

sent to the cutting of the same through this state, were read.

To the Editor of the Federal Gazette.
WILLIAMS-PORT, 9th Dec. 1806.

SIR,
The commissioners under the law for locating a road from Cumberland to the state of Ohio, have determined on the principal points to be embraced in the route as follows: to begin at a stone at the corner of Lot No. 1, in Cumberland, near the confluence of Will's Creek and the north branch of Potomac river, thence extending along the street westwardly to cross the hill lying between Cumberland and Gwynn's, at the Gap where Braddock's road passes it, thence near Gwynn's and Jesse Tomlinson's, to cross the Big Younghogana, near the mouth of Roger's run, between the crossing of Braddock's road and the confluence of the streams which form the Turkey foot, thence to cross Laurel hill, near the forks of Danbar's run, to the west foot of that hill, at a point near where Braddock's old road reached it, near Guest's old place, now col. Isaac Masyn's, thence through Browns-ville and Bridge-Port, to cross Monongahela river below Josias Crawford's ferry, and thence on as straight a course as the country will admit to the Ohio, at a point between the mouth of Wheelen Creek and the lower point of Wheelen Island; and desirous of preventing speculation to the injury of the uninformed, they request that, among others to whom they have made a similar address, you will have the goodness to make this as generally known in your quarter as possible.

In behalf of the commissioners,
I am your obedient servant,
ELIE WILLIAMS.

The latest accounts from London, state positively, that all the points of our differences with Great-Britain had been amicably and honorably adjusted; excepting on the question, how far shall the neutral flag protect persons sailing under it? Messrs. Munroe and Pinckney contend, with dignity and firmness, that the neutral flag protects all persons sailing beneath it.—Whereas, the British ministers (lords Auckland and Holland) offer to recognize the principle, that the American flag should protect American citizens.—And that they were willing to explain the word citizen to embrace the naturalized, as well as the natural born citizens. This appeared to be the situation of the question at the last dates:—And Messrs. Munroe and Pinckney declared their confidence in the sincerity and friendly disposition of the British ministers.—May, our last letters, (Oct. 16th) state, the belief that the basis of a treaty had been laid; and, there was no doubt, would be signed, as soon as the news of the virtual repeal of the non-importation law should reach England.

[Boston Centinel.]

SPANISH (OFFICIAL) ACCOUNT OF THE RECAPTURE OF BUENOS AYRES.

Extract from the official accounts received at Havana, relative to the re-taking of Buenos Ayres, by Don S. Liniers.

Aug. 1.—Last night a detachment of 500 English attacked 200 Spaniards, encamped 4 leagues from the city, and made them leave the field, with 4 cannon and 8 prisoners: few were killed or wounded on either side.

5th.—Our transports crossed from Sacramento to the river of Las Conchas, with a favorable SE. wind, and landed 2700 men, with cannon, other arms, &c.

8th.—Very heavy rain from the 6th until last night. We have this moment received news that our troops are marching towards this city, suffering great hardships from the many swamps that lay between us, and impede the passage of the artillery.

10th.—At 12 o'clock, general Liniers sent the lieutenant of infantry Don Hilario Quintance, to ask the British general to surrender himself in the course of fifteen minutes; but that officer returned without an answer, as he was denied admittance into the fort. At 4 o'clock the following letter was sent to the British general:

"Very excellent sir,
"The fate of arms is variable—it is less than a month since your excellency took this capital without any opposition; attacking with a very small number of troops a multitude of people, who surely were more deficient of a good commander, than courage to oppose your intention: but at present, penetrated by the highest enthusiasm and valor, they are ready to throw off a hateful yoke, and to demonstrate that the courage shown by the inhabitants of Ferrol, the Canary islands and Porto Rico, is not a stranger to those of Buenos Ayres. I come at the head of well-disciplined troops very superior to yours. The maritime forces that occupy the entrance of the river will not leave a retreat for your excellency. Thousands of inhabitants, well-armed, full of honor and courage, only wait for a signal from me, to overthrow the British troops. The just esteem due to the courage of your excellency, the great generosity of the Spaniards, and the horrors that inspire the destruction of men, induces me to give your excellency this advice; and as I expect that your excellency is well acquainted with your perilous situation, without resource, you will let me know, in the precise term of 15 minutes, if you are disposed to a desperate effort, and give your troops up to total destruction, or surrender to a generous enemy.

