

A Red Morocco Pocket-Book,

Was lost yesterday, containing three Notes of the Office of Discount and Deposit at Charleston, S. C. of one hundred dollars each. A Five Dollar Note of the Hager's town Bank, and some papers of use to none but the owner.

The finder shall be entitled to Fifty Dollars of the Money, on leaving the Pocket-Book, with the remainder of the contents, with Mr. Nathan Hussey, in North Howard-street. June 6 d44

Pocket-Book Lost.

Lost last evening, supposed in the Theatre, an Old Red Morocco POCKET-BOOK, containing a number of Papers, Notes of Hand on persons out of the city; together with 1 Ten, 2 Five, and 1 Three Dollar Notes.—The papers are of no use to any person but the owner. The money in the Pocket-Book, and 20 dollars additional, will be given to any person leaving the Pocket-Book and Papers, with the Editors of the Evening Post, and no questions asked. June 6, d44

Benjamin and Geo. Williams

Have received by the brig Decatur, from Bordeaux, and offer for sale at their store, No. 3, Bowly's wharf.

2 cases of Fancy Goods,

Consisting of Fine Cambric, Men's & Women's Fashionable Silk Hoses, Elegant Silk Shawls, Crapes, White & Pink Sarsnet, and about 150 pieces Straw and Silk, (elegant for ladies Hats and Bonnets) sufficient in each piece for a bonnet.

AND, 40 pipes high brand proof Brandy. All entitled to drawback. June 6, d44-eo44

Wm. & Jerm. Hoffman,

No. 3, South Charles-street, Have imported a neat selection of

IRISH LINENS.

4-4 SHEETINGS. Lawns & Dowls, purchased in the Dublin market on short time, and received here by the ships Abcona and John Adams from Liverpool, on May 11. d

Best Russia clean Hemp.

Russia Sheetings } entitled to drawback
Sherry Wine }
AND
3000 bushels yellow Corn.
For sale by
SCHULTZE & VOGELER.
May 13. d

Isaac Burneston,

No. 196, MARKET-STREET, has on hand a assortment of

SPRING GOODS.

Also, German and India Goods, A choice parcel of first quality white Tick, lenburgs, Gurrahs, &c. May 4. d36t

Susquehanna Canal.

A Special meeting of the proprietors of the Susquehanna Canal will be held at Bryd's Inn, in the City of Baltimore, on Monday, the 15th day of June, instant at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on business of great interest and importance to the Company. A punctual and general attendance in person or by proxy is earnestly requested and recommended. By order of the Governor and Directors, S. STERETT, Secy. d15th June 4.

Salad Oil and Russia Hemp.

200 cases and 170 boxes FRESH SALAD OIL, 15 tons CLEAN RUSSIA HEMP, Just received per schooner Man's Daughter, captain White, from Salem, and for sale by BUFFUM & GOODHUE, No. 84, Bowly's wharf. d3t-c3t June 6.

Just Received

By the schooner Eagle from Lagaira, and for sale, 100 bbls. and 40 bags best Green Coffee, 63 bales Cotton, Entitled to drawback. By JAMES OWINGS, No. 97, Bowly's wharf. d3t June 5.

For Sale,

And worthy of attention, THE Subscriber being in the decline of life, and desirous of withdrawing from business, now offers for sale the following FULLY-ABLE PROPERTY, occupied by him, lying in the centre of Chestertown, Kent county, state of Maryland, viz.

That valuable LOT OF GROUND, at the corner of High and Princess-street, 198 feet on the former, and 148 feet on the latter, on which are erected the following buildings: A two-story frame House, now occupied as a store, 50 feet on High-street, and 24 feet on Princess-street, weather-boarded with yellow poplar, dry cellar under the whole, and an excellent garret with ten dormer windows. A two-story Granary or Warehouse, 75 feet by 32 feet—an extensive garret with six dormer windows.

A two-story brick House, 46 feet by 32 feet, with a large airy passage in the centre, well finished, & a dry cellar under the whole—adjoining which is a two-story frame Kitchen, 36 feet by 18 feet, with a room for a house-keeper or nursery below, and bed-chambers above.

