and for all other countries. There can be no question whether those letters refer to this country or not. Those letters it is believed contain essentially all his doctrines promulgated in his defence of the American constitutions—To establish this clearly, would be gaining an important point for the cause of truth—for it has already been shewn that the principles of Mr. Adams are in truth the principles of federalism—but if this needs still farther proof, that proof shall be hereafter produced. If then, Mr. Adams is in favor of a monarchy, wether limited or unlimited, it follows that federalism is royalism. How small is the number of men in New England, who would prefer a monarchy, to our elective government. It would be unjust—it would be absurd to doubt that a vast majority of those men, who call themselves federalists, hold in as cordial detestation every species of royalty, that they are as warmly attached to a free democratic representative government, as any men on earth. If these men then can be convinced that they are lending their support to a party, and to projects which aim at the destruction of principles and institutions which themselves hold to be sacred and inestimable, will they not withdraw that support? They will—for though man loves to be consistent with himself—though he is apt to resist truths that will convict him of error—yet surely the yeomanry of New-England are too enlightened, and the interests they have at stake are too important to be divided by a motive for covering with confusion the men who have deceived, and who are still seeking to betray them to their destruction—For the absolute uncontrolable right of the people to build up, to alter, or to demolish forms of government, is a principle to which they will cling with all their force, and from which they will never be shaken. This is the point of view in which the political opinions of Mr. Adams become of importance. To enable us to compare the doctrines contained in his book with those contained in his letters to his friend in Boston, you are requested to insert in your paper—his letters, at least the last of them, that has been published—They will throw light on each other. An examination of them may be the subject of a future communication.

GRACCHUS.

From London Prints.

The audience at the last benefit of that veteran of the scene, Mr. King, on Tuesday evening, was uncommonly numerous, every seat in the boxes being taken previous to the arrival of the night, and the rest of the Theatre overflowing very early. Mr. King seemed to have collected his remaining powers for exertion, in order to grace his exit, from a stage which he has trod with the highest reputation for the long period of fifty-four years. It would be superfluous to mention that this excellent Comedian's performance was crowned with the loudest, the most liberal, and the most heart-felt applause. He certainly has scarcely ever played the character with more correct truth of colouring. It is impossible to avoid mentioning a second time with admiration and applause the noble and generous conduct of the Performers of Drury-lane Company, who so eminently did honour to themselves by seizing upon the opportunity of presenting a handsome testimonial of their esteem and regard for their retiring elder brother. The Comedians are, perhaps, of all professions, the most exposed to error and frailty, but the united invention of malice and calumny has never dared to impute to them the want of the essential virtues of feeling, benevolence, generosity, and noble mindedness whenever a sufficient and fit occasion has called for the exercise of either.

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On the 8th ult. (May) in digging a new sluice way at the upper end of the Fairwater at Dantzic, a ship was found buried in the ground, at the depth of about 20 feet. She measured from stem to stern, in the inside, 54 feet, and in breath nearly 20 feet, and was loaden with stones, marked H. L. No. V to XII, some apparently intended for foundation stones, others finely polished and flat, supposed to be headstones for graves. A box of tobacco pipes was also found, all whole, with heads about the size of a thimble, and stalks from four to six inches in length. The ship was built of oak, her planks about twenty inches broad, full of treenails, and no iron about her except her rudder bands. A boat was found near, fallen to pieces. Many human bones were found in the hold, both fore and aft; and it is supposed that the vessel had been lost in some convulsion of nature, before the foundation of the city, upwards of 500 years ago, as the place has long been built over.

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By papers, before the House of Commons, it appears, the value of exports of British manufactures, within the last year, amounted to 41,770,354l.; and that within the last eighteen years, the amount has doubled. The imports appear also to have doubled within the same time, in consequence of the re-exportation of foreign merchandise, which quadrupled.

A decree has been passed by the French Consuls for the establishment of a council charged with the general and definitive liquidation of every part of the public debt. This council is an imitation of our commissioners for paying off the national debt by the sinking fund

The private apartment of Madame Bonaparte, among other choice pictures, possesses the *Madonna della Sedia* of Raffaelle, boast of the Pitti Palace at Florence, and which is so well known to the lovers of art who visited that city in its former and better state.

The First Consul has sent orders to Milan, to repair without delay the residence of the Archduke Charles in that city. This has given rise to various conjectures at Vienna.

