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ON DIFFERENT RELIGIOUS SECTS.

The following observations on this subject were made by the Bishop of Landaff...

The Christian Religion is wholly comprised in the New Testament, but men have interpreted that book in various ways...

In this the Greek, the Latin, and all the reformed churches have one and the same faith. They all believe, too, that Christ rose from the dead...

I do not indeed agree with those who esteem it a matter of indifference what religion a man adopts...

The doctrines of every church are best known from its public creed, because that is supposed to be a compendium of articles of faith adapted to general use.

The Russian Greek Church does not use in its public service what is commonly called the Apostles Creed...

The Russian church differs from the Roman church, in not acknowledging a purgatory; in not denying the sacramental cup to the laity...

On no occasion ought we to act in opposition to our conscience, but it does not follow, that in obeying the dictates of conscience we always act rightly...

Miss Dutton, I think, will easily collect, from what I have written, my opinion; that if, in every other respect, the match meets with her approbation...

match meets with her approbation and that of her parents, it need not be declined from any apprehension of the children's salvation...

SCIENTIFIC.

It is with pleasure, that we insert the following interesting scientific intelligence from the pen of Professor Hall, of Middlebury College...

FROM THE NATIONAL STANDARD.

The following account of a Meteor, is from the pen of Professor Hall, of Middlebury College.

A Meteor of uncommon magnitude and brilliancy was observed on Friday evening, the 17th ult. by a number of inhabitants of this and the adjacent towns...

It appeared of different magnitudes to different individuals. Some affirm, that its apparent diameter was equal to that of the full moon...

Its descent, many imagined, was in a right line perpendicular to the horizon. But this could not have been...

We have heard its appearance compared to that of iron in a furnace, the instant it is beginning to fuse...

Three explosions took place while the meteor was in the heavens. The report was so loud as to be heard by most of the people in this village...

A little before the explosions occurred, or rather before the report was heard, a brisk scintillation, or sparkling of the meteor, was observed...

A gentleman belonging to Whiting, states, that he witnessed the phenomenon during its passage from near the zenith till it was totally extinguished...

Through the motion of this, as well as all meteors, is rapid, and they have been seen to move one thousand miles in a minute...

We cannot doubt, that, at the moment of the above mentioned agitations, stones, denominated meteoric, were projected from the principal mass, and precipitated

to the earth. Such, we believe, is universally the fact with the meteors, which explode in the atmosphere...

If stones fell from the body which we have hastily & very superficially described, we are anxious to know where they fell...

F. HALL.

BY AUTHORITY.

An act to establish a Port of Entry and Delivery at Cape Vincent, at the Fork of Lake Ontario, and the head of the River St. Lawrence.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That it shall be lawful for the President of the United States to establish...

H. CLAY,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN GALLARD,

President of the Senate pro tempore.

February 18, 1818.—Approved.

JAMES MONROE.

An act to change the name of the District of Erie, in the State of Ohio.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the twentieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, the district of Erie, in the State of Ohio, shall be called the district of Cayahoga.

April 11, 1818.—Approved.

JAMES MONROE.

An act to increase the Salaries of the Judges of the Circuit Court for the District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in addition to the compensation heretofore allowed by law to the Judges of the Circuit Court for the District of Columbia, the sum of five hundred dollars per annum be paid to the Chief Justice of the said Court, and the same sum per annum to each of the assistant Judges of said Court, payable quarterly yearly; the first quarterly payment to be made on the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

April 20, 1818.—Approved.

JAMES MONROE.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSARY GENERAL OF SUBSISTENCE.

Washington City, August 25, 1818.

THIS is to give notice, that separate proposals will be received at the Office of the Commissary General of Subsistence, until the 30th day of November next, inclusive, for the supply of rations for the use of the troops of the United States, to be delivered in bulk, upon inspection, as follows, viz:

- 1st At Boston. 750 barrels pork 1562 bushels pease or beans 2009 barrels of flour 350 do of Whiskey 125 cwt. of soap 5250 lbs of Candles 219 bushels of salt 3500 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 3d. At Philadelphia. 160 barrels of pork 335 bushels of pease or beans 430 barrels of flour 75 do of whiskey 27 cwt. of soap 1125 lbs of candles 47 bushels of salt 750 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 4th. At Baltimore. 857 barrels of pork 1786 bushels of pease or beans 2296 barrels of flour 400 do of whiskey 143 cwt. of soap 6000 lbs of candles 750 bushels of salt 4900 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 5th. At Norfolk, Va. 267 barrels of pork 558 bushels of pease or beans 77 barrels of flour 125 do of whiskey 45 cwt. of soap 1875 lbs of candles 78 bushels of salt 1250 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 6th. At Charleston, S. C. 53 barrels of pork 112 bushels of pease or beans 144 ba reils of flour 25 do of whiskey 9 cwt of soap 375 lbs of candles 16 bushels of salt 250 gallons of Vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of September, 1819; one fourth on the 1st day of December, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of March, 1820.

