For Sale,

300 boxes Havana SUGARS. For terms, apply to H. PEIRCE.
October 25. d6t

Robert and John Oliver

HAVE FOR SALE,
90 puncheons of excellent St. Croix RUM.
October 23. d10t

Wanted to Purchase or Hire,

A MAN SERVANT who is capable, and can be well recommended. Apply to the printers. Oct. 23. d10t||

Carolina Rice.

180 Tierces of Carolina RICE, received and offered for sale by
CALHOUN & LAMMOT,
190½, Baltimore-street.
October 24. d5t-eo10t

For Sale,

A Second hand COACHEE, in complete order, with excellent new HARNESS, for cash or approved paper. A ply at No. 3. South Frederick-street.
October 16 d18t

John Walraven,

No. 137, MARKET-STREET,
Has imported per the late arrivals from England, an extensive and general assortment of coarse and fine
Hardware.
September 23. d

To Rent,

And immediate possession given,
THE STORE at present occupied by the Subscriber, one of the best stands in the city, for either the wholesale or retail dry-goods business. For terms enquire of
October 18 d H. PEIRCE.

Notice.

THE Commissioners of the Tax for the city of Baltimore will meet at Fulton's tavern, sign of the Globe, on Tuesday the 5th of November next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. and sit that and the three following days, to make transfers, &c. By order,
WM. GOODWIN, JUN.
Clerk Com. Tax, City of Baltimore.
October 30. d7t

For Sale,

50 hhds. of MOLASSES, now landing on Smith's dock, which will be sold on accommodating terms, if applied for immediately, by LEVERING & NELMS.
October 29. d6t

Lost yesterday or this day,

Probably between Howard and Calvert-streets,
A Number of BANK NOTES, amounting to about 280 dollars, wrapped up in brown paper. Whoever may have found the same, and will leave them at Mess Irvine & Beatty's, 212, Market-street, shall be suitably rewarded. Oct. 29. d3t||

Thomas Hawthorn

Has just received from Dublin, per the ship Liverpool, via Philadelphia,
A Neat assortment of Fine IRISH LINENS and LAWNS, which he offers for sale on his usual terms.
On hand,
A few bales low-priced Blue and Mixt PLAINS. Oct. 26. d6t

Castile Soap.

AN excellent parcel of CASTILE MARBLED SOAP, just received from Treiste, which will be sold low.
On hand,
London particular Madeira Wine in pipes hhds. and qr. casks
Do do Teneriffe do. do.
Lisbon Wine in do. do.
Richmond manufactured Tobacco in kegs, & Patent Sheaves and Pins.
WILLIAM COLE,
4, South-street.
October 12. d

The Business

Which commenced under the firm of JOHN & GEO. REINICKER, will be carried on in future by
John Reinicker,
215, Market-street, next corner below Congress-Hall:
Who has just received by the different arrivals
A SUPPLY OF
Fall and Winter Goods,
Which are offered for Sale at reduced prices for cash or town acceptances.
October 12. d

40 qr. casks Malaga WINE,

entitled to drawback
4 pipes American GIN
50 boxes dipped CANDLES,
Just received per brig Harmony, capt. Hall, from Boston, and for Sale by
JOHN BUFFUM,
84, Bowly's wharf.
October 28. d6t

To be Rented,

A convenient two-story Brick HOUSE, at the corner of Eutaw and Fayette-streets, opposite Mr. Christopher Johnson's. It has a large yard, and a pump of good water near at hand; and it is also convenient to the new market. For particulars enquire of Messrs. HENRY STOUFFER & SON, on the premises.
October 10. d

MRS. HALL,

92, *Market-street,*
Has imported per ship Benjamin Franklin, captain Wicks, from London, via Philadelphia, her
Fall Fashions;
Amongst which are

The Highland Mantle	Netted Fringe
Dress and half dress Bonnets and Caps	Broad silk ditto
Gold and silver Nett Caps	Rich white and black Satin
Silver Sleeves for dresses	Rich black Mode
Rich figured & clouded Velvets, of all colors, with Feathers and Cords and Tassels to match	Gold & Silver Fringe
Rich figured colored Sarsenetts	Gold and silver Trimmings
Figured patent Lace	Gold and silver Tassels for the waist
Black lace Veils	Ditto for caps & bonnets
Trimmings for dresses	Extra long white kid Gloves
Black and white Cord and Tassels	White and colored Crapes
Silk Hair Platts, of all colors	White and colored Gauze
Rich white figured Sarsenet	Artificial Flowers
	White Ostrich Feathers
	Fine white Chips and Leghorns, &c &c.