It is well known, that in Egypt, India, and the hot parts of America that abound with poisonous serpents, there are certain individuals, who possess the power of entirely disarming these formidable animals, and are able to handle them with perfect impunity at the very time that any other person, approaching them incautiously would be fatally convinced of their ability to destroy. This happy exemption is attributed by the people themselves to the preservative effects of certain vegetables, the knowledge of which has hitherto carefully been concealed. Many of the European philosophers have, however, treated the affair as a mere juggle. This state of uncertainty is now, happily for humanity and science, relieved by the most important communication from Don Pedro D'Orbies Y. Vangas, through the medium of Count Rumford, which, if entirely to be depended upon, will entitle the communicator to a rank high among the benefactors of mankind. Don Pedro is a native of Santa Fe, and, in the year 1788, being at Margarita, he met with a slave who possessed the power of charming the most venemous of the American serpents: after the negro had exhibited his skill, he was induced by a reward to promise to discover the secret. The next morning he returned with the leaves of a plant, called Vejuco du Guaco, and having bruised them in the presence of Don Pedro, gave him two large spoonfuls of the juice to drink—then making three incisions between the fingers of each hand, he inoculated the Spaniard with the same juice, and performed a similar operation on each foot, and on each side of the breast, after which he informed him that he was no longer accessible to the poison of serpents. Don Pedro, then, after making the negro answerable for any ill consequences, took into his hands several times one of the serpents that had been brought by the slave the day before, without receiving the smallest injury from the animal. Encouraged by the attempt, two domestics, being in the like manner prepared by the Guaco-juice, went into the fields, and soon returned with another kind of serpent, equally venomous with the former, without sustaining any hurt. another person, being similarly prepared, and afterwards bitten by a poisonous serpent, received no further injury than a slight local inflammation. Since this period, Don Pedro has repeatedly caught serpents with his own hands with absolute impunity, employing no further preparation than merely drinking a little of Guaco-juice. The plant, whose effects are thus attested, has not as yet been admitted into any botanical system, but is amply described in a memoir by the Spanish gentleman already mentioned, inserted in a weekly paper published in Santa Fe. It is of the compound, flowered or syngenesious class. The stamina are five in number, united by their anthers into a cylinder, through which arises the pistill with a deeply divided summit. The corolla is monopetalous, infundibul-form, with five indentations, and of a yellow colour; each calix contains four florets, and several of those grow together, forming a corymbus; the seeds are broad and feathered; the root is fibrous, perenal; the stem straight, cylindrical when young, but when old, becomes pentagonal; leaves are heart-shaped, opposite, of a darkgreen, mixed with violet, velvetty on the upper surface. It grows by the sides of rivulets, and in shady places, in the vice-royalty of Santa Fe.

NOTICE.

On the first of September next, if fair, if not the next fair day, will be sold to the highest bidder, the London lands lately advertised by us in this paper.

AS we have before fully described them it will be unnecessary now to add any thing more in their favour. Suffice it to say that their quality and situation can not fail to recommend them to all persons desirous of establishing themselves in that part of the state—being within 40 miles of Alexandria and the Federal City, and as well adapted to farming as any lands in that country.

The terms will be made known on the day of sale.

JAMES M. GARNETT,
JOHN T. BROOKE,
Adm'rs with the will annexed of James Mercer, Esq. deceased.

Aug. 23, 1802. eptf

State of Maryland,

In CHANCERY,
Aug. 12th, 1802.

Alexander Clagett and Richard Henderson, vs. *Charles Vance & Margery his wife, & Margery Beall.*

THE object of the bill is to obtain the sale of two tracts of land called "Azadia" and "Gleaning," for the payment of a debt due from Isaac Beall deceased, to Samuel Beall, deceased, or so much thereof as will be sufficient for the payment of that debt.

The bill states that Isaac Beall was indebted to David Ross, Richard Henderson, and said Samuel Beall, to secure the payment whereof, he on the ninth day of January, seventeen hundred and seventy five, executed a bond to them for the conveyance of the aforesaid land, with an indorsement on the bond, that it was intended merely to secure the debt. That said Isaac Beall, died without paying the debt, and by his will devised the said land to his children, Ann, Alexander, and Mary Beall, in tail as tenants in common after the death of Margery his wife, that Ann and Alexander have since died intestate, under age, and without issue, that Mary married the said Charles Vance, and that they reside in the state of Virginia. The bill further states, that said Samuel Beall has also died intestate, and that the complainant Alexander Clagett, administered on his estate, that the debt due as aforesaid was at the instance of Isaac Beall and his heirs paid by your complainant, Clagett, out of the estate of said Samuel Beall.

