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Godwin's Political Justice.
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"We have no small degree of pleasure in announcing the present work to our readers; as one which from the freedom of its enquiry, the grandeur of its views, and the fortitude of its principles, is eminently deserving of attention. By this eulogium, we would by no means be understood to subscribe to all the principles which these volumes contain. Knowledge is not yet arrived at that degree of certainty which is requisite, for any two men to think alike on all subjects; neither has language attained that consistent accuracy, which can enable them to convey their thoughts, even when they do think alike, in a manner perfectly correct and intelligible to both. These difficulties are only to be overcome by a patient, incessant, and benevolent investigation.

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Subscriptions received by the publishers at their Printing Office, back of No. 77 Dock Street, Philadelphia. June 18. \$100000

Mr. Darley, jun. & Miss Milbourne's
NIGHT.

New Theatre.

On WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 22,
Will be presented, a Comedy, called,

The Dramatist;

OR, STOP HIM WHO CAN!

Lord Scratch,	Mr. Bates.
Neville,	Mr. Green.
Florville,	Mr. Moreton.
Willoughby,	Mr. Darley, jun.
Ennui,	Mr. Marshall.
Peter,	Mr. Francis.
Vapid, (with the Epilogue,	Mr. Chalmers.
Miss Courtney,	Mrs. Francis.
Lady Waitford,	Mrs. Shaw.
Letty,	Mrs. Solomon.
Marianna, (first time)	Miss Milbourne.

Between the fourth and fifth acts of the Comedy, Mr. Darley, jun. will sing the

INVOCATION TO LIBERTY.

Taken from the play of *The Patriot*.
To which will be added, a favorite Musical Romance, in 3 acts, (taken from the French) called

The Prisoner.

Marcos,	Mr. Marshall.
Bernardo,	Mr. Darley, jun.
Palquel,	Mr. Darley.
Roberto,	Mr. Bliffett.
Lewis,	Mr. Moreton.
Narcisso, (first time)	Master R. Bates.
Clara,	Mrs. Warrell.
Theofa,	Mrs. Harvey.
Nina,	Mrs. Marshall.
Juliana,	Miss Solomon.

With New Scenery and Decorations.

The Scenery designed and executed by Mr. Milbourne. The Music and Accompaniments, with the original Overture, composed by Mr. Atwoods.

Tickets to be had of Mr. Darley, jun. 120 Vine Street, of Miss Milbourne, 24 North 3d Street, and the usual places.

On Friday, THE WEST-INDIAN, with the Farce of CROCHET LODGE; or, The Spouting Landlord, with other Entertainments, for the benefit of Mrs. Francis.

Mr. MILBOURNE'S Night will be on Monday next. BOX, One Dollar—PIT, Three-Fourths of a Dollar—GALLERY, Half a Dollar.

No money or tickets to be returned; nor any person, on any account whatsoever, admitted behind the scenes. Ladies and Gentlemen are requested to send their servants to keep places a quarter before five o'clock, and order them as soon as the company is seated, to withdraw as they cannot, on any account, be permitted to remain.
VIVAT REPUBLICA.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

FOR delivering to his Master, a Black Servant Boy, named Jack Robinson, about 13 years of age, a smart active and lively lad. Had on when he went away, a short dark blue coloured cotton velvet jacket with sleeves, a pair new fullian overalls, of the same colour, and an old round black hat, no shoes. His time was purchased of Thomas Fisher, Suffex County Delaware State, where his mother lives.
It is not unlikely but he may be gone that way. The above reward will be given if he is apprehended ten miles out of the City, but if he is taken within less distance, ten dollars, beside all reasonable charges will be paid by the subscriber, No. 235, Market Street.

WILLIAM HUNTER.

JOHN PAUL JONES.

INFORMATION is hereby given, that the late John Paul Jones was a proprietor of five shares (amounting to about 387 acres) in a tract of land purchased by the Ohio Company, in the territory of the United States of America, north-west of the river Ohio; and that his heirs, or legal representative, on application to the directors of said company, at Marietta in the territory aforesaid, will receive a deed of the said five shares, or rights of land.
The application may be made personally or by an agent, but proper documents must be produced by the claimant or claimants the legal heirs or representative of the said Jones.
N.B. As it is not known in what country the person or persons interested reside, it will be an act of benevolence in every Printer in America and Europe, who shall insert this advertisement in his paper.
In behalf of the directors of the Ohio Company,
MARIETTA, May 20, 1796. RUFUS PUTNAM. [June 4] 3aw9w

War-Office of the United States,

THE following Rules, explanatory of those published the 13th February, 1795, are to be observed by all persons entitled to Lands, in pursuance of resolves of Congress.

