, Gaudaloupe, 27 days. A British sloop, consigned to P. Durand, sailed 5 days before for New York. Left a schr. belonging to D. Beuch of New York, to sail in a few days. From the log book of the schooner Nancy.—Nov. 30 7 A. M. saw a sail standing to the S. E. Being then short of provision, we concluded to speak her for the purpose of getting some relief, and immediately hoisted our colours, which was answered. After coming up within pistol shot of her, found she intended to pass us without speaking, then made a signal of distress, which was unattended to. We then went about and passed her stern to ascertain her name, which proved to be the ship Frederick of New York.

The above is published at the request of captain Duncomb.
Ship New York, Troop, 25 days from Montego Bay, Jam. Nov. 21, spoke schr. Liberty, Aiken, 25 days from Jamaica for New York—had lost one hand, and 3 sick, the captain and one hand only able to keep the deck—saw her two days after, and believe she got safe through the Gulph.

CLEARED,
Ship Rambler, Rich, Havana; Melanta, Law, Savannah; brig Washington, Low, Havana; Merrimack, Colfax, Havana; Sea Island, Burnham, Savannah; Hope, Morris, New Orleans; Mount Vernon, Smith, Savannah; schr Nancy, Walker, Frederickburg; Nuestra Senora Delos, Delores, leard; Two Brothers, Nichols, Norfolk; George, Clark, Richmond.

SALE BY AUCTION.

On Friday next the 14th inst, at our Auction Rooms corner of East & Lemon streets and nearly opposite the Theatre will commence the sale of
A Variety of Dry Goods: And at half past 11 o'clock, as usual a GREAT VARIETY OF Household Goods and Furniture.

Part as follows, viz:
One Elegant Sofa
Three do Sideboards
One Excellent Piano Forte
One do Sett Dining Tables
Breakfast & Card ditto
Mahogany & Common Bedsteads
A few Beds, and a variety of Bedding, &c.
ALSO,
16 Boxes containing Tea Setts of India China.

WM. G. HANDS & Co. Auct'rs.
Dec. 13.

A. Neal and F. M. Wills,
BOOK BINDERS AND STATIONERS,
No. 129 Market-street, Baltimore

Inform their friends and the public generally, that they have received, a large and general assortment of

WRITING PAPER

Among which are,
Super Royal feint lined
Royal
Medium
Imery
Cap No. 1
And which they are ready to BIND up to any pattern.

They have on hand,
Day Books Letter Books
Journals Cash
Ledgers Bill
Invoice Books Record
With and without patent backs. Elegant Bank Books, with and without pocket and straps; all of which they will sell low for cash, or approved paper.
BOOK BINDING in all its variety, done at the above place.
December 13

FOR SALE OR RENT,

That convenient and well known HOUSE and LOT, situate in the most central part of Elkridge landing, at present occupied by Mr. Samuel Litchfield, as a Tavern and Store—the house is large and well calculated for the above business with the advantage of good stabling, sufficient for 12 or 15 horses, and an excellent well, before the door, or for the baking business, having a complete bake house and oven already built. The garden contains 1 1/4 acres in fine order, with strong new palings and beds of different herbs. For further particulars apply to
THOMAS JEFFRY,
2 miles below Spurrier's Tavern, on the Annapolis road.
Dec. 13

Twenty Dollars Reward.

LOST, a small Red Morocco Pocket Book, containing one Fifty, one Ten, one Five, and one One Dollar Note, wrapped in a bill of Pork, made out by Simon Willmore in favor of Elijah Nabb. Supposed to be lost on Dugan's Wharf, between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock. The above reward will be given on the delivery of the pocket book and its contents at this office, or to John Cator living at No. 106, Dugan's wharf.
WM. TUCKER.
Dec. 13

For Freight or Charter,
To any port in the West-Indies, (Hispaniola excepted) or to any port on the Spanish Main, or would take freight to Boston or Portland.
The remarkably fine brig LYON,
Richard Lee, Master,
Just off her first voyage; burthen about 1600 barrels. For terms apply to the captain on board, in Frederick-street dock, or
LEMEUEL WARFIELD:
Who has received by said brig and for sale,
50 bags prime green Havana
COFFEE.
December 13

