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TAKE NOTICE,

THAT the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas have appointed the first Tuesday in April next, at Bridgetown, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to hear what can be said for or against the liberation from confinement as an insolvent debtor.

ABRAHAM HOOPER,
Bridgetown, March 4, 1816—4t

A GREAT BARGAIN

MAY be purchased of the subscriber, who is wishing to go to Ohio, offers for sale all the property he now occupies, situate in the county of Cumberland, Deerfield township, on the main stage road leading from Bridgetown to Philadelphia, within 1 mile of Deerfield church, (4 miles from Bridgetown) containing 35 acres, 20 of which are well enclosed with cedar rails, in a good state of cultivation; soil most suitable for wheat and corn; on which is a very good dwelling-house and kitchen, with a good cellar under it, and an excellent well of water by the door; great quantity of young fruit trees, coming on; good smoke-house and a good barn; a young orchard growing very fast.—Persons wishing to view the premises, may apply to the subscriber living thereon. The sale to be open until the 2nd of April next.

JOEL GARRISON,
March 4, 1816.—4t

VALUABLE PROPERTY.

THE following property, situate in Millville township, Cumberland county, New Jersey, is offered for sale on reasonable terms:

No. 1. A Tract of Land, containing 900 acres, situate on the west side of Maurice river, and bounded thereby on the east two miles and a half, and on the west by the Bridgetown and Beaver Dam roads. It lies opposite the iron works of Smith and Wood, and possesses the advantage of a water power equal to any in West Jersey. About fifty acres of it are cleared and improved—the residue is woodland.

No. 2. The "Herring Hole Landing," wharf, house, and seven acres of ground, lying between the Millville furnace and Glass Works

No. 3. The equal undivided moiety of 15 acres of town lots, situated between No. 2, and the Glass Works, fronting on the river.

No. 4. A Tract of 3000 Acres of Wood land, extending from half a mile to five miles from the town of Millville.

To accommodate purchasers, No. 1 and 4 will be sold entire or in smaller tracts.

No. 5. A Tract of 200 Acres of Woodland of the best quality, situate in the township of Alloway's Creek, Salem county, within four miles of a good landing.

No. 6. 100,000 Acres of Land in McKean county, Pennsylvania, which will be exchanged for land in New Jersey.—The quality of this land may be ascertained from Ezekiel Foster or Thomas Smith, of Millville, who have seen it.

A clear and indisputable title will be given.

Joseph M. Ilvaine.

Burlington, Feb. 22d, 1816.—M. 4. tf

A Valuable Farm for Sale.

WILL be Sold at private sale that valuable and convenient Farm, belonging to the Subscribers, Situate in Fairfield Township adjoining Lands of Isaac Alderman and David Westcott—Containing about 70 Acres tillable land, 50 Acres Well timbered with Hickory and White-Oak and about 150 Acres of good salt Marsh.—There is on the premises a good two-story Brick house, and smoke house, a good and large Barn a new Waggon-House and corn crib a fine young Orchard of about 200 grafted trees just beginning to bear, and a good Well of excellent water at the door. There is also on the said premises, a convenient landing within half a mile of the timber lot. It will be sold on reasonable terms and payments made easy to suit the purchaser.—Any person can view the same by applying to John Husted on the premises, or to either of the Subscribers,

WILLIAM WESTCOTT, Cedar Creek.
EBENEZER WESTCOTT, New Port.
Feb. 19th. 3t

By Aaron Eldridge, Ephraim Kent, and Ephraim Hildreth, Esquires, Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas of the county of Cape May.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on application to us by Phebe Teal, who claims an undivided half part of all that tract of land situate in the lower township of Cape May aforesaid, whereon Aaron Teal, dec. lately lived, and bounded by the land of Eli Teal, Aaron Teal, Thomas Ross, the heirs of Seth Hand, dec. and the heirs of David Hughes, dec. we have nominated Cresse Townsend, Aaron Leaming, and Robert Parsons Esquires, commissioners to divide the said tract of land into two equal shares or parts, and unless proper objections are stated to us, at the house now occupied by Edward Barnett as an inn, on the thirteenth day of April next at one o'clock in the afternoon, the said Cresse Townsend, Aaron Leaming, and Robert Parsons, esquires, will then be appointed commissioners to make partition of said land, pursuant to an act entitled "an act for the more easy partition of land, held by coparceners, joint-tenants, and tenants in common," passed the eleventh day of November, anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine. Given under our hands this 8th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

AARON ELDRIDGE,
EPHRAIM KENT,
EPHRAIM HILDRETH.

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Cape May Orphans' Court.

Term of February, 1816.

Present, Ephraim Hildreth, John Dickinson, Cresse Townsend, and others, Esquires, Justices.

Estate of Cornelius Corson, Esq. dec.

ON application of Peter Corson, executor named in the last will and testament of Cornelius Corson, deceased, to the Orphans' Court of the county of Cape May, in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, it is ordered by the court, that the said executor give notice to the creditors of the estate of said decedent to bring in their debts, demands, and claims against the same in sixteen months from this date, or that the same be barred; he giving said notice by setting up copies of this rule in five of the most public places in the county aforesaid, and advertising the same in one of the newspapers printed in this state, for the space of two months.—From the minutes,

JEHU TOWNSEND, Clerk.
Feb. 25, 1816—2m

Cape May Orphans' Court.

Term of February, 1816.

Present, Ephraim Hildreth, John Dickinson, Cresse Townsend, and others, Esquires, Justices.

Estate of Jacob Corson, deceased.

ON application of James Ludlam, Esq. administrator de bonis non of Jacob Corson, deceased, to the Orphans' Court of the county of Cape May, in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, it is ordered by the court, that the said administrator give notice to the creditors of the estate of said decedent to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the same in fourteen months from this date, or that the same be barred; he giving said notice by setting up copies of this rule in five of the most public places in the county aforesaid, and advertising the same in one of the newspapers printed in this state for the space of two months.

From the minutes,
JEHU TOWNSEND, Clerk.
Feb. 25—2m

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber on book accounts will please to come forward and discharge them, and all those who have unsettled accounts against him will please to present them for settlement, as he intends to quit his present place of residence on or before the 25th day of March next ensuing.

ROBERT ALDERMAN,
Laurel Hill, Feb. 17th 1816.

Valuable Ohio Lands.

THE subscriber offers for sale, or to exchange for lands in this county, some valuable lands in the state of Ohio. They are situated about 11 miles from Lake Erie, in the county of Ashtabula and adjoining Jefferson, the county town, which is a flourishing thriving settlement containing a handsome court-house, and a number of houses, about 60 miles north of Warren, the county town of Trumbull county. The quality of the soil is believed to be exceeded but by few, if any, in the state of Ohio. Although in a comparatively unimproved part of the state, they are valued in the state assessment as second rate lands. The taxes are paid up, and the title is indisputable.

