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The owners of the Brigantine Mercury, William Dron, master, captured by a Spanish privateer and sold at Centa in last December, may receive interesting information respecting her, by applying to the Department of State.

The Printers in the sea-port towns of the United States, will render a service to the General, by inserting the above in their newspapers.

Delaware and Schuylkill Canal Company. January 3d, 1798.

THE Stockholders are requested to attend an adjourned meeting to be held at the Company's office at 6 o'clock Friday evening.

NICKLIN & GRIFFITH, At their Store on Walnut Street Wharf— HAVE FOR SALE, 58 hhd's of Jamaica Rum, Madeira Wine in pipes and hhd's.

And at New-York, on board the ship DIANA, from Liverpool, expected round as soon as the navigation is open, Fine Liverpool Salt.

PAINTS Spanish Brown Venetian Red Purple Brown Patent white White lead Red lead Colcothar vitriol 160 bundles Sheathing paper Seaming twine

Ship DIANA, For Sale or Charter.

Brig AMAZON.

N. B. The late firm of Philip Nicklin & Co. is now changed to NICKLIN & GRIFFITH.

Landing this day, on board the Schooner Two Friends, Daniel Crawley, Master, 80 hhd's of Jamaica RUM, 12 pipes

James & Richard Smith, TAKE the liberty of informing their friends and the public, that they have removed their store to No. 54, South Front Street, next door to Edward Fox's Auction Room.

James C. & Samuel W. Fisher, AT THEIR STORE, No. 813, corner of Arch and Front streets, HAVE FOR SALE, Cotton and worsted Hosiery in trunks, assorted A few bales red, white, and yellow Flannels Ditto finer roan Handkerchiefs Ditto Pullicat silk ditto Ditto Pondicherry and Madras ditto Ditto Currah's Bengal black Taffeties 4000 picas Nankens, and Few chests best Hyson Tea

NOW LANDING, At South-street Wharf, The Cargo of the Ship Concord, Captain Thompson, from Batavia.

For Sale or Charter, The Snow GOOD HOPE, Will carry about 1200 barrels, and is ready to take in a cargo.

For Liverpool, The copper bottomed Ship Hamburg Packet, Captain SILAS SWAIN.

For Savannah, in Georgia, The Ship Sally Butler, Captain CHISHOLM.

A person well acquainted with the theory and practice of book-keeping, who has been many years engaged in business for himself and others, would be glad to be employed, either as an agent or factor; or in posting books; stating unsettled accounts; or in executing any other kind of writing, in French or English.

House and Lots, in Bordentown, TO BE SOLD, a handsome two story House, with the lot on which it is erected, situated about the middle of the beautiful and healthy Village of Bordentown.

ROSS & SIMON, HAVE FOR SALE, A few bales Baftas, Coffas, and a quantity of Bengal COTTON Bengal SUGAR, in bags and boxes Jamaica, St. Vincents, RUM, and Bengal 2000 cases RICE, and A parcel of ship building RED CEDAR.

For Amsterdam, The Ship FARMER, JOHN M'COLLON, Master. WILL sail in a few days, the greater part of her cargo being ready.

For London, The BRIGANTINE SUKEY, WILLIAM WHITTEN, Master. A strong good vessel, about two hundred tons, to sail with all convenient speed, a great part of her cargo engaged—now lying at William and Francis's wharf.

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For Savannah, TO SAIL THE FIRST OPENING, The fast sailing ship SWIFT PACKET, PATRICK GRIBBEN, Master.

Who have on hand, and for Sale, Prince Rice, in whole and half barrels, Georgia and Carolina Indigo, Molasses in hhd's, Tenerife wine, &c. &c.

Wanted to Charter, A British vessel, fifteen hundred to two thousand five hundred barrels burthen.

For Charleston, THE SHIP VENUS, Lying at the wharf of Messrs. Perrott SHE will take Freight on vary low terms, and sail the first opening.

For Amsterdam, The Ship FARMER, JOHN M'COLLON, Master.

