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ufinefis refts with the commiffioners, whole deeifion by a ataw of the government is to be fo final
but this he conceived, had nothng to do with but this he conceived, had noting te
the prefent propofition. He noticed feveral other the precent proppoition. Mr. Mercer, which he
objections offred by Mr. thought appeared to be brought forward merely to embarrafst the bufinefs. He obferved that the prefent propoifition was totally different fron that agitated laff felfions that now offered is reafonable, is founded on equal principles, and it ffleal wid auion, nor induce a necefinty for one farthing
taxation, which will not be wanted atter the accounts are adjufted, and the balances known. He hoped thercfore, that the propofition would
 ing free from the objestionsurged to thofeofirere the lat feffion. He noticed the remarks which
had been made on the refources in lands of the Rates to whom the balances are fuupoofed to be due; Maffachufetts, Rhode-Ifland and South Carolina are the flates the moff interefted in the bufinefs; thofe fates have no lands. With refpet to exertions in the conmmon caufe, it will not be pretended that thole trates have not made as great as any in the union. The pretent pro
pofition involvcs this finuple enquiry, whether pohition invoives United Scates fhall pay the flates as fates, or whether they will pay the individnal creditorsjuftice required, in his opinion, that the latter oughtto be paid; for their demandsare recogniz
ed bya law of the uniin, and they are to all in ed by law or the uniun, and they are to all intents and purpores creditors of the unior.
as any decreription of creditors whateve Mr. FenNo,
The following anpared in the National Gazette of
the getin

 TER having ferved your country with di
 of your fetlow foldiers, by calling on your counous ortaim, audd which has fo toong been denied
youn have at lacked fpeculation in is frong hold no douver the nef you have difturbac Ten forit, hawling cribe about your ears, but perfe
vere in the good caule-be not deterred by the opsen, ihtectig or fecret frowns of men in office--




 guire of the patriot drag forth to day-light the
men, lee them be who they will; whet her they


 countanis, or whatever elfers, may be narmed. Acbe turoed infide out or topfy turvy-order will

 Onall biefs the oamg of Blaned real public creditior Thar biefs the name of Blanchard, Having en-
tered on the ardouous underating, having ocol
leeted materials in your late fouthern toul, having an able friend ,avorifere and couthern collour in thav- that
ind
inpendent and truly difinterefted friend of the poor Jollicr, the author of "the poor foldiers"
 fhall rectire from your attack, and the whole herd
 throt the country for prey, has bought the folf
dier's or widow's mite for a fong, hall crouch and refund their ill-gotuen goins-c clach'd with
the impenetrable armour of honor, foith, a good the impenet able armour of honor, foith, a good
conncicience and an nn popoted charater, ouo will effret your object, tho' Appollyon and all his
hof of reatury blood fuckers fhouid Atind in your way. A FELLOW LABORER.
 vent the abilitics hhat are engaged hivevever emi-
everity wife and reflecing mind will contanty Hery wile and reflicting mind will conitantly I doubt not, sir, your contemppations thave
inlpireen (ome ideas congenial so the bove, an a recent crent- the faiture of our application to
Consrefs. For tho it inas been influanted tat Congrefis. For tho' it has been infinuated that
it is pofible fome perjons may have been aquated

 Aves have inilusenced your exertion. You, Sir,
carly engaged in the fevvice of vour countre from
 Jmallef deviation Irom the jeria line of duy to to
the end of the conteft. Some have afferted that You began the bufinefs of fpeculation while in
the army --that you defcended to every arifice
 but others prectend to think ininis canoot be crue....
for they fay it is well known, that at the clofe of the war, you were not polfeffed of property ffof.
ficient to countenance fuch a fuggeftion--befides, i is faid by fome who know you well, that thos, you were curficd with hhe e ition of fepeculation, yet
poffefing loo much of a projectiog firit, like poffefing too much of a projecting firiti, ike
thofe of other eminent perfongeses ,oour fclemes ment, lofs and poverty.
$I$
canioo help, Sir, exprefing my fympathy
truly bercevient and virtuouss citerer rizes of a more
recent date. Indlamed by the fre of philion
 fome perfons there. With what pleafure did all your tellow laborers behold your name a-