FOR LONDONDERRY,
The Ship JOSEPH & PHOEBE,
Captain Phisopson.
The principal part of her cargo being engaged, she will proceed with all possible dispatch. For freight or passage apply to
THOMAS MOORE.
Who has for Sale, on board said ship,
LIVERPOOL BLOWN SALT,
QUEEN'S-WARE & COAL.
November 23

FOR LONDON,
The elegant fast sailing and coppered SHIP CONGRESS,
Alexander Clark, master.
The greater part of her cargo being engaged will be dispatched immediately—a few packages of small sizes, will be taken on freight, and passengers can be well accommodated. For terms apply to
JAMES BYAS, or
JOHN BOLTE.
December 10

FOR SALE,
A NEW SCHOONER,
Burthen 180 tons coppered's measure, with hull and spars, copper fastened to the keel; is of the best materials—and supposed to be a fast sailer. For particulars and terms, enquire of the owner on board, at County wharf, Fell's Point.
THOMAS WEYMAN.
December 7

FOR CHARTER,
The Ship UNITED STATES,
Captain Richard Williams,
ALSO,
The Ship MADISON,
Captain Thomas Frost.
For terms apply to
JAMES BYAS, or
JOHN BOLTE, Ship Broker.
December 3

FEES AND TAXES,
Persons yet in arrears for their fees and taxes for the year eighteen hundred and nine, are earnestly requested to settle their accounts. If, however, they do not, the public demands on me for money will compel me to execute without respect to persons.
Wm. MERRYMAN, Sheriff & Coll'r.
August 31

PROFILE ROOM,
No. 110, MARKET-STREET,
PLAIN PROFILES, 4 for 25 Cents.
PRINTED IN COLORS, 1 Dollar.
The Friends of the late Rev. Dr. Beaman, are respectfully informed, that the subscriber has obtained an excellent Profile-Likeness of him—from which they may obtain correct copies.
December 10
S. DEWEY.
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COTTON, GIN, POWDER, &c.
150 bales Tennessee COTTON,
150 kegs GUN-POWDER, of a superior quality,
10,000 lbs. Tennessee GINSENG,
5 tons BAR LEAD,
5 do. Country HEMP,
3 casks Irish GLUE,
FOR SALE BY
T. JONES & H. YOUNG.
December 10

Columbian Fire Company.

The Members thereof are requested to meet at their Engine House, on the 14th inst. at 4 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of examining the Engine and apparatus. An Annual meeting of said company will be held at 6 o'clock, at Pamplun's Hotel, where the attendance of every member is particularly requested by the President.
WM. PROCTOR, Sec'ry.
Dec. 11

SALE BY AUCTION.

On FRIDAY, the 14th instant,
At 10 o'clock, at the Warehouse of Christopher DeShon, esq. Smith's wharf, will be sold on a liberal credit, for approved endorsed notes, 74 Bales and Chests

GERMAN GOODS,

Equal in Quality to any ever imported: CONSISTING OF
Hempen and Flaxen Linen, Ticklenburgs, fine Dowlas, Listados, White Holls, &c.
ALSO,
The sound part of 16 bales Ticklenburgs, Hempen and Flaxen Linen, Bulaps, &c. the damaged part of which was sold on Saturday last.
C. O. MULLER, Auctioneer.
December 11

SALE BY AUCTION.

ON SATURDAY NEXT,
The 15th inst. at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the late residence of Edward Waters, deceased, in Great York st. near Christ Church, will be sold by order of the honorable the Orphans' Court of Baltimore county.

All the personal effects of the deceased,

consisting of Household Goods and Furniture. A very great variety of Carpenter's Tools, sundry Valuable Books on Architecture, &c. Attendance by
WM. G. HANDS & Co. Auct'rs.
Dec. 11