It is thereupon on the motion of the complainant ordered, That he cause a copy of this order to be inserted at least once in each of three successive weeks in the National Intelligencer, before the end of September next, to the end that the said Vance and wife may have notice of the complainant's application to court, and of the subject and object of their bill, and may be warned to appear in this court in person or by a solicitor, on or before the first day of February next to shew cause wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed.

(True Copy)
Test.
SAMUEL H. HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

Aug. 20, 1802. 12w3t

State of Maryland,

In CHANCERY.
August 7, 1802.

Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Nicholas Carroll, Daniel Carroll of Duddington, William Smith, Abraham Vanbibber, and Isaac Vanbibber

versus

Anne Ogle, Rebecca Dulany, John Tasker Carter, Robert Mitchell, Priscilla Mitchell, Spencer Ball, Betsey Landon Ball, John James Maund, Harriot Lucy Maund, John Chenn, Sarah Fairfax Chenn, Harriot Peck, John Carter Peck, Emanuel Peck, Hugh Quinlan, Tasker Carter Quinlan Thomas Jones, Frances Tasker Jones, Thomas Jones the younger, Sarah Jackall Jones, Elizabeth Jones, Jane Jones, Sophia Carter, Julia Carter, Ann Lowndes, Francis Lowndes, Benjamin Stoddert, Benjamin Stoddert the younger, Elizabeth, Ann, Harriot, Richard, William, Rebecca, and Christopher Stoddert, Charles Lowndes, Levi Gantt, Harriot Gantt, and Benjamin Lowndes.

THE object of this bill is to obtain the recording of an Indenture of bargain and sale from Benjamin Tasker, deceased, the ancestor of the defendant, whose heirs at law they are stated to be, to Daniel Dulany and Company, for a tract of land called "Piney Grove;" which Indenture bears date July 2, 1751, and was duly acknowledged on the ninth of the same month, but hath not yet been recorded, the omission to record not having proceeded from a fraudulent design or intention in any person whatever.

The bill states that the said conveyance was for the use of the said Daniel Dulany, Charles Carroll, son of Daniel, Doctor Charles Carroll, of Annapolis, Charles Carroll of Annapolis, and Benjamin Tasker, Jun. and their heirs, in equal fifth parts, as tenants in common and not as joint tenants; that their interest and estate under the said Indenture hath passed by sundry devises and meine conveyances, to the complainants in fee simple, as tenants in common, who are now seized and possessed of the said land; that the said Benjamin Tasker the bargainer died intestate, leaving four daughters his only children and co-heiresses at law, of whom Anne Ogle and Rebecca Dulany the defendants, are two; that Frances Carter and Elizabeth Lowndes, the other two of the said daughters, are dead, and that the other defendants are, by marriage or descent, their representatives and heirs at law.

The bill further states, that the defendant Rebecca Dulany resides in the state of Rhode-Island; the defendants John Tasker Carter, George Carter, Robert Mitchell, Priscilla Mitchell, Spencer Ball, Betty Landon, John James Maund Harriot Lucy Maund, John Chenn, Sarah Fairfax Chenn, Harriot Peck, John Carter Peck, Emanuel Peck, Hugh Quinlan, Tasker Carter Quinlan, Thomas Jones, Frances Tasker Jones, Thomas Jones, the younger, Sarah Jackall Jones, and Elizabeth Jones, reside in the state of Virginia; and that the defendants Charles Lowndes, Francis Lowndes, Benjamin Stoddert, Benjamin Stoddert the younger, Elizabeth, Ann, Harriot, Richard, William, Rebecca, and Christopher Stoddert, reside in Georgetown, in the District of Columbia.

It is on the complainant's motion ordered, That they cause a copy of this order, to be inserted at least once in each of three successive weeks in the National Intelligencer, and in the Maryland Gazette, before the fifteenth day of September next, to the intent that the aforesaid defendants, and other persons (if any there be) who are heirs of the said Benjamin Tasker, deceased, may have notice of the complainants' application, and of the substance and object of their bill, and that each of the said heirs may be warned to appear here in person or by a solicitor, on or before the second Tuesday in December next, to shew cause why a decree should not pass as prayed.

Test.
SAMUEL H. HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

Aug. 18, 1802. 12w3t

LOST,

ON Monday the 30th August, between the Washington Branch Bank and the Twenty Buildings, a red morocco POCKET BOOK, containing eighty dollars in Bank Notes, of the Alexandria Bank; and a note of hand for 200 hundred dollars, together with some small papers, &c. Whoever returns the same with the contents, shall receive ten dollars Reward from the subscriber, living at Mr. Jones's 20 Buildings.

