

become neutral property. To retaliate this extension of the usages of war, the coasting trade of the enemy was prohibited."

An error committed by the executive of the United States.—The representatives of the French government in this country have made known, through their organ, the Aurora, that the laws of the land have been violated and the dignity and honor of the government insulted by the arrival in the Delaware of the British armed brig the Avon.— This vessel, it seems, came into our waters with a large sum of money, consigned to different persons in the United States. The money, was saved from a Spanish vessel bound from Havana to Philadelphia, which was likely to founder at sea. As saving money for the purpose of restoring it to its just owners, is a thing utterly repugnant to the principles and practice of the French government, all the papers in the employ of that government have been violent in their denunciation of the officers of the Avon and of their conduct and in their calls upon the executive to execute the vengeance of the law upon these violators of our rights, and insulters of our revenue officers. Notwithstanding these plain and unequivocal indications of the will and pleasure of the representatives of his imperial and royal majesty, our executive had the effrontery to disregard these indications, and have even gone so far as to grant a special permission to the Avon to make entry and land the treasure of which she had taken charge. After such gross contumely the executive officers of our government ought to be prepared for every kind of abuse and insult from the French papers, which they have been in the habit of fostering. [U. S. Gaz.]

Wilmington.

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1810.

On Sunday, during a very violent thunder storm in this town, the lightning struck the tenement houses, occupied as stores by Messrs C. Nichols and Harris & Saunders. It descended the chimneys and set fire to two puncheons of rum, which soon put both stores, with their contents, in a general blaze. Efforts were made, but in vain, to extinguish the fire and save the property. The conflagration continued with unabating fury, consuming five houses on Market street, until it reached the first of the range of brick buildings, belonging Major J. F. Burgwin, to which it did considerable injury, but the lofty and solid wall of brick which its eastern end presented, put an effectual stop to the further progress of the fire. The property destroyed is estimated at \$200,000. It is somewhat remarkable, that the houses struck, are low, and situated in the lowest part of the town.

Extract of a letter from a commercial house of the first respectability, dated LIVERPOOL, May 25, 1810.

"We are informed that Mr. Pinkney is at length in possession of the French decrees, by which all American property is sequestered, as likewise the imperative order for all citizens of the United States to quit the French territories without delay, under pain of imprisonment. This decree was passed as far back as the 23d of March, but not published until the 8th of May. It is transmitted to all the northern powers for their adoption."—N. Y. E. Post.

The following arrangement respecting the Circuit Courts was made by the Judges of the Supreme Court previous to their adjournment last week.

FALL CIRCUIT, 1810.

For Edenton, Judge Taylor—Raleigh, Judge Lewis—Hillsborough, Judge Hall—Newbern, Judge Wright—Wilmington, Judge Locke—Morgan, Judge Henderson.

SPRING CIRCUIT, 1811.

For Edenton, Judge Hall—Raleigh, Judge Taylor—Hillsborough, Judge Locke—Newbern, Judge Henderson—Wilmington Judge Wright—Morgan, Judge Lewis. [Rel. Min.]

The British sloop of war Avon, of 18 thirty-two pound carronades, having on board a large sum of money for the use of the Spanish deputies in the United States, which anchored off New Castle some time since, but afterwards dropped down the Delaware, has returned to that place, as is said, with special permission from the American government to land the money. Bid.

Extract of a letter from the honorable Paul Hamilton, at Washington, to a gentleman in Savannah, dated June 21, 1810.

"It may be a satisfaction to you, and other good men of your city, to be informed, that COMBODRE DECATUR, is now under sailing orders, with a squadron of our ships, to cruise from Hampton Roads Southwardly, which will tend, I hope, to rid our coast of the Privateers which have been infesting it for some time past."

New British Order in Council.

Some of the Northern Editors appear to regard this order as authorizing the capture of American fishing vessels. We put a different construction on it. However great an outrage it may be on justice and on neutral rights generally, it does not now

apply to the U. States. British vessels are now certainly admitted "freely trade" at the ports of the U. States. [Nat. Intel.]