"May our lord guard your excellency many years.

"SANTIAGO LINIERS."
Army before B. Ayres, Aug. 10, 1806.

To the very excellent sir Wm. Carr Beresford.

This letter was answered with the following lines.

"I have taken this town after two victories: its fall arms will decide.

(Signed) BERESFORD."

On the 11th August our troops attacked and entered by assault the Retiro, where we took a guard of fifty men prisoners. We entrenched ourselves here and placed a twenty-four pounder facing every street. All night several skirmishes between our patrols and the advanced guard of the enemy took place.

12th.—All this day and night several skirmishes between the Catalonians and the enemy; our artillery fired also on the British shipping, and did damage. Our long expected long-boats, in which we place great hopes are not arrived yet.

At ten o'clock this morning our brave Catalonians, the Blandengues and dragoons on foot attacked, the enemy at all points. Our artillery was placed fronting the Retiro, and several 24 pounders fronting every street, taking the enemy between two fires. The attack continued very hot till evening, when the British flag was pulled down and the Spanish hoisted. The enemy surrendered themselves prisoners of war, but the officers are to have the honors. The British general and officers were quartered in several houses, and the troops locked up in the corporation houses. The enemy has had many killed and wounded; and we have also had great loss. On the 14th, *Te Deum* was sung with great rejoicings.

The English vessels at Barragan bay have all escaped. Of four ships of the line that presented themselves before this harbor, one was sunk by the forts, two were stranded, and the other escaped.

[The above intelligence was received at New-York, by a passenger in the schr. Maria Theresa, from Havana.]

The schooner Minerva, Beatty, of and from Baltimore, has arrived at Barbados, after a passage of forty days, and expected to sail for St. Pierre, Martinique, in a few days.

Port of Baltimore.

ENTERED,

Brig Carmelite, Gorton,	Trieste
Venus, Prior,	Martinique
Sophia, Carman,	Amsterdam
Schr Adeline, Dameror,	Laguaira
Brutus, Yearly, Port-Spain, Trinidad	
Rosanna, Mull,	Barcelona
Hope, Dowson,	Havana

From the Merchants' Coffee-House Books, January 3.

Agenor, Driscoll, hence, has arrived at Savannah.

The schooner Henrietta, Fearson, hence, at Falmouth, (Jam.) in 13 days.

The ship Betsey and Polly, Haynes, hence, at Charleston.

Arrived, schr. Adeline, Dameror, 24 days from La Guira.—coffee, indigo, and hides.—P. A. Guestier. Left no American vessels. The Luggar Panope, Marin, for this port, sailed same day for some other port on the Main. Spoke nothing on the passage.

Also, schooner Hope, Dawson, 14 days from Havana—sugars—G. F. and L. Warfield. Left ship Halcyon, Brown, for Baltimore, in 3 days; and a few others, names not recollectd.

January 4.

Arrived, brig Sophia, Carman, 65 days from Amsterdam—iron, steel, dry goods, &c.—S. Smith and Buchanan. Sailed in co. with ship Eugenia, for New-York (arrived). Spoke nothing on the passage.

Also, brig Venus, Prior, 27 days from Martinique—sugar—John McIntire and others. Left there, December 7, brig Alonzo, Burgess, for Baltimore in 10 days; sch's Felicily, Besse, do.; Fanny, Hill, do. in 8 days; Minerva, Baly, do. in 8 or 10 days; Henry, Mahon, do. Off Montserrat was boarded by the British sloop of war Cygnat, informed us that they had captured a ship from Martinique for Salem, and sent her in to St. Kitts. Spoke nothing on the passage.

Also, schr Rosana, Mull, 65 days from Salon—Brandy—Robert and John Oliver.

Also, schr Brutus, Yearly, 28 days from Trinidad—Sugars—S. Campbell. Left there, December 6, brig Eliza, Huntington, for Wilmington, N. C. to sail 18th; Robert, Boston, 9th; sloop Triton, Monroe, Rhode-Island, 7th; schr Virginia, Poulson, Philadelphia, 18th; Union, Stanton, N. London, 6th; ship Fabius, Linn, sailed the 6th for eastward of the island; brig Report, Chapman, of Charleston, for Antigua 9th; brig James, Lyal, for St. Thomas in 20 days; Aurora, H. well, N. York, 20 days. Spoke nothing on the passage.

