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ACCOMPANYING THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

[CONCLUDED.]

(TRANSLATION,)

THE DUKE OF CADORE TO GENERAL ARMSTRONG.

Paris, Sept. 12, 1810.

SIR,

I have received your letter of the 7th September. That which I wrote to you the same day answered the first of the questions you put to me. I will add to what I have had the honor to write to you, that the decrees of the 23d March, 1810, which ordered reprisals in consequence of the act of Congress of the 1st March, 1809, was repealed, as soon as we were informed of the repeal of the act of non-intercourse passed against France.

On our second question, I hasten to declare to you, that American vessels, loaded with merchandize, the growth of the American provinces, will be received without difficulty into the ports of France, provided they have not suffered their flag to lose its national character, by submitting to the acts of the British council; they may, in like manner, depart from the ports of France.—The emperor has given licences to American vessels. It is the only flag which has obtained them. In this, his majesty has intended to give a proof of the respect he loves to shew to the Americans. If he is somewhat dissatisfied, (peu satisfaite) that they have not as yet been able to succeed in causing their flag to be respected, at least, he sees, with pleasure, that they are far from acknowledging the tyrannical principles of English legislation.

The American vessels, which may be loaded on account of Frenchmen, or on account of Americans, will be admitted into the ports of France. As to the merchandize confiscated, it having been confiscated as a measure of *reprisal, the principle of reprisal* must be the law in that affair.

I have the honor to renew to you, sir, the assurances of my high consideration.

(Signed) CHAMPAGNY.

Duc de Cadore.

His Excellency General Armstrong, &c. &c. &c.

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GENERAL ARMSTRONG TO MR. PINKNEY.

Bordeaux, Sept. 29th, 1810.

SIR,

Your letter of the third inst. found me at this place, and on the point of embarking for the United States. I hasten, therefore, to give to it an immediate answer.

There was no error in my representation to you, nor in your representation to lord Wellesley, of the words, or of the meaning, as I understand it, of the duke of Cadore's note to me; nor indeed do either of these appear to be readily susceptible of mistake. The former, no doubt, *retract* in the most positive terms, the Berlin and Milan decrees, and, of course, the principles on which these decrees were founded; and in doing so, assuredly give us a fair claim on his Britannic majesty for a fulfilment of the promise made by his manister plenipotentiary to our government, on the 23d day of February, 1808. It would, however, appear by lord Wellesley's letter to you on the 31st ultimo, that the British cabinet had given a new version to this promise of his majesty, and that, as a preliminary to its execution, it is now required, not merely that the *principles*, which had rendered necessary the British system, should be *retracted*, but that the repeal of the French decrees should have actually began to operate, and that *the commerce of neutral nations* (generally) *should have been restored to the condition in which it stood previously to the promulgation of these decrees.* It would also appear, from different passages in your letter, that this deviation from the original promise of his majesty grew out of a supposition, that the recal of the French decrees implied a cotemporaneous cessation of the British orders in council of November, 1807, and a repeal before the first day of November next of all proclamation blockades of France, &c. &c. Than this construction nothing can, in my opinion, be more erroneous. Were the repeal of the French decrees dependent alone on what Great Britain may do, the supposition would have in it some color of reasonableness; but as the conditions of it present an alternative, one side of which depends, not on the will of his Britannic majesty at all, but altogether on that of the United States, and which cannot be adopted by them until after the first of November next; it necessarily follows that the conditions are not *precedent*, as has been supposed, but *subsequent*, as I represent them. This reasoning will receive illustration from a plain and unsophisticated statement of the duke of Cadore's declaration, viz: That the Berlin and Milan decrees will cease to operate after the first day of November next, on one of two conditions; either that Great Britain shall revoke her orders in council so far as they violate the maritime rights of the United States, or that, refusing to do so, the United States shall revive towards her certain sections of their late non-intercourse law, conformably to an act of Congress of the 1st of May last. In this we find nothing of a contemporaneous cessation of the French decrees and British orders in council, nor that the blockades of France must be recalled before the first day of November next; indeed the very reverse is to be found there: for it contains an express engagement, that the decrees will cease, if the United States do a certain act, which all the world knows they cannot do till *after* that day. These remarks may derive some additional force from the contents of my letter, by Mr. Mason, which will, I hope, shew, that the concessions made by France to the United States are at least sufficiently substantial to invite from Great Britain some measures of a character equally conciliatory, and that "earnestly desiring to see the commerce of the world restored to that freedom which is necessary to its prosperity," and no more hesitating to follow the good than she has done to follow the bad examples of her neighbour and rival, she will go on to declare, that her orders in council, &c. shall cease after the first day of November next, on condition, either, *that France shall have actually withdrawn her offensive decrees on that day, or, that if she refuse to do so, the United States shall proceed to enforce against her their late non-intercourse law.*

In my view of this subject, nothing short of this can be considered a sufficient pledge, on the part of the British government, which, unlike that of France, presents no alternaive in the conditions on which her orders in council shall be repealed, and which, of course, in no way makes that repeal to depend on an act, which would be altogether that of the United States.