From the Independent American, printed at the seat of the General Government.

The National Intelligencer sometimes is kind enough to give publicity to important public documents and proceedings: why has it omitted to inform us that Turreau has demanded of Mr. Madison, as a preliminary step towards appeasing Buonaparte, the immediate ejection from office of captain Porter, who commands the gun boats of New-Orleans, for daring to meddle with French privateers? It seems Mr. Madison has not yet thought fit to comply: we hope the day of French dread has gone by.

The National Intelligencer, after a whining acknowledgment of our political degradation, observes, "if this season be properly improved, our late and present misfortunes may turn out to be blessings in disguise."

We have had too many of these "blessings in disguise" since the democrats have managed our affairs; but blessings undisguised would really be a novelty. [Virg. Pat.]

It is said that Captain Porter, of the U. States navy, stationed at New Orleans, has committed himself by seizing the French national vessel La Franchise, and that General Turreau having represented the circumstance to the executive, produced her immediate release. The French Consul at New Orleans refused to receive her; and it is said that Turreau, considering the act of captain Porter similar to the affair of the Chesapeake, has demanded his recall! The capture of Turreau deprives him of the use of reason. Captain Porter seized the vessel, not knowing her to be a national one; and when convinced of the fact, immediately made restitution. The attack on the Chesapeake was premeditated; the nationality of the flag was known; yet our seamen were forced away, and to this day no restitution has been made. [Nor. Her.]

POST-OFFICES.

By the 9th section of an act relating to the Post-Office establishment, passed in the course of the last session of Congress, it is made the duty of the Deputy Post-Masters to deliver letters and papers, when called for, on Sunday as well as any other days of the week. This arrangement commenced at the Post-Office of this city on Sunday last. [Phil. Gaz.]

A Duel was fought near Wythe court-house, in this state, on the 6th instant, between Mr. Robert Taylor and Mr. William Patton. Mr. Taylor fell the second fire.— The cause of the duel originated in a contention for the hand of a young lady, whom they were both at the same time addressing. Petersburg Intel.

From the Political & Commercial Registers.

Rio Janeiro, May 15th, 1810. On the 13th of the present month the Spanish Prince DON PEDRO (the only Bourbon Prince, who is out of the fangs of Buonaparte) will be married to the PRINCESS ROYAL OF PORTUGAL, niece to his Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the VIIIth. "This alliance will cement the interests of Spain and Portugal in the Western World."

SPECULATION—ABACK!

A London paper of April, says, that letters had been received from Buenos Ayres of 23d December, and from Rio Janeiro of 27th January. Those from the latter place state, that the market for English goods had sunk to nothing. A trunk of shoes, the invoice price of which was 126l besides duties and charges, produced only 16l, and that at 12 months credit.

VOLUNTEER TOAST.

By the hon. Mr. Gore.—The revival of the spirit which produced the event we celebrate. May we no longer seek to conceal submission to one nation by exciting hostility to another.

MARRIED.

At Fayetteville, on Thursday last, Mr. JAMES NEATE, Merchant of this town, to Miss ELIZA DREX, of that place.

PORT OF WILMINGTON.

ENTERED, 21st, Benjamin, Charleston—Comble, Trip, Boston—Jesse, May, Norfolk—Nancy, Price Philadelphia.

CLEARED.

Morning Star, Henry, Wilmington, (Del.)—James Madison, Kelly, St. Marys—Temperance, Weisman, Salem—Hope, Lewis, Philadelphia—Elizabeth Lord, Woodham, Liverpool—Mary, Williams, Lock—John, Dunsen, Providence.

Wilmington Volunteers attend!

The Wilmington Volunteers are ordered to appear at the usual place of parade, properly equipped, on Friday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, P. M.

By order of the Captain, Wm. S. HARELL, Sec'y.

July 24.

Wilmington Prices Current.