Also, brig Carmelite, Gorton, 95 days from Trieste—Steel, Soap—John S. Home. Spoke nothing.

Also, ship Leda, Spear, from N. York—Lorman and Fulford.

The ship Shepherdess, Smith, from St. Ubes is in the bay.

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M. Elliott said that he had a few days ago presented certain resolutions of the legislature of the state of Vermont, respecting the judiciary, contemplating important alterations. The amendment to the constitution of the United States there proposed, although agreed to by some of the states, had been rejected by others, so as to prevent its being adopted at this time. Material evils, however, did exist, which it was completely within the sphere of congress to remedy.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from the secretary of the treasury, respecting public lands, which was referred to the committee on public lands.

A memorial was presented from David Gelston, collector of the port of New-York, stating that owing to the frauds of persons holding American registers, in covering foreign vessels, he had been induced, by the advice of the United States' attorney, to seize some vessels, on suspicion of their being foreign property; but that not being able to produce sufficient proof, suits had been commenced, and damages awarded against him, to the amount of 9974 dollars, and praying congress to grant him indemnification. Referred to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. Dawson, from the committee to whom was recommitted the "Bill to provide for the punishment of certain crimes against the United States," made a report, to strike out the 3d section of the bill. Referred to a committee of the whole house on Monday.

Mr. Dana rose and observed, that four suits were pending against persons, in cases not provided for by the constitution or laws of the United States, but were carried on under the common law of England: two of these suits were against printers, for publications in their papers; and two were against clerical characters, for words which they had uttered. He wished to know, whether persons accused should not be allowed to give the truth in support of their charges. Under the common law, nothing further was necessary to be done, than that the publication or assertion should be proved to have been made: the truth of them was not allowed to be given in evidence. He then submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to enquire whether prosecutions under the common law should be sustained in the courts of the United States, for libellous publications or defamatory words touching persons holding offices or places of trust under the United States, and whether it would not be proper, if the same should be sustained, to allow the party prosecuted the liberty of giving the truth in evidence; and that the committee have leave to report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Dana moved that the resolution be referred to a committee of the whole house. This motion was opposed by Mr. Bidwell, Mr. Campbell, and Mr. Smilie, on the ground that it would be improper to refer it to a committee of the whole before it was referred to a select committee. It was supported by Mr. J. Clay, who said that by the sedition law a man was allowed to give the truth in evidence, which was not the case under the common law, as it had been acted upon in a certain district of the union: under the latter, therefore, a man was in a worse situation than he would have been under the former.

The question was then taken on referring the resolution to a committee of the whole house, and it was carried in the affirmative, and made the order of the day for Thursday.

Mr. J. Clay, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry patentees, reported "a bill for the encouragement of learning and the promotion of the useful arts," which was read twice, and referred to a committee of the whole house on Tuesday next.

On motion, resolved, That a committee [of seven members] be appointed to enquire whether any, and if any, what further provision ought to be made by law for prescribing the manner in which the public acts, records and judicial proceedings of one state shall be taken in other states, and the effect thereof; and that they have leave to report by bill or otherwise.

On motion, ordered, that the message of the president of the United States, together with the report of the surveyor of the public buildings in the city of Washington, be referred to a committee [of three members.]

Mr. Dawson submitted the following resolution: Resolved, That a committee be appointed to enquire what compensation ought to be made to Messrs. Lewis & Clark and their brave companions, for their late services in exploring the western waters; and that the committee have leave to report by bill or otherwise. Agreed to, and a committee of five members appointed.

Mr. Randolph, from the committee of ways and means, made a report on the petition of Anthony Benzet and others. The report states, that the prayer of the petitioners is reasonable and ought to be granted, which, after some debate, was agreed to by the house.

The house adjourned at about 4 o'clock.

The members of the Mechanical Fire Company are requested to attend an ANNUAL MEETING of the company, at Bryden's, on the evening of the 6th inst; when the roll will be called, at 6 o'clock.

Intercments in the burying-ground of the city and precincts of Baltimore, during the week, ending this morning at Sunrise.

Consumption, - - -	6
Croup, - - - - -	4
Still-born, - - - -	3
Fits, - - - - -	1
Whooping cough, - -	1
Old age, - - - - -	1
Inflammation, - - -	1
Sudden death, - - -	1
Death by laudanum, -	1
Worms, - - - - -	1
Disease unknown, - -	2
Adults, - - - - -	12
Children, - - - - -	10
Total, - - - - -	22

Post-Office, Baltimore, DECEMBER 27th, 1806.