Who is Landing, out of the said Ship, from Bourdeaux, and For Sale, Claret in hhd's. White Wine in quarter casks Claret in cases, of a superior quality

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Prison Manufactory, FOR SALE, At the Prison of the City and County of Philadelphia.

NOTICE, To holders of JAMES GREENLEAF's and EDWARD FOX's Engagements.

Chocolate and Mustard, Of a superior quality, manufactured, by J. HAWORTH.

All Persons, Having any demands against the Estate of the late Captain George Irwin, are requested to bring in their accounts properly attested, on or before the first day of January next.

The Subscriber, Informs those to whom he is indebted, that his books, which have been kept open for their inspection since December 1796 are balanced to the 31st ult. and will during the present month remain open at his counting-house in Chestnut Street.

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 eighth day of January next, at 11 o'clock.

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NOTICE, ALL persons who have any demands against the estate of WILLIAM FLETWOOD, of Liverpool, late of Philadelphia, merchant, deceased, are requested to exhibit their accounts, properly attested, and those who are indebted to the same, are desired to make immediate payment.

FOR SALE, One hundred and eighty bales BENGAL GOODS, amongst which are, Gurahs, Mamonies, Sannas, Tandu Coffees, Emericks, Calicos, Romall Handkerchiefs

JUST RECEIVED, (via New-York) AND NOW OPENING, BY GEORGE DOBSON, No. 55, South Third Street.

Employment for the Poor, FLAX FOR SPINNING, To be given out every second, fourth, and sixth day morning, between the hours of 10 and 12—back of No. 52, fourth Fifth Street, above Spruce Street.

For Sale by the Subscribers, Prime Rice in subole and half tierses, Eau deaux Brandy, Teneffs Wine, Molasses, Georgia and Carolina Indigo, Rowens Duck and one hoghead of paint brushes.

Fresh Raisins, A Small cargo, just arrived, and now landing at Chestnut Street wharf, from the ship YARICO, capt. Halkell, consisting of Kegs, Boxes and Jars. A few Jars of excellent Grapes, and sacks of soft shelled Almonds.

Bank of North America, To 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 inst. By order of the board, JOHN NIXON, President.

Bank of the United States, January 1st, 1798. THE Directors have this day declared a dividend of sixteen dollars on each share for the last six months, also an additional dividend of four dollars on each share, arising from surplus profits. Each dividend will be paid to the Stockholders, or their legal representatives, after the 10th ult.

Imported (via New York) on the ship Hero, from Madras and Calcutta, and for sale by the subscriber, at No. 61, Chestnut Street, between Second and Third Streets, the following articles: Maharagones, Charconna Dorans, Chintz and Calicos, Dacca worked muslins, Gill's Romals, Bandannoes, Nillas & Penitafes, Chalks Romals, Blue cloth, Hair ribbon, Mull Multhanckerchiefs, Palempores, Patna do, Benares Opium, Lesser Cardium Seeds.

Now Landing, From on board the ship Farmer, lying at Harper's Wharf, Claret in hhd's. Ditto in cases. Sauterne Wine in do. For Sale, apply to John Whitesides & Co. No. 138, Market-Street.

Tin Plates, FOR SALE, BY SIMON WALKER, Pine, near Fifth Street.

A House in Burlington for Sale. The subscriber has a large, convenient two-story brick House, with Stables, Carriage-house, and a well improved Garden, in the City of Burlington, New-Jersey, which he wishes to sell. For terms apply at No. 5, South Fourth Street, to GEORGE WALKER, Who has also for Sale, Lots in Washington City, Contiguous to the Capitol and to the principal harbour.

STOLEN, Out of the subscriber's office a large blue cloth cloak, half worn. The inside of the collar is faced partly with scarlet velvet and partly with fawn cloth, and it has a silver hook and chain as a fastening. A suitable reward will be paid for restoring it. WILLIAM MEREDITH, No. 111 South 3d Street.