I have the honor to be, &c,

(Signed) JOHN ARSTRONG.

His excellency Wm. Pinkney, &c.

PORT OF BALTIMORE.

Port of Norfolk, Dec. 14.

ARRIVED,

Ship Romulus, Lufkin, 38 days from Greenock—ballast—Left there ship Catharine Banks, Jarvis, for Charleston, to sail in 4 days. Spoke, Nov. 20, in lat. 40 32, lon. 28 12, ship Fame, Williams, from Demarara bound to Liverpool, 49 days out.—27th, in lat. 42 18, lon. 60 30, ship Resolution, Briggs, from Gottenburg, of and for Salem.

Sch'r Norfolk, Deagle, from *Baltimore.*

Sch'r Enterprize, Williams, 11 days from Havanna—sugar. Left there sch'rs Munro, Hill, of and for this port, in 4 days; Mary-Ann, Boush, for this port, to sail next day. Spoke, Dec. 11, off Currituck, brig America, Rhea, from Philadelphia bound to Savannah, 64 hours out.

Port of Charleston, Dec. 10.

ARRIVED,

Sloop Mary, Walter, Savannah. Passengers, Mr. Prescot and captain Hooper and crew of the ship Ann, of *Baltimore*, cast away on the Florida shore. Passed in Savannah river, sch'r James, of Falmouth, from Havanna; sch'r Alonza, from Fewport, and a brig from Havanna, in distress, with loss of both topmasts.

Ship Boreal (of New York,) Mason, Liverpool, 64 days—goods, salt and coal.

Ship Charlotte (of New York) Clark, Liverpool—salt, crockery, coal and bottles. Ship Caroline-Ann, Newson, for New York, sailed in co.

Sch'r Tabitha (of Folly Landing,) Borden, East Florida, 6 days—logwood, anchors, cables, rigging, &c. saved from the *wrecks* of several vessels stranded on that shore.

CLEARED,

Ship Tom, Mulbury, Liverpool; Pennsylvania, Bunce, Philadelphia; Eliza, Auten, Belfast; Caroline, Serrill, Philadelphia; British ship Ellen, Wilson, London; brig Hannah, Stiles, Lisbon; sch'r Martha Crawley, Mehlen, Havanna.

The U. S. ship Wasp, captain Jones, from a cruize, anchored in the Roads last evening

WRECKS.

The following further particulars of shipwrecks on the Florida shore, is derived from an officer of the Spanish brig Maria Gertruidis (mentioned some time since as being ashore at that place) who has arrived at Savannah:

Brig Argus, Bronham, from New Haven for Barbadoes, having lost her masts, was steering for Nassau; driven ashore 28th Oct. vessel and cargo lost—crew saved.

Sch'r Joseph, Frothingham, of Boston, from Nassau for Philadelphia; lost 26th Oct. The crew of this vessel took their boat and hauled it over land into a neighbouring lake, which they left on the 11th ult. but had not reached Augustine eight days ago.

Brig Olympus, of Boston, for Tonningen from New Orleans, lost 26th October.—Crew took to the boat, through the lake, and left there Nov. 15th. In their tent on shore, found a man (since dead) who called himself John Williams, a native of New York; had been deserted by his shipmates; his arm was broken and his back in a state of mortification.

Passed several other vessels in so distressed a condition that it was impossible to obtain any knowledge of them.

TWENTY DOLLARS

REWARD.

Ranaway from the Goal of Baltimore county, a man who calls himself *JOHN DUNNING*, (but who as I am informed, intended after he had effected his escape, to assume the name of *Mitchell*,) about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, very much freckled, the loss of one tooth in his upper jaw, is very visible when he laughs; a butcher by trade—The above reward and all reasonable expences will be paid to any person who may deliver him to the subscriber, or Ten Dollars to any person giving such information as may enable me to apprehend him myself.

JOHN H. BENTLEY, *Gaoler of Baltimore county.*

COMMUNICATION.

At an annual meeting of the *Columbian Fire Company*, held at Pamphilion's Hotel, on the 14th of Dec. 1810, the following gentlemen were duly elected officers of said company for the ensuing year, viz:

Thomas Sheppard, president,
William Proctor, Secretary,
Joseph Allender, Treasurer,
Samuel Wilson, Engineer.