Letters for the British Packet Windsor Castle, for Calcutta direct, will be received at this office, until half past 7 o'clock, A. M. on Sunday the 4th of January next.

CHARLES BURRALL,
P. S. The inland postage to New-York, must be paid on all letters for the Packet.
December 27.

Sale by Auction.

TO-MORROW MORNING,

The 6th instant, at our auction room, head of Frederick-street dock will commence the sale of

A Variety of Dry Goods;

After which at 12 o'clock,
104 lbsds Muscovado Sugar,
84 boxes Brown & White Havana Sugar,
134 bags Coffee,
15 pipes Brandy,
24 punchons Rum,
34 chests Toning Hyson Tea,
Gins, &c. &c.
VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Aucts.

And at private sale,
43 seroons best Lidigo,
20 tons Nicaragua Wood,
403 boxes White Havana Sugar.
January 5.

Sale by Auction.

Will be added to our sale

TO-MORROW MORNING,

The 6th instant, at the head of Frederick-street dock,

20 boxes English Crown Window Glass, 8 by 10.

ALSO,
For account of the underwriters, a part of a Cable.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY,
Jan. 5.

Sale by Auction.

TO-MORROW MORNING,

The 6th instant, precisely at 10 o'clock, at the auction room, corner of Market and Shakespeare streets, Fell's Point,

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Among which are,
Bennet's patent Cord for Waistcoating,
Ditto ditto ditto Pantaloons,
Velvets, Fancy Cords and Corduroys,
Cloths and Coatings,
Red, Yellow, and White Flannels,
An assortment of Household Furniture,
Groceries, &c.

And at 12 o'clock,
The service of a Negro WOMAN, for 6 years, sold for no fault, but want of employ.

JOSEPH CLARK, Auctr.
January 5.

Lorman and Fulford,

Offer for sale, received per the ship Leda, captain Spear, from New-York,

401 boxes Castle Soap, entitled to drawback,

14 tierces of Alum,
5 do. of Copperas,
20 cases Sulphur,
17 casks Spanish Brown,
117 blbs prime Pork,
And a quantity of English Coal.

On hand,
Hyson, Young Hyson, and Hyson Skin Teas, of the latest importations.
January 5.

Just Received

30 bales Gurrahs,
10 ditto Sumpores,
6 ditto Bafias,
4 ditto Punjums,
All of good quality; and for sale on reasonable terms.

WM. YOUNG LEWIS,
20, Calvert-street.
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January 5.

Notice

Is hereby given, that the partnership heretofore carried on under the names of M'Comas and Millar, was by mutual consent dissolved on the fifth day of Dec last. All persons indebted to, or having claims against the same, are requested to call on F. I. Mitchell of the city of Baltimore, for settlement by us, fully authorized for that purpose by us.

IONAS H. M'COMAS,
HORATIO S. MILLAR.
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Jan. 5.

For Sale,

2000 boxes blue marble Castle Soap, made at Loughon purposely for the West India market,

2 cases Straw Hats,
110 bales Linen Rags,
1 case French Cambrics,
1 do. Shirting and Sheeting Linen,
20 tons Logwood,
15 do. Nicaragua do.
Champaign Wine, white and red, of very superior quality in cases of 5 dozen each,
Claret, in cases from 1 to 4 dozen,
Do. in hhdls
London particular Madeira Wine, in pipes & hhdls, old and fit for immediate use,
London Particular Teneidite, in pipes,
Lisbon, in pipes and hhdls,
Port, in do. do. and quarter casks.

For sale, by

WILLIAM COLE,
No. 4, South-street.
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January 5.

Advertisement.

IF MARGARETT HADRICK, who heretofore has resided on Fell's Point, is living, she will hear something to her advantage, by enquiring at No. 137, Baltimore-street. Any information respecting her, being left as above, will much aid the cause of humanity.
January 5. d3t

For Freight or Charter,

For a port in Europe, or the West-Indies, (A port in the Atlantic ocean would be preferred.)