All of which will be opened on Monday.
And daily expects further Fashions from Paris. Oct. 25. d6t-eo6t

James Biscoe,

21, Calvert-street,
Has Received by the Fame, from Liverpool,
HIS FALL SUPPLY OF
Hardware, Cutlery, &c.
Which renders his assortment very complete,
Among which are,

Spades and Shovels	
Frying Pans and Sad Irons	
Anvils, Vices and Bick Irons	
Hand and Sledge Hammers	
Brass and Iron Wire, No. 1 to 25	
Mill, cross-cut, pit and hand Saws	
London and Bristol Pewter	
Fine and coarse Seine and Sewing Twine,	

All of which will be sold low for cash, or on the usual credit to punctual customers.
Sept. 30. d

Washington Tontine.

SUBSCRIBERS to this institution, who have not fixed the lives on which they choose their stock to depend, will please to take notice, that it cannot be done after the 31st day of December ensuing—the constitution providing that after that day there can be no change of lives. Written directions on this subject, sent to the subscriber in season, will be duly attended to.
BEN. STODDERT.
Ocober 17. d

Patton and Jones

93, *Market-street, Baltimore, and* 44, *Market-street Philadelphia.*
HAVE imported in the late arrivals from London and Liverpool, a complete assortment of Eight-day and Table Clocks, Gold and Silver Watches of a superior quality, Clock Dials, Castings, Forged Works, Slit Pinions, Main-Springs, Glasses from No. 1 to 40, Watch Chains, Seals, Keys, &c.
An invoice of common Silver Watches.
Also,
A large CLOCK, suitable for a public building, with two Dials complete.
10th mo. 19. d10t

Joseph Marzorati,

(Late JOHN GRIGO & CO.)
26, *South-street,*
IS NOW SELLING OFF
AN elegant assortment of LOOKING GLASSES, PRINTS, PICTURES, and every article in his line of business, at *reduced prices* for cash or notes at short dates.
Great Bargains may be expected, as he is determined to close his business in this place.
He requests all those indebted to him to make immediate payment, and those who have claims against him will send them in for settlement. Oct. 24. d12t

P. Hoffman and Son

Have received by the different arrivals from London and Liverpool, their entire assortment of
Fall Goods.
October 16. dt10N

John & James Roberts,

230, *Market-street,*
HAVE JUST RECEIVED,
14 boxes 4-4 and 7-8 white, and 2 ditto 3-4 brown IRISH LINENS.
ALSO,
2 cases Constitution and Hunting Cords
1 ditto Velveteens
2 ditto Dimities
2 bales Drab, mixed and blue plains
1 ditto Cotton Counterpanes
1 box 9-8 Sheeting
6 ditto American Prints and Shawls
1 case brown Holland
1 ditto white Platillas
1 ditto 11-8 Linen Check
2 bales Flannels.
ON HAND,
1 case Seamoises
5 bales India Muslins
1 trunk book-muslin Handkerchiefs, &c. &c.
All of which will be disposed of on reasonable terms for cash, or on their usual credit.
October 21 d20t

Notice.

Farmers Bank of Maryland,
October 28, 1805.
THE Stockholders of the Farmers Bank of Maryland are requested to take notice, that the fifth instalment of five dollars, on each share, will become due and payable at said bank, on Wednesday, the 13th day of November next.
Any stockholder neglecting this notice, will observe, that it is provided by the sixth section of the charter—"That if any stockholder shall fail to make regular payment of any instalment after ten dollars shall have been paid, such stockholder's money in bank, shall remain free from interest, & not entitled to dividend, until such instalment or call shall be made good, and the dividend thereafter to be paid to such stockholder, (as well upon the money by him regularly paid, as upon the money after default) shall be calculated only from the time, when said last instalment was made good. By order,
JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.
(O. 30.) dt12N

