

FOR SALE, A House and 12 elegant Building Lots in Germantown.

Taken up on the 5th instant, Two Strayed Horses, the one a black with a Speck in one of his eyes.

Forty Dollars Reward. A Negro Man, named GLENN, perhaps he may pay by the name of GLENN.

NOTICE. THREE Certificates of Six Per Cent. Deferred Debt of the United States of the following description.

RECEIVED THIS DAY, From on board the ship Alexander, capt. Brown, from Jacquemel, at Wilkes' wharf, about 80,000 wt. of fine Green Coffee.

Manchester Goods. Received by the late ship from Liverpool, several trunks, suitable for the present and approaching season.

NEW TEA WAREHOUSE. No. 39, South Front Street, OPPOSITE POST-OFFICE.

NOTICE. THE Partnership of the subscribers, trading under the firm of PAXSON & RICHARDSON, was dissolved on the sixth of the third month last.

ISAAC PAXSON, Continues to carry on the business at the usual place, No. 10, South Third street.

A Country Seat. TO BE LET for the summer season or by the year, the greater part of a large House.

Military Colours. At G. GULLAGER'S

Portrait and Ornamental Painting Rooms, No. 50, South Fourth, next to Chestnut street.

Ornamental Painting, Signs, Fire Buckets, Cornices, &c. &c. executed in silk (not that flimsy silk of modern elegance peculiar to G.R.)

Military Colours, PAINTED ON SILK—BY GEORGE RUTTER & Co.

Portrait and Ornamental Painters, IN a file which will endure the hardships of the weather without injury.

FLAGS AND DRUMS. Furnished with dispatch, on the most moderate terms.

Portraits, Ornamental Paintings, Signs, fire buckets, &c. accomplished in that superb style of modern elegance.

In the Military Line, A variety of specimens may be seen at their Painting Room, North's Court, back of the Navy Library.

ROBERT FIELD, MINIATURE PAINTER, Has removed to No. 106, Walnut street.

NOTICE. AS Wednesday the ninth instant is appointed by the President of the United States, as a day of Solemn Humiliation, Fasting and Prayer.

A Premium of 100 Dollars WILL be paid by the Bank of Pennsylvania, for such Plan of a Banking House, accompanied with sections and elevations.

IMPORTED, In the Brig BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, from Bourdeaux, AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER.

OX BEEF. 100 Barrels of Beef of best quality, put 50 half Barrels up with care for long voyages.

WINE S. 35 Pipes of Madeira Wine, 30 Pipes of Port, 30 half Casks of Sherry.

FOR SALE, Two three story Brick Houses With convenient stores, wharfs, &c. situate on Water street.

For Sale, The cargo of the brig American from Lagaira, CONSISTING OF Caraccas Cocoa.

C O N G R E S S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25. (Concluded from yesterday's Gazette.)

Mr. HARPER called for the order of the day on the bill for establishing an executive department, to be denominated The Department of the Navy.

Mr. GALLATIN said, he had not proposed any amendment to this bill in the committee of the whole, because what he had to say upon it, would go against the principle of the bill.

Mr. WILLIAMS did not feel disposed to vote for this bill. It appeared to him that the Secretary of War, with officers under him, would be sufficient for the management of our naval concerns also.

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Mr. SEWELL said, when the house was considering any subject relative to the increase of the navy, complaints were made of the enormous expences, and of the little responsibility which attends the business.

He thought there were obvious reasons for the establishment of this department. It was well known that an officer might be well acquainted with the business of the navy.

Mr. S. SMITH believed, after all the struggles which had been made on this subject, it would at length be found necessary for the United States seriously to turn their attention to the establishment of an efficient naval force.

Mr. O. said, he should be obliged to be particular in his remarks. He had himself no mathematical certainty that any opinion, of his was right; nor did he think the gentleman from Massachusetts ought to expect men to bow to him.

Mr. M'DOWELL said, he should be opposed to the bill, if he had no other objection to it than that it went to countenance the idea, according to the gentleman from Maryland and Massachusetts, that this country must go into the establishment of a large Naval Power.

Mr. O. said, when he considered that almost every day some new construction was either given to the constitution, or some mode of administering the government altered.

ment at 18,250 dollars; but one half of that expence was incurred in the office of the Accountant of the War Department, and as there would be no need of a new Accountant, the expence could not be doubled.

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fon did not apply at present. If there was no intention, therefore (which he trusted there was not) of carrying out Naval Establishment to any considerable extent, he could see no occasion for the creation of this office.

Mr. OTIS says the establishment of this Department will operate as a defence to the country, by favourably impressing the minds of Foreign countries with our force, and the lamented loss of the vote of one of his friends, and reflected upon all those who differed from him in opinion as being unfriendly to himself and the country.

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