A Stable with nine stalls for horses and cows, a Carriage-House, Smoke House, Hen-House, &c. &c. and an excellent Garden, with a pump therein.

Also, a two-acre Lot of Ground, now in timothy. The above improvements are faithfully built and in good repair; and this very valuable property is worthy of attention, and will be sold on moderate terms. Any person, desirous of purchasing, may apply to WILLIAM BURNESTON or ISAAC BURNESTON, Baltimore; JOHN KENNARD or LAMBERT W. SPENCER, Eastern; or to the subscriber, on the premises.

WILLIAM BURNESTON.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to PHILIP F. RASIN & CO. are earnestly requested to pay their respective accounts, or close the same by bond or note, before the first day of January next. Those whose accounts may be standing open at that date, may expect them to be placed in the hands of an attorney.

PHILIP F. RASIN & CO.

August 20. e2W

BOSTON, June 3.

Arrived, ship Lucy, Ingles, of Kingston, Liverpool, 41 days. Left, Swift, Pierce, New-York, 8 days; Latona, Alden, Baltimore, soon; Henry, Merrihew, of New-Bedford, for New-York; Washington, Adams, of Marblehead, for Boston, soon; Brutus, Tobey, N. York; Canowa, Thamas, of Boston, from Charleston; General Scott, McCar, Philadelphia, soon; Francis, Cutler, Baltimore, ditto; John, Lincoln, Portland, ditto; Eliza, Sater, ditto, ditto; Avarick, De Cost, New Bedford, 10; saltic, Delano, New-Orleans, 10th May; Abeona, Allen, Philadelphia, 10 days; Resolution, brown, of Portland, for Boston, uncertain; Georgia, Pierce, Savannah, 4; Savannah, Delano, ditto; Albion, Devens, uncertain; Vigilant, Bosworth, of Bath, City Point; Yorkshire, Lee, New-York; Yorick, Lambart, Newburyport, uncertain; Isabella, Nutter, of Wiscasset, for City Point, 3; Golden Rule, Davis, of ditto, for Boston, 2d May; Octavia, Boyd, just arrived; Caledonia, Dickson, Norfolk, in 30 days. The Fame, Howland, on shore at Hoylick, expected to be got off without damage. The Neptune, Couthway, of Boston, from Charleston, has been lost near Waterford. The bacchus, for Boston, sailed 5 days before the Lucy. Sailed in co. ship Aristides, Williams, of Boston, for Charleston. Arrived at Falmouth, ship Parnassus, Allen, 65 days; brig Vancouver, Crandon, 76. At Galloway, Olympus, Leonard, At Dublin, Village, Dolin, 56 days. Spoke, in long, 64, schr. Jeremiah, from Marblehead, for Grand bank.

brig Gosport, Ford, Newfoundland. (Via quarantine) schr. Mercator, Harding, Jamaica, 38 days. Left at Montego bay, brig Jane, Rust, for Boston. Schooner William, Harris, Havana, via Charleston, 60 days. May 18, lat. 34, 20, long. 75, 30, spoke brig Cyrus, Appleton, from Boston, 16 days out. brig Liberty, Perkins, Demerara. Left, April 27, ship Huron, Newell, for New-York, in 18 days; brig George Washington, Blunt, for Portsmouth, in 15; brig Polly, Manson, for do. in 15; schooner Eliza, for Stonington in 10; a sloop from New-London, just arrived. May 23, lat. 41, 10, long. 65, spoke ship Eleanor, of Portland, 3 days from New-York, bound to Liverpool.

Schooner John, Cogshall, of Wiscasset, Grenada, 25 days. Left 4th May, ship Mesrose, Kelly, for Norfolk, in 15 days; schr. William, Otis, Wiscasset, 7 days; Fame, Goodwin, for Martinique, 4 days; Betsy, Little, Bamaiscotta, 19 days; Hazard, Barton, Thomastown, 10 days; Unity, Towns, Kennebank, 15 days; Swift, Patterson, of Wiscasset, for Guadalupe.