JAMES D. WESTCOTT,
Cedarville, March 11th, 1816—4t

FOR SALE,

THAT convenient landing on the east side of Cohansy Creek, above the bridge and near the Free landing, together with two dwelling houses, and a building lot adjoining; there is about an acre and a half of ground.—It will be sold together or separate, to suit purchasers—Apply to William Steelling, Philadelphia; or to the subscriber in Bridgetown.

LUCIUS Q. C. ELMER.
Dec. 11 1815.—(7t)

In Chancery of New-Jersey.

William Spence, Compt. } Fieri Facias.
and
William Morgan, Def. }

BY virtue of the above mentioned writ of fieri facias to me directed, will be exposed to sale, at public vendue, on Monday, the eighth day of April next, at the hotel in Bridgetown, county of Cumberland, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day,

A Certain Tract of Land,

Situate in the township of Maurice river, adjoining land formerly belonging to Samuel Cobb; also bounding on Slab Branch, and joining land of Joshua Brick, Thomas Lee, and others, containing seventy-six acres, more or less.

John Sibley, Sheriff.
Feb. 2d, 1815.—2m

Cumberland Orphan's Court,

February Term, 1816.

UPON application of Charles Westcott, jun. executor of Elizabeth Westcott, dec. James B. Parvin, executor of Ephraim Lummes, dec. Isaiab Dunlap, administrator of John Whitman, dec. Dan Simkins, administrator of James M'Kee, dec. to limit a time within which the creditors of said decedents shall bring in their debts, claims, and demands against the estate of the said deceased, or be forever barred from an action against said executors and administrators. It is ordered, that the said executors and administrators give Public Notice to the creditors of said decedents to bring in their claims within one year from the date hereof, by setting up a copy of this order in five of the most public places in this county for the space of two months, and by publishing the same in one of the newspapers in this state, for the like space of time, and any creditor neglecting to exhibit his demand within the time so limited, after such public notice given, shall be forever barred his action therefor, against said executors and administrators.

By the Court,
TIMOTHY ELMER, Clerk.
Feb. 22d, (M. 4) 1816—2m

Cumberland Orphan's Court,

February Term, 1816.

ANN WOODRUFF, administratrix of Charles Woodruff, dec. Isaiab Dunlap, administrator of John Whitman, dec. having severally exhibited to this court, duly attested, a just and true account of the personal estates of said decedents, and also an account of the debts, so far as they can be discovered, by which accounts it appears; that the personal estates of said decedents are insufficient to pay said debts.—Therefore, on application of the said Ann Woodruff and Isaiab Dunlap, setting forth that the said Charles Woodruff and John Whitman died severally seized of lands, tenements, hereditaments, and real estates in the county of Cumberland aforesaid, and praying the aid of the court in the premises.

Also at the term aforesaid, Ann Test, guardian of Anna Test, Margaret Test, Joseph D. Test, Richard W. Test, and Letitia M. Test, setting forth that the said wards have no personal estates, and praying the court to order and decree the sale of the whole real estate of the said minors, for their support and maintenance.

Also at the term aforesaid, Delzel Bacon, guardian of Mark Ware, and Abel Bacon, guardian of Edmund Bacon, setting forth that the said minors have no personal estates, and praying the court to order and decree the sale of so much of the real estates of said minors, as may be necessary to satisfy and discharge the balance due to Samuel Watson and Hannah Taylor, their former guardians.

It is ordered, that all persons interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and real estates of said decedents, and of said minors, do appear before the judges of this court on the first day of June next, and show cause, if any they have, why the whole of the real estates of said decedents should not be sold for the payment of debts which remain unpaid, and why the real estates of said minors should not be sold as in the petitions set forth.—By the Court,
T. ELMER, Clerk.
Feb. 22, 1816.—(M. 11)—2m.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WAS taken up adrift in Broad Fishing Creek in the township of Downe, county of Cumberland, in February last, a LONG BOAT, of three or four tons burthen, without sails or oars. The owner is requested to call upon Joseph Hinckman, at Dividing Creek, who has the boat in charge, and upon proving his right, and paying expenses, may take her away.

John Sibley,
Sheriff of Cumberland.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed to sale, at Public Vendue, on Friday, the twelfth day of April next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, in Bridgetown, in the county of Cumberland, at the inn of Philip Souder,

A Tract of Land,

Situate in the township of Millville, adjoining land of William Watson and others, said to contain one hundred acres, more or less, together with all other land of said defendant in the county of Cumberland. Seized as the property of Jacob Hoover and taken in execution at the suit of John Wishart and John Youngs, and to be sold by

JOHN SIBLEY, Sheriff.

At the same time and place,

A Lot of Land,

Situate in the township of Millville, adjoining lands of William Lee, Nathaniel Foster, and others, said to contain four acres and three quarters, more or less; together with all other lands of said defendant in the county of Cumberland.

Seized as the property of Ashiel Beebe, and taken in execution at the suit of Thomas Smith and Robert Jorden for the use of James Caldwell and to be sold by

JOHN SIBLEY, Sheriff.

At the same time and place,

A House and Lot of Land,

Situate in the township of Fairfield, adjoining lands of Ephraim M'Gee and others; said to contain ten acres, more or less. Together with all other lands of said defendant in the county of Cumberland. Seized as the property of John Whitman, and taken in Execution at the suit of Abraham Sayre, and to be sold by

JOHN SIBLEY, Sheriff.

At the same time and place,

A Tract of Land,

Situate in the township of Downe, adjoining land of Joseph Ellis and others; said to contain two hundred acres, more or less; together with all other lands of said defendant, in the county of Cumberland. Seized as the property of John C. Underwood and John Underwood, and taken in Execution at the suit of Benjamin B. Cooper, and to be sold by

JOHN SIBLEY, Sheriff.

Jan. 29, 1816. (M. 11) 1m

NOTICE.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Orphan's court will be sold at Public Vendue, on the 27th day of April next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the hotel of Smith Owen, Bridgetown,

A Lot of Ground,

Together with the improvements thereon, situate on Laurel Hill, late the property of Charles Woodruff, dec. There are, on said lot, a good substantial building occupied as a cooper's shop; also a good barn. The lot contains about half an acre, and runs from the main street to low water on Cohansy creek.—Terms at sale.

ANN WOODRUFF, Administratrix.

The above property will be sold clear of all incumbrance.
March 18th, 1816—1m

FOR SALE.

AT Public Vendue, on Friday the 22d inst. at the house of the subscriber in Bridgetown, a two story Brick House, 25 by 18 feet, and kitchen one and a half story; one half acre of land, well enclosed, with front enough for another house, lying on the main street from Bridgetown to Buck's Mills. Vendue to begin at 10 o'clock on said day, where attendance will be given, and conditions made known by

DAVID MOORE.

Bridgetown, March 18th, 1816.—tf

NOTICE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Orphans' Court of the county of Cumberland, there will be sold on the 10th day of April next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, on the premises, a Lot of ground, containing about two acres, situated in Roadstown, on which lot are a good dwelling-house and barn, late the property of Auley M'Calla, dec.—Conditions at sale.