HOSEA JOINS

HAS FOR SALE,

At his Store, head of Frederick-street Dock, 3 bales Brown Burlaps
3 ditto fine Hempen Linens
3 ditto Ticklenburgs
4 boxes fine white ditto
2 ditto superfine ditto
109 pieces Polyn Rolls
3000 ditto Blue Nankeens
2 Brown Holland
1 case Britonias
25 pieces double mill'd Cassimeres—part of the seized goods by the Custom-house.
ALSO,
1700 pieces Yellow Long Nankeen, 1st chop—cut into drawback.
1 bale Hessians
150 pieces Russia Duck
100 ditto Ravens ditto
50 ditto Russia Sheeting
199 ditto Madanna Holls.
30 bales India Muslins
10 ditto Turkey Holls.
29 pieces single mill'd Cassimeres
1 bale Superior Cloths
4 trunks Colored Threaded assorted—entitled to drawback.
October 27

TO RENT,

(And Possession given immediately)
AN ELEGANT TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE,
Pleasantly situated on the corner of Pitt-street, near the Quaker Meeting House, Old Town.
November 6

NOTICE.

THE Partnership of HUNTER & ROBINSON, was dissolved by mutual consent on the first inst.—James J. Hunter, continues the business of the establishment in Philadelphia, and will settle the transactions of the same. Joseph Robinson, will settle the business of the late firm in Baltimore.
JAMES A. HUNTER,
JOSEPH ROBINSON.

JOSEPH ROBINSON,

Continues the business of Hunter & Robinson, at No. 96, Market-street, Baltimore. He respectfully solicits a continuance of the support of his friends and the public.
December 10

CITY OF ROME.

Extract from the report of the commissioners appointed to lay out and survey the plot contemplated to be called the "CITY OF ROME."
At a meeting of the councillors of the City of Rome, held in the city of Philadelphia, the 30th of October, 1810, the following extract from the report of the commissioners, was ordered to be published in two or more newspapers of the said city.
The commissioners report, that agreeably to the order of the councillors, they have proceeded to the city of Rome, where they arrived on the 21st day of October, 1810, and on that day fixed upon the site and marked the most eligible spot for and determined on the course which the streets are to run. They have measured the distance from the bridge across the Schuylkill on the turnpike leading to Wilkesbarre, and found the distance from said bridge to the centre of said city of Rome, called Union square, to be five miles. Said bridge is about 100 miles from the city of Philadelphia, and 17 miles and an half from Wilkesbarre, on the east side of the Schuylkill. The centre of Union Square above said, is situated on a gentle rise of ground, gradually elevated a few feet above the adjoining squares. The quality of the land contained in the plan of the city of Rome, throughout the whole extent, appears to be excellent, abounding with streams of wholesome water, the principal of which is called "Trout Creek," which affords water sufficient to turn mills of every description. The timber is valuable, consisting of Sugar Maple, Black Cherry, Black Birch, White Ash, Spruce and Beech. The road (which is now engaged to be cut from the turnpike to Union Square) is surveyed through a pleasant tract of country, and a surveyor is now engaged to lay out all the streets.

JOSEPH TYSON,
PHILIP HEAFF, Jun.
TH. B. GELOW,
RALPH SMITH, Jun.
N. B. ABNER NEAL is appointed agent to sell lots, in Baltimore, and deliver certificates for the same, at No. 122, Baltimore-street, where a plan of the city may be seen, together with the names of the different gentlemen who have vested considerable sums in the purchase of lots, and also the different lots already sold. Persons in the different mechanical branches of business, disposed to reside at the city of Rome, are informed, that advantageous terms will be offered on application at the office, at the N. W. corner of Callowhill and Sixth-street, Philadelphia, or to ABNER NEAL, Baltimore.
November 14. wkm6w.

PUBLIC SALE,

FOR CASH.
By virtue of an Order from the Judges of the Orphans' Court, will be sold,
On TUESDAY, the 13th inst. at 12 o'clock, IN APPLE-ALLEY, P. P.
A HOUSE & LOT,
Together with other articles, late the property of James Campbell, deceased.
THOMAS TURNER, Adm'r.
ROBERT LAWSON, Auct'rs.
Balt. Dec. 10, 1810. dts

NOTICE.

HAVING procured, from the Orphans' Court of Baltimore county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of James Campbell, late of said county, deceased—The subscriber requests all persons indebted to said estate to make payment without delay, and all creditors to present their accounts against it duly authenticated on or before the 10th day of June next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.
THOMAS TURNER, Adm'r.
Balt. Dec. 10, 1810 2aw6w

CAMBRICK MUSLINS,

CALICOES & GINGHAMS,
Arrived in the ship Congress, from London, and will be sold cheap for cash, or paper on a short time.