Schr. William, Harris, 60 days from Havana, via Charleston. Cleared, ships Olive Branch, for Rio-de-la-Plata and India; Levant, Proctor, China; brigs Joseph, Prior, Palermo; Henry, Groves, do.; Mayflower, Bunting, Amsterdam; Favourite, Stacy, for Mogadore; sch's Windsor, Harris, Windsor; Speedwell, Latham, Yarmouth; Mayflower, Clephing, Halifax; Sally and Lois, Brown, Yarmouth.

Arrived at Quarantine, Brig Minerva, Sinclair, from St. Croix, 18 days; schr. Robert, Black, Havana. Brig Rubicon, Thomas, from Havana, 12; Eliza, Bacon, do. 13; sch's Federal Jack, Collins, do. 15; William Henry, Stockwell, Matanzas, 18.

From our late London papers, The Galen, Stedman, for Boston, and Amelia, for do. lay wind bound (wind S. W.) in the Downs, 13th April; also, several vessels bound to the Southern States, armed ships, &c. The West-India fleet was at St. Helens, 9 April, waiting a fair wind. The Fame, from Trinidad, arrived at Greenock, 3d April; passenger, Robert Poscoe, one of Miranda's lieutenants. The American ship Virginia, from Batavia, with spices, detained by the Scorpion, arrived at Falmouth, April 5. The John Adams, from Alicante, arrived at Rotterdam, 24th March. The Two Friends, for Charleston, sailed from Deal, 14th April. The Washington, Crocker, of Boston, and Only Son, Davis, of Plymouth, from Rotterdam, arrived at Dublin. The Hesper, from Boston, has been sent into England. The Commerce, from Virginia; Alice, from Lisbon; Perseverance, and Vansarrow, from N. York, arrived at Falmouth, between 1st and 11th April. The Two Brothers, from Cadiz, at Hull. The ship Betsy, from Tenerife, for Tonningen, arrived off Dover, 6th April. The Helena, Cornelia, Eolus; Rising States, and Paragon, from Charleston, at Cowes. In the Downs, Helen, Foster, from Boston. The Salerno, from Oporto; and Enterprise, from Philadelphia, arrived at Bristol. The Boston, from Palermo, at Penzance.

NEW-YORK, June 5.

ARRIVED, The brig Calliope, Records, 8 days from Charleston. The schr. Dispatch, Smith, 7 days from Richmond. The schr. Atalanta, Parker, 9 days from Charleston. The schr. Enterprize, Pratt, of Hingham, 79 days from Naples. The ship New-Jersey, Williams, of N. York, sailed the 16th March, for Sicily and New-York. The ship Carpenter, Myers, of Salisbury, sailed 2 weeks before for Manfredonia and Lisbon; ship Juliana, Collins, of Boston, was going the same voyage; and indeed almost all the American vessels at Naples had been chartered to carry wheat to Lisbon and other places—wheat was only 50 cents per bushel at Naples.

The brig Cleopatra, Hoadley, 11 days from Savannah. The sloop Antelope, Tupper, from Jamaica, Charleston, and 5 days from Norfolk.

The sloop Mary-Ann, Gregory, of Guilford, 11 days from Savannah. On Sunday last, was brought to by the American brig Edinwa, (after receiving 3 shots,) from Baltimore.

The sloop Jefferson, Derrickson, 8 days from Norfolk. The schr. Trimmer, Dulton, 5 days from North-Carolina.

At quarantine, the schr. Commerce, Stevenson, 32 days from St. Pierres, and 18 from Antigua. Left at Martinique, brigs Eliza-Ann, and Nancy, both of Baltimore.

June 6. We have nothing particularly new by the ship American Eagle, from Monte-Viedo, which has not been received by former arrivals, though she left there the 3d of April. Captain King confirms all the particulars of the capture of Monte-Viedo; and adds, that there would be but little difficulty in recapturing Buenos-Ayres, which would be attempted as soon as the expected reinforcements arrive. It appears that the Spaniards were very much disheartened after the fall of Monte Viedo, because they thought themselves perfectly secure within the strong walls of that place.

It will be recollected, that according to our last accounts, the British had sent a part of their troops against Colonia, which is about 30 leagues to the westward of Monte-Viedo. This place, captain King informs us, they took without firing a gun. The Spaniards laid down their arms at the first summons, and 500 British troops entered that place about the 15th of March.