JOHN AITKIN,

Sept. 1, 1802. ep3t

Thomas Carpenter,

TAYLOR,

HAS just received an elegant and fashionable assortment of summer goods, consisting of London superfine cloths and cassimeres; India, Manchester, and silk striped nankeens; cotton cassimeres, hoglepoor, Bengal elegant white chord for pantaloons, white and coloured marseilles, janes and satin crossovers, silk ginghams, black and other coloured striped satins, &c.—All which he will make up on the most reasonable terms, and in the most neat and fashionable manner—Pennsylvania Avenue, west of the President's square.

May 24, 1802. eptf

CHARLES VARDEN,

Merchant Taylor from Philadelphia,
Capitol Hill, New-Jersey Avenue.

HAS received an assortment of summer goods consisting of the best superfine Cloths.

Cassimeres,
Silk Barrathes,
English Striped Nankeens,
White India Dimities,
White and printed Marseilles.

With a variety of other articles suitable for the summer season.

N. B. Ladys Habits, Regimentals and Navy uniforms, made in the first style of fashion.

July 2, 1802. tf

Burnet and Rigden,

JEWELLERS & WATCH-MAKERS,

RESPECTFULLY inform the public, that they have just received, and for sale, a handsome assortment of

Gold and Silver Watches,

Gold, gilt and steel chains, seals and keys,
A variety of the most fashionable jewelry
knife cases and fine knives,
Plated casters of various kinds,
Silver and steel mounted spectacles,
Ladies and gentlemen's pocket-books,
A quantity of the most fashionable prints, superbly framed and glazed.

And constantly keep an assortment of silver plate of their own manufacture, with a variety of fancy articles: all of which they are enabled to sell on the most reasonable terms.

July 13, 1802. eptf

FOR SALE,

Looking-Glasses & Furniture.

The subscriber respectfully informs the public, that he has just received from New-York various kinds of Looking-Glasses, from 5 to 50 dollars each.—Also card tables, bureaus, &c. of an elegant and fashionable make. He continues to manufacture and sell all kinds of ornaments for chimney-pieces, door caps, frontice pieces, metal sashes, &c. &c.

GEORGE ANDREWS.

April 14, 1802. eptf

AGREEABLY to a Deed of Trust from Anthony Addison to the Subscriber, will be offered

For Sale,

TO the highest bidder, by Public Auction, at Stell's Hotel, in the City of Washington, on Monday the 9th day of August next, all that tract of land lying and being on the Eastern Branch of the Potowmac, opposite to said City called "Chichester, with addition re-surveyed," containing three hundred acres.

On the above-mentioned tract of land, is the Ferry Landing, so well known by the name of "Dyer's Ferry," now in the occupation of Capt. Naylor.

The Sale to commence at 11 o'clock in the forenoon—Terms of sale cash.

Wm. BRENT,

June 30, 1802. tot A

The above sale is postponed till Saturday the 9th day of October next.

Aug. 16, 1802. ts

Public Sale.

Under a decree of the Chancellor of Maryland will be sold, to the highest bidder, on Saturday the 4th day of September next, at Rhodes's Tavern in the city of Washington.

LOTS No. 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27 in square No. 105, in the said city. Said lots will be sold separately and on a credit of six months; but the purchaser must give bond with security, to be approved by the chancellor, for the payment of the purchase money, with interest from the day of sale. When such payment be made, the trustee will convey all the right and estate of James M. Lingan, Ann Casenave, Nicholas Young, Johanna and Peter Casenave, parties to the said decree, to the purchasers.

JOHN HEWITT, Trustee.

Washington, Aug. 11, 1802. 12w3t

William Kennedy,

HAIR DRESSER & CUTTER,

(From Europe)

RESPECTFULLY informs the ladies and gentlemen of George-Town and the City of Washington, that he cuts and dresses hair and makes the newest fashioned head dresses.

Having pursued his avocation for ten years in Philadelphia, seven years in Baltimore, and residing for these two years past in France, he flatters himself he cannot be excelled in the business he professes to follow.

Any commands left at Mr. Benj. McKey's, opposite the Olio Printing-Office, will be punctually attended to.

Aug 16, 1802. eptf

This is to give Notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphan's Court of Prince George County letters testamentary on the personal estate of JOHN STAMP, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are requested to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereto, to the subscriber on or before the 10th day of January 1802; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate—

Given under my hand and seal, this tenth day of August eighteen hundred and two.