JOHN G. M'CALLA, Administrators de
CHARLES CLARK, } bonis non.
Feb. 6, 1816. (M. 11)

NOTICE.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Orphans' Court of the county of Cumberland, there will be sold at Public Vendue, on the 10th day of April next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, at the inn of Mason Mulford, in Roadstown, a Lot of Land, containing one acre, situated in the township of Hopewell, joining lands of Rachel Elwell and others; one equal undivided half of 3 acres, joining lands of Nathan Shepperd and others, situate in the township of Stow creek, late the property of Samuel Elwell, dec. Conditions cash.

CHARLES CLARK, Administrator.
Feb. 6, 1816.—(M. 11)

BONAPARTE.

A gentleman who has lately returned from St. Helena, and who was frequently with Bonaparte, describes him as in the highest spirits, even to a degree of jollity. He says, that he wants dignity, but fairly rolls and swaggers about the island, as if he had made it his own for life. When the gentleman was coming away, and mentioned his destination to another part of the world, the ex-emperor exclaimed, "What sir, and leave such a fine island as this?" He talked about India, and showed the most complete and detailed knowledge of its affairs. He knew all the petty princes, their situations, opposite interests, the names of the principal bankers, merchants, &c. in our settlements. He was as much *au fait* on the subject as if he had passed his life there. Being asked his opinion of Lord Wellington, he said, "He is a good general, but slow. I should put three hundred thousand men in motion while he was thinking of it." He rides at a prodigious rate, and sets off full gallop the instant he is mounted, leaving the cavalcade who attend him a good distance behind.

London Day.

London, January 26.

Lord Whitworth, it is said, applied more than three months ago to be recalled from his situation as lord lieutenant of Ireland. The viceroyalty has been since twice offered to the duke of Wellington, who declined accepting it. Within a few days, we understand, two other noblemen, the duke of Rutland, and earl of Powis, have been offered, but both have declined this office. The viceroy's objections to retain his exalted station probably arose from a repugnance to persevere in a system of government in Ireland which experience has proved wholly inadequate to remove the unhappy grievances which distract that country.—*Globe*.

Disturbances in Ireland.—The opposition to *tythes* in Tipperary and Limerick, has subjected these counties to *marital law*—trial by jury is consequently suspended. "12,000 troops have marched into Tipperary; any person found out of his house one hour before sun-rise or one hour after sunset, without being able satisfactorily to account for themselves, are forthwith transported for seven years to Botany Bay." [*Columbian*].

An awkward affair is said to have occurred a few days back on the Boulevards at Paris, where marshal Victor was walking, when lieutenant Troughton, of the English guards, passing him quickly unintentionally struck the marshal on the elbow. Lieutenant T. immediately apologized, but the marshal abused him grossly, and increased his abuse in proportion to lieutenant T's excuses, when the latter said, "I know not who you are, but I am a British officer, and will not brook such gross and indecent language, without resenting it. I therefore advise you to desist." The marshal went on as before and the lieutenant knocked him down by a blow on the chest. The lieutenant was taken to the prefecture. The marshal wrote to the duke of Wellington, a court of inquiry was held, and the lieutenant was slightly reprimanded, and told to be more circumspect in his conduct.

It is now said that lord Cochrane escaped out of the king's bench, by means of his supplying the place of the stuffing of a large sofa, which had been placed in his room for some time, but which was conveyed publicly out of the bench, with his lordship concealed in it, under pretence of wanting repairs.

Carnot.—The emperor of Russia has invited M. Carnot to come to St. Petersburg, where he has offered him a high appointment in the administration of his armies.—Several others of the most distinguished persons in the revolution are also going to Russia.

The Kingdom of Brazil.—By an arrival at Alexandria, in 60 days from Rio de Janeiro, information is received, that Brazil was declared a kingdom on the 17th of December last, the Birthday of the Queen of Portugal.

New York, March 15, 1816.

It is reported, (and we are inclined to believe it) that the famous LAVALETTE, who escaped from prison in Paris, arrived at this port on Thursday night in the brig Eugene, from Havre.—*Gaz.*

New York, March 15.

Capt. Bowden, from Malaga, informs that commodore Shaw sailed from that port in the frigate United States, for port Mahon, a few days previous to his leaving there.

WASHINGTON WHIG.

BRIDGETOWN, MARCH 25, 1816.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Extracts of Letters to the Editor.

Washington, Saturday evening, March 16th.

THE NATIONAL BANK.

"THE bill to incorporate the subscribers to the bank of the United States was read a third time on this day, and on the question of its passage a debate arose, in which Messrs. Grosvenor, Calhoun, Hulbert, and others advocated, and Messrs. Webster, Root, Clopton, and others opposed it.—The bill passed at a late hour, by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Adgate, Alexander, Atherton, Baer, Betts, Boss, Bradbury, Brown, Calhoun, Cannon, Champion, Chappell, Clark, N. C. Clark Ky. Clendenen, Comstock, Condict, Conner, Creighton, Crocheron, Cuthbert, Edwards, Fory, Forsyth, Gholson, Griffin, Grosvenor, Hawes, Henderson, Huger, Hulbert, Hungerford, Ingham, Irving, N. Y. Jackson, Jewett, Kerr, V. King, N. C. Love, Lowndes, Lumpkin, Maclay, Mason, McCoy, McKee, Middleton, Moore, Mosely, Murrey, Nelson, Ms. Parris, Pickens, Pinkney, Piper, Robertson, Sharpe, Smith, Md. Smith, Va. Southard, Taul, Taylor, N. Y. Taylor, S. C. Telfair, Thomas, Throop, Townsend, Tucker, Ward, N. J. Wendover, Wheaton, Wilde, Wilkin, Williams, Willoughby, Thos. Wilson, Wm. Wilson, Woodward, Wright, Yancey, Yates—80.

NAYS—Baker, Barbour, Bassett, Bennett, Birdall, Blount, Breckenridge, Burnside, Burwell, Cady, Caldwell, Ciley, Clayton, Clopton, Cooper, Crawford, Culpepper, Darlington, Davenport, Desha, Gaston, Gold, Goldsborough, Goodwyn, Hahn, Hale, Hall, Hanson, Hardin, Herbert, Hopkinson, Johnson of Va. Kent, Langdon, Law, Lewis, Lovett, Lyle, Lyon, Marsh, Mayrant, McLean of Ky. McLean of Ohio, Milner, Newton, Noyes, Ormsby, Pickering, Pitkin, Radolph, Reed, Root, Ross, Ruggles, Sargeant, Savage, Sheffy, Smith, of Penn. Stanouk, Stearns, Strong, Sturges, Taggart, Tallmage, Vose, Wallace, Ward of Mass. Ward of N. Y. Webster, Whiteside, Wilcox—71.