 ble and expence in pocving the long lift of names from the public offices of thore we intended to cheat, were thrown away. Here let
mee caution you to be on your guard againft
 get the unmerited abufe you received in NewYork on a cerrain occaffion, when the Poffmater was fa uncomplaitiant as to prevent you from
precercibing rules io his office. Your obieet was prefcribing rules in his office. Your object was
doubtiefs laudable; but he could not fee thro' the juftice of Iending your letuers at half price. There ere many other matter s and ihings on
which I could condole with you but the time which $I$ could condole with you-but the time
fails ine at prefent -and you have in our old
frite frien foldiers' plea," Io /impathizing,
an ally, that I need not enlarge at this time. 1
timous Thali conclude therefore at prefent with propofing
that you flould go on with the good work;
hol thould you fucceed, our fortunes are made-we preciation, from North-Carolina to New-Hanrp-
fhire. fhire.
You know there are the letters of a certain head of a department, which you have faid are in your polfeflion-there you muff bring for-
ward, or $I$ affure you, there is danger of your being obliged to acknowledge that you are a
liar ; and it would be a horrid thing for you sourfelf to publijh fuch a fach.
I have done-na moll formidable majority in the governipent is againft us midand, 1 believe, among governipent is againt us-r-and, i believe, among
The peopole. Yo have abufed individuals.-men
whom neither you nor I were ever acquainted whom neither you nor I were ever acquainted
with, and never will be; but take care, my dear
fellow do no Congrefs as a fet of fcoundreis, left your tongue Congreis as a fet of icuund reis, left your tongu
fhould become too long for your mouth,

Your's, in much amity
A FELLOW LABORER.
For the GAZETTE of the UNITED STATES.
$T$ HE army memorial lays ftrefs on their being paid certificates worth $3 /$ in the
pound, inftead of $20 /$ in money. It is neceffary to be correct in our ideas of this operation. The army had an unliquidated demand It was liquidated, and the final fettlement iflued in confequence. It would be abfurc to imagine that the unliquidated demand re-
mained in force as well as the new certificat given in lieu of it; for in that cafe the Uni ted States will be charged twice for the fame debt. Common fenfe and common practice teach every perfon that the new certificate created a new demand, inflead of the old oie,
as a bond puts an end to a running accounn In this fenfe, and ind to a running account.ficate operated as payment. But it carried the evidence of their whole demand at $20 \%$. in the pound in fpecie. The army memo-
rialifts feem to have erected a very folid wort rialifts feem to have erected a very folid work
on a fictitious bafis. Had the old demand o on a fictitious bafis. Had the old demand of
the army been liquidated and fettled by the the army been liquidated and fettled by the
delivery of counterfeit certificates, the old debt would have remained in force, becaufe the new demand could not have any force at all. Every man who has ferved on a jury or even feen a court of juftiee, will perceive that the doctrine of the certificates being yorth and difcharging only 3 , inftead of $20 /$,
is wholly unfounded; whatever their market value might be, they certainly carried on the faee the evidence of the whole fum of $20 \%$. the certificates being made transferable was no accommodation to the public-as it is plain whoever might keep them, the public
would be charged to pay the full amount. They were made transferable it is faid. the requeft of the army-whether this be $t$ rue or falle is not very material; for it is
inconceivable that the final rettlements hould carry to every poffeffor a right to $20 \%$. againt che public, and yet Thould difcharge the public
of only 3 f. of the debt dhe the officers. Inftead therefore of faying that the certificates were given the officers in payment, which is not true, we fhould fay, they were given on a final fettlement of their elaims, and were
(not the payment, but) the evidence of their (not the payment, but) the evidence of their
whole demand. The queftion of their merits, their fufferings and loffes, is not intended o be included in thefe remarks wich are made to thew that the principle on which a friend to the late afmy. Philadelphia, Jan. 19. We hear from Georgia, that the legiflature of that State, at their laft felion, have pro fon, to the rank of a Major Gen. and the
Hon. Col. James Gunn, to the rank of a Btig. Hon. Col.
General.

BANK OF NORTH-AMERICA.
AT a meeting of the Jan. 14, 1792 . this day, for the election of tivelve Directors for the enfuing year, the following perfons
were elefted:

## John Nixon, Join Morton,

John Morton,
Robert Waln, Mordecai Lewis, George Latimer,
Jofiah Hewes,

William Smith, Benjamin Fuller, Miers Fiher, Iofeph Swift,
Richard Rund!e.
FUNDING SYSTEM.
I. ORD what a pother fome foiks make,
Aparty man when firitt you lift him,
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Aparty man when firtt you lift him, } \\ & \text { Ioveighs againtt the funding syfein; }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { It is a guiph that fiva hov sus up } \\ & \text { The pablic intereit ata fup. }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Not Newton's mind in calculation, } \\ & \text { Couldicount the lofles of tiee nation }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Could count the lofes of tie nation; } \\ & \text { But-ah hotv hort our mem }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { But-ah how fhort our memries are, } \\ & \text { Thofe who fuch things affert and fivear, }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Thofe who fuch things alfert and fi, } \\ & \text { When the old ftory is grown ftaie, }\end{aligned}$
Don't blulh to tell a diff'rent tale,
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Hence by the dint of fecond fight, } \\ & \text { What millions faved, are bro't to light. }\end{aligned}$

Whereas, in confequence of an arrangement juft adopted by the Government of the
United States, at the requeft of the Miniter United states, at the requeft of the Minifter
of France, the fubferiber is to be fucceflively provided with Funds for the difcharge of the drafts of the adminfration of the French Colony of Hippaniola, from No. 173, of the rot of September, to No. 379,
He informs the Holders of faid Drafts that they will be paid by him as they become due. The Public is once more requefled to at-
end to the Caution civen by the Subrcribe end to the Caiution given by the subrcriger
in his Advertiements of the 9 th of Augut and 2 , If of November laft, as no other Bill from the afore faid Adminiftrat
cepted or paid here in future.

ANTONER R. C. M. DELAFOREST,
A. Philadel phia, Jan. Con fiuh, General. 1793.
Extrait of a letter from a gentleman at Clifton, near
Brifol,', (England) to his friend in Baltimore, Briftol, (England) to 2 .
daled OAbober 20, 1792.
 newfpapers will fhetr you to what outrageous lengths the Jacobins and Republicans of France have carried on matters. We are in
daily expectation of hearing of their having facrificed the poor King and Queen.- The Auftrians and Pruffians feem to have been grofsly nifled by the Emigrants, in reprefenting a larger body of malcontents in the kingdom of France, than there appears to be. They advanced rapidly under the idea of fup
port, but finding the body of the people againt port, but finding the body of the people againtt
them, they have retreated, and, I fuppofe, it wille end in the raicals' eftablifhing their own
they wild incoherent fyRem of government. If they would only content themfelves with
bringing on their own deftruction, no perfon bringing on their own deftruction, no perfon
would care whether they had any government twould care whether they had any government
or not, or be interefted in it; but when they threaten every country in Europe with fending emiffaries abroad, to poifon the minds of the common people, to fubvert every thing that is decent and refpectable in each country, it then becomes a matter of moment to At prefent, I am very fure, the good fenfe of At pregea body of the people in this country
the great is againft any fuch innovation; and, I believe, Mr. Thomas Paine, at length, begins
to think fo. He embarked at Dover for Franc to think fo. He embarked at Dover for France
the other day, amidft the hifles sud execrations of the
poptraten