J. W. WOOD.

Aug. 27, 1802. 1aw3t

To be Sold,

On the premises on Tuesday October 6, 1802, upon reasonable terms.

A VALUABLE tract or parcel of Land, containing upwards of six hundred acres, lying and being in Prince George county, about sixteen miles from the City of Washington, eight miles from Piscataway creek which empties into Potowmac river, and about eight miles from Patuxent river, both navigable waters. There is a small tenement thereon, and about 50 acres of land cleared, all the rest in wood, abounding in valuable timber of different kinds. It is exceedingly level, a great quantity of which may be made into excellent meadow. It is kindly adapted to wheat, &c. An unexceptionable title will be given. A part of the purchase money will be required to be paid in hand, good bonds with approved security will be taken for the remainder.

HEDWICH HOLLYDAY.

Aug. 27, 1802. 1aw3t

City Hotel,

BROADWAY NEW-YORK.

THE Subscriber most respectfully informs his friends and the public, that the above Hotel will be opened on the first of May ensuing, when their patronage is earnestly solicited. He avails himself of this opportunity to return his sincere and grateful thanks to those societies, parties, and gentlemen, who have given him their support, and assures them that a continuance of their favors will be a stimulus to future exertions to please; and that the utmost attention shall be given for their comfort and accommodation.

Boarding may be had by the day, week, month, or year. Families travelling, may be elegantly accommodated with lodging and sitting rooms; and, if preferred, have dinners &c. in their apartments.

The Hotel being so well known, it is almost useless to say, that it is situated in one of the most healthy and pleasant parts of the city; commanding an extensive view in every direction, not only of the city itself, but also of the Narrows, the North and East Rivers, the state of New-Jersey, York and Long-Island, &c. &c.

A handsome coffee-room will be fitted up in the principal story; where gentlemen may have tea, coffee, chocolate, soups, and refreshments in general, at the shortest notice. All the leading newspapers in the union, will be regularly taken in.

Public dinners and suppers in a plain or elegant style either for large or small parties. Also, beef steaks, oysters, &c. regularly furnished. An ordinary every day at half past 2 o'clock, by the public's obedient servant,

JOHN LOVETT.

N. B. Rooms to let by the month or year.

April 21, 1802. eptf

A Valuable Farm for Sale,

In King George County & State of Virginia.

THIS Farm contains five hundred and thirty five acres—about three hundred and fifty of which are cleared and divided into three fields with good inclosures—it is situated on Potomac river, and bounded on the South East side for a mile and half by Rozier's creek, which affords a great abundance of fine fish and wild fowl, crabs, oysters, &c.—thirty miles from Fredericksburg, forty four from Alexandria, and fifty from Washington City.

On this land are very extensive shell banks, exclusive of the advantages to be derived from these banks by the lime business, they are very favourable to the production of corn and wheat, and the soil inexhaustable; there are about sixty or seventy acres of this kind of land, and the balance that is cleared of an excellent quality, and a great number of springs of fine water; it can with certainty be classed among the most healthy situations below the falls of Potomac—indeed, the natural advantages attending this place are innumerable.

The improvements are a two story framed dwelling house, sixty-four feet long, commanding a beautiful view of the creek and river; one other house intended for an office, twenty-six feet by eighteen with three rooms and a cellar in good repair; a large house, including a stable for eight horses, a corn-house, carriage house, saddle and harness room, and a commodious granary above, and other convenient buildings on the Farm—a small orchard of well chosen apples and peach-trees—The yard and garden inclose this spring, with pales and railing—The whole plantation in good repair, and the land in a great state of improvement.

The terms of Sale will be made known by Mr Frances Whiting, who in a short time will be a resident of Berkley county, or by the subscriber on the premises.

WILLIAM F. FLOOD.

July 9, 1802. tf

TO RENT,

And possession given immediately.

A TWO STORY brick house on F street near the War Office, containing two parlors, six bed rooms, and a kitchen, with an excellent garden, coach house, stable, &c.—The house is newly painted and papered, and is was formerly occupied by Mr. Dexter, and lately by Mr. John Brown, Engineer of Clement Dorsey, Esq. George-Town; or of the subscriber, who has for sale a well finished three story brick house opposite the Six Buildings, and a variety of City Lots in the most eligible situations. The above House will be sold for less than any gentleman could build it. The payments will be made easy on the whole of the above property.

WILLIAM DYER.

April 7, 1802. eptf

☞ Building Materials will be taken in part payment. W.D.