FOR SALE, 129, South Front-street, next door to the Custom-house, A large assortment of Gold and Silver Watches, A Time Keeper, by Arnold, Some plated Candlesticks, Double barrelled Guns, by Mortimer, maker to the King of England, Ditto, by France, Pair dusling Pistols, by Knuble, Charing Cross, Reflecting Telescopes, by Ribright, Box of patent Medicines, 60 lb. Scotch Thread, Small collection of valuable Books, and Books of Prints, 30,000 acres of Land in one lot, upon the Big Sandy, in Mason county, Kentucky, patented by Perceval Butler, in 1787; All'o, 14 Lake Erie Lots, Invoices or parcels of Warshes bought.

Valuable Books, Just received by the FAIR AMERICAN from London, and now opening and selling by J. ORMROU, No. 41, Chestnut Street. CATALOGUES Of the newly imported Books may be had gratis. These added to G's usual stock, form an extensive and elegant collection of ancient and modern literature, and comprise books in sundry Languages and on various subjects.

The JUVENILE FRIEND; Being a valuable collection of interesting and miscellaneous incidents, calculated to exhibit to young minds the happy effects of youthful innocence and filial affection.—In prose and verse. Designed to improve and amuse the rising generation. In the Press, and will be speedily published, Dr. DARWIN'S Plan of Female Education. Subscriptions for this incomparable work will be thankfully received by the printer. The book will contain about three hundred pages, will be printed with a new type on fine paper, and delivered to subscribers neatly bound, lettered and embellished with an elegant frontispiece, for one dollar.

Imported in the ship MANCHESTER, BENJAMIN SHEWELL, Master, From Bourdeaux, and for sale by the subscriber, No. 11, Walnut Street. Bourdeaux Brandy, Irish market claret in cases, Entitled to Medoc wine, in do. Drawback. Sauterne, do. do. Thomas Murgatroyd, WHO HAS FOR SALE, Sherry Wine in pipes and quarter casks, Rota do, do, Pimento in bags, 4000 bushels Liverpool salt.

THOMAS RANDALL, PRESENTS his respects to his Friends, and the Public in general, informs them that he has opened an Office, at his house, No. 88, Spruce Street, for the purpose of transacting business in the line of Commission and Agency, collecting rents and outstanding claims in any part of the United States.— He flatters himself, that from his long residence in this country and a general knowledge of it, his services will be found worthy the notice of those who may please to confide to him the management of any of their concerns. N. B. Security given where required.

Canal Lottery—No. II, WILL commence drawing Monday, the 20th inst. Tickets for Sale in this Lottery, at Seven Dollars, at WM. BLACKBURN'S Lottery and Brokers Office, No. 64, South Second-Street— Tickets in the Schuylkill Bridge Lottery, at Ten Dollars, please check books are kept for registering and examining in these, the City of Washington, No. 11, and Paterson Lotteries, and information where tickets may be had in most of the Lotteries authorized by law in any of the States of the Union.

N. B. The business of a Broker, in buying and selling all kinds of Public Stock and Securities, discounting, Bills, and Notes of Hand, sale of Lands, Houses, &c. &c. will be duly attended to, by WM. BLACKBURN, No. 64, South Second Street.

DANCING SCHOOL, WILLIAM McDUGALL presents his most respectful compliments to his former employers and the citizens in general, and returns his most grateful thanks, for the very bountiful encouragement he has experienced for the last twenty-five years past, takes this opportunity of informing them, that his school is now open, at his

Elegant Ball Room, in South Fourth-Street, between Chestnut and Walnut-Street, To begin at 10 in the morning for young ladies, and 6 in the evening for young gentlemen. Dec. 8. 22wtf.

SALES BY AUCTION, Stated Sales For DRY GOODS, Forenoon—Edward Fox, No. 56, fourth Front-Street, Monday—Afternoon—Footman & Co. No. 65, South Front-Street. Forenoon—John Connelly, Old City Auction, No. 73, fourth Front-Street. Tuesday—Afternoon—William Shannon, No. 183, High-Street. Wednesday—Afternoon—Peter Denlon, No. 74, fourth Third-Street. Thursday—Forenoon—Edward Fox. Forenoon—John Connelly. Friday—Forenoon—William Shannon. Afternoon—John Connelly. Saturday—Afternoon—Peter Denlon.