MERCHANDISE.	quan. rated	from D. C.	to D. C.
Bacon	Lb.	12	13
Bees	Barrel	none	
Brandy, (4th proof)	Gallon	2	
Corn	Bushel	1	
Corn, (upland)	Lb.	13	14
Flour, (new)	Barrel	8	scarce
Flaxseed	Cask	none	
Boards, (1 1/4 inch)	1000 ft.	6	8
Scandals	—	6	
Timber, (square pine)	—	2	
Shingles, (cypress)	1000	2	2 23
Staves, (w. o. hds)	—	25	26
— R. o. ditto	—	8	12
— w. o. hds.	—	14	15
Heading, (w. o. hds.)	—	28	
Fer	Barrel	1 25	1 30
Nitch	do	2 50	
Turpentine	320 lbs.	2 75	
Oil	Barrel	13	
Lum, (Jamaica, 4th pr	Gallon	1 20	
— 3d proof	—	1	
American ditto	—	62	75
Rice	100 lb.	2 50	2 62
Slt	Bushel	46	50
— Liverpool	do.	60	
Sugar, (Muscovado)	100 lb.	10	12
Toacco	100 lb.	4 50	5

ELECTION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday the 9th day of August next, an Election will be held for Members to represent the County and Town at the ensuing General Assembly; also for a Member of Congress for the fifth District, at the following places, viz: At Long Creek Bridge; at the house of Anthony Williamson, Moore's Creek; at the house of the late Thomas Rogers, Black River; at Washington; at Sandy Run; at the house where John Pugh Williams formerly lived, on Holly Shelter; and at Wilmington. Wm. NUTT, Sec'y.

July 24.

To Rent.

THE Room adjoining the Bookstore, lately occupied by Mr. E. Winslow as a counting-room, and possession immediately given. Apply to THOS. ADAMS.

July 23.

FOR SALE.

A large, well broke and handsome CHAIR HORSE. Apply as above.

SIMON NAITEN,

Dentist.

DESIROUS of rendering himself in his profession worthy of the patronage of the Ladies and Gentlemen of this place, respectfully offers his services to those who may in the smallest degree require professional aid, in any disease of the mouth and gums, or in premature decay and deficiencies of the teeth, from a partial or total loss of one or more of them.

Natural and artificial teeth set with ligatures springs, pivots, or on plates of gold, and in such a manner as to be useful and highly ornamental. The tartar, so injurious to teeth, caries, blackness and discoloring, removed, and the teeth restored to their native whiteness, without the smallest pain, or any injury to the enamel. Decayed teeth, drilled and plugged, so as to render them useful, and prevent their further decay. Teeth extracted with perfect safety, and every other operation performed (that comes within the line of his profession) to preserve the beauty and soundness of the teeth, and a healthy state of the gums.

Indelicateness and care in the different operations, beauty and elegance in the finishing and setting artificial teeth, and the most implicit candor in his advice, are inducements, those who may honor him with their confidence, may be assured on meeting with satisfaction. Persons wishing to be waited on at their residence, will please to send a line or a servant. He lodges at the Wilmington Hotel.

N. B. He has tooth powder, which cures the scurvey in the gums, (upon faith) at one dollar per box or bottle, which is of a very recent discovery; a liquid to fasten the teeth in the gums, at two dollars per bottle; and an oil which gives ease to and cures all tooth-aches, without extracting the tooth.

July 23.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers having arranged their business relative to the late firm of Nathan and Lot Williams, hereby give notice that Lot Williams is empowered to collect all debts due the firm, and grant discharges for the same.

NATHAN WILLIAMS, LOTT WILLIAMS.

July 24.

The Subscriber being appointed to collect the debts due the firm of N. and L. Williams, requests all those indebted to said firm, to come forward and pay their respective dues, otherwise their notes and accounts will be put in suit.

LOTT WILLIAMS.

July 23.

Wanted at this Office,

A APPRENTICE BOY, who can read and write.

Feb. 26.

Sales at Auction.