When captain King sailed, Gen. Beresford was at Monte Viedo, having made his escape as before stated; and, it was said, that he was on the eve of sailing for England. Arrived, the ship American Eagle, King, 60 days from Monte-Viedo. In lat. 16, long. 56, was boarded by two French privateers, under British colours, and treated politely.

The British ship Mary, Parker, 20 days from St. John. The elegant ship Boston, Trott, 8 days from Boston. The ship Victory, Hopkins, 19 days from Point Petre, Guadalupe. The ship Peter, Williams, sailed for New-York the day before the Victory.

The schooner Huntress, Montgomery, 6 days from Philadelphia. Retained, the ship Alexander, Wickham, for Liverpool, wind bound. Cleared, ships Lavinia, Sharp, Greenock; New-York Packet, Cottle, Bristol; brigs Henry and Isabella, Higby, St. Bart's; Bedford, Dunbar, Liverpool; schrs. Argonaut, Ketchum, St. John, N. B.; Sperry Baker, Leach, Antigua; Linnet, Patterson, Newfoundland; Charlotte, Caldwell, Jamaica; Canton, Carter, Richmond; Clotilda, Goodwin, ditto.

A vessel has arrived at Boston, in a short passage from Lisbon—the brig Hope, Williams; ships Crawford and Illinois, had arrived in short passage from New-York. Flour was 9 dolis.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6. Arrived, ship Young Elias, Morris, Bordeaux, 54 days; brig Lucy, Rehen, St. Croix, 16; schs. Whitney, Lord, Bermuda, 22; Rover, Coleman, Boston, 13; Susan, Howard, Portland, 13; sloops Hancock, Norton, Boston, 7; Susannah, York, Portland, 18. Arrived at the Lazaretto, ship Three Sisters, Driver, Bassatere, 16; brig Lucy, Peckham, St. Croix, 17; Hetty, Bellows, P. Petre, 23; schr. Two Brothers, Dove, do. 21.

Cleared, ship Fabius, Cole, Marseilles; brigs Clio, Heynegan, Cayenne; Eliza, Baker, Savannah; schooners Juno, Carnes, Boston; John, Hewitt, Baltimore; sloop President, Ireland, Petersburg. Ships Roba and Betsy, for Hamburg; Bramin, for Batavia; Frederick Augustus, for Amsterdam; brig General Eaton, for Kingston, &c. went to sea on Tuesday last.

Capt. Thackara, of the ship Richmond from Calcutta, adds, in addition to his former report, that the ship Fame, Briggs, was to sail for Salem, in 2 weeks; the Catharine, Beckford, for do. in 4 weeks; and the Oliver Elsworth, Ely, in 2 weeks for N. York. The True American, Tracy, of New-York, has arrived at Madras. On the 20th Feb. spoke the Russel, 74, captain Caulfield, who informed us, that in conjunction with the Coluden, 74, and Bellescaux and Thespian frigates, under the command of sir Edward Pellew, had taken and destroyed thirty vessels. The Russel had in company with her the ship Minerva, capt. Hussey (late captain Page) of Providence. A Mr. Allen, supercargo, whom they had taken at Batavia, and were carrying for Bombay or Pimcomul, informed us, that sir Edward Pellew had gone to cruise in the China Seas. May 7th, spoke a schooner belonging to Rhode Island, from the Coast of Africa, with a cargo of slaves! bound to Charleston. May 30th, spoke brig William, of Portland, from Baltimore, bound to Nantz, out 36 days.

Yesterday arrived, schr Whitney, Lord, 12 days from Bermuda. Left there the 24th ult. ships Titus, Cushing, of Philadelphia, condemned, part of the cargo ordered for further proof; Cicero, Smith, of do. ship and cargo condemned, brought in, to sail for Philadelphia in a few days; Apollo, Latimore, of Baltimore, ship cleared, cargo ordered for further proof, to sail in a few days for Philadelphia; Baltic, Donaldson, of Philadelphia, tried, and waiting the judges decree; Columbia Packet, Wetherell, of do. do. do.; Destine, Bernard, of New-York, waiting trial; Uptolla, of Baltimore, under Swedish colors, waiting trial, from Cape-Francois, bound to Baltimore; Eliza, Balsb, from Matanzas, bound to Charleston, waiting trial; brigs Mary, Marshal, English colors, condemned; Ann and Francis, Gifford, of Newport, vessel and cargo order for further proof; James, Price, of Hartford, waiting trial; schr. Rosanna, Mulls, of Baltimore, do. do.

