In the present case, although I feel myself justified as the writer of the letter, I feel myself bound, both by prudence & duty, not to appear in the character of an accuser of the Speaker upon charges not my own, but those which he has requested to be investigated. I need not advert to circumstances which render it peculiarly improper at the present time. The deep excitement which the important crisis has produced, the unequal contest between an humble member on the floor and the Speaker of the House, are themselves, circumstances which cannot be overlooked in coming to the conclusion that the issue should be left before the American people, or the ordinary tribunals of the country; and I therefore protest against the proceedings in this view, as well as against the power of the House to exercise jurisdiction over me, as being equally calculated to restrain the exercise of my just rights, in an unconstitutional manner.

I have the honor to be, with great respect, your obedient servant,

GEO: KREMER.

Washington, Feb. 8, 1825.

DESCRIPTION OF MR. KREMER.

A letter published in the New York Commercial, of which this is an extract, gives the following brief account of the letter writer against Mr. Speaker Clay:

"Kremer is a strong, broad shouldered, coarse looking Pennsylvania farmer, with a florid face and short, stiff, sandy hair. His dress is often slovenly, but his mind is sturdy and vigorous, and when much excited he utters a deal of plain sound sense, directly to the point. Nothing can be more dissonant than his voice, or more odd and awkward than his gesticulation. I wondered when I first saw him how such a man ever came on the floor of Congress, where he certainly seemed a sort of anomaly; but I afterwards ceased to wonder; and considering the republican complexion of our instructions and habits, it is not surprising that a man with an amount of spirit which approaches to turbulence, a strong voice, vehement manner, a German tongue, and long habits of political contest, should at length make his way to this floor, from a State like Pennsylvania. They say he is a prime shot with a rifle, and dreads nothing.—Great blame must certainly attach to him if his letter rests on mere rumor, which is undoubtedly the case.

MR. ADAMS AND GEN. JACKSON.

The National Intelligencer remarking upon the election of President by the House, says, "if the order and dignity of the official proceedings in this case deserve commendation, not less is to be admired the personal deportment of those most seriously affected by the result.—The evening of Wednesday happened to be one on which the President's mansion is open to his friends. As may well be supposed, an unusual crowd filled the spacious apartments. Mr. ADAMS, the President elect, was there, and so was Gen. JACKSON. Never was the usual courtesy of General JACKSON more conspicuous, or more honorable to himself. There was a laudable magnanimity in the manner in which he saluted Mr. ADAMS, and congratulated him on the event which had that day taken place. If Mr. CRAWFORD had been present, we have no doubt he would have done the same. A kindred spirit pervaded the whole scene. The friends of the different candidates mingled together, and conversed with a good humor and frankness, finely contrasted with the virulence and malignity which, in some parts of the country, had attended the discussion of this question before it came to the House of Representatives."

A number of gentlemen now in Washington, from various parts of the union, met after the decision of the Presidential question, for the purpose of offering Gen. *Jackson* a public dinner. A committee addressed an invitation to him to that effect, to which the following very delicate and high minded reply was made by the general.

Gentlemen—I have received your polite invitation, in behalf of yourselves and a number of citizens "in this city, from different states in the Union," to partake of a public entertainment to-morrow.—For your great politeness, pray accept my thanks. I cannot decline, and ought not; yet I cannot refrain from suggesting to you and my friends, the propriety, perhaps the necessity, of forbearing to confer upon me, at this moment, any such prominent mark of regard. You cannot, I am persuaded, mistake my meaning. A decision of a matter, about which much public feeling and concern have been manifest, very lately has taken place. Any evidence of kindness and regard, such as you propose, might, by many, be viewed as conveying with it exception, murmuring and feelings of complaint, which I sincerely hope belong not to any of my friends. I would, therefore, beg leave to suggest to you, that, on reflection, you may deem it proper to forbear any course to which, possibly, exception might be taken.

Please to accept my thanks, and tender them to the gentlemen respectively.

ANDREW JACKSON.

To Messrs. S. Swartwout, J. Conrad, Wm. Robinson, J. O. Hanlon, } Committee.

10th February, 1825.

Maryland Legislature.

ANNAPOLIS, February 15.