The Subscriber

HAVING determined to embark for London in all November next, for the purpose of supporting an appeal from the decision of the vice-admiralty court in the West-Indies, upon the ship Mohawk and cargo, before the high court of appeals in Great-Britain—begs leave to offer his services to the merchants of the United States, or any other persons, who may wish to have commercial business transacted in Great-Britain, either in the court of appeals or otherwise. No attention on his part shall be wanting to merit the approbation of his employers. For information as to his responsibility and integrity, reference may be had to the following gentlemen, viz.
Elias Shipman, merchant, New-Haven.
John Welsh, ditto, Philadelphia.
Israel Munson, ditto, Boston.
Laurence & Whitney, ditto, New-York.
Bigelow & Proud, ditto, Baltimore.
JUNIUS SMITH.
N. B. Communications to Smith, Woodward and Co. New-Haven, will meet due attention.
New-Haven, Con. Oct. 28. d5t

The Subscribers

HAVE received and offer at private sale on liberal terms,
100 chests of Fresh Hyson Skin TEA of good quality.
LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auct'rs.
Oct. 5 eo8t

Notice is hereby given,

THAT I intend to apply to the general assembly of Maryland, at their next session, for an act of insolvency to relieve me from debts which I am unable to pay.
WILLIAM HAYWARD.
Harford county, Oct. 11. 2aw4t-1aw2t||

Fred. Lindenberger & Co.

Have Received by the Ceres, from Liverpool,
A part of their Fall Importation of
Hardware, Cutlery & Saddlery,
Which makes their assortment very general and extensive, among which are the following articles, viz.

Anvils and Vises	Crowley and Blistered Steel
Spades and Shovels	Sheet Iron
Sad-Irons	Girth, Surcingle and Straining Web, &c. &c.
Tailor's and Hatter's Irons	White Lead in oil, in kegs of 14 & 24 lbs.
Iron and Brass Wire	Red Lead
Card Wire	Men's and Women's Saddle-Trees
Guns assorted in cases	Saddler's Tacks
Mill, Cross-Cut and Pit Saws	Sprigs, &c. &c.
Shot and Bar Lead	Powder Proofs and Shot Moulds,
Tin in boxes	
Wraught Nails, from 3d. to 20d.	
Frying Pans	

Which, with almost every other article in the Hardware line, they offer for sale on the usual terms.
September 2. d

Anthony Kimmel and Son,

19, *North Howard-street,*
Have received per the late arrivals from Liverpool and Hull, the greater part of their
Cutlery, Saddlery & Hardware,
Among which are, the best quality Sheet-Iron, Anvils and Vices, which they offer for Sale on the most reasonable terms---and expect by the next arrivals an additional spuply.
Sept. 21. d

East-India Muslins, Silks, &c.

At No. 202, Market-street, opposite the Indian-Queen,

Blue Emerties	White Baftas
Do. Gurrahs	Red Kurrah Cloth
Do. Succatoons	Check Shirts and Trousers
Do. Gilla Hdfs.	1 box black Senshaws
Do. Sooty do.	

The above entitled to drawback.
Also, by the package or smaller quantity,
1 box English Ribbons, 3 boxes black Satins, colored ditto, plain and changeable Lutestrings and Senshaws, silk Handkerchiefs and Shawls; blue, yellow, scarlet and brown Bandannas; striped Satins for vests, fine India book and mull mull Muslins, gurrah and shirting ditto, Indian and Italian Sewing Silks, Velvets and Thicksets, American Prints and Shawls, 200 Umbrellas with borders, Creas, Russia Sail Duck, and Crowley Steel, &c. &c.
32 boxes white Havana Sugar, of superior quality.
WANTED,
A quantity of BEESWAX, for which a liberal price will be given.
COPE & BROTHERS.
Oct. 3. d1m

Dugas and Mitchell

57, Market-street,
Have just received a large assortment of
Fall and Fancy Goods, viz.
500 pieces plain and checked Chamberry Muslin
50 pieces vellum striped do. do.
4-4 & 6-4 lace Cambrics
Plain, striped and spotted Leno Muslins
Diagonal mull do.
Colonade mull do.
Diagonal mull Long Sleeves
Leno do. do.
Crape do do.
Elegant worked Leno Caps
Elegant worked Leno and mull Cloaks
Leno and Crape Veils
4-4 & 6-4 colored checked Cambrics
4-4 & 6-4 Leno Pequet Muslins
2 trunks Madras Handkerchiefs
1 do. farren worked mull Shawls
50 doz. 6-4 7-8 & 8-4 Damask Silk Shawls
1 trunk women's and men's embroidered clock Silk Hose
2 do. plain and open clock Cotton do.
Pink, blue, yellow, orange, coquelico, fawn and black Crapes
White and colored Sarsenets
3-4 & 4-4 double white do.
Sattins, Modes and Persians
Dimities
4-4 & 6-4 Cambric Muslins
Shirting do.
Cambric Handkerchiefs
100 doz. extra long assorted Silk Gloves
60 do. colored white Kid do.
Several bales low priced Plains and Cloths
Kerseys and Kendal Cottons
Bennet's Patent Cords
Windsor Velveteens
Swansdowns, Duffils, Rose and Striped Blankets
Flannels assorted in small bales
Scarlet Serges
Irish and German Linens
Ticklenburgs and Burlaps
10 bales India Muslins.
Also for sale or barter,
100 hhds. TOBACCO.
October 17. d