One hundred and fifty-one members voting; of course 31 were absent. Of this number, Messrs. Carr of Massachusetts, Findley and Woods of Pennsylvania, and Kilbourn of Ohio, have never taken their seats; Gen. Porter of N. Y. has resigned; Mr. Brigham deceased; and Messrs. Moffit, Birdseye, Rice and Mills have leave of absence for the remainder of the session. Several others are temporarily absent from the seat of government, and a considerable number of the remainder were too much indisposed to occupy their places in the house at the time.—Of this latter number was Mr. Bateman of New-Jersey.

There is one important provision in the bill, which I think I have not before stated, viz. If the Bank shall at any time refuse to pay their notes or deposits in specie, they are thenceforward and until they do so pay their notes or deposits, made liable to a charge of interest thereon, at the rate of 12 per cent.

The senate have given the bill a first reading, and ordered it to be reprinted.

The senate have passed the bill altering the mode of compensating members of congress, ayes 21, noes 11.

In the house of representatives, yesterday and to-day, most of the time has been spent in the consideration of several bills relative to the adjustment, settlement, and quieting of claims to lands, &c. in the territories of Illinois, Mississippi, and the district of Vincennes; the claims of individuals, &c. of which, as they are not of general interest, I shall not trouble you with any details.—I expect the bill regulating the duties on imports and tonnage will come under consideration, and probably occupy most of the time of the house of representatives next week."

Washington, Tuesday evening, March 19th, 1816.

Nomination of President and Vice President of the U. S.

"On the evening of the 16th, the republican members of congress convened in the chamber of the house of representatives, in order to take into consideration the propriety of recommending suitable persons for those important offices.

Gen. Samuel Smith of Maryland was

chosen chairman, and Col. R. M. Johnson of Kentucky, secretary.

After some discussion on a resolution offered by Mr. Clay, declaring it inexpedient to make any selection during the present session of congress, which was negatived, the meeting proceeded, to ballot. The following is the result.

For President.

JAMES MONROE, 65
WM. H. CRAWFORD, 54

For Vice President.

DANIEL D. TOMPKINS, 85
SIMON SNYDER, 50

Thus the expectations and anxiety of the people, so far as respected a congressional recommendation, are put at rest.—The people, it is well known, are not bound by this recommendation; yet it is presumed that a regard for precedents, true policy, and the value of unanimity, will induce the republicans generally to acquiesce!—So far as I have observed, Mr. Crawford's friends here seem inclined cordially to do so.

It is a fact no less flattering to our national feeling than true, that we have many men possessing competent abilities, and the requisite qualifications to enable them ably and judiciously to administer this government, and it is not at all to be wondered at, if an honest diversity of opinion, as on this occasion, should exist.—All cannot be gratified; and therefore it seems reasonable, that whoever concentrates the greatest interest, should be supported.

Considerable time was spent yesterday on the unfinished business of Saturday, being a bill for "quieting and adjusting claims to lands in the Mississippi territory," which, on the question of engrossing it for a third reading, was rejected by a considerable majority.—Since which time the house has been employed on the bill imposing a distillery tax.—It will be recollected, that when the resolution on this subject was, some time since, under consideration, the house reduced the proposed advance of capacity duty from 100 to 50 per cent. on the old rate.—The bill was accordingly reported agreeably thereto.—That decision, however, has been reversed to-day, the 100 per cent. restored, as it respects licences for a lengthy term—and licences are authorised to be issued for short periods at the same rate of charge per gallon capacity, as those of longer duration. Formerly this was not the case. A great number of attempts were made to amend the bill in various ways, most of which were unsuccessful, and the bill was finally ordered to be engrossed for a third reading to-morrow."

Hon. Mr. Bagot, the minister from the government of Great Britain to the United States, with his family and suite, arrived in this city on Monday; having landed at Annapolis from the frigate which conveyed them to our shores.

His present residence is at Crawford's Hotel; though it is understood he has taken a house in the city, which is not yet prepared for his reception.—*Nat. Int.*

The resolution changing the mode of compensating the members of congress, has passed the senate.

NEW-HAMPSHIRE.

From the Boston Daily Advertiser of March 16.

Sufficient election returns are received from New-Hampshire to make it pretty manifest that Mr. Plumer is elected governor. Gov. Gilman was elected last year by a plurality of 554 votes only; a majority of the council will also be democratic. The house of representatives, it is probable from the present aspect, may be federal. Of the senate there can be but little doubt that seven members of the twelve will be federal.

Indian ambassador in London.—Under this head, the Dublin Evening Post of December, republishes a paragraph from an English paper, stating that a Creek ambassador was in London, the representative of 24 tribes; but that he was not openly received.—*Col.*

Major genl. Brown, his family and suite left Washington on the 15th inst. on their return to his head-quarters in the state of New-York.

Downington, (Penn.) March 12

It is reported, that a Silver Mine has been lately discovered on the land of Simon Meredith, in Pughtown, Coventry township, in this county, that yields one ounce of pure silver to a pound of ore—that it is easily obtained, and appears to be inexhaustible. We have the account from two respectable men in the neighbourhood of the ore.

Buffalo, March 5.

Last week, a British soldier, who had some time since deserted from the army in Canada, was apprehended by one of our citizens, and under custody of a constable was taken across the Niagara river, and given up. The circumstance caused a considerable sensation here, but as the proper authority have instituted a prosecution against those concerned in the transaction, we shall offer no remarks.

New York, March 19.

In the ship Rapid, from Gibraltar, arrived last evening, came passenger captain James Riley, the second mate, and a boy, late of the brig Commerce, of Hartford.—Capt. Riley has favoured us with an interesting narrative of his shipwreck on the coast of Africa—of the hardships endured by himself and crew while prisoners to the Arabs, and of his providential deliverance, which we had not time to publish in this day's paper.—*Mer. Adv.*

Boas, in the town of Manlius, on Sunday last, a child with three heads, 5 legs, and four arms. The child was still-born, and the mother's life is despaired of. A physician offered 400 dollars for the child. *Western Fed. Feb. 28.*

SALT.

An extensive cave of native epsom salt, or sulphurate of magnesia, has been discovered in or near Corydon (Indiana territory). Salt of every variety of crystal, is said to be arranged in all that fanciful splendour, which decorates the grotto of Antiparos.

From the Delaware Gazette, March 14. Secretary's Office, March 7, 1816.

The governor agreeing with the opinion of two thirds of each branch of the Legislature of this state, as expressed in the address of said Legislature, of the 15th of February last, "That a continual non-attendance of a Judge, on the sessions of the court, proceeding from bodily inability, and without a prospect of its removal, is a reasonable cause for his removal from office," did this day remove the hon. Richard Cooper, esq. from the office of Judge of the Supreme Court of the state of Delaware, agreeably to the request of the Legislature, and in pursuance of the power vested in him, by the Constitution.

A proclamation has been issued in Lower Canada, for calling a new parliament. The election to be held previous to the 25th of April next.

The legislature of Upper Canada commenced a session at York, on the 6th ult. Sir Francis Gore, governor of the province, delivered a speech, in which he highly complimented the militia.

It appears, from the returns made to parliament, that the sums annually raised by the poor rates amount to five millions sterling (upwards of 22 millions of dollars) which is about 15,699l. per day, a provision surely sufficient to prevent the appearance of a common beggar in any part of the kingdom.—*London pap.*

The cause of the patriots does not fall in Venezuela with the capture of Carthagena. The expedition sent against the island of Marguerita had failed; the royalists losing 500 men killed, and 17 officers.

Gen. Sarana, the commander of the independents of Venezuela, has taken the city of Barnas, and has a large force of cavalry with him."

From Buenos Ayres we hear very pleasing tidings of preparation and public spirit.

In Chili, an Araucanian chief has assembled ten thousand warriors of that unconquered race of Indians, and taken a position on the Biobio, to check any invader.—*Col.*

The Waterloo Museum, established in London, amongst an immense variety of articles, contains a painting of the battle of Waterloo, from Brussels, in which 20,000 men appear engaged.

From New Orleans we learn, that Gen. Jackson has full power to fortify every point, deemed necessary for the defence of Louisiana. He is accompanied by a Brigadier General Swift as engineer. The frigate on Lake Ponchartrain is to be finished; and a steam frigate built for the defence of the Mississippi.—*Balt. Telegraph.*

Despatch of Business.

A Mr. B. (calling himself the son of a public character A—y) came to town on Saturday—visited the theatre, and was there smitten by a lady, on the evening—on Sunday visited the lady—on Monday went with her to the house of the Rev. Mr. B. and was married—but mistaking and carrying off the clergyman's gold watch for his own cane, which he left on the mantelpiece, was arrested by the police, and sent to Bridewell instead of the nuptial chamber—on Tuesday was indicted—and before the week was out, will have completed his chapter of incidents, and secured himself a situation where he will be safe from all the vicissitudes of dramatic recreation, love, matrimony, and light-fingered mistakes, for three years at least to come.
N. Y. Colum.

Richmond, March 16.

CREEK WAR.

Col. —, of the U. S. army, writes thus: "We are going to have a Creek war to a certainty. I take with me eight companies of infantry and one of artillery." It seems both the hostile and friendly Chiefs object to running the line agreeably to Jackson's treaty. Gen. Gaines has entered the nation to run the line, "peaceably if he can, forcibly if he must."

Halifax, March 6.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Quebec, dated January 20.

"I am afraid that we have some incendiaries amongst us—as the ordnance stores were burnt last week, containing several thousand stand of arms, &c. Form but an idea of a fire happening at midnight, the mercury 20 degrees below 0—water nearly all frozen, excepting what was carted from the river!—No lives lost; but several persons severely frost-bitten."

Quebec, Jan. 29.

"We have had a most awful fire here again—His majesty suffers by it—several large buildings used as storehouses by the commissariat and ordnance departments, have been destroyed. Many people think they were set on fire by design. A Board consisting of the heads of all the military departments, sat this day with a view of getting all the information possible on the subject—I do not know the result."

To Owners of Apple Orchards.

Save your tar for your carriage wheels; and apply round your trees a hair cord, in the following manner, as recommended in the Connecticut Herald, last year; which will prevent the depredations of the Canker worm.

"Take cow or horse hair, let it be spun into cords of about two inches circumference, then take a pair of sharp shears or scissors, and clip off the ends of the hair upwards, and the cord round the tree."

Melancholy Occurrence.

On the morning of the 1st inst. Gen. Spur, of Charleston, was discovered to have hung himself in his wood-house; The coroner's inquest brought in a verdict of "Insanity, occasioned by excess of pain from the gravel," with which disorder he has long been afflicted. General Spur was about 50 years of age, of handsome fortune, generally esteemed, and had the reputation of living happily in his family.

The town of Petersburg.—It gives us pleasure to observe, by that valuable paper, the Petersburg Intelligencer, that this town has risen, like the Phenix, from its ashes, and is rapidly advancing, to such a state of improvement, as to cause the late fire there to be regarded rather as a subject of congratulation than regret.
Nat. In.

Extract of a letter from Capt. Lewis Warrington, to the secretary of the navy, dated U. S. ship Peacock, Nov. 11, 1815.

As probably you will hereafter see or hear some other account of a rencontre which took place between the Peacock and the English East India Company's brig Nautilus, on the 13th of June last, in the straits of Sunda, I take the liberty of making known to you the particulars.

In the afternoon of that day, when abreast of Anjier, as we closed with this brig, which appeared evidently to be a brig of war, and completely prepared for action; her commander hailed, and asked if I knew there was a peace? I replied in the negative—directing him at the same time

to haul his colours down if it were the case, in token of it—adding if he did not, I should fire into him. This being refused, one of the forward guns was fired at her, which was immediately returned by a broadside from him: our broadside was then discharged, and his colours were struck, after having six Lascars killed and 7 or 8 wounded. As we had not the most distant idea of a peace, and this vessel was but a short distance from the fort of Anjier, I considered his assertion, coupled with his arrangements for action, a finesse on his part to amuse us till he could place himself under the protection of the fort. A few minutes after coming in contact with the brig, two boats containing the master attendant at Anjier, and an officer of the army, came on board, and as we were in momentary expectation of firing, they were with their men passed below, concluding they had been misled by the British colours, under which we had passed up the Straits. No questions, in consequence, were put to them; and they very improperly omitted mentioning that peace existed. The next day, after receiving such intelligence as they had to communicate on this subject (no part of which was official) I gave up the vessel, first stopping her shot holes, and putting her rigging in order.

The BANK BILL reposes in the Senate, not having yet been reported by the committee to whom it was referred. It will probably not be taken up for discussion during this week. Various calculations are made by its friends and enemies, as to its probable fate, and with equal confidence perhaps on both sides. The question appears to be poised in nearly equal scales.

The House of Representatives yesterday took up the subject of the Tariff and made some progress therein. The proceedings of the day on that, as well as other subjects, and the omitted details of Thursday's session are crowded out by the interesting Speech which this day occupies our columns. They will appear to-morrow.—*In.*

IN SENATE—March 20.

The bill making further compensation for military services during the late war, was taken up. Mr. Wilson's motion to amend the bill by allowing certain donations in land to all the disbanded officers, in proportions to their respective rank, was after debate, negatived: yeas 10, nays 15.

Mr. Barbour then moved a new section to the bill, embracing a land bounty to disbanded officers of a certain class (having intimated his intention previous to the last vote, to move it).

The bill was then postponed till to-morrow, without deciding on Mr. Barbour's motion.

The remainder of the day was occupied in the discussion of the proposition to amend the Constitution of the United States, so as to prescribe an uniform mode of election of President and Vice President of the United States, by districts, in each state.

After considerable debate—which shall be freely sketched at a future day—the further consideration of this proposition was postponed to a day beyond, the session (rejected) by a vote of 18 to 14.

MARRIED, on Wednesday the 20th inst. by William Garrison, esq. Mr. Benjamin Carter, of Salem county, to Miss Mary Russell, of Deerfield.

On Monday, the 18th inst. by the Rev. Nathan Swain, Mr. John Biggs to the very amiable Miss Phebe Dare, both of Deerfield township.

On Wednesday evening, the 21st inst. by the Rev. Mr. Holmes Parvin, Mr. Jonathan Dare to Miss Sarah Doughty, all of Deerfield township.

DIED, on the 13th inst. in Mansfield township, Burlington county, Mrs. SARAH BIDDLE, wife of Mr. Israel Biddle, in the 22d year of her age.

Died at Monkton Thanet, Eng. Mr. Th. Coleman, aged 80 years. This old gentleman had been a famous pedestrian but a few years back, being constable of the parish; he would walk from his house in Monkton to Maidstone—assizes, transact his business there, and return home the same day, a distance of at least seventy-two miles.

Apprentices' Indentured

FOR SALE

At this Office

WAR DEPARTMENT.

AN ACT to provide for designating, surveying and granting the military bounty lands.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be and he is hereby authorised, to cause to be surveyed a quantity of the public lands of the United States, fit for cultivation, not otherwise appropriated, and to which the Indian title is extinguished, not exceeding in the whole six millions of acres, two millions to be surveyed in the territory of Michigan, two millions in the Illinois territory, north of the Illinois river, and two millions in the territory of Louisiana, between the river St. Francis, and the river Arkansas; the said lands to be divided into townships, and subdivided into sections and quarter sections, (each quarter section to contain, as near as possible, one hundred and sixty acres,) in the manner prescribed by law for surveying and subdividing the other public lands of the United States; the same price to be allowed for surveying as is fixed for surveying the other public lands in the same territory. And the lands thus surveyed, with the exception of the salt springs and lead mines therein, and of the quantities of lead adjacent thereto, as may be reserved for the use of the same, by the president of the United States, and the section No. 15, in every township, to be granted to the inhabitants of such township for the use of public schools, shall be set apart and reserved for the purpose of satisfying the bounties of 160 acres, promised to the non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the United States, their heirs and legal representatives, by the act, entitled "an act for completing the existing military establishment," approved the 24th day of December 1814, and by the act, entitled "an act to raise an additional military force," approved the 11th day of January 1812.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Department of War for the time being, shall, from time to time, issue warrants for the military land bounties to the persons entitled thereto, by the two last mentioned acts, or either of them: Provided always, that such warrants shall be issued only in the name of the persons thus entitled, and be by them or their representatives applied for within five years after the said persons shall have become entitled thereto; and the said warrant shall not be assignable or transferable in any manner whatever.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That every person in whose favour such warrant shall have been issued, shall on delivery of the same, at the office, of the Secretary of the Treasury, or of such other officer as may at the same time have, by law, the superintendance of the general land office of the United States, at the seat of government, be entitled to draw by lot in such manner, as the officer at the head of the land office, under the direction of the President of the United States, may prescribe, one of the quarter sections, surveyed by virtue of the first section of this act, in either of the said territories which the person in whose favour such warrant has issued may designate. And a patent shall thereupon be granted to such person, for such quarter section, without requiring any fee therefor.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That no claim for the military land bounties aforesaid, shall be assignable or transferable, in any manner whatever, until after a patent shall have been granted in the manner aforesaid. All sales mortgages, contracts, or agreements, of any nature whatever, made prior thereto, for the purpose, or with intent of alienating, pledging or mortgaging any such claim, are hereby declared and shall be held null and void; nor shall any tract of land, granted as aforesaid, be liable to be taken in execution or sold on account of any such sale, mortgage, contract or agreement or on account of any debt contracted prior to the date of the patent, either by the person originally entitled to the land, or by his heirs or legal representative, or by virtue of any process, or suit at law, or judgement of court against a person entitled to receive his patent as aforesaid.

H. CLAY.

Speaker of the House of Representatives, WM. H. CRAWFORD,

President of the Senate pro tempore.

May 6; 1812.—Approved, JAMES MADISON.

From the provisions of the foregoing act, it is manifest that no patent can issue until the warrant is presented to the Commissioners of the Land Office. It is therefore the interest of the persons entitled to military lands, that their warrants should, immediately after they are issued, be deposited in the office from whence their patents are to be obtained. This course will preserve them from the various accidents to which they may be subjected in the hands of the owners or agent's who may have been authorised to obtain them. It is

also manifest that all contracts for the sale of, or incumbrance upon those lands, prior to the issuing of the patents, are illegal and void. As it is impossible that persons possessed of powers of attorney for obtaining military land warrants, can have any legitimate interest distinct from their principals, warrants hereafter issued will be deposited in the General Land Office; and a Certificate of that act will be given to such attorneys if required. A copy of this proceeding will be forwarded to every person in whose name a warrant shall issue, not only to counteract any misrepresentations of the object of this regulation, but to place the soldiers of the late army upon their guard against the devices which have already been, or may hereafter be, practised by unprincipled and designing men to deprive them of that reward which is so justly due to their meritorious services.

Land warrants will continue to be issued at the War Department upon the presentation of the ORIGINAL "HONOURABLE DISCHARGE," which will remain there upon file, as heretofore; but no other document will be required to accompany it, excepting the address of the original claimant, in order that he may be duly notified of the number and date of the land warrant that will issue in his name.

In cases where the original claimants are dead, "THE LEGITIMATE HEIRS AT LAW" must substantiate their claims conformably to the regulations now in use. February 16th, 1816.

The printers authorised to publish the laws of the United States, are requested to insert the above three times. March 25.

50 Dollars Reward.

WAS lost by the subscriber, on Tuesday evening, the 19th of March, between William Cooper, jun's ferry in Camden and Swedesborough, a POCKET BOOK, containing two notes of 20 dollars each, on the banks of Philadelphia, and two or more of 10 dollars, and others of various numbers; with one 5 dollar gold piece, amounting to 200 dollars; together with some change, and supposed to be between four and five hundred dollars in obligations. The above reward will be given for the Pocket Book and contents as when lost, or thirty dollars for Pocket Book and papers, and no questions asked, if left at William Cooper's ferry in Camden, or Randal Sparks' inn at Woodbury, or sent to Smith Bowen's hotel in Bridgetown, or to the subscriber in Cedarville, W. New Jersey, or in any manner that he may procure the same.

Lorenzo Lawrence.

It is expected to have been lost between the Toll Gate and Woodbury. March 25, 1816.—3t

ATTACHMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a writ of attachment issued out of the superior court of Common Pleas in the county of Cumberland, state of New Jersey, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Daniel Reed, an absconding debtor, at the suit of William Hooper, in a plea of trespass on the case, for three hundred and seventy dollars, returnable to February term 1816, which writ hath been duly served and returned by the Sheriff of said county.

EBENEZER SEELEY, Clerk.

ELLIS P. SEELEY, Atty.

