The following Articles may be Imported for Exportatation, paying the Duties affixed.

IMPORTS.	PRICES.		PER.		REMARK.
Ginger, Eaſt India,	35s	40s	*Cwt.*	IMPORT DUTY. 1s. 6d. per Cwt.	Very dull—No demand whatever for E. India.
Weſt India White,	57s	60s	——		
Black,	25s	27s	——		
Pimento,	6 1-4d	6 1-2d	*Lb.*	1s. 9d. pr. 100 lbs.	Steady.
Hides, Buenos Ayres,	6 3-4d	7 1-2d	——	1s. 8d. & 4-10ths per Hide.	In demand, eſpecially Buenos-Ayres, which are very ſcarce.
Cuba,	5 1-2d	6d	——		
Weſt India,	4 1-2d	5 1-2d	——		
Logwood, chipt, Campeachy	19l 10s	20l 0s	*Ton.*	7s. 3d. per Ton.	Logwood rather plenty, and the demand limited—Fuſtick plenty alſo, but in better demand.—Nicaragua Wood ſcarce and enquired for.
Honduras,	17l 0s	17l 10s	——		
Jamaica,	16l 0s	16l 10s	——		
Fustick,	11l 10s	13l 0s	——	11s. 8d. per Ton.	
Nicaragua Wood, Small,	14l 0s	18l 0s	——	3 pr.Ct.ad valorm.	
Large,	22l 0s	30l 0s	——		

The following Articles may be Imported for Home Conſumption or Exportation, paying the Duties affixed.

Cotton, Bourbon,	3s 0d	3s 4d	*Lb.*	12s. 6d. per 100lbs.	Preſent proſpects ſeem in favor of theſe prices being ſupported.
Dutch,	2s 5 1-2d	2s 8 1-2d	——		
St. Domingo,	2s 0d	2s 3 1-2d	——		
Bahamo,	2s 0d	2s 4d	——		
Com. W. India,	2s 1d	2s 4d	——		
Carthagena,	1s 9d	1s 10d	——		
Carracca,	1 10 1-2	1s 11d	——		
Surat,	1s 3d	1s 5d	——		
New Orleans,	2s 0d	2s 2d	——		
Porto Rico,	2s 6d	2s 7d	——		
Georgia, Short Staple,	1s 6d	1s 8d	——	6s. 6d. per 100lbs.	
Sea Iſland,	2s 6d	3s 0d	——	do.	
Mahogany, Cuba,	1s 4d	2s 2d	*Foot of 1 Inch thick*	6l 5s 2d 8-10ths pr.T.	Supplies are rather ample—yet going off pretty regularly.
Hiſpaniola,	1s 8d	2s 6d		do.	
Honduras,	1s 2d	2s 0d		do.	
Cochineal,	22s	24s	*lb.*	10d. per Lb.	Scarce, and in demand.
Indigo, Miſſiſſippi,	3s 6d	6s 6d	——	22s. 6d. per 100lbs.	At preſent rather ſcarce, but conſiderable ſupplies appear to be coming forward.
St. Domingo,	4s 0d	7s 6d	——		
Spaniſh,	3s 6d	10s 0d	——		
Eaſt India,	4s 6d	10s 0d	——		
Bourbon,	4s 0d	5s 6d	——		

N. B. In ſubmitting theſe Obſervations the conſequence of any ſudden change in political affairs is not adverted to—A general Peace would no doubt materially affect the prices of many Articles.

CITY OF WASHINGTON.

Commiſsioners Office, 5th March, 1801.