Directors.

Thorndick Chase
Joseph Allender
Nicholas Stansbury
Peter Galt
James D Jones
William Evans
Daniel James
Robert G. Henderson
John Smith
Isaac Atkinson

Pipe Men.

Joshua Atkinson
Samuel Wilson

Lane Men.

William Cornthwait
Nathaniel Hynson
John Ogston
James Ramsay
Levin Hall
Joshua Willis
Robert Moore

Ladder Men.

Richard Bell
George Robinson
William Etchburger
Davis M'Caughan

Property Men.

William Procter
Peter Green
John Duncan
Edward Hall
William Price
Nathaniel Knight.

Property Guard.

Baptist Mezick
John H. Browning
James Cordery.

Axe Men.

Benjamin Baker
Levy James
Thomas Kemp
Thomas Rook
Job I. Smith

Hook Men.

Samuel Grace
William P. Barnes
Jacob Graff
William Davie—

Who are requested to call on the President for their respective badges.

WM. PROCTER, Sec'ry.

Mackarel, Beef and Duck.

143 barrels No. 1 & 2 Boston Bay MACKAREL, of an *excellent quality.*
50 barrels No. 1 BEEF.
100 pieces *first* quality RAVENS DUCK, just received per the sch'r Elizabeth, captain Howes, from Boston,

AND FOR SALE BY

NATHANIEL F. WILLIAMS,
No. 14, Bowley's wharf.

December 22 d4t

NEW LAW BOOKS

Just Received and for Sale, at

P. BYRNE, JUN'RS

Book Store, No. 130, *Market-street;*

Orleans Term Reports,

Argued and determined in the *Superior Court* of the Territory of Orleans.

By *Francois-Xavier Martin.*

ALSO,

Reports of Cases,

Argued and determined in the *Court of Common Pleas*, and other *Courts*, from Michaelmas Term, 48, Geo. III. 1807, to Easter Term, 49, Geo. III. 1809—both inclusive.

By *William Pyle Taunton.*

ALSO,

Reports of Cases.

Adjudged in the *Supreme Court of Judicature*, of the State of New-York—from January Term, 1799, to January Term, 1803—both inclusive.

By *William Johnson*, Counsellor at Law.

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DALLAS'S REPORTS, in the *Supreme, Circuit*, and *District Courts* of the United States, and in the High Courts of Error and Appeals, and the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, 4 vols—any vol. separate.—P. Byrne, has purchased and secured the copyright of this valuable work.—EAST'S REPORTS, 10 vols. (the 10th has Notes from American authorities, by a Gentleman of the Philadelphia Bar,) being a continuation or new series of Durnford and East's, 8 vols.—any vol. of either work sold seperate.—EAST'S CROWN LAW, 2 vols. it is a century since Sir John Hawkins published his Treatise on this most interesting branch of the Law, since which time no book on this subject has been published, except Foster's Discourses, Leache's Crown Law, and that valuable and excellent work, McNally's Rules of Evidence on Pleas of the Crown. This work (East) is considered a most acceptable present to the Bar, as well as to the Magistrates throughout the U. States, who will benefit by consulting it.—Reports by Andrews,—Burrows,—Blackstone, (H.)—Bosanquett and Puller,—Espinasse,—Wilson,—Willes,—Vesey, jun.—Modern—Saunders, 3 vols.—Cranch, 4 vols.—Cowper, 2 vols.—Washington, 2 vols.—Plowden, 2 vols.—Jacobs's Law Dictionary, 6 vols royal octavo.—Fonblanque's Equity, 2 vols.—Jones on Bailments.—Peake and McNally's Evidence,—Chitty, Story, Dawes, and Mitford, on Pleading.—Comyn, on Contracts, 2 vols.—Roper, on Wills.—Comyn's Digest, 6 vols.—Curran's Speeches, 2 vols.—Eloquence of the British Senate, 2 vols.—Cruise on Real Property, 5 vols.—Tidd's Practice and Appendix, 3 vols.—Chitty on Bills, &c. &c. &c.

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December 22 eo4t

Baltimore Hospital Lottery.

THE MANAGERS

Inform the Public, that the *Third Drawing*, will take place on

Thursday week, the 3d of Jan. next.

All the large Prizes

Remain in the Wheel, [illegible] nearly

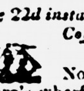
8,000 DOLLARS!!!

December 22 mth&sGt

SALE BY AUCTION.