Every certificate of the acknowledgment of a deed or power of attorney, either before a notary public or other magistrate, must, in addition to what is usual, set forth that the person making the acknowledgment is known to the notary or other magistrate; for which purpose words of the following import must be inserted in the certificate. "And I do moreover certify that the said A B making this acknowledgment has been for personally known to me."
If the notary or other magistrate has reason to believe that he is the person he represents himself to be, he will also certify it.

And if the proof be made by a witness or witnesses, he or they must swear to some general state of their knowledge of him, which matter must be set forth in the certificate; and the notary public, or other magistrate, before whom the acknowledgment is made, must also set forth that the witness or witnesses has or have been for upwards of personally known to him.

If a justice of the peace is employed, the clerk of the court of the corporation or county must certify that such person is a justice of the peace of the county or corporation as the case may be, and that full faith is due to his acts as such.
JAMES M'HENRY,
Secretary of War.

May 12. 1aw3m

Bank of the United States,

NOTICE is hereby given, that applications will be received at Bank, until the first day of July next, inclusive, for the purchase of the six per cent stock bearing interest from the first day of July next, to be issued agreeably to an act of Congress, passed the thirty-first day of May last, entitled, "an act making provision for the payment of certain debts of the United States."

CONDITIONS:

1st. Said stock will be sold at par, for notes with two endorsements, to be approved of, at terms not exceeding three, four, and five months, in three equal instalments.
2d. No sum less than one hundred dollars will be sold, nor any sum expressing a fractional part of one hundred dollars.
N.B. The applications accompanied by the notes offered in payment are to be made in the same manner as for discounts and are to be handed to the Cashier, from whom answers can be received on the second of July.

By order of the Directors,
G. SIMPSON, Cashier.

FOR SALE,

A very Valuable Estate,

CALLED TWITTENHAM, situate in the township of Upper Derby, and county of Delaware, 7 1/2 miles from Philadelphia, and half a mile from the new Western road: containing 230 acres of excellent land, 45 of which are good watered meadow, 90 of prime woodland, and the rest arable of the first quality. There are on the premises a good two story brick house, with 4 rooms on a floor, and cellars under the whole, with a pump-well of excellent water in front; a large frame barn, stables, and other convenient buildings; a smoke-house and stone spring-house; two good apple orchards, and one of peaches. The fields are all in clover, except those immediately under tillage, and are so laid out as to have the advantage of water in each of them, which renders it peculiarly convenient for grazing.
The situation is pleasant and healthy, and from the high cultivation of the land, the good neighbourhood, and the vicinity to the city, it is very suitable for a gentleman's country seat.
The foregoing is part of the estate of Jacob Harman, deceased, and offered for sale by

Mordecai Lewis,
Surviving Executor.

O.A. 9. co.]

For Sale,

A Few Casks of First Quality

I N D I G O.

Enquire at No. 71, South Water street.
May 2. tht & f f

FOR SALE,

An elegant 3 story Brick Messuage

And LOT of GROUND;

(Late the property of George Dannacker, deceased) With piazza and kitchen, cow-house, and stabling for 34 horses, a good pump in the yard, &c. Situate on the West side of Front, near Callow-Hill Street—at present occupied by Mr. John Kincaid.

N. B. The Lot is 22 1/2 feet front on the West side of Front Street, in depth on the North side, 157 feet, and on the South side, 156. GEORGE KEMBLE } Exrs. JAMES TRIMBLE }
May 31. 2aw2m

Treasury Department;

Revenue-Office, March 10th, 1796. PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the Commissioner of the Revenue, (No. 43, at the corner of Third and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia) for building in North-Carolina,

I. A Light-House upon Cape-Matteras.
II. A Beacon House upon Shell Castle island.
Descriptions of each, and all other particulars, may be seen on application at the offices of any of the Superintendants of Light-Houses, or of the Supervisors of the Revenue, or of the Collectors of the Customs in any of the States; as also at this office. 2aw3m

Lottery

FOR raising six thousand six hundred and sixty-seven dollars and fifty cents, by a deduction of fifteen per cent from the prizes, and not two blanks to a prize. viz.
1 Prize of 5000 dollars is dollars 5000
1 " " 1000 " " 1000
1 " " 500 " " 500
5 " " 200 " " 1000
20 " " 100 " " 2000
99 " " 50 " " 4950
200 " " 25 " " 5000
2000 " " 10 " " 20,000
5 Last drawn numbers of 1000 dollars each, 5000

2332 Prizes. 44,450
4018 Blanks. 44,450
9350 Tickets at Seven Dollars each, 44,450

By order of the Directors of the Society for establishing Useful Manufactures, the superintendants of the Paterson Lottery have requested the Managers to offer the foregoing Scheme to the public, and have directed them to refund the money to those persons who have purchased in the former Lottery, or exchange the tickets for tickets in this Lottery.
The lottery has actually commenced drawing, and will continue until finished. A list of the Blanks and Prizes may be seen at the office of William Blackburn, No. 64 South Second Street, who will give information where tickets may be procured.