ALSO,
42 bales Tennessee COTTON, in good order for shipping, per the Missouri, from New Orleans.

SHEATHING COPPER,

AND
By the Sully and Orizimbo from Liverpool, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF SHEATHING COPPER, and Copper Bolts, assorted. 200 half faggots of the REAL CROWLY STEEL.
JOHN M'KIM, Jun.
November 22
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NATH'L F. WILLIAMS,

No. 14, Bowley's-Wharf,
HAS FOR SALE,

500 bags Laguira Coffee, very entitled to green
400 do. Harracoa do. } debenture,
30 sermons Spanish Indigo, of the very first quality,
83 casks Rocca,
7 chests Gunpowder Tea,
69 chests Hyson Skin Tea,
6 pipes L. P. Madeira Wine,
5 pipes Lisbon Wine,
20 qr. casks Vidonia Wine, old and fit for immediate use.
300 bbls. for Boston Bay Mackeral, No. 1, 2 and 3.
50 half lbs. do.
150 do. N. York prime Pork, recently inspected,
50 do. Mess, No. 1 and 2 Boston Beef,
260 boxes Mould Candles, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 to the pound,
30 boxes Spermaceti do.
8 tons America Patent-Shot, assorted and ventured,
10 bags Jamaica Pimento,
13 tierces real soft Shell'd Almonds,
4 do. Cloves,
1 trunk Italian Sewing Silk, entitled to drawback.
Sugar-House Paper, &c. &c.
November 28
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TO MANUFACTURERS.

The subscriber having his hot cylinder in good order, and having had several applications to calculate goods, at his manufactory in general, that he will receive Cotton or Flax Yarn to be calculated at a very moderate price. Every application will be attended to with punctuality; the goods must be sent to his warehouse, 157, Market-st. on Monday & Tuesday every week, to be sent to the factory on Wednesday, and will be delivered on the next Saturday.
Persons wishing to send their goods are requested to mark them on the two ends of each piece.
He has on hand from his own manufactory, an extensive assortment of CALICOES of various descriptions and new and fashionable patterns; Shawls, Handkerchiefs, Window Curtains, Bed-spreads, Turkey Red Yarn and a variety of other colours, which he offers for sale on a liberal credit for approved paper, or at low prices for cash.
He will print on commission at a moderate price.
57 Cash will be given for Damaged Wheat.
L. I. LANNAY.
August 25
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AT J. GOWAN'S

SOAP AND CANDLE STORE,
43, Lexington-street, near Howard-street—front of the Factory,
The lovers of
Good & Handsome Candles,

Will find it to their advantage by leaving their orders, which will be supplied on the most advantageous terms, with punctuality and dispatch,—as he has them in boxes of different sizes, as well as in bunches 16 ozs. to the lb.
His supply of 1st, 2d and 3d quality SOAP is extensive, and from experience found equal to any brought to this city, (notwithstanding the boast of Yankee particular and Philadelphia clear,) and well worth the attention of shippers as well as others.
Goods ordered from the store, will be sent on the shortest notice, and if not to the satisfaction of the purchaser, may be returned.
Grateful for past favours, he informs his friends and customers, that to prevent mistakes and misrepresentation, his Soap is branded J. GOWAN and no Goods sent from the store but what are bespoke.
Candles given for Soap-Fat and Tallow, or exchanged for Soap or Candles.
Wicks, half, and quarter barrels of SOFT SOAP, as usual—Ashes or soap-fat sent for, if notice is given at the store.
December 5
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IRISH PORTER.

BOTTLED IN DUBLIN.
Received on consignment, a few boxes, containing six dozen each, of excellent quality.—This kind of Porter has of late had the preference in many parts of England. The whole will be sold together on moderate terms, or by the single box.
ALSO,
1 bale Princes Check for Saddlers, amount about 1000 Sterling.
And, a large quantity of GILT GOODS, consisting of

WATCH-SEALS, KEYS,

&c. &c.
set plain, first quality, and new patterns.
For sale by
THOMAS EVERETT,
216, Market-street.
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