the language of paſſion, it will only tend to excite the reſentment of thoſe againſt whom it is levelled, without affording the leaſt evidence of the imputation. Let it further be recollected that extravagance on one ſide naturally produces extravagance on the other; and nothing can more powerfully tend to deſtroy the growth of that harmony which ought to be the aim of every enlightened and virtuous citizen.

3. Theſe meetings are abſolutely deſtructive of that moderation, and dignified command of feeling, which is the main-ſpring of republicaniſm.

Amidſt the conflicts of paſſion and inharmonious intereſts, truth is always firm and moderate. It is theſe traits, which have in this country ſhed ſo pure a luſtre over the character of the friends of republicaniſm. They leave the minds of thoſe who poſſeſs them in a ſtate moſt propitious to the reception of true ideas, and they are not only the beſt, but the only inſtruments whereby error is reclaimed from its wanderings.

4. There is a degree of ſervility in accumulating exaggerated praiſe upon any man. He who is conſcious of virtue, needs not inflated applauſe; while he who wants virtue, will make an improper uſe of miſapplied adulation. Our own experience, as well as the experience ot hiſtory, ſhews us that praiſe of men in power has always been a cheap purchaſe; and while virtue has found its ſanctuary in the ſilent affections of a nation, villainy has been celebrated by the loudeſt trumpets of cotemporaneous applauſe.

Theſe are a few of the ideas which have occurred to me on the ſubject. They are ſubmitted not without apprehenſion leaſt they ſhould be miſconſtrued. They ariſe, however, from a regard to principle; from an earneſt deſire that the republicans of this country ſhould perſevere in the undiſputed acquiſition of a character for moderation, deciſion, and harmony.

TEMPERANCE.

Kid, Eliot & co.

HAVE received by late arrivals, a general aſſortment of Hard ware and Ironmongery which they offer for Sale at their Store oppoſite the Great Hotel.

They have also on hand

Madeira, Sherry & Liſbon } Wines.
Cogniac Brandy,
Jamaica Spirits,
Holland Gin,
Loaf and Brown Sