

The Elephant,

Now exhibited, was bought for Ten Thousand Dollars. He is 3 years old, 6 feet high, growing to 12 feet. He eats 150 weight a-day, and drinks a barrel of water; he has drank some days forty bottles of porter, drawing the corks with his trunk.

WANTED,

A MECHANIC, to erect Spinning and Weaving Machines by water, such as are used at my manufactory—Apply to JAMES DAVENPORT, No. 401, North Front-street.

THE SUBSCRIBER

WISHES to ascertain, whether a certain EDWARD NEVILL, by trade a Stone-Cutter, or Brick Layer, who quitted Ireland in 1783, or 1784, and came into this Country, (his supposed to Philadelphia) about four years since, be living or dead.

Elegant Brussels & Turkey Carpeting, For sale by George Dobson, No. 25, South Third-street. December 15.

FOR SALE,

The fast-sailing schooner ORIN; Seventy tons burthen; fifteen months old; her frame is of the best of white oak; she is a faithful built vessel, handily finished off and well found in every particular; is ready to receive a cargo on board, and can be put to sea without any expense on her hull, sails or rigging; she flows six hundred barrels; has a handsome cabin and stowage, and a half deck which will flow from seventy-five to eighty barrels; has been newly caulked, graved and painted. For terms apply to BENJAMIN RHODES, At No. 170, corner of Market and Fifth-streets.

Excellent pickled Salmon in barrels, the best of American Meats Beef, and some very excellent Boston manufactured Chocolate. December 26

For Sligo and Killbegs, The American Ship NANCY,

Cuthbert Riggs, master. Will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to William Bell;

Who has for sale, 4 Trunks Printed Cottons, well assorted. 3 Bales Irish Flannels, and 2 boxes Linens. 25 Pipes Brandy. Madeira Wine; Indigo. Ruffia Mats. Also, A few barrels Prime IRISH BEEF, PORK, OATMEAL, &c. November 11, 1796.

FOR SALE,

THE SHIP MARY, SAMUEL PARKER, MASTER, Two hundred tons burthen. Apply to JOSEPH ANTHONY, & Co. If the MARY is not sold in a few days, she will take freight for Hamburg. Apply as above. October 31.

For Sale, or Charter,

The Ship DIANA, SAMUEL PILE, Master. Burthen 205 47-95 tons register, built in Philadelphia in the year 1792, of live oak and red cedar, and was sheathed 13 months ago, she has just had a complete out-fit, and may be sent to sea at a very trifling expense. For terms apply to Philip Nicklin & Co.

Who have for sale on board said vessel, 27 casks of fine yellow paint. 9 boxes and 12 bundles of writing flates. 1 box ink stands and note presses. 14 bales of sail canvas.

And on hand,

Imperial Hyson, and, } TEAS. Souchong 40,000 pieces Nankens of the first quality. 10 tubs Quicksilver. 2 chests Bandanna handkerchiefs. A few chests Manchester goods well assorted in Corduroy, thickets, Ginghams, Muslins, Dimities, &c. 3 boxes black sewing silk. 180 crates Queens ware well assorted. 10 tons sheet lead. Nails assorted, flat and sharp points. London Particular, } Madeira Wine in pipes and hogheads. London Market, } New-York Market, } 40 pipes and 10 hogheads Teneriffe wine. 8 tierces Snake Root. 230 logs Mahogany. Nov. 7.

For Sale, By George Defchamps, No. 91, NORTH SIXTH-STREET, Nova-Scotia Prime Salmon, in barrels and half barrels. Ditto Herring and Mackerel. Smoked Moring in barrels and kegs. Ditto Salmon, by the dozen or single one. Dry Codfish, from one to fifty cents. Fine and coarse Salt. Nova-Scotia and French Plaster of Paris, in the stone and ground, for manure and stucco-work. December 1.

Philadelphia and Lancaster Turnpike Road Company.

A Meeting of the Stockholders for the Election of a President, Managers, and other officers, will be held at the Company's office on Monday the 9th Jan. next, at 10 o'clock.

By the Board. WM. GOVETT, Sec'y. December 8, 1796.

Brokers Office, and COMMISSION STORE.

No. 63 South Third street, opposite the national new Bank. SAMUEL M. FRANCES and JOHN VAN REED, have entered into co-partnership, under the firm of FRANCES & VAN REED, in the business of Brokers, Conveyancers and Commission merchants. They buy and sell on commission every species of stock, notes of hand, bills of exchange, houses and lands, &c. MONEY procured on deposits, &c. &c. all kinds of writings in the conveyancing line, done with neatness and dispatch; accounts adjusted, and books settled, in the most correct manner. Constant attendance will be given. They solicit a share of the public favor; they are determined to endeavour to deserve it. N. B. The utmost secrecy observed. S. MUEL M. FRANCES, JOHN VAN REED. Philad. August 27, 1796.

Lottery and Broker's Office,

No. 64, South SECOND STREET. TICKETS in the Canal Lottery, No. 2, for sale—a Check Book for examination—and prizes paid in the late lottery.

Check Books kept for examination and registering, for the City of Washington, No. 2, and Pattemon Lotteries, both of which are now drawing—information where tickets are to be had, and prizes exchanged for undrawn tickets. A complete list of all the prizes in the late Newport Long-Wharf, Hotel and Public School Lottery, for examination.

The subscriber solicits the application of the public and his friends, who wish to purchase or sell Bank Stock, Certificates, Bills of Exchange or Notes, Houses, Lands, &c. or to obtain money on deposit of property. \* \* \* Also Tickets in the Schuylkill Bridge Lottery for sale at Ten Dollars each, which will be drawn early in the Spring. Wm. Blackburn. Philadelphia, August 18, 1796.

SALTPETRE.

A large quantity of Double-Refined Salt Petre for sale at No. 25, South Third street. November 5.

A CARD.

If Monsieur G. H. SOULS, Who left Bordeaux the 20th June last, and arrived at Boston about the middle of August, in the schooner Jane, is in Philadelphia, he is requested to call on Joseph Anthony & Co. No. 55, Chestnut-street, who will give him some information of importance. December 24, 1796.

FASHIONABLE WAISTCOATING.

GEORGE DOBSON, No. 25, SOUTH THIRD-STREET, Has received per the Diana, from London, Clouded and striped Spanish, Swanidown Clouded Erminats and Molefkins Striped do. and do. Figured Manillas Scarlet figured Erminets Printed Florinets Do. Cassinets and Cassimeres Superfine printed Quiltings, newest patterns Also, per different arrivals, A large and general assortment of Dry Goods, Suitable to the present and approaching season. November 5.

FOR SALE,

About 1,600 acres of Land, WELL situated, lying on and between Marsh and Beech Creeks, Mifflin county, Pennsylvania, in four separate Patents. For terms of sale apply to Wm. Blackburn, No. 64, South Second-street. mwftf October 31.

FOR SALE,

At Whitesides' Tea Ware-House, No. 99, North Second Street. Imperial Hyson, } Hyson Skin. Young Hyson, } Fresh Teas. } Souchong, } Bohea. Dec. 9. 31aw3m.

INSURANCE COMPANY of the State of Pennsylvania.

THE Stockholders are hereby notified, that an election for thirteen Directors to serve for one year, will be held at the Company's Office, on Monday the 9th January next, at 11 o'clock.—And agreeably to the act of incorporation a statement of the affairs of the company, will then be laid before them. SAMUEL W. FISHER, Sec'y. Philadelphia, December 19, 1796. dt 9th Jan.

Imported from London & Liverpool,

EARTHEN WARE, in crates and hogheads, well assorted Wine Bottles in hamper's Window Glafs of all sizes Two cases of stationary One chest of yellow Jesuits Bark Two cases of Roll Arnetta A small consignment of Rose Blankets, Flannels, Baizes, Broad-cloths, Coatings, Plains, &c. Paints of various colors. Basket salt in hogheads. Also on hand, Madeira wine, very old, in pipes, hogheads and quarter casks Holland gin in pipes, first quality Anchors of different sizes A few trunks of ladies French shoes assorted Silk nan keen, &c. Likewise an assortment of Dutch goods, consisting of Onabers, ricklenbergs, bed-ticks, stripes, checks, Morlaix linen, platillas, ravens duck, Britannias, &c. And for sale by the package only by Thomas & John Ketland. Walnut-street Wharf. Nov. 15.

Imported in the late arrivals from Europe and the West-Indies,

Holland Gin, in pipes Choice St. Croix Sugar and Rum Martinique Molasses, in hogheads Choice old Lisbon Wine, in pipes and quarter-casks London Particular & London Market Madeira Wine, in pipes, half-pipes and quarter-casks Malmsey Madeira Wine, in pipes and quarter-casks Teneriffe Wine, in pipes Ruffia & Flemish Sheeting and Ravens Duck, in cases Window Glafs, 8 by 10, in boxes Coffee Mills and Straw Knives, in cases Mill Saws and Cross-cut Saws, in boxes Also, on hand, A few chests of Bohea Tea; Jesuits Bark; Affafetida and Tapioca; and a few bales of Coffees, Baftas, Gurrals, Bandanna and Mullin Handkerchiefs, and a complete assortment of 5-4 and 6-4 Bunting Cloths. For Sale by Pragers & Co. October 20. da w m & th z m

A Gold Watch was Found

A few days ago, in the lower part of Second-street. The owner, on calling at No. 127 in said street, and proving it to be his or hers by a description in writing, may receive it on paying for this advertisement. December 29.

Fresh Garden, Grass and Flower-Seeds,

Roots, &c. &c. This day landing from the ship Eagle, captain Faldick, from London, And FOR SALE by GOLDTHWAIT & MOORE, Corner of Walnut and Second-streets. A most capital and extensive Assortment of GARDEN, GRASS and FLOWER-SEEDS, ROOTS, &c. &c. Among which are,

- Five kinds Asparagus Three kinds Cresses Four Bercocle Twelve Onion Twenty-five Beans Thirteen Rabbitt Six Beets Fifteen Turnip Eleven Brocoli Fifteen Peas Twenty-six Cabbage Six Savoy Six Carrot Four Parsnip Three Cauliflower Twenty-three Melon Five Celery Twenty-one Lettuce Ten Cucumber Common and lemon Thyme Curled leaf and sprigged Parsley Pot Marygold Pot Marjorum Balm Thyme Mangel Wurtzel Leek Kail Shallots Rape Seed Rye Grass Saint Foin Lucerne Red and white Clover Timothy, &c. &c. With a curious collection of the most esteemed FLOWER-SEEDS and ROOTS, Being the most extensive ever imported into this city. The above are from a capital Seedman in London, and are warranted fresh and good. Printed catalogues may be had by applying as above. Dec. 17. dtf.

Just Landing,

At South street wharf, from on board the ship Sedgely, Captain Hodge, from St. Peterburg, The following Goods: Ruffia Sail Duck, first quality. Do. Sheeting do. Do. Diaper do. Do. Huckaback. Do. Cruff. Do. Mould Candles, 4, 5 and 6, to the lb. of the English size. Do. White Candle Tallow. Do. White Soap in small boxes. Do. Cordage of fine yara. Ravens Duck. Hingials, 1st and 2nd sort. Horse Hair uncurled. Ruffia Bar Iron. Do. Hoop Iron. Do. Nail Rods. 10 Tons Oakum and Junk. St. Peterburg Clean Hemp. For Sale by Philips, Cranmond, & Co. October 12.

Old London particular Madeira Wine,

Landing from on board the barque Eagle, Capt. Bates, and for sale by ROBERT ANDREWS, No. 86, South Wharves. Nov. 29. codtf

Cheap French China.

THE subscribers finding it impossible to supply their store with any more China from France, the prices being too immoderate in the manufactories, give notice that they will sell at prime cost the remaining stock on hand, consisting of Desert Sets, Tea-Table Sets Separate Cups and Saucers Groups and Figures Alabaster Vases Looking Glafs, in gilt frames, Besides India Japan'd Toilet Desks, Chairs, Tables and Quadrille Boxes. PASQUIER & Co. No. 91, South Second-street. December 5th.

For Sale, By J. WARDER, PARKER & Co.

An Invoice of Cordage, Consisting of different sizes, from 12 inch cables down to rope of 3 inches, of different lengths: Imported in the ship Swift, from Hull, and entitled to drawback. Sept. 27. dtf

NOTICE.

Those Gentlemen who hold any of the undermentioned Notes or Draughts (whether due or not) are requested to meet at the City Tavern on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 6 o'clock in the evening; at which time an arrangement will be proposed which it is expected will be satisfactory to the holders. Edward Fox's notes in favor of James Greenleaf. James Greenleaf's notes in favor of Edward Fox. James Greenleaf's draughts on Edward Fox. Abraham Dubois's note to Edward Fox. Edward Fox's note to Abraham Dubois. James Greenleaf's draughts on Abraham Dubois. At the request of a major part of the Gentlemen interested. EDWARD FOX. dtw December 29.

Bank of North-America,

January 2, 1797. At a meeting of the Directors this day, a Dividend of Six per Cent. was declared for the last half year, which will be paid to the Stockholders or their representatives, at any time after the 10th instant. By order of the Board. JOHN NIXON, President.