BY virtue of an act of Aſſembly of the ſtate of Maryland, entitled "a further ſupplement to the act concerning the Territory of Columbia and City of Waſhington" the commiſſioners will expoſe to ſale on Tueſday the 12th day of May next, at Mr. Rhodes's Tavern, in the ſaid city, the following lots, to wit, Lot No. 2 in ſquare No 47, lots no 4 5 15 16 20 and 21 in ſq no 184, lots no 5 6 15 16 20 in ſq no 198, lots no 3 4 14 15 in ſq no 218, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 in ſq no 249, lot, no 10 in ſq no 286, lots no 3 5 6 7 9 10 12 13 14 in ſq no 317, lot no 10 in ſq no 319, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 in ſq no 343, lots no 2 3 4 5 6 in ſq no 344, lots no 10 11 12 in ſq no 345, lots no 1 2 3 4 15 16 17 18 19 20 in ſq 374, lots no 1 4 5 8 9 12 in ſq no 403, lots no 3 4 5 6 7 in ſq no 404, lots no 2 3 4 6 7 9 in ſq no 405, lots no 2 3 6 7 10 11 in ſq no 427, lots no 2 3 4 5 6 in ſq no 428, lots no 1 2 3 4 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 in ſq no 454, lots no 5 6 7 17 18 19 in ſq no 455, lots no 7 8 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 in ſq no 534, lots no 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 in ſq no 535, lot no 20 in ſq no 585, lot no 15 in ſq no 587, lot no 2 in ſq no 643, lot no 2 in ſq ſouth of ſq no 825, lots no 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 in ſq no 826, lot no 2 in ſq no 997, lots no 3 and 4 in ſq ſouth of 1019, lots no 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 in ſq no 1020, lot no 2 in ſq no 1021, lot no 1 in ſq no 1022, lots no 1 2 3 11 12 13 14 in ſq no 1023, lots no 5 and 6 in ſq no 1024, lots no 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 and 11 in ſq no 1045, lots no 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 in ſq no 1046, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 in ſq no 1047, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 24 in ſq no 1048, lots no 1 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 in ſq no 164, lot no 9 in ſq no 792, lots no 11 12 14 15 16 in ſq no 799, lots no 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 in ſq no 847, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 in ſq no 849, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 in ſq no 877, lots no 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 in ſq no 878, lots no 25 26 27 28 31 32 in ſq no 1048, lots no 1 and 3 in ſq no 1065 lots no 1 5 6 in ſq north eaſt of ſq no 1065, lot no 1 in ſq no 1066, lots no 1 and 3 in ſq no 11, lots no 2 3 7 8 9 10 12 13 in ſq no 158, lots no 1 3 4 5 6 7 in ſq no 161, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 in ſq no 247, lots no 1 2 3 4 10 11 in ſq no 452, lots no 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 in ſq no 453, lot no 1 in ſq ſouth of ſq no 463, lots no 3 4 5 6 in ſq no 492, lots no 5 9 and 10 in ſq no 493, lots no 4 5 6 in ſquare no 494, lots no 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 28 in ſquare no 517 lots no 2 4 6 8 in ſq no 518, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 in ſq no 529, lots no 20 and 21 in ſq no 533, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 in ſquare no 537, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 in ſq no 538, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 in ſq no 565, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 in ſq no 567, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 in ſq no 568, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 in ſq no 569, lots no 2 4 6 in ſq no 570, lot no 2 in ſq no 572, lots no 2 and 3 in ſq no 577, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 in ſq no 581, lots no 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 in ſq no 584, lots no 5 6 7 8 9 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 in ſq no 640, lots no 2 3 4 5 15 16 17 18 20 21 22 in ſq no 642, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 in ſq eaſt of ſq no 642, lots no 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 in ſq ſouth of ſq no 643, lots no 2 3 4 6 in ſq no 644, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 in ſq 645, lots no 1 2 and 17 in ſq no 1000, lots no 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 24 25 26 34 35 36 in ſq no 1043, lots no 2 3 4 14 16 16 17 18 in ſq no 1066, lots no 10 11 13 14 in ſq no 1067, lots no 1 2 3 4 11 12 13 in ſq no 1078, lots no 1 and 2 in ſq ſouth of ſq no 1091, lots no 1 2 9 10 11 12 in ſq no 1092, lots no 1 2 3 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 in ſq no 1105, lots no 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 in ſq no 1116, lot no 9 in ſq no 1117, lots no 5 6 7 8 in ſq no 1123, lots no 5 6 7 8 in ſq no 1130, lot no 3 in ſq no 1140 and lot no 4 in ſq no 1149.