THIS day will be sold, precisely at 10 o'clock, at the Court House, sundry Lots of Land, below the Town, among which are some Water-Lots. Conditions will be made known at the time of sale.

JACOB LEVY.

July 24.

TO RENT.

At a reasonable rate, and immediate possession given.

THAT commodious House, now occupied by Mr. John Williams, fronting Castle street, its situation is pleasant and healthy, and near an excellent spring of water; it has a good garden, and all convenient out-houses. Apply to THOMAS HUNTER.

July 23.

For Hire,

(Till January next.)

A NEGRO GIRL, who understands house-work, &c.—Enquire of the Printer.

July 23.

Taken from my Store yesterday, during the confusion of the fire, two trunks of Boots & Shoes. Those who were kind enough to take charge of them will confer a real favor, and receive a handsome reward by returning them to the subscriber.

JOSHUA HOWARD.

FOR SALE.

6,000 bushels Turk's Island Salt, 25 Puncheons W. I. Rum, 2d 3d and 4th proof.

46 hds. Molasses. Payment will be received in certain quantities of good long leaf Tobacco. Tierces first quality Rice, from 15 to 20,000 White Oak Hhd. Staves and in Notes payable at the Bank of Cape-Fear at 60 90 and 120 days with approved indorsers. Apply to G. HUTCHINSON & CO.

July 17, 1810.

N. B. All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to make immediate payments. Those to whom they are indebted are desired to present their accounts on or before the 1st of August.

G. H. & CO.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the Subscriber, about the 20th of May, a Negro boy named JOHN, about 18 or 19 years of age, of a very dark complexion, and very spare built. He is either lurking about Wilmington, or is endeavoring to go to Hill borough. — who will deliver him to me or secure him in any jail so that I get him.

ELIZABETH WATERS.

July 23.

N. B. Said boy was taken on the 10th inst and again made his escape on the 15th.— He has since been seen on his way to the Sound, where he probably now is.

E. W.

For sale at the Wilmington Book-store,

DR. ROBERTSON'S

VEGETABLE NERVOUS-CORDIAL,

Or Nature's Grand Restorative.

(Price \$1 and 50 cents.)

It is confidently recommended, as the most efficacious Medicine, for the speedy relief & cure of all nervous complaints, impurities of the blood, seminal weakness, gleet, and various complaints resulting from secret impropriety of youth and dissipated pleasures, residence in warm climates, the immoderate use of tea, the unskillful or excessive use of mercury, so often destructive to the human frame, and diseases peculiar to females, at a certain period of life, barrenness, &c. &c.

Under the denomination of nervous disorders, in its full extent, are included several diseases of the most dangerous kind, and are so various, that a volume would hardly suffice to complete a description of them. It pervades with its baleful influence the whole nervous system, writhing the heart with inexpressible anguish, and exciting the most dreadful suggestions of horror and despair. To this demon have thousands fallen a sacrifice, in the direful transports of its rage. The most common symptoms at its commencement, are weakness, flutulence, palpitations, watchfulness, drowsiness, after eating, timidity, flashes of heat and cold, numbness, cramp, giddiness, pains in the head, back, and loins, hiccup, difficulty of respiration & deglutition, anxiety, dry cough, &c.

Since Dr. Robertson's first discovery of this invaluable Medicine, upwards of two hundred thousand persons have experienced its happy and salutary effects, many of whom had been reduced to the last stage, and had given up all hopes of recovering.

DR. DYOTT'S

Anti-Bilious Pills,

For the prevention and cure of Bilious and Malignant Fevers. Price 25 cents per box, large ditto, 50 cents.

The Balm of Iberia.

Extracted from an Iberian plant, for curing defects in the Skin, and improving the complexion, &c. &c. Price two dollars.

Also, a variety of Letter Paper, Foolscap do. &c. Inkpowder, Pencils, Pocket Books, from 1 to 86 each; Copy Slips, Water, best Playing Cards, Common do. and a supply of Blank Books, of all kinds.