The Revenue Bills, have occupied the House of Delegates for some days past. The fate of the proposition from the committee of ways and means to repeal the tax on certain offices, was, as stated in our last, referred, (rejected.) Another bill proposed by the same committee for reducing the sum payable for the inspection of tobacco at the public warehouses in the city of Baltimore, occasioned a very animated debate on Friday and Saturday, in which Mr. Maxcy, and Mr. Duvall advocated the bill, and Mr. M'Mahon, Mr. Howard, and Mr. Wootten opposed it. It is probable the grounds of the argument may hereafter be given. The bill like that effecting the clerks and registers, was finally referred by a large majority. The bill laying a direct tax was next called up.

Mr. Steele moved to recommit the bill to the committee, with instructions to report a bill providing a sum of the same amount levied last session, $60,000. The present bill had reduced the sum to be raised one third, say to 40,000 dollars.

Mr. Maxcy remarked, that as the house by its last vote, had determined to retain the price upon the tobacco inspection, and by their former vote, respecting the clerks, evidenced a design of replenishing the treasury, for the purpose of being able to appropriate to public improvements, he should not oppose the motion to recommit.

Mr. Worthington opposed the motion, and advocated the reduction of the direct tax.

The motion to recommit, failed by a large majority.

After some conversation, respecting the rate or rule observed in appropriating the tax between the counties, which was the same as that of last year, the bill was passed.

The following are the sums to be levied.

St. Mary's county	$1124	
Kent,	1199	33†
Anne Arundel,	2790	
Calvert,	635	33†
Charles,	1917	33†
Baltimore,	10206	
Talbot,	1177	33†
Somerset,	1576	
Dorchester,	1567	33†
Cecil,	1692	66‡
Prince George's	2187	33†
Queen Ann's,	1601	33†
Worcester,	1396	66‡
Frederick,	4531	33†
Harford,	1522	
Caroline,	640	
Washington,	2428	33†
Montgomery	1453	33†
Allegany,	674	66‡

† signifies one-third of a cent, and ‡ two-thirds.

MARYLAND PENITENTIARY.

From the report made to the Legislature the present session, the following abstract is made.

By the statement last year there were 317 Prisoners.

During the present year there have died	3	
Discharged by pardon	23	
Time of servitude expired	76	
	—102	
	215	

Prisoners received this Year.

For 1 year to 1 1-2	41
2 and 2 1-2	12
3	7
4	6
5	18
6 to 10	15
35	1
Less than one year	3
	103
Total number at present	318

Of the number received this year, 43 were white men, 3 white women, 36 black men, and 21 black women—22 were natives of Baltimore county; 55 natives of other counties of the state—21 natives of other states, and 8 were foreigners.

There were convicted 78 in Baltimore, 6 in Talbot, 5 in Frederick, 2 in Anne Arundel, and 12 in other counties.

The crimes were—for murder 2; forgery 2; burglary 2; horse stealing 2; felony 31; stealing 60; passing counterfeit coin and notes 2; receiving stolen goods 2.

The debts due the institution from solvent persons	$9,114 30
Bills receivable,	3,909 33
Cash and deposits in bank	2,374 60
Amount of goods as per inventory, cordwaining, comb-making, sawing, smithing, &c.	39,750 59
	55,050 82
Lot and improvements	145,442 87
	200,592 04
Debts due by the institution	9,099 07
Net capital of the institution belonging to the state,	$191,592 97

There is a Profit and Loss account returned, by which it appears that the institution has paid during the year, for interest nearly 1400 dollars; on account of the principal of their debt to the state 1000 dollars, towards the keepers salary, 1300 dollars, besides realizing a gain in the stock account of $1,047 30.

I do not find an account of the receipts and payments for the year, nor of the quantity of work done or sold.

Md. Republican.

Leave has been given in the House of Delegates, by a small majority, to bring in a bill to reduce the number of Delegates from the several counties in this state. Thus the three several projects which were lately embraced in one bill, and debated so warmly as "one in three and three in one," and defeated by detail in that form, are now, each of them for themselves, distinctly again proposed, and before the Legislature.—*Ib.*

Foreign Intelligence.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11.