- 7th. At Albany, N. Y. 64 barrels of pork 134 bushels of pease or beans 172 barrels of flour 30 do of whiskey 11 cwt. of soap 450 lbs of candles 19 bushels of salt 300 gallons vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 8th. At Springfield, Mass. 51 barrels of pork 107 bushels of pease or beans 138 barrels of flour 24 do of whiskey 9 cwt. of soap 360 lbs of candles 15 bushels of salt 240 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 9th. At Carlisle, Penn. 51 barrels of pork 107 bushels of pease or beans 138 barrels of flour 24 do of whiskey 9 cwt. of soap 360 lbs of candles 15 bushels of salt 240 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 10th. At Pittsburg, Penn. 85 barrels of pork 178 bushels of pease or beans 230 barrels of flour 40 do of whiskey 14 cwt. of soap 600 lbs of candles 25 bushels of salt 400 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 11th. At Newport, Ken. 64 barrels of pork 134 bushels of pease or beans 172 barrels of flour 30 do of whiskey 11 cwt. of soap 450 lbs of candles 19 bushels of salt 300 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 12th. At Fort Hawkins, Ga. 167 barrels of pork 223 bushels of pease or beans 287 barrels of flour 50 do of whiskey 18 cwt. of soap 750 lbs of candles 31 bushels of salt 500 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 13th. At Pittsburg. 128 barrels of pork 268 bushels of pease or beans 344 barrels of flour 60 do of whiskey.

- 21 cwt of soap 900 lbs of candles 38 bushels of salt 600 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; one third on the 1st day of October, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of February, 1820.

- 14th. At Sackett's Harbor. 335 barrels of pork 194 bushels of pease or beans 1033 barrels of flour 180 do of whiskey 64 cwt. of soap 2700 lbs of candles 113 bushels of salt 1800 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of December, 1819.

- 15th. At Niagara. 167 barrels of pork 232 bushels of pease or beans 277 barrels of flour 50 do of whiskey 18 cwt. of soap 750 lbs of candles 31 bushels of salt 500 gallons of vinegar. One third on the 1st day of June, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of December, 1819.

- 16th. At Detroit. 1378 barrels of pork 2871 bushels of pease or beans 3691 barrels of flour 643 do of whiskey 230 cwt. of soap 945 lbs of candles 402 bushels of salt 6430 gallons of vinegar. One half on the 1st day of June, 1819; and the remainder on the 20th day of September, 1819.

- 17th. At St. Louis. 1025 cwt of bacon 689 barrels of pork 1287 bushels of pease or beans 2345 barrels of corn meal 152 do of flour 645 do of whiskey 20 cwt of soap 9645 lbs of candles 402 bushels of salt 6430 gallons of vinegar. One half on the 1st day of June, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of October, 1819.

- 18th. At Arkansas. 40 cwt of bacon 27 barrels of pork 112 bushels of pease or beans 91 barrels of corn meal 61 do of flour 25 do of whiskey 9 cwt of soap 375 lbs of candles 16 bushels of salt 250 gallons of vinegar. One half on the 1st day of June, 1819; and the remainder on the first day of December, 1819.

- 19th. At Red River. 40 cwt of bacon 27 barrels of pork 112 bushels of pease or beans 91 barrels of corn meal 61 do of flour 25 do of whiskey 9 cwt of soap 375 lbs of candles 16 bushels of salt 250 gallons of vinegar. One half on the 1st day of June, 1819; and the remainder on the 1st day of December, 1819.

- 20th. At Baton Rouge. 128 cwt. of bacon 86 barrels of pork 357 bushels of pease or beans 292 barrels of corn meal 197 do of flour 80 do of whiskey 29 cwt. of soap 1500 lbs of candles 50 bushels of salt 800 gallons of vinegar. One fourth on the 1st day of June, 1819; one fourth on the 1st day of September, 1819; one fourth on the 1st day of December, 1819; and the remainder on the first day of March, 1820.

- 21st. At New-Orleans. 162 cwt of bacon 110 barrels of pork 462 bushels of pease or beans 3776 barrels of corn meal 2549 do of flour 1056 do of whiskey 370 cwt. of soap 1540 lbs candles 648 bushels of salt 1060 gallons of vinegar. One fourth on the first day of June, 1819; one fourth on the first day of September, 1819; one fourth on the first day of December, 1819; and the remainder on the first day of March 1820.

Pork, pease, beans, flour, whiskey, salt and vinegar, must be delivered in strong and secure barrels; and the soap and candles in boxes of a convenient size for transportation. The privilege is reserved to the United States of increasing or diminishing the quantities to be delivered, and of changing the period of delivery, on giving, previously, sixty days notice to the contractors. The contractors to be liable for the expenses of inspection, and for the safe delivery, at such store houses as may be designated by the United States, at the several depots. By order of the Secretary of War, C. VANDEVENTER, Acting Commissary of Subsistence August 22— 1818.