Francis I. Mitchell,

49, *Market-street,*
Has received, in addition to his former assortment, the following Goods, viz.
Catwa and Burboom Gurrahs
Jalapore and Janna Mamoodies
John Latty Cosseas
Jugdea Baftas
Fine Long Cloths and Shirtings
Sooty and blue Gilla Romalls
Mock Madras Handkerchiefs
200 pieces Bandannoes
2 cases black Senshaws and Lutestrings
2 do. French Lutestrings, Florences, Sarcenets and Pelongs
Ladies' and Gentlemen's laced, clock, silk and cotton Hosiery
100 dozen extra long silk and kid Gloves
Several packages of 7-8 and 9-8 fancy Calicoes and Chintzes
7-8 and 4-4 shirting Cambrics
4-4 and 6-4 white and colored cambric Muslins
Lace Cambrics
Dimities
Elegant lace and sewed muslin Shawls
Lace Veils and Handkerchiefs, &c.
ALSO,
Superfine and second Cloths and Cassimere
Turkey and Swansdown Coatings
Plains, Half Thicks and Kerseys
Flannels, Baises, Flushings, Rose & Duffle Blankets
Thicksets, Corduroys, Velvets, Hunting Cords; Bennet's Patent Cords for Vests and Pantaloons
Irish and German Linens
Bombazetts, Bombazeens, Durants, Wildbores, Calimancoes, &c.
With a general and complete assortment of Mourning.
All of which will be disposed of at the most reduced prices, for cash or short credit.
Sept. 25. d