LATEST FROM COLOMBIA.

We have received from a correspondent, a letter, dated at Panama, Nov. 27, 1824. The intelligence is later than any we have seen, and from its importance will be read with considerable interest.

To the Editor of the Freeman's Journal.

SIR—With inexpressible joy, I communicate to you the glorious intelligence of a victory obtained by Bolivar over the Spaniards near Popayan, after his late disasters, and which now promises to restore the Colombian cause again to order, thank God, because else we should have found ourselves here in an awkward situation; for the last days past, a considerable dread prevailed here of an attack from the Spaniards by sea, and no resistance could have been made, since the sailing of Bolivar's reinforcements, there being no troops here. Inclosed you have a copy of the only bulletin which has been received, the original goes to England, else I should have procured it for you. I have not translated it, but have taken care to copy it accurately.

There is a report of a serious commotion having broke out among the Spaniards at Guyaqual.

[Here follows a proclamation of Gen. Perez, dated October 29, 1824, describing the battle of the day before, on the plains of Guaracarumba, by which the enemy (Royalists) were put to flight, with an estimated loss of 300 killed and 120 wounded, the loss of the Patriots was 15 killed and 30 wounded.]

LATEST FROM FRANCE.

By the ship Desdemona, arrived at N. York on Wednesday evening, in 35 days from Havre, the editors of the N. York Daily Advertiser received at a late hour their Paris papers to Jan. 3d, and Havre papers of the 4th.

The Chambers were occupied with preparing the usual address to the king.

Troops continue to arrive from Spain.

Letters from Madrid of Dec. 20 speak of an approaching change of ministry.—Sr. Saavedra will be at the head of the Maine, Sr. Vicente, Minister of Justice, Sr. Valeino of Finance, and Sr. Sambrado, who commands the house guards, will be at the head of the War Department. There is no improvement in the state of things: the moderate liberal party are persecuted. A new treaty with France is said to have been signed—the articles of which are kept secret. Arrests continue; and the militia are kept in motion along the coast as if an invasion were apprehended.

Derwisch Pacha, instead of being disgraced, is said to have received orders to assemble an army on the frontiers of Livonia, to enter the Morea at a moments warning, to second the Egyptian fleet.

SUMMARY.

Remarkable Fact.—The Richmond Enq'r states that there is now living in the county of Stafford, Va. a gentleman, who has in forty-four years, raised a family of *forty-five* persons, without a death, or an occasion for medical advice.

The demand for "Lionel Lincoln," the new novel by the author of the Spy, is, we understand, very brisk.

Parker, recently convicted of murder, in Middlesex county, Mass. was hung at Lechmere's Point, opposite Boston, in the prison yard. He was executed without public notice, at his own request.—His brother convicted of the same crime, has had his sentence commuted to imprisonment for life.

The Secretary of the Treasury has given notice that the 6 per cent stock of 1815, will be paid off on the 1st of April next.

A worthy gentleman who loved the character of La Fayette, named his son after him, and thus recorded it in the family Register "Markis Delifit"—was born &c.

It is said the snow storm which commenced on the 21st ult. extended as far as Georgetown, S. C. and occasioned considerable damage on the sea board.

William Davis, who has been in the jail of Alexandria, D. C. for near five years, under sentence of death for the murder of Lambert Potter, was released on the 22d ultimo, by a free pardon from the President of the U. S.

The three members of the British Parliament, whose visit to our country has been been frequently noticed, were at Charleston on the 29th ult. on their way to Washington, having visited the western and southern states.

A prospectus has been issued at Washington, for the publication of the life of the Chevalier John Paul Jones, by John Henry Sherburne, Register of the Navy of the United States. The work is to be comprised in a volume from 350 to 400 pages, octavo form, price $1 50.

About 30,000 white children and 1700 coloured, are receiving the benefits of the common school system of education in the city of New York.

It is said, that Commodore Porter will he sent out in the frigate Guerrier to Columbia river, where gouernment intend to establish a naval and military force.

It is said to be the intention of Gen. La Fayette to visit every State in the Union, before he leaves the country.