4 It is without doubt one of the greateft offences that can be committed, in the view of certain characters, fo much as to donbt the goodnefs of thofe motives, which lead modern reformers to beat down every barrier between
that virte on which republics can alone exift, and that Infidesity which recognizes nothing as a crime that may conduce to faciiitating the ambitious vievs of its difciples.
Married, Mr. Lewis Hallam. to Mifs Eliza

T Pre art of fpeaking is a pretty thing, For he in vain his reas'ning'pow'rs employs, Who does not teach his tongue to make a noife; A noife-Ye gods! you whifper when you Compar'd with founds that make the gall'ry

22 PRICE OF STOCKS.
6 per Certs,
3 per Cents,

| Deferred, |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Full fhares Bank U. S. | $11 / 10$ |
| $12 / 4$ |  |

TO CORRESPONDENTS. The extrat from a Cape-Francois paperand many other
ed till oar uext.

## City of Wafhington.

A NUMBER of Lots in this Cit be A fered for fale at auetion, by the CommifOne fourth part of the purchafe money is to be One fourth part of the purchare moner
paid down, the refidue at three equal annual pay-
ments with yearly intereft on the whole princie ments with yearly intereft on the whole ping
pal unpaid.
JOHN M. GANTT, Clerk to the Com'rs. Extratt of an Aet of the General Affembly of Maryland, concerning the Territory of
Lumbia, and the City of Wa

Be it enaeted, That any foreigner may by
will, hereater to be made, take and hold lands deed or will, hereafter Ther Teritory which lus with withn
in this State, in the fame manner as if he was a citizen of this State, and the fame lands may be con-
veved by him, and tranf mitted to and be inherited by vesed by him, and tran f mitted to and be inherited by
his heirs or relations, as if he and they were citizens
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Jon, 19 .

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            FOR SALE,
By the Subbjeriber, at Walnut-Street Wharf,
            blll of EXChange
            Madeira Wine,
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Fiit for impeediate ute, in pipes \& quarter cenfes,
ENERFFE WINE, ip pips.
SHERRY WINE, in in quarier
SHERRY WINE, in puartic cofk,
WEST-INDIA RUM,, , and 4 proot,
WEST-INDAR RUM, ${ }^{\text {中, }, \text {, and } 4 \text {, Proot, }}$
OLD BRANDY, OMD
COPERAS, BRIMSTONE, ALEUM,
COPPRAND, BRMSDONRETH,
Two Bales ion ion BLANKETS, and
Two Bales 10.4 - BL .
A Bale of MUSLINS.

HOUSES.



 three rooms, in two of them there are fire-
placese other Houfe is 27 feet upon Walnuttot upon 4 of them 25 by 201 1-2 good parlours below, one of them 25 by $201-2$
fees, the other 25 by $181-2$ feet, and feven com-
. plete bed-chambers; befides the gareet is diVidcd into 4 rooms, 3 of which rooms have fire--
places. The kitchens are good ones, and are under the houfes ; the latgeff hounce, and arife are houre-keeper's room. from both of thefe houtes to a neighbouring ice-houle, fufficiently large to
fupply 3 houlfes. Within $5^{\circ}$ yards of thele
 hourse, for both houlcs; they will he finithed
in the molt compleat manner, and the key,
 whole may remán for 5 yecrs, payisigg initerefl whore ining fecurity on the premifes.
and gor terms of fale or teafe, apply to the SubGEORGE MEADE. Sundry Ground Rents, In this city, amounting to twenty-five pounds
fixteen flillings and fix-prace, per anuum. AIfo, a quantity of BAGS, that will contain two
and a half and three and a half buffels. Philadelphia, 7an. 19, 1792. t申pm Y the Commifionets appointed io prepare
the Public Buildings, \&xc, within the Cit
 and for
$1800-$

## A LOTTERY FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OR THE Federal City.