Feb. 24th, 1816. (M. 4) 2m

Direct Tax of 1815.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has received lists of the direct tax of the United States for 1815, remaining due upon property in the following counties in the state of New Jersey, not owned, occupied, or superintended by some person residing within the collection district in which it is situated; and that he is authorised to receive the said taxes, with an addition of ten per cent. thereon, provided such payment is made within one year after the day on which the collector of the district where such property lies, had notified that the tax had become due on the same.

For what county.	Date of the collector's notification that the tax had become due.
County of Hunterdon.	November 15th, 1815.
County of Somerset.	do. 15th, 1815.
County of Burlington.	October 25th, 1815.
County of Gloucester.	do. 25th, 1815.

NATHAN PRICE,

Collector designated by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Collector's office, Ringoes, March 11, 1816. 8t

Sale of Real Estate.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Gloucester, will be sold at Public Vendue, at the inn of Charles Wills, on Saturday, the 6th of April next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, P. M. Eighty acres of well timbered woodland, (late the property of Jonathan Barber, dec.) in lots to suit purchasers. Conditions made known on the day of Sale by WILLIAM SURRAN, Admr. MARY BARBER, Admrx. Malaga, Feb. 5th, 1816.—(M. 11)—4t

From the Weekly Magazine.

MORNING

The spicy morn, with purple ray,
Faintly illumines the eastern skies,
While from each dew-bespangled spray,
Ambrosial odours rise.

Silence still holds the wide domain;
The Zephyrus slumber in the shade;
The stream, that creeps along the plain,
Scarce murmurs to the list'ning glade.

No songstress breathes her artless lay;
No footsteps print the dewy vale;
O'er the broad lawn no lambskins stray,
For sleep still nods o'er hill and dale.

Where pensive grief forgets to sigh,
There Morpheus still thy station keep,
And with thy sygnet seal the eye,
The eye, that only wakes to weep.

But while I speak, the prospects change;
The warblers dance upon the air,
The fleecy tribes the pasture range,
Refresh'd with sleep, and free from care.

All nature bows; all nature sings,
And to its author homage pays;
Each part a grateful tribute brings,
The whole creation gives him praise.

Be thou not, O my languid soul!
An indolent spectator here,
While clouds of cheerful incense roll
To Him who rules above our sphere.

Before Him pour the lay sincere,
When morning's beams thine eyes shall
bless;

And let the shades of ev'ning hear
That still thou dost his name confess.

An old American savage, being at an inn in New-York, met with a gentleman who gave him some liquor, and being rather lively, boasted he could read and write English. The gentleman, willing to indulge him in displaying his knowledge, begged leave to propose a question, to which the old man consented. He was then asked, who was the first circumcised? The Indian immediately answered, father Abraham; and directly asked the gentleman, who was the first Quaker? He said it was very uncertain, as people differed in their sentiments exceedingly. The Indian, seeing the gentleman unable to resolve the question, put his fingers into his mouth, to express surprise, and looking steadfastly at him, said that *Mordecai* was the first Quaker, for he would not pull off his hat to *Haman*.

STATE OF NEW-JERSEY.

AN ACT to establish the Cumberland Bank at the town of Bridgeton, in the county of Cumberland, New-Jersey.

1. **BE IT ENACTED** by the Council and General Assembly of this state, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That a subscription be opened for two hundred thousand dollars in four thousand shares of fifty dollars each, and that subscriptions be taken in under the direction of Jonathan Elmer, Ebenezer Elmer, Isaac Townsend, John Buck, and Hedge Thompson, esquires. The said commissioners, or any three of them, shall open books of subscription at such times and places, and for such space of time, as they may appoint, not less than fifteen days, giving in the newspaper published at Bridgeton, and in one of the daily newspapers published in the city of Philadelphia, not less than fifteen days' previous notice of the said times and places; and should more stock be subscribed within the said fifteen days than the capital consists of, the said commissioners shall make an equitable deduction.

2. **And be it enacted**, That the sum to be subscribed shall be payable, one fifth part thereof in the six per cent. stock of the United States, and the remaining four fifths in gold or silver, or in bank notes equivalent thereto, and to the persons herein after mentioned, in the manner following, that is to say; five dollars upon each share at the time of subscribing, to the persons receiving subscriptions; five dollars upon each share, on the day appointed for the election of the first directors of the said company, to be paid to the persons aforesaid, previous to the said election; and the remainder of the said four thousand shares shall be paid in to the directors of the said bank for the time being, at such times and in such proportions as the directors or a majority of them may direct.

3. **And be it enacted**, That the commissioners above named shall pay over to the directors first chosen, on the day they are chosen, or as soon after as may be required, the amount of all the instalments received by them, and shall also, at the same

time, deliver to the said directors the original books of subscription, and as soon as ten dollars is paid on each share subscribed, being not less than two thousand shares, to the said directors, they shall proceed to organize the bank for discounting; and upon the commencement of its operation, the said Cumberland Bank shall be liable to pay to the treasurer of this state, for the use of the state, the sum of two thousand dollars, and for which the said bank shall issue and deliver to the said treasurer certificates for forty full shares of capital stock in the same, in the name and for the use of the state of New-Jersey; and when the remaining two thousand shares shall be subscribed, the said bank shall also be liable to pay to the said treasurer the further sum of two thousand dollars, to be discharged and satisfied by the delivery of forty full shares in the said capital stock, for the uses aforesaid; and in case the said Cumberland Bank shall neglect or refuse to assign and deliver to the treasurer of this state, for the use of the state, the said certificates of capital stock, in payment of the said sums of money within ninety days after the same shall become due as aforesaid, that then this act, and every part thereof, shall be void and of no effect.

4. **And be it enacted**, That as soon as two thousand shares shall be subscribed, the persons herein empowered to receive subscriptions, or any three of them, shall call a meeting of the persons so subscribing, to be held at the town of Bridgeton, by giving at least three weeks previous notice in the newspaper printed in Bridgeton, and in one of the daily newspapers published in the city of Philadelphia, and the subscribers assembled in consequence of such notice, shall choose by ballot, from among the subscribers, by a majority of votes of such as are present, or their proxies duly authorised, eleven directors, for the term of one year, thereafter, and on the same day annually thereafter, a like election shall be made; and in case of the death, refusal, resignation, disqualification or removal of any director, the remaining directors, at their next meeting thereafter, shall choose by ballot another person in his place, for the residue of the year; and the directors so chosen as aforesaid, or any seven of them, at their first meeting after every general election, shall elect from among themselves, by a majority of directors present, by ballot, a president, who shall be an actual resident in the county of Cumberland, and in case of the death, refusal, resignation, disqualification, or removal of the president, the directors shall choose as soon as convenient thereafter, and elect, in like manner as before mentioned, another person qualified as president for the residue of the year.