The Rev. Charles P. M'Ilvaine, of Georgetown, D. C. has been appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate, Chaplain, and Professor of Ethics, &c. for the Military Academy, at West Point.

At New-Orleans, since 1815, have been enrolled 125 steam boats, 65 of which are not now in the district, leaving 60 employed in the river trade, the tonnage of which is 10,829 tons.

Eclipses in the year 1825.

May 31—The moon eclipsed at 7h. 6m afternoon, to us invisible.

June 16—The Sun eclipsed at 7h. 30m morn. to us invisible.

Nov. 25—The Moon eclipsed, at 11h. 20m. morn. to us invisible.

Dec. 9.—The Sun eclipsed, partly visible.

Beginning at 3h 59m. } after-
Sun sets eclipsed, at 4h 33m. } noon.

To the Editor of the Chronicle.

SIR—The Presidential contest is over, and has resulted in the election of an able, experienced and profound statesman. The temper and magnanimity displayed on the occasion, must afford the most cheering satisfaction to every American, and exhibits solid evidence of the intelligence of the people, and the admirable structure of our republican institutions. Although the discussions preceding the election were sometimes disfigured by intemperate effusions of angry feeling, and partizan zeal, still there is just ground for the belief, that the administration of Mr. Adams will receive the prompt and energetic support of a vast majority of the American people, comprehending all the patriotism and intelligence of the nation. The position on which Mr. Clay stood in the House of Representatives was new, untried and "highly critical." The paramount influence, which his abilities and commanding and unrivalled eloquence had acquired over that body, led the nation to view his course with a scrutiny hitherto unexampled. That the shafts of calumny should be thrown in the bitterness of disappointment, and the wantonness of revenge, and that the most insiduous attacks should be made upon his fame and political integrity, was a circumstance inevitable & to be expected. But the adamantine shield of lofty patriotism and incorruptible integrity, warded off every blow; and the noble magnanimity, the fearless and disinterested elevation of his conduct, have baffled the machinations of his enemies, and will lift him, if possible, to a higher niche in the love, admiration and gratitude of his countrymen. His letter to Judge Brooke, concisely explains the difficulties of his situation and the motives by which he was guided. Is there an unprejudiced and intelligent man in the country, who will for a moment, listen with patience to the mean, malignant, dastardly and diabolical imputations against his fair fame, or who would not weep for the loss his country would sustain, if he should fall a victim to the ruthless passions which goad on a few individuals at Washington, contemptible in every view, and distinguished alone for the narrow malignity of their hearts, and the imbecility and meanness of their understandings. The eloquence of Mr. Clay, is the ornament of his country, he is the most accomplished and brilliant debater of the age, and in the course of time he will be elevated to that station, which is the highest reward a free people can bestow on lofty patriotism and profound abilities. By the republication of his letter, you will oblige among others,

A SUBSCRIBER.

☞ The letter alluded to, will be found under the Washington head.

For the Cambridge Chronicle.

There are revolutions in all things; even the minutest and most inconsiderable affairs of life, have undergone a wonderful transmutation since the days of our forefathers. In the olden time, no gentleman appeared in a ball room except in silks and shorts, but alas! nothing is more common now, than surtout coats and highheeled boots, well fortified with nails, to the great annoyance of corned toes and valitudinarian shins. It is hoped that the proper costume will be adopted in future; silk stockings and unmentionables. How can young gentlemen expect

"To trip it lightly, as they go,
Upon the gay fantastic toe?"

When they are accoutred like a Kentucky hunter; no wonder they dance like Fallstaff's soldiers, who had gyves on. Let them pay a little more attention to their dancing habiliments, and the ball room will exhibit more of the gayety suited to the occasion, and not the monotonous and every day indifference which has heretofore prevailed. JACK.

The Orphans' Court for Dorchester county will sit on Monday the 21st inst.

ALTAR OF HYMEN.

"But happy they! the happiest of their kind!
Whom gentler stars unite, and in one fate
Their hearts, their fortunes, and their beings blend."

MARRIED, on Thursday last, by the Rev. Daniel Bayne, Mr. *Darius Starkey*, to Miss *Maria Mace*, both of this town.

On the 10th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Collins, Captain *Roger Adams*, to Miss *Nancy Hooper*.