Dated this 17th day of June, 1796.
J. N. CUMMING,
JACOB R. HARDENBERG, } Managers.
JONATHAN RHEA, }
June 18. co

Take Notice,

THAT the Subscriber intends to make application for the renewal of a Certificate, No. 1609, for 4000 dollars, dated the 14th December, 1795, bearing interest at 5 per cent. from 1st January, 1796, in the name of David Dundas & Co. of Leeds, in Yorkshire, merchants. The same is reported to have been lost on its way to New York, under cover to Bleecker & March, of that place, on the 6th of January last.

Thomas M'Euen.

Philadelphia, 22d June, 1796. \$6

For Sale at Auction,

ON Thursday, the 30th inst. at 7 o'clock, at the Merchants' Coffee-House,

The Schooner Polly & Sally,

BURTHEN 77 tons, well found, and may be seen at the wharf of Messrs. Jesse & Robert Wain. The terms of payment will be one half of the purchase-money at 60 days, and the remainder at 90 days, in approved notes.

Footman & Co. Auctioneers.

June 23. \$

By an Artist resident at Mr. Oellers's Hotel,

MINIATURE LIKENESSES

ARE taken and executed in that elegant and delicate style, which is so necessary to render a Miniature Picture an interesting jewel.

He will warrant a strong and indisputable resemblance; and he takes the liberty to lay before the public this place his most earnest intention to deserve their patronage by his best endeavors to please.
N. B. Specimens are to be seen.
May 12. \$

A Small Invoice of

C A M B R I C S,

For Sale, by

N. & J. FRAZIER,

No. 95, South Front-Street.

June 18. 2w3tay.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA.

ARRIVED.
Brig Brandywine Miller, Colver St. Croix 15
Georgia Packet, M'Keever St. Thomas 14
Capt. Arnold of the schr. Eliza left Malaga, May 9. Left there the barque Columbia from Boston for the Isle of France, brig Lion, Felt, from Boston

The brig James, Peyton failed about 12 days before for Philadelphia. The brig Mayanna, Neill of N. York, failed from Gibraltar May 8—May 21, lat. 26, 24 long. 24, 20, spoke the ship William, Hickey, from Newburyport for Manilla, out 39 days, all well. The brig Patty, Wickham, from Philadelphia, and Amiable Creole, from do. are arrived at Kington and the Planter at St. Croix.

Capt. Hampton of the Ship Caesar, failed from Kington May 29—left there ship Blenheim, Baird, Baltimorelabelled. Sloop Friendship, Osman, N. York do. Polly do.

The ship North Carolina, Hodgson failed from Black River in company with the Caesar. Brig Patty, Conall for Charleston and schooner William, Morle for Porton.

Capt. M'Keever left at St. Thomas's the brig Twins, Keeler, Eagle, Gamble & Abigail, Blake, all of Philadelphia. Also Joseph Brewster of do.

The brig Two Sisters, Baker from Jeremie and the Ship George Washington, Johnston from St. Croix, are at the Port.

NEWBERN, (N. C.) June 5.

The following address accompanied the resolves of the meeting of the inhabitants of this town on the 19th April.
Newbern, North Carolina, 19th April, 1796.

Sir,
THE inhabitants of the town of Newbern hope they may stand excused for any forwardness or indiscretion, which may appear in this address, if they convey to you expressions of gratitude and approbation, as the only return your fellow-citizens have the power of making, for the hard, and in some instances vexatious burden; which their affections and confidence have placed upon you.

We consider, sir, your having refused to comply with the resolution of the House of Representatives of the 24th of March, upon the ground you have taken, among the most signal acts of service which your eminent virtues and talents have rendered your country; as the influence of your example may prolong the date of the Constitution many ages beyond what might have been the short period of its existence, had you admitted the principle, and yielded to the requisition of the house.

It is the pride and boast of every enlightened American, that the principles which have been associated in the composition of our most excellent constitution, have eminently qualified it to extend the most perfect liberty, security and protection, to every rank and condition of life,—and they who know how to appreciate such a blessing, cannot see any act that may have the most remote tendency to rob them of it, without alarm, nor behold any exertions to preserve it, but with the emotions of gratitude.

In addition, suffer us to express the warmest wishes which grateful hearts can feel, for your welfare; that it may be the happiness of America long to experience the influence of your wisdom in the management of her affairs; and that you may enjoy that satisfaction, which the confidence and gratitude of a happy people is capable of conferring.

In behalf of the Citizens of the town of Newbern, I have the honor to be, with the most profound respect, your most obedient, and very humble servant,

JOSEPH LEECH, Chairman.
The President of the United States.