The terms of ſale are ſixty, ninety and one hundred and twenty days for all ſums under 1000 dollars, and nine months credit for all ſums amounting to one thouſand dollars or upwards. It is expected purchaſes may be made to greater advantage at the enſuing ſale than heretofore; becauſe, at former ſales a competition took place among perſons who held liens on the property ſold.

The commiſſioners have alſo at their diſpoſal upwards of 4000 lots which have never been ſold; any of which they will ſell on terms much more moderate than thoſe on which property of the ſame value can be had of individuals, eſpecially to thoſe perſons who mean to ſettle in the city.

The public ſale to commence at Ten o'clock, in the forenoon, and to continue on Tueſdays, Wedneſdays and Thurſdays in each week, till all are ſold. The purchaſers will be required to give notes, endorſed to the ſatisfaction of the commiſſioners. and negotiable at any of the banks in Baltimore, George Town or Alexandria. Should any purchaſer fail, at the expiration of the week in which ſuch ſale is made to paſs his note with an approved endorſer or endorſers, the ſale will be declared void, and the lot or lots reſold without further notice—and ſuch purchaſer ſhall be excluded as a bidder during the ſale.

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For Sale.

A Small tract of land containing 150 acres more or leſs. It is on the road to Frederic about five miles from George Town, and is a high and healthy ſituation. Terms are one third to be paid on poſſeſſion being given, the remainder in two yearly payments. Enquire of the printer, or at the Commiſſioners Office, City of Waſhing ing

If not ſold within a month it will be rented on eaſy terms.

anuary, 28th, 1801.

JOHN CHEW THOMAS reſpectfully informs his Fellow-Citizens of Prince George's and Anne-Arundel counties including the city of Annapolis, that he will again faithfully ſerve them (if elected) in the Congreſs of the United States.

March 5th, 1801. 6t.

In Chancery, March 3, 1801.

ON application to the Chancellor by petition in writing of JOHN CONAWAY of Anne Arrundel County, praying the benefit of the "act for the relief of ſundry inſolvent debtors," paſſed at the laſt ſeſſion on the terms therein mentioned; and a ſchedule of his property and a liſt of his creditors, ſo far as he can aſcertain the ſame on oath, being annexed to his petition, and the chancellor being ſatisfied by competent teſtimony, that the ſaid John Conaway is, and at the time of paſſing the ſaid act was a citizen of this State and of the United States, and the ſaid John Conaway at the time of preſenting his petition having produced to the chancellor the aſſent in writing of ſo many of his creditors as have due to them according to the liſt aforeſaid, the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of paſſing the ſaid act

It is thereupon adjudged and ordered that the ſaid John Conaway by cauſing a copy of this order to be inſerted once in each of three ſucceſſive weeks in a newſpaper of the City of Waſhington, and by ſerving ſo many of his creditors with a copy of this order as can be conveniently ſerved therewith before the twenty ninth day of March inſt. give notice to his creditors to appear at the Chancery office on the Eighth day of April next for the purpoſe of recommending ſome perſon to be truſtee for their benefit on the ſaid John Conaway's then and there taking the oath preſcribed for delivering up his property.

Teſt.

SAML. H. HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

NAILS.

ALL Kinds of Hammered and Cut Nails, and Brads, Sold at my ſtore in this place, between the Preſident's houſe and the ſix buildings, at the following prices for Caſh only.

Hammered Nails and Brads.

	By cwt. or 1, 2 cwt	by retail under 56
20dy Nails	12 1-2 d. per lb	13 1-2 d per lb.
12dy do	13	13 3-4
10 do	13 3-4	14 1-2
8 do	15	15 1-2
Deck and Spike Nails,	11 1-2	
Cut Nails and Brads.		
20dy Nails	9 1-2	10 1-2
10 do	10	11
8 do	11	12
6 do	12	13
4 do	13 1-2	14
3 do	14 1-2	15

SAMUEL McINTIRE.

Waſhington, Feb. 6, 1801. tf.

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For the uſe of the SENATE of the United States.
BY THOMAS JEFFERSON.