The brig Carmelite, of Baltimore, bound to the Mediterranean, put in in distress, cargo discharged, brig condemned as unseaworthy. Yesterday, arrived, ship Richmond, Thackara, from Calcutta—left the Sandheads 12th February. Ship Commodore, Davy, and ship Atlantic, Backham, for N. York would sail 2 weeks after the Richmond.

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Trial of Col. Burr.

TAKEN FOR THE FEDERAL GAZETTE

Wednesday, June 3.

After the grand jury had retired, Mr. Hay moved that they should be called into court, if neither the court nor the counsel of colonel Burr, had objections.—After the grand jury had entered, Mr. Hay proposed that as general Wilkinson could not be expected from every calculation he had made, sooner than ten or twelve days, that the grand jury be adjourned until about the 16th instant. He said the distance from this to New-Orleans was 1370 miles, and allowing gen. Wilkinson to ride thirty miles per day, it would take 44 days to perform the journey.

Mr. Wickm. replied.—He said the last information Mr. Hay furnished the court, was from the secretary at war, who, stated gen. Wilkinson would be at Richmond between the 28th and 30th. He said that therefore the general might be expected daily if not hourly.—Mr. Hay answered, that he supposed the secretary of war had made his calculations erroneously, upon the supposition that the message to New-Orleans, had arrived sooner than it actually did.

Col. Burr rose and said, there were many inconveniences in the plan now proposed. The estimate of the distance might be correct; but if the gentleman had stated with more precision the measures which the government took, the court might have been able to form a more correct opinion on the subject. He supposed it was by no means certain, that general Wilkinson would prefer a land passage. The gentlemen of the grand jury lived at a great distance, and he therefore thought there could be no impropriety of adjourning from day to day, as the general might hourly be expected.—Luther Martin made some observations to the same purpose, and remarked that a military character, such as general Wilkinson, could certainly never be confined on his march to thirty miles a day. Besides, the celerity of the motion of general Wilkinson, was notorious, and had long been the subject of admiration. He said he himself, ought to be at the court of appeals in Maryland next Monday; but that it was not personal motives that induced him to oppose the motion of the attorney, but a belief that general Wilkinson would certainly be here in a few days.—Mr. Hay and Mr. Wickham, said each a few words more upon the same business, and the court at length agreed, that the grand jury be adjourned until next Tuesday at two in the afternoon.

DEBATE On the motion (made on the 25th) to commit Colonel Burr—continued. From the Enquirer. Mr. EDMUND RANDOLPH addressed the court to the following effect: Sir, it would have been impossible for me, even had we received due notice of this motion, to have availed ourselves of the time that was allowed to us. That would have been impossible, because the enormity of the proposition itself would have baffled all our consideration and all our researches. Mark the course, sir, which has been pursued towards my unfortunate client. First he was brought here under a military escort. Then that little folio of depositions and affidavits was laid before your honor: Then the charge of treason; and then that little cock-boat which was destined to attend this great ship on a foreign expedition! You heard it all, sir, and what did you say? You bound colonel Burr to bail, simply on the charge of a misdemeanor, to appear here at the opening of the court; but not contented with this security, you superadded, that he was not to leave the court until it had discharged him. You opened the door too for an ulterior prosecution; you declared that

if the attorney for the United States should obtain any additional evidence, the judgment which you then rendered, would not prevent his indicting col. B. on the charge of treason.

Sir, thus stands the case, as it was understood by the whole universe. On Friday we came here to meet the world; Friday, however, passes away and nothing is done. On Saturday, we came here again; Saturday also passes away and nothing is done. But on Sunday, sir, is broached this new-fangled doctrine, which now excites our astonishment. They demand precedents, sir, for our conduct; and who are they that require it? Why, sir, they take things out of the ordinary course of the law. For thirty years, I never saw such a proceeding—I have never read of such a one in the English books; and yet these gentlemen call upon us for precedents.