The President's answer is as follows:
United States, 5th May, 1796.

Sir,
I have received from you the address and resolutions of the inhabitants of the town of Newbern, passed at their meeting on the 19th of April, noticing the call for papers relating to the negotia-

tion of the treaty with Great Britain, and my answer to that call.

A sacred regard to the Constitution, and to the best interests of the United States as involved in its preservation, having governed my conduct on that occasion, the consciousness thereof would at all times have furnished me with strong ground of satisfaction, but it gives me real pleasure to find that conduct approved by my fellow citizens; and the kind and affectionate terms in which the approbation of the inhabitants of Newbern has been conveyed to me, are peculiarly grateful, and demand my cordial acknowledgments. These I beg you to express to them with my sincere thanks for their earliest wishes for my welfare.

Go. WASHINGTON.

Col. Joseph Leech.

FOR THE GAZETTE OF THE UNITED STATES.

MR. FENNO,

THERE is no general proposition that is more universally admitted than that our minds are for the most part governed by their feelings by external objects. Scarce a day or an hour passes by but we have frequent opportunities of observing the truth of this assertion. Which of us are there who have not felt that calm tranquility of mind which is inspired by observing a landscape by the softening light of the moon; or, who have not had our minds thrown into agitation by the warring of the elements? Who on beholding a venerable oak whose limbs have been lopped off by the destroying hand of time, and whose companions have long since mouldered into dust, would not call to remembrance those friends of his youth who are no more!

It is such then are the effects produced on the mind by external objects how peculiarly attentive ought we to be that in those places which are appropriated for the worship of our God, nothing should meet the eye or ear which does not comport with those solemn and dignified ideas which should fill our minds during our attendance there: And who will pretend to say, that the custom of gathering money in church, is compatible with these ideas. In vain may the preacher endeavor to persuade us that the affairs of this world should never be set in competition with those of heaven, when in a place expressly dedicated to God, and in the midst of a ceremony in which we should surrender our throats totally to him, we are called back again to the affairs of this world (perhaps for fear we should forget them) by a person who comes to solicit money. Is it possible that under these circumstances we should feel any degree of solemnity. Will it not act as so perfect an antidote, as to expunge every thought we before possessed that led towards heaven.

But the poison stops not here, for that degree of importance which money has robbed religion of, it now possesses itself, and people from seeing them often united give it an importance which it before wanted, and is the cause of one half the misery existing in the world. Such then are the consequences derived from the gathering of money in church. And for what? merely for the purpose of gaining a few pounds! would it not be better, if it is extra sum is necessary, to levy a small sum more on the pews, which would at once banish all the evil tendencies of the present custom, and which would be paid with cheerfulness by every Church going person.

For Sale, A sloop

Of 83 tons burthen, and can be sent to sea at a small expence. For terms apply to

JOHN WELSH,

N. 82 South Wharves, WHO HAS FOR SALE,
36,000 Pipe and barrel STAVES and heading
St. Croix SUGAR
MADEIRA and PORT WINES
LAMPLACK, of Kuhn's "warranted" in order to ship, being put up in pound papers and stowed in good hog heads
SPERMACETI CANDLES
SOAP
SWEET OIL
CORDAGE
Boston BEEF and MACKAREL, and knock down HIDES, BLUBBER OIL, MOROCCO SKINS.
June 22. \$6

UNITED STATES,

Pennsylvania District,

Notice is hereby given, THAT in pursuance of a Writ to me directed, from the honorable Richard Peters, Esquire, Judge of the District Court of the United States in and for the Pennsylvania District, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Merchants' Coffee-House, in the city of Philadelphia, on Tuesday the 5th day of July next, at 12 o'clock at noon, The Schooner or vessel called the

Delight,

With all and singular her tackle, &c. The same having been condemned within said court for the payment of Mariners' wages, &c.

William Nichols, Marshal.
Marshal's Office } 22—5
June 21, 1796. }

Rofs & Simson,

HAVE FOR SALE,
French Checks
Stripes
Printed Cottons
Mulliners
Table Cloths and Napkins
Naukens of an excellent quality per the package, fit for the West India market, and entitled to the Drawback
Grey Ginger in bags
Superior old Sherry in quarter casks
A few pipes and quarter casks Lisbon Wines
June 22. \$27

To-Morrow Morning

Will be LANDED, at Hamilton's wharf, FROM on board the schooner Eliza, Thomas Arnold, master, from MALAGA,
FRESH RAISINS, in kegs,
Ditto, in Jars and Boxes,
SOFT-SHELLD ALMONDS, in sacks
ANCHOVIES, in Kegs,
MOUNTAIN WINE, in qr. casks, &c.
And for sale by
Peter Kuhn.
June 22. \$6