THIS EVENING,

The 22d instant, at 6 o'clock, at the Merchants' Coffee-House, will be Sold,



The Schooner FAME;

Now lying at the lower end of M'Clure's wharf, as she arrived from sea, with all her materials. This schooner was built in 1805, in Matthew's county, Va. under the particular inspection of capt. Wornum—burthen 460 barrels, sails well, and in every respect as good a vessel as sails out of this port. The inventory will be shewn, and terms made known at the time of sale.

C. O. MULLER, Auctioneer.

December 22

Patrol, Second Ward.

On the 24th instant the time will expire for which 31 persons were appointed to conduct the patrol for this ward; a meeting of the captains is requested at Mr. Gadsby's Indian Queen Hotel, on Monday evening the 24th inst. at 6 o'clock, to act on a resolve entered into the 24th Nov. as follows: Resolved, That at the end of this arrangement, the chairman request the captains to continue another tour, or convene the captains, who shall have power to proceed as to them may seem best for the safety and repose of the city.

They are requested to be punctual in their attendance. By order of the chairman.

December 22 2t

LOST,

On Wednesday morning last, the 10th inst. about 3 miles below West River,

A Row-Boat;

About 12 feet long—the larboard side of the scull place was broke off—has a sheet of tin nailed on her bottom—painted a pale blue. Five Dollars reward will be given to any person who will return her to *Robert H. Smith*, Pratt-st. Baltimore; or to the subscriber, Herring Bay, Anne-Arundel county.

JOHN WARD.

December 22 1aw4t*

BY AUTHORITY

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE.

Wilmington College Grand Lottery.

SECOND CLASS.

40,000 DOLLARS

May be gained by the purchase of one Ticket.

SCHEME.

1	Prize of	10,000	is	10,000
2		5,000		10,000
2		2,500		5,000
5		1,000		5,000
3	of two hundred tickets each			3,000
6		500		3,000
10		300		3,000
15		100		1,500
30		50		1,500
40		20		800
100		10		1,000
3240		5		16,200

3454 Prizes } 12,000 tickets at $5, $60,000
8546 Blanks } not 2½ blanks to a prize.

12,000 Subject to 15 per cent. deduction.

Part of the Prizes will be determined as follows:

First drawn ticket,			$1,000
Do.	on the 4th day		300
Do.	7th		300
Do.	10th		300
Do.	13th		500
Do.	16th		500
Do.	19th		1,000
Do.	*20th	200 tickets	1,000
Do.	*21st	do.	1,000
Do.	*22d	do.	1,000
Do.	23d		5,000
Do.	24th		10,000

* The first drawn Ticket on the 20th day, 200 tickets—No. 6001 to 6200; the 21st day, No. 6201 to 6400; and the 22d day, No. 6401 to 6600, inclusive; and should either of the numbers appropriated as the prize on those days, be the first drawn number on either of those days, then the next drawn number not within the numbers of that day's prize, will be entitled to the 200 tickets as the first drawn number, subject to the deduction aforesaid—Prizes payable at the Bank of Delaware, the next day after the same shall be drawn.

The object of this Lottery it is presumed, is already well known to the public, to whom the managers feel themselves under obligation to acknowledge the very spirited support and patronage the former class received. They look up with confidence to the same liberal public for that confidence of support to which so useful an establishment is entitled.

The advantages of the present Scheme of the Second Class to those who adventure with the prospect of gain, it is presumed are equal to any ever yet offered to the public.

Tickets at the low price of Five Dollars!

One Ticket may draw Forty Thousand Dollars!

There are only 12,000 Tickets, and not two and a half Blanks to a Prize. Will draw 500 Tickets each drawing, making only 24 drawing days.

From the foregoing considerations, together with the great demand for tickets, the commissioners are encouraged to announce that this Lottery will positively commence drawing on the first Monday in June next.

Such Prizes as are not demanded within 12 months after the drawing shall be finished, will be considered as a generous donation to the Institution.

MANAGERS.

John Rumsey,
Dr. D. A. Smith,
Dr. George Monroe,
Dr. John Brinkle,
Aaron Poulson,
William Hemphill,
Daniel Lowber,
Thomas Duff.

To either of whom letters, post paid, inclosing the money for any number of tickets, will be duly attended to.

Orders for tickets received by

R. H. HUGHES,

No. 69, Chesnut st. Philadelphia.

And by SIMKINS & CALDWELL,

At the Washington Lottery Office, Baltimore.

Wilmington, Dec. 1, 1810 (22) law

STRAY HORSE.

WAS taken up by the subscriber, a stray HORSE, supposed to be 14 or 15 years of age—a dark brown—a star in his forehead, and a large lump on his knee—no other marks perceivable.