Waſhington, Feb. 27. 1801.

FOR THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCER.

The late brilliant triumph of republicaniſm appears to have given to the public mind an animation only equalled by that which attended our revolutionary ſtruggle. It is not ſurpriſing that a victory, gained by efforts ſo perſevering, and talents ſo eminent, as have characteriſed the active friends of freedom, ſhould produce an univerſal glow of feeling. Now when the force of example is duly eſtimated can we wonder at the manner in which this enthuſiaſm exhibits itſelf. Social meetings have heretofore been generally made the organ of expreſſing any unuſual emotion of joy felt by the people. Hence we ſee that from one extreme of the union to the other conviviality and mirth prevail, heightened by the ſentiments and toaſts that are framed in ſuch a ſtyle as to expreſs with the greateſt energy the public feeling.

Though theſe meaſures are juſtified by a crowd of recent, as well as remote examples, they appear to me to be not only incorrect, but dangerous organs of expreſſing national feeling. Holding theſe opinions, the preſent offers itſelf to my mind as the moſt proper ſeaſon for communicating them to the public. Participating myſelf in the livelieſt enthuſiaſm that animates any breaſt, feeling the moſt unqualified reſpect for the character of the Preſident of the United States, and feeling a pride in the enlightened ſpirit of diſcrimination manifeſted by the people in chooſing Mr. Jefferſon for their firſt magiſtrate, no expreſſions of mine can be conſidered as deſigned to impair the luſtre of a triumph whoſe effects may, and probably will ſurpaſs the moſt ſanguine hopes of patriotiſm.

I will premiſe, before aſſigning the reaſons for my opinion, that the late triumph is the only unequivocal triumph which the republicans of the United States have obtained over their opponents ſince the adoption of the federal conſtitution. It therefore, undoubtedly places them upon ground diſtinct from that previouſly occupied by them. Before they were in oppoſition to a large portion of the meaſures, and to almoſt all the principles of the Executive department of the government: now it is their hope that the meaſures and principles of that department will merit and obtain their ſupport. It is the nature of oppoſition, particularly in a republican government, to be efficacious, to require an exertion of the greateſt energy; while it is the nature of the government itſelf to require but little ſupport, other than that which the conſtitution imparts or itſelf creates to render it completely commenſurate to all its legitimate objects. From this conſideration it reſults that from a change of circumſtances, a change of conduct ſhould ariſe. The *principles* of a republican ſhould remain invariably the ſame; but his *meaſures* ought, and if he be enlightened, will vary with exiſting circumſtances.

After theſe remarks, I obſerve,

1. That governments may be too much praiſed, as well as too much blamed. It is certainly very much to be wiſhed that the public will ſhould, as to all important events, expreſs itſelf in a definite manner; and that thoſe who adminiſter the government, ſhould know in what degree they conform to, or conflict with the people. This end is not to be gained by convivial meetings. Ariſing in ſome uncommon impulſe imparted to national feeling, and forming an aſſociation of citizens ex*cluſively* under the control of this impulſe, they exhibit in exaggerated colours the opinions of theſe aſſociations themſelves. We all know that at ſuch meetings, ſentiment and not reaſon preſides; and under the influence of the former to the frequent neglect of the latter, political opinions reſpecting men as well as meaſures are avowed, which in their calmer moments, the very aſſociated individuals would diſclaim. If ſuch ſentiments be found incorrectly to expreſs the opinions of the citizens from whom they emanate, how much more incorrectly do they delineate the opinions of other claſſes of citizens?

2. The exaggerated and incorrect ſtyle in which the ſentiments of particular individuals at ſuch meetings are pourtrayed, has a tendency to ſharpen the reſentment of other claſſes of citizens; as the ſentiments expreſſed, not confined to applauding particular men or particular meaſures too often hold up to ridicule or to deteſtation men and meaſures of a different complexion. There is no doubt but ſome men as well as meaſures deſerve the abhorrence of every good man; but the manner in which this ſentiment is expreſſed altogether determines the benefit to be produced by it. If it be expreſſed in