In Talbot county, Mr. *Frederick Harrison*, of St. Michael's, to Miss *Eliza Hardcastle*, of Caroline county.—Mr. *Severn Andrews*, to Miss *Elizabeth Roberts*.

On Thursday week, Mr. *Charles Adams*, of Greensborough, Caroline county, to Miss *Julia Ann*, daughter of Mr. Samuel Keene, of QueenAnne's county.

On the 3d inst. Mr. *Mark Knotts*, to Mrs. *Mary Chambers*, both of Kent Island.

COURT OF DEATH.

"This is the desert, this the solitude:
How populous, how vital is the grave!
This is creation's melancholy vault,
The vale funereal, the sad cypress gloom!
The land of apparitions, empty shade!"

DIED, in this county on the 27th ult. Mr. *Obediah Dawson*, in the 65th year of his age. The deceased was a professor of religion for many years, and died in the full hope of a blessed immortality.

On Tuesday last, Mrs. *Keys*, consort of Mr. Levin Keys, of this county.

At Greenwood, Somerset county, on Friday the 5th inst. Mrs. *Mary Williams*, consort of William Williams senior, esq.

In Kent county, Mrs. *Elizabeth Worrell*, relict of Dr. Edward Worrell.

In Boston, the Hon. *William Eustis*, Governor of the State of Massachusetts.

AGRICULTURAL REPOSITORY.

ROB'T SINCLAIR

Is now opening and offers for Sale, at his *Agricultural Repository, No.* 1, Ellicott st. Pratt st. wharf,—Baltimore, a very general assortment of

GARDEN SEEDS,

Most of which are of the growth of last season, and others imported, which on trial have proved to be good and true. A few of the principal articles are mentioned as follows.—Early and late Cabbage, of sorts; early and late Cauliflower: early and late Brocoli: early and late Spinach: Sea Kale: Scotch Kale: Borcole. Endive: Salsife, long swelled Parsnips, Celery: Tomatoe: Radish, of sorts; Lettuce, of sorts; Cucumber, of sorts; Squash, of sorts: Melon, of sorts: Turnip, of sorts, very fine: Pumpkin of sorts Bunch Beans, of sorts, Pole Beans, of do. early and late Peas, of do. white and brown Mustard: Herb and Flower Seed assorted. Catalogues of Seeds furnished gratis.

CLOVER & OTHER FIELD SEEDS.

Of last summer's growth.— Red, sapling and white Clover Seed: Orchard Grass, Timothy, Herds Grass, Millet, Lucern, St. Foin and fresh Hemp Seed. Also, green Grass Seed for lawns: Canary, Rape, Rutabaga, Mangel-wortzel, spring Rye Barley, Poland and Potatoe, Oats: early Potatoes, and Albany Peas.

FRUIT TEEES AND GRAPE CUTTINGS.

Of the most approved kinds. Catalogues will be furnished as above.

IMPLEMENTS OF HUSBANDRY.

A general assortment ready made of the latest and most approved kinds, made of the best materials and workmanship, at moderate prices, as follows—Improved bar shear Plough, of sizes, from one to four horses. Wood's cash-shear Plough of sizes; Carv, or Dagon Plough, of sizes; subsoyle and double mould Ploughs—Cultivators and Scarafiers, Wheat Fans, Screens, Safe and window WIRE, Corn Shellers, Daton's self feeding Cutting box, Evans patent do—common treddle and hand Boxes.

ALSO IN STORE.

Best steel Spades, Hoes, Kinsey's cast steel Axes, Picks, Mattocks, Socket and other Shovels, with handles, ready for use, if required—Tools for Gardeners, Chains, Hames, swingle Trees, Lines, &c. &c.

Having endeavored to keep such an assortment as will save the Farmer and Gardener much time and trouble in collecting the articles which they may require to proceed with their operations, they can now be supplied at this establishment on very moderate terms.

Orders from any part of the United States, or elsewhere, will be promptly attended to at the shortest notice.

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A BALL

Will be held at Mr. Ridgaway's Hotel, Cambridge, on Tuesday the 22d instant, to celebrate the memorable epoch of WASHINGTON'S BIRTH, at which the, citizens of this, and the neighboring counties are invited to participate. feb 19

Notice to Creditors.