Baltimore Price Current.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Articles.	Per.	Prices	
BREAD, ship,	cwt.	$3	a 3 25
navy,	—	4 50	4 75
pilot,	—	6 50	
BEEF, northern mess,	bbl.	12 50	13
cargo, No. 1,	—	11 50	
——, No. 2,	—	8 50	9
BACON,	lb.	16	18
BUTTER, for exportation,	—	15	20
COFFEE, Batavia,	—	none	
Bourbon,	—	none	
St. Dom. best gr.	—	31	32
W. India com.	—	29	30
COTTON, W. India island,	—	25	35
Louisiana,	—	25	26
Georgia, upland,	—	25	
Sea-Island,	—	none	
CHOCOLATE	—	22	33
CANDLES, mould,	—	23	24
dipt,	—	19	20
spermaceti,	—	55	60
CHEESE, American,	—	12	plenty
English, best,	—	40	scarce
DUCK, Russia,	blt.	17	21
Holland,	—	24	27
Ravens,	—	14 50	15
British Canvas, No. 1 a 7,	yd.		
Russia Sheeting,	piece	22	23
FISH, cod, dry,	qut.	4 50	5
salmon,	bbl.	10	12
herrings,	—	4 75	5
mackerel,	—	7 50	8
shad,	—	7 50	
FLAXSEED, rough,	bush.	1 50	
cleansed,	csk.		
*FLOUR, superfine, new,	bbl.	7 75	
fine,	—	6 25	
middlings,	—	6	
rye,	—	4 50	4 75
GRAIN, Indian corn,	bush.	75	78
wheat, Virginia,	—	1 50	
do. Maryland,	—	1 50	1 75
Rye,	—	60	none
Barley,	—	80	1
Clover seed,	—	8 50	9
Oats,	—	33	37
HOPS,	lb.	10	12
HOG'S LARD,	—	20	scarce
LEATHER, sole,	—	20	22
§LUMBER, board, oak, 100	ft.	2	
merch. pine,	M.	13	15
clear boards,	—	25	
oak timber,	ft.	16	33
shingles, 18 in.	M.	2 50	3 50
juniper, 22 in.	—	7 25	7 50
oak scant. 100	ft.	2	
staves, w.o. pipe	M.	55	60
do. hhd.	—	28	
hhd. heading,	—	30	none
barrel,	—	16	18
red oak, hhd.	—	20	22
hoops, hhd.	—	25	
MEAL, corn, kiln-dried,	bbl.	4 50	4 75
PORK, northern mess,	—	23	
2d qual.	—	18	19
3d ditto,	—	17 50	
Baltimore packed,	—	18	none
southern, 2d,	—	16	ditto
——, 3d,	—	15	ditto
PLAISTER PARIS, Fr.	ton		none
N. Scotia, cargo pr.	—	8 50	scarce
PORTER, London,	doz.	3	
American,	—	1 25	
RICE,	per 100 lb.	5	dull
SOAP, American, white,	—	10	12
do. brown,	—	9	10
Castile,	—	16	18
SALTPETRE, rough,	—	20	25
refined,	—	30	
SASSAFRAS,	ton	18	20
SPIRITS, Brandy, F. 4th p	gal.	1 6	1 10
Cogniac, 4th p.	—	1 12	1 15
Barcelona, 1st p.	—	75	80
do. 4th p.	—	80	85
Gin, Hol'd, 1st p.	—	1	scarce
do. do. 2d p.	—	1 5	1 10
do. American,	—	67	70
Rum, Jam. 4th p.	—	90	92
St. Croix, 3 & 4	—	80	
Antigua, 3 & 4	—	80	85
Windward 2d	—	70	
Windward 3d	—		
Island 4th	—	75	
American,	—	55	56
Whiskey,	—	50	
SUGARS, Havana, white,	cwt.	15 50	
do. brown,	—	11 50	
clayed, white,	—	13 50	14
do. brown,	—	11 50	
muscov. 1st qual.	—	12 50	14
do. 2d	—	10 11 50	
India, 1st qual.	—	12 50	13
loaf,	lb.	22	23
lump,	—	20	21
†SALT, St. Ubes,	bush.		none
Lisbon,	—	70	75
Cadiz,	—	65	
Liverpool, blown,	—	85	90
Turks-Island,	—	90	none
Isle of May,	—		none
SHOT, of all sizes,	cwt.	14 50	15
TOBACCO, Maryland			
kitefoot, per 100 lb.			
fine yellow, ‡ 1st	—	7 50	8
do. coloury, 1st	—	6	7
Potomac, 1st,	—	5	
East shore, 1st	—	4	4 50
Virginia, fat,	—	6	7
middling,	—	5	5 50
Rappahannock,	—	3	4
Georgia,	—	6 50	
TALLOW, American,	lb.	14	
WAX, bees,	—	35	37
WINES, Madeira, L. P.	gal.	2 70	3
do. L. M.	—	1 50	2
do. N. Y. M	—	1 25	1 30
Lisbon,	—	1 20	
Sherry,	—	1 10	1 15
St. Lucar,	—	none	
Teneriffe,	—	75	90
Claret,	doz.	4	6
do. new,	csk.	35	
Malaga,	gal.	90	95
Port,	—	1 40	

* *Store prices.*
§ *Board measurement.*
† *Cargo prices.*
‡ *Second qualities of fine and coloury are two dollars less; Potomac and Eastern-shore one dollar less.*

A Clerk wanted,

One who is a good accountant, and can come well recommended. Applicants will please leave their address with the printers hereof. Oct 30. d3t

For Sale,

Or for Freight or Charter to any port in Europe,

The substantial fast-sailing Brig
TWO BROTHERS,
Burthen about 200 tons; she will be ready to receive a cargo in twelve days. Apply on board to Peter S. Hartshorne, or to
JESSE HOLLINGSWORTH & SON,
County wharf.
October 30. d

PROCEEDINGS
OF A COURT OF ENQUIRY,
ON THE CONDUCT OF
Captain WILLIAM BAINBRIDGE,
IN THE LOSS OF THE LATE U. STATES FRIGATE
PHILADELPHIA.

U. S. ship CONSTITUTION,
Syracuse, 29th June, 1805.

SIR,
I AM authorised by the honorable the secretary of the navy, to direct that on board the United States frigate President, under your command, you commence a court of enquiry on captain William Bainbridge, late commander of the United States frigate Philadelphia, for the loss of said frigate, and that you report to me, in proper form, the whole extent of the enquiry of said court, with its decided opinion thereon, in order that I may transmit the same to the navy department of the United States.
The court of enquiry will consist of three members, yourself, and captains Hugh G. Campbell and Stephen Decatur, junior.
I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient humble servant,
JOHN RODGERS.
Captain JAMES BARRON,
Commanding the U. S. frigate President.