The good substantial Brig

Captain Chase;
Burlton 160 tons, will be ready to receive a cargo, in 4 or 5 days. Apply to

JOHN BOLTE, Ship Broker,
January 5. e0

By Order of the Orphans' Court of Baltimore County.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber of the city of Baltimore, hath obtained from the orphans' court of Baltimore county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Winkles B. Goldthwaite, late of Baltimore county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 6th day of July next, they may otherwise by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this fifth day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and seven. ISAAC PHILLIPS, Administrator of Winkles B. Goldthwaite.
January 5. 2aw12t

For Sale,

A two-story Brick HOUSE and LOT, 30 feet front on Market-street, Fell's Point, and about 200 feet deep.

One ditto and LOT, 30 feet front on Shakespeare-street, about 107 feet deep.

One small Frame HOUSE and LOT, 15 feet front on Ann-street, running back about 160 feet to an alley.

The above property is subject to ground rent, and offered on very moderate terms, by the subscriber, who wishes to settle all his affairs immediately. If not disposed of previous to the first of April, it will on that day be sold at auction for cash.

P. DAWSON,
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January 5.

Wood for Sale.

500 Cords of WOOD for sale, about 3-1/2 miles from the City, on the land adjoining Fletcher's Fish-House. The wood is of the best quality, a great proportion being of black Jack. It will be sold at a reasonable price on the land, or delivered to any part of the city. For terms apply to Mr. Joseph Oldham, cooper, No. 5, South-street, near the Mayor's Office, or at Mr. Chase's wharf, on the west side of Jones' Falls, where a quantity will be deposited.
January 5. d

For Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale the HOUSE and LOT which he at present occupies as a Rope Walk and Hemp House.—The Lot is 29 feet fronting on Pitt-street, and 235 feet, more or less, to Schley's-lane, also 29 feet front on said lane, and immediately opposite Caroline-street. The house is a two-story brick, and has been built upwards of 2 years, and can conveniently be converted into a dwelling house; it is a healthy and pleasant situation, and has the advantage of good water, but a few paces from the door. The Shed is red cedar posts and a good shingle roof, has been built upwards of 5 years. This house and lot will be sold in the simple, with or without the shed, as may suit the purchaser; it being in a central situation between town and Point; it would answer well for a Twine factory.

ALSO,

A Lot in fee simple, adjoining the above, 40 feet front on Pitt-street, 90 feet deep, more or less—on this Lot there is a two-story Frame Building, with stabling for horse and cow.

ALSO,

A new two-story brick house, with good dry cellars, and convenient back buildings.—The Lot is 23 feet front, and 150 feet deep, situated in Dulany-street, and an alley. This house and lot will be sold in fee simple, or on ground rent, as may suit the purchaser; there is a pump of good water near the door.

Terms of sale, one third cash, the residue in six and twelve months.

JACOB SHINNICK.

N. B. The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that he continues the business as heretofore, and should he sell his present place, he has purchased a very suitable place, where he intends erecting a Rope Walk, and extend his business, and by his assiduity and attention to merit a share of the public patronage.

J. S.
January 5. e08t]]

Five Dollars Reward.

WAS Lost on Saturday morning last, between St. Paul's-Lane and the west end of Market street, or in Hanover-street, a Lady's Gold Watch-Case, It is handsomely engraved on the back, and cyphered A. M. T.—The finder shall receive the above reward, by delivering the case at the office of the Federal Gazette.
January 5. d

Bandano Handkerchiefs.

FOUR cases of Bandano Handkerchiefs, handsomely assorted, for sale, apply to

FRANCIS JOHNSON.
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January 3.

NOTICE.

THE firm of Yundt & Brown being now dissolved by mutual consent, all persons having claims against it or either of the partners, are requested to hand them in for settlement—and all those indebted, are desired to make payment to either of the collectors, Mr. Cunningham and Mr. Steiger, who will call upon those in the city; or to themselves, at their late office in St. Paul's-Lane, where attendance will, till further notice, be given for that purpose.

Gentlemen beyond the reach of a personal call, are earnestly desired to examine their last receipts, and to remit whatever is due, by mail or otherwise. Whatever they may forward above the amount due to us, shall be faithfully accounted for, if it be their wish, to our successor in the business.

From all our customers, we confidently look for their usual punctuality. Our open accounts are nearly 8000 in number, and on the speedy liquidation of them, will depend much of the remuneration of 12 years toil.

LEONARD YUNDT,
MATTHEW BROWN.
December 31. d1m

Sweet Oil, &c.