The Creditors of Mark Parks, dec'd. are hereby warned to exhibit their claims legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of June next.

PETER LECOMPTE,
Adm'r. d. b. n. of M. Parks, dec'd.

Important Notice.

All persons indebted to the Subscriber are requested to come forward and settle their accounts, on or before the 10th of March next. All who neglect this notice, may rely upon their accounts being placed in the hands of proper officers for collection.

WM. C. RIDGAWAY.

N.B. The Subscriber has the first quality of 4th proof FRENCH BRANDY, for sale by the gallon, which he will dispose of low for CASH. W. C. R.

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Negroes for Sale.

The Subscriber offers for sale, a very valuable negro woman, named Henny. She is about seventeen years of age, and has twelve years to serve. If not sold at private sale previous to the 5th of March next, she will then be offered at public auction. Also, at private sale, one negro man, named Job, to be sold by order of the Honorable Orphan's Court, late the property of Abraham Ross, dec'd. LEWIS ROSS.

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LOTTERIES

To be Determined by one Drawing only.

MARYLAND UNIVERSITY LOTTERY.
—4th Class.—

To be drawn in May next—prizes contained in the scheme, viz:

1 prize of	$10,000	1 prize of		1538
do	6.000	6	do	1000
do	4,000	6	do	500
do	3,000	6	do	200
do	2,000			

Low price of tickets:—Whole Ticket, 4 dolls. shares in proportion.

UNIVERSITY LOTTERY.—5th Class.

To be drawn in April next, contains the following prizes:

1 prize of	$10,000	1 prize of		1412
do	5,000	5	do	1000
do	2.500	10	do	500
do	2,000	44	do	200

Whole Tickets 4 dolls. shares in proportion, for sale at

WAITE'S

Lottery and Exchange Office. corner of Charles and Market sts.

☞ Orders from a distance promptly attended to, if addressed to G. & R. Waite, Baltimore.

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FOR SALE,

A schooner, about 4 years old, Her canvass new, with every part of her rigging in complete order; berthen about 1000 bushels of grain, of an easy draft of water, with two lengths of births, sufficient to accommodate 6 passengers. Persons wishing to view said vessel would do well to call immediately, as she will be sold low for CASH. Apply to the subscriber, Barrow Neck, near Castle Haven, Dorchester County.

THO'S WHEELER.

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CARD.

Capt. JOHN PHILLIPS, tenders his thanks to his friends, patrons, and the public for their favors, since he commenced the Carrying Business, and has the pleasure to inform them, that he has procured an interest in the elegant new schooner THO'S MONROE, which he intends running from *Vienna* to *Baltimore* during the approaching season. He sanguinely hopes, by strict personal attention and unwearied exertion to merit a continuance of their kind favors in the Grain Carrying Business, &c. The Thomas Monroe will be ready to commence taking in a freight on Wednesday the 16th inst.

The public's obed't serv'ts,

JOHN PHILLIPS & CO

Vienna, Feb'y 12, 1825.

Dorchester county Court,

Benjamin Todd, vs. Benjamin Elliott. } IN CHANCERY.

BY virtue of a decree of Dorchester county court, passed at October term, 1824, the subscriber will sell for cash on Tuesday the 8th day of March next, between the hours of 11 and 2 o'clock, on Elliott's Island, on the premises, all the real estate conveyed by Benjamin Elliott to Benjamin Todd, on the aforesaid Island, let the said real estate contain whatever tracts it may, or contain whatever quantity it may. On the payment of the purchase money the subscriber is authorized by the said decree to convey the said real estate by a good and sufficient deed of bargain and sale.

GEORGE GRIFFITH, Trustee.

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Notice to Creditors.

IN obedience to the law and the order of the honorable Orphans' Court of Dorchester county, this is to give notice, that the subscriber of Dorchester county, hath obtained from the Orphans' court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Col. *Thomas Pitt*, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of August next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.—Given under my hand this 12th day of February, anno domini, 1825.

ANTHONY MANNING,
Adm'r. of T. Pitt, dec'd.

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