5. **And be it enacted**, That all such persons as shall become subscribers to the capital stock in the first section mentioned, their successors and assigns, shall be, and are hereby created and made a corporation, and body politic, by the name and style of "The President, Directors and Company of the Cumberland Bank;" and by that name shall be and are hereby made capable in law to have, purchase, receive and possess, enjoy, hold and retain to them, and their successors, lands, tenements, hereditaments, goods, chattels, and effects, of what nature or kind soever, and the same to grant, demise, alien or dispose of, sue and be sued, to plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered unto, defend and be defended, in any court of record, or in any other place whatsoever; and also to make, have and use a common seal, and the same to break, alter, and renew at pleasure, and also to ordain, establish and put in execution, such by-laws, ordinances and regulations as shall seem necessary and convenient for the government of the said corporation: *Provided*, they be not inconsistent with the laws of this date or of the United States, and also to appoint all such officers, agents and servants as shall be necessary to carry into effect the powers by this act vested in the said corporation, and to allow them such compensation for their services as shall be right and proper; and *provided* also, that no by-law, after those made and established at the two meetings first had of the directors, shall be made, altered or repealed, without the concurrence of the majority of the whole board of directors, nor unless the same be proposed in writing at a regular meeting of the said board, and shall have lain over for consideration until the next meeting of the board after the same is proposed.

6. **And be it enacted**, That there shall be a meeting of the board of directors every three months, who shall have power to adjourn from time to time, and the president and any three of the directors may call a special meeting at any other time they may think necessary.

7. **And be it enacted**, That the said directors, at every such quarterly meeting, shall appoint three directors to inspect the business of the said bank for the ensuing three months, and the inspectors so cho-

sen shall, at least twice in every month, examine into the state of the cash account, the notes received, and the other business of the said bank, and see that all the accounts are regularly kept, balanced and transferred.

8. **Be it enacted**, That any director, officer, or other person holding any share, stock, or capital of the said bank, or who are intrusted in or with any of the concerns of the same, who shall commit any fraud or embezzlement touching the money or property of said bank shall be liable to be prosecuted in the state by indictment for the same in any court of law of this state, and upon conviction thereof, shall, besides the remedy that may be had by action, in the name of the said corporation, for the fraud aforesaid, forfeit to the said bank all his shares or stock in the same.

9. **And be it enacted**, That if any person or persons shall, within this state forge or counterfeit any of the notes or checks of the said corporation, or pay or tender in payment, or in any manner pass or offer to pass such forged or counterfeited note or check, knowing them to be forged or counterfeited, and shall be thereof convicted in any court of law within this state, he, she, or they shall be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and suffer such punishment as persons guilty of counterfeiting bank bills or notes are liable to, under the existing law of this state.

10. **And be it enacted**, That the capital stock and funds of the said corporation shall be deemed personal estate.

11. **And be it enacted**, That a majority of the whole number of directors shall have power to fix upon a convenient place in the town of Bridgeton for transacting the business of the said bank, and to alter the same at their pleasure.

[To be concluded in our next.]

LAWS OF THE UNION.

[BY AUTHORITY.]

AN ACT for the relief of John Redman Coxe.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the duties which have been secured to be paid by John Redman Coxe to the United States, on the importation into the same of a Philosophical apparatus, and of a collection of mineral substances, to be used by him, as professor of chemistry in the University of Pennsylvania, be and the same are hereby remitted on sufficient proof being made, to the Comptroller of the treasury, that the articles above mentioned have been imported by the said Coxe, to be used for the purposes aforesaid.

February 28, 1816—Approved,
JAMES MADISON.

AN ACT rewarding the officers and crew of the sloop of war Hornet, for the capture and destruction of the British sloop of war Penguin.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the president of the United States be, and he is hereby authorised to have distributed as prize money to Captain James Biddle of the Sloop of War Hornet, his Officers and Crew, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, for the capture and destruction of the British Sloop of War Penguin; and that the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose aforesaid.

February 28, 1816—Approved,
JAMES MADISON.

AN ACT concerning the Convention to regulate the Commerce between the territories of the United States and his Britannic Majesty.

Be it enacted and declared by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That so much of any act as imposes a higher duty of tonnage, or of impost on vessels and articles, imported in vessels of Great Britain, than on vessels and articles imported in vessels of the United States, contrary to the provisions of the Convention between the United States and his Britannic Majesty, the ratifications whereof were mutually exchanged the twenty-second day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifteen, be, from and after the date of the ratification of the said Convention, and during the continuance thereof, deemed and taken to be of no force or effect.

March 1, 1816—Approved,
JAMES MADISON.

BLANKS'

FOR SALE

At the Office of the Whig.

CUMBERLAND BANK.

Public Notice is hereby given,

THAT the underwritten commissioners appointed by the act of the legislature of New Jersey, entitled "An act to establish the Cumberland Bank of New-Jersey," will attend at the several times and places following, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions to the capital stock of said bank, and of receiving the first instalment of five dollars on each share, to be paid at the time of subscribing:

At Smith Bowen's Hotel, in Bridgeton, the 1st and 2d of April next.

Philip Souder's, in Bridgeton, the 3d and 4th.
Nathaniel Foster's, Millville, the 5th do.
Joseph Turner's, Port Elizabeth, the 6th do.
George Hand's, Cape May, 8th do.
Ludlum Johnson's, Dennis's Creek, 9th do.
Joseph Turner's, Port Elizabeth, 10th do.
Richard Mulford's, Cedar Creek, 11th do.
Charles Davis's, Greenwich, 12th do.
Philip Souder's, Bridgeton, 13th do.
James Ferron's, Salem, 15th do.
Joseph Conrow's, do. 16th do.
Michael Hackett's, Woodstown, 17th do.
Adam Cook's, Sharp-Town, 18th do.
Randal Sparks' Woodbury, 19th do.
Benjamin Reeves', Camden, 20th & 22d.
Philip Souder's, Bridgeton, 24th.
Smith Bowen's, do. 25th.

Jonathan Elmer,
Ebenezer Elmer,
Hedge Thompson,
John Buck.

March 11th, 1816.

SEE THIS.

THE subscriber will sell, on a liberal credit, a

lot of Millville, by Public Vendue, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April next, at the house of Nathaniel Foster, innkeeper in said town; the sale to begin at 12 o'clock that day, when and where attendance will be given, and the terms of sale made known by.

BAYSE NEWCOMB.

March 14, 1816—3t

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having it in contemplation to remove to the western country, now offers at private sale the following valuable property, in and near the village of Millville, Cumberland county, viz.

No. 1.—A good two story Dwelling-house, with a kitchen adjoining, fronting on the main street leading through the village of Millville, with a well of never-failing water at the door. The buildings have recently been finished and fitted up in the most elegant and fashionable style; and it is presumed, that in point of situation, elegance, and convenience, are inferior to none in the village.—There is also on the said premises a good blacksmith's shop with the necessary outbuildings for coals, &c. within 50 yards, back of the dwelling-house; and is certainly one of the best stands for business to be found in the western part of Jersey.

No. 2.—A small tract, about 1½ mile from Millville, containing about 85 acres; eight of which are cleared, and enclosed with good cedar rails; the remainder woodland.—There is on said premises a new, frame dwelling-house, one and a half story high, with a good stone cellar under it, and a well of water near the door.

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Millville, March 18, 1816

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