The owner is desired to come, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

SAMUEL TAYLOR,

living near Ivy Mills, on the Harford county road.

December 20 2aw4t*

CARDS, BLANKS, HANDBILLS, &c.

Neatly executed at this office.

MACKAREL.

400 barrels No. 1, 2 & 3 Boston Bay MACKAREL, *of a very superior quality*,

FOR SALE BY

Nathaniel F. Williams,

No. 14, Bowley's wharf;

Who has also for Sale,

Prime Pork; Mess, No. 1 and 2 Beef, for ships' stores; Green Coffee; Flotant Indigo; N. E. Rum; Madeira and Vidonia Wines; Gunpowder Tea; Jamaica Pimento; Spermaceti and Mould Tallow Candles, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 to the pound.

American Patent Shot,

1 trunk Italian SEWING SILK, entitled to debenture; Sugar House Paper, &c. &c. &c.

December 19 2aw3w

G. & R. WAITE'S

LIST OF PRIZES

IN THE

VINEYARD LOTTERY.

21st Day's Drawing.

No. 11275*	$500
1250* 4041* 12202*	300
4930 4522*	100
13877 15561	50
5694 6384 6391 7861 9727 12348 14463 16472	20
And 110 prizes of	6

22d Day's Drawing.

No. 2029	Prize of	$300
9085		200
5027		100
6125 6708 14434		50
12981		20
And 111 prizes of		6

Those marked (thus *) were all sold at Waite's.

TICKETS,

Halves, Quarters and Eighths, (warranted undrawn) for sale at

G. and R. WAITE'S

Lottery and Exchange office, No. 17, N. Second-street, Philadelphia.

December 22

Fell's-Point Lottery Office.

SECOND DAY'S DRAWING.

Baltimore Hospital Lottery.

No. 3111, prize of	$2000
6329,	500
4334,	200
1789, 3381,	100
1087, 6807	50
And 119 prizes of	30

Gain of the wheel this day nearly $8000.

A few more WHOLE, HALF, QUARTER, and EIGHTH TICKETS, may be had, by applying to S. C. LEAKIN,

No. 1, Market-Space, Fell's-Point.

December 21 d6t

Washington Lottery Office.

BALTIMORE

HOSPITAL LOTTERY,

SECOND DAY'S DRAWING.

No. 3111, prize of	$2000
6329,	500
4334,	200
1789, 3381,	100
1087, 6807,	50
And 119 prizes of	30

Wheel gained nearly $8000

CASH given for Prizes—and TICKETS for sale as usual, by

SIMKINS & CALDWELL.

December 21 d4t

FOR SALE,

A few hogsheads Flaxseed,

Now on board the Joseph & Phœbe, bound for Londonderry.

APPLY TO

JOHN M. KANE,

Corner of Light & Pratt-streets.

December 19 d4t

HISTORY OF PRINTING.

The Subscribers to the *History of Printing* in America; with a biography of Printers, and an account of Newspapers; to which is prefixed a concise view of the discovery and progress of the Art in other parts of the world.

By Isaiah Thomas, Printer.

Are informed, that the work is received and now ready for delivery, by

WARNER & HANNA;

Who have a few more Copies than are subscribed for, and may be had at subscription price.

The Counting-House Calendar,

For 1811,

Is published, and may be had by applying as above.

December 19 d12

CHEESE, FRUIT, SPICES,

PICKLES, &c.

Double Gloucester } English CHEESE, in nice
Old Cheshire } order, & of superior qual.
Goshen Cheese in casks, equal in quality to any in the market
Fresh Muscatel Raisins
Ditto Bloom ditto
Ditto Zant Currants
Soft shell Almonds
Filberts, Prunes, Figs, Oranges, Lemons, &c.

ALSO,

Very fine Apples by the barrel
One box fresh Mace
One case Nutmegs and Cloves
Pepper, race and ground Ginger, Allspice and Cinnamon
Nice Pickled Oysters, in small kegs
Ditto Prones or Shrimps in ditto
Capers, Olives and Anchovies

For Sale by

STILES & WILLIAMS,

Tea-Dealers & Grocers.

WHO HAVE ON HAND,

Double and single refined Salt-petre
Gunpowder in kegs and cannisters
Shot of various sizes
Martinique and white Noyo, two dollars per bottle, a real Cordial, with a variety of other GROCERIES, on the most accommodating terms.

December 15 d10t

FOR SALE OR RENT,

That convenient and well known HOUSE and LOT, situate in the most centrical 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 15 2aw4t*