IN conformity to the foregoing order, the court convened on board the United States frigate President, at anchor in the harbor of Syracuse, at 10 o'clock, A. M. June 29, 1805, present—the president and members of the court, and William Eaton, esquire, acting judge advocate, and being opened, according to law, captain Bainbridge was notified that they were ready to proceed to business: he attended, and the court entered upon the enquiry, by examination of witnesses.

Lieutenant David Porter, of the late frigate Philadelphia; lieutenant Jacob Jones, lieutenant Theodore Hunt, lieutenant Benjamin Smith; Mr. William Knight, sailing-master; lieutenant William Osborn, of the marine corps; Mr. Keith Spence, purser; Daniel J. Patterson, Benjamin F. Read and James Gibbons, masters' mates; midshipmen, Jsmes Biddle, James Henshaw and —— Anderson; Richard Stephenson, gunner; George Hodge, boatswain, and William Godby, carpenter, all of the said frigate, were sworn and approved as witnesses.

Lieut. David Porter testified, that on the 31st October, 1803, about 8 o'clock in the morning, the ship Philadelphia, then under the command of capt. William Bainbridge, and cruising off the port of Tripoli, the wind from the eastward, and the frigate standing in and along shore, discovered a sail on her weather bow, running to the westward, to which she gave chace. The sail was soon distinguised to be an enemy corsair, standing into the port of Tripoli. The Philadelphia continued the chase until she came into about eight fathom water, keeping up a constant fire on the enemy with her bow-guns, until it was found impossible to come up with her without danger of approaching too near the shore; consequently she hauled out to gain an offing. She had constantly three leads going, one dipsey and two hand leads; a lieutenant attending the dipsey, and a midshipman or master's mate at each of the land leads. The ship had about eight knots way upon her. This witness was ordered into the mizen-top to look into the harbor of Tripoli, and observe if any cruizers were in port. At this instant the water shoaled and the helm was put down. He had got about half way up the mizen-rigging, when he felt the ship strike. He immediate returned on deck. All sails were instantly set to endeavor to force her off the bank. Finding this did not succeed, captain Bainbridge asked the witness's opinion what could best be done? Who requested him to consult his officers generally. The lead had been hove under her bows in about twelve feet water. The ship lifted at times abaft and the helm was then clear. The enemy's gun-boats were already seen coming out of port, nine in number, as nearly as the witness recollects. A boat was sent out to sound around the ship, and deep water was found astern. The officers being consulted, were of opinion that endeavors should be used to back the ship off by a press of sail; and if that should not succeed, to run the guns abaft: both were done, and at the same time the anchors cut from the bows, but to no effect. It was then the opinion that the guns should be hove overboard, reserving only enough to resist the gun-boats: this was done. In the mean time, the enemy's passed under the fire of the frigate's stern guns, and took a position on the starboard and weather quarter where no guns could be brought to bear on them by reason of their advantageous position, and the deep heel to port and fixed posture of the ship. Captain Bainbridge now called another council of the officers, who were of opinion that the water should be started in the hold and pumped out and all the heavy articles hove overboard; if that should not succeed, that as a last resort to save the ship, the foremast should be cut away; all these were done to no effect. Orders were then given to the carpenter to go down forward and bore holes through the ship's bottom; and to the gunner to drown the magazine by turning the cock and securing the key: the witness heard the gunner report that he had executed this order. Orders were then given to destroy every thing on board which could be rendered useful to the enemy. It had now already been determined that the flag must be strruck, as no hopes remained of saving the ship, and no possible means of defending her. The colors were accordingly struck, and the enemy took possession. It was now about sun down, and the ship had grounded about half after eleven in the morning, as nearly as the witness can recollect, during which time she was exposed to the constant fire of the gun-boats, but suffered only in her spars and rigging. The ship was lost about three miles and a half from the town of Tripoli, and one and a half from the nearest point of land, which bore south.

Questions by the court.

Had you any boats sufficient to carry out an anchor?

Ans. It is my opinion we had not: but had this been otherwise, the enemy commanded the ground where it would have been necessary to drop anchors.

What water did the ship draw when she went on shore?

As nearly as I can recollect she drew about eighteen feet forward and nineteen and a half abaft.