For Sale,

By the Subscribers—In PENN-STREET, 65 Pipes Excellent Madeira Wine, Imported by the Eagle. WILLINGS & FRANCIS. Nov. 30. w&sf

Davis's Law Book Store,

No. 313, HIGH-STREET. GEORGE DAVIS announces to his professional friends, and the Gentlemen of the Law, generally, through the Union, that his late importation of BOOKS is now arranged, and ready for Sale, from a single volume to an entire library, without any advance upon his former exceedingly low prices, which for several years past have in so distinguished a manner recommended them to notice. Printed Catalogues combining the most extensive collection of the latest English and Irish Editions ever imported into this country, are published, and will be delivered gratis on application. Orders addressed to G. D. in writing from any distance shall be punctually attended to. A number of TRUNKS for Sale. ALSO, TO BE LET, A convenient LOFT, near Market Street Wharf. dtw

Bank of Pennsylvania.

At a Meeting of the Stockholders of the Bank of Pennsylvania, at the Bank, December 29th, 1796, It was unanimously resolved, That, from the information this day given by the Board of Directors, and the Documents exhibited, the Stockholders do fully approve the conduct of the Directors; and that the thanks of this meeting be returned to the said Directors for their activity, zeal, and successful exertions in the discharge of their duties in relation to the affairs lately practiced upon this Institution. Resolved, That the foregoing Resolution be published in the Newspapers of this city. EDWARD SHIPPEN, Chairman. BENJAMIN CHEW, Jr. Secretary. Dec. 30. dtw

Women's Cloaks.

GEORGE DOBSON, No. 25, South Third-street, Has just received, per Eagle, Capt. Faldick, via London, an assortment of Scarlet Drab Purple and Pearl Cloaks trimmed with fur and ermine. December 15. \$

A few hogheads of choice N. E. Rum,

and a quantity of LARD, for sale; Enquire at No. 71, North Water-street. December 24. dtw

Clocks and Watches.

LESLIE AND PRICE, No. 79, MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA, HAVE IMPORTED, by the late arrivals from London, a large assortment of WARRANTED WATCHES, consisting of horizontal, capped and jewell'd Gold Watches, with seconds, of superior workmanship and elegance; also capped and jewell'd and plain Gold Watches; capped & jewell'd, capped, seconds, day of the month, and plain Silver Watches; eight day & chamber Clocks; elegant French Clocks with marble frames; eight day and thirty hour, brass works, &c. December 22, 1796. dam

WM. HOLDERNESE, No. 76,

HIGH-STREET, Has received by the late arrivals, A Well Selected Assortment of Silk Mercery, Linen Drapery, and Haberdashery Goods, Which he will sell, wholesale and retail, on the very lowest terms; Amongst which are Some elegant 4-4 and 7-8 Chintzes and Cottons, new patterns. Ditto Furniture ditto Ditto Dimity Tamboured, Book, and Jaconet Muslins Ditto in Gold and Silver Ditto Neckcloths, very fine Mantuas of the first quality Silk and Cotton Hosiery Umbrellas of the first quality, assorted Irish Linens, very fine, and Table Linens Marcellis and Cotton Counterpanes Rose Blankets assorted—&c. &c. October 26. d

Insurance Company of North-America.

THE STOCKHOLDERS in this company are desired to take notice that the second Tuesday in January, (being the 10th day of the month) is the day fixed by charter for the election of twenty-five Directors for the ensuing year. The election will be held at their office, and commence at 11 o'clock, A. M. The subject of the bye-laws of the Corporation will be submitted to their consideration at this meeting. EBENEZER HAZARD, Sec'y. Dec. 12.

C. W. PEALE,

To the Citizens of Philadelphia. Willing to contribute my mite to assist the sufferers at Savannah, I propose to appropriate the products of the Museum, on Wednesday, the 4th of January next, for that express purpose. The constant call for my daily exertions, to prepare the numerous subjects for the museum, has, and will for a long time to come, prevent me from giving my personal attendance on the visitors of this repository: But on this particular occasion, it is my intention to be present the whole day; and it will give me much pleasure to see the rooms crowded from the early morn until ten o'clock at night. N. B. C. W. PEALE during the last nine months, has made uncommon exertions to enrich and improve the Museum, and although it is not yet what it ought to be with the aid of the City of Philadelphia, the proprietor assures the public that it is daily progressing in usefulness; and the constant visitor will always find some additions to elevate his mind, and call forth sentiments of love, wonder and admiration of the wisdom of the great creator of all things. Museum, Dec. 9. dtw