If we are asked for our reasons, sir, we should have enough to offer. And first, a judge in the federal court, sitting in the capacity which your honor now fulfils, would be in the same relation to the accused as an examining judge is in the state courts. But, sir, whoever invited a single magistrate or a state court to augment the bail of any individual in the situation of col. Burr? If a man be bound in a distant country to answer to a misdemeanor, and another crime was to be brought against him to be predicted on the very same evidence, have you, sir, ever known the trying court to increase his bail? There never was such an example, sir.

Mr. Botts's remark, sir, is not to be answered. You are changing the constitutional organ of justice. You are completely blotting out the functions of a grand jury. The witnesses will all be produced before you; but no, improper as this proceeding will be, it is still less so than that which they will actually pursue: None of the United States witnesses will be brought before you, but those whom they may think it proper to introduce; and degraded for the sake of this court as may be expected to bias their judgment. Well, sir, what will be the consequence? When the grand jury are about to retire to their own chamber, they will be told that you have demanded additional bail. Are you then, sir, to be a pioneer of blood for the grand jury? Is not this precedent outrageous, sir? The boasted principle that no man is to be condemned but upon the verdict of 24 of his peers, is gone. Throughout this town, it will be universally reported that you have solemnly declared Aaron Burr guilty of high treason against the U. S. and some of those to whom the honour may extend may hereafter be impeached on the petty jury.—And will they feel themselves altogether unbiased by your judgment? Why, sir, let it be declared at once, that the grand jury is to be struck out as an intermediate organ of justice.

Do not, I pray you, sir, let us suffer for the delays and negligence of other people. I cannot blame the United States attorney; it is his business to obey the instructions of the government, and if the witnesses are not here, it is certainly no fault of his. But surely there is time enough to travel from New-Orleans to this city in 17 days; even with the gigantic "bulk" of gen. Wilkinson himself.

Mr. Hay says our tone is changed. And how, sir? We demand a trial now. We demand a fair trial. But must we not therefore protest against a measure, which is calculated to defeat this object? Certainly, sir. You are called upon to prejudice the minds of the grand jury. But sir, in this interesting case, where liberty and life themselves are endangered, I trust that some hard-mouthed precedents will be found in opposition to this procedure. We have come here to answer to every charge which may be urged against us. We have come here to answer in a precedent and constitutional manner. But little did we expect, that the court would decide in the first instance, in stead of the grand jury; that the sentiments of the grand jury were to be prejudiced by an unconstitutional decision; and that the court itself was to commit its opinion on certain points, which would regularly be brought before them for argument and for decision at some of the ulterior stages of the prosecution.

"Why said Mr. Wirt do you shrink," sir, trace the course of the prosecution, and see who it is that retires from the contest. On Friday the U. S. attorney was not ready; On Saturday he was not ready; and now indeed he will not probably be ready before Monday next. Sir, who is it that shrinks? And yet does the attorney positively aver that he has evidence enough.

We are charged, sir, with addressing the multitude. Mr. Wirt says that he could, but would not, imitate the example. But neither he nor Mr. Hay have spared the theme. Sir, I will not deny the justness of his eulogiums upon the administration; but permit me only to remark, that there has been a certain conduct observed towards col. B. which excites my deepest astonishment. When I look at the first man of the government, I behold an individual whom I have long known, and whose public services have commanded my admiration. When I look at the second, sir, he has my whole heart. But, sir, the inquiry which is now before us relates not so much to the intention as to the effect. An order has been given to treat col. B. as an outlaw, and to burn him and his property. And, sir, again, when the house of representatives demanded certain information, as it was their right and their duty to do, the president granted it; and would to God, sir, that he had stopped here, as an executive officer ought to have done. He proceeded however, to say, that col. Burr was guilty of a crime; and consequently to express an opinion which was calculated to operate judiciously upon the judges and the juries. Such was the substratum of all the censures which have been heaped upon col. Burr.

Mr. R. proceeded to touch upon a subject to which Mr. Hay had referred.—Col. Burr was arrested in the Mississippi Territory—was there no court there? Was there no judge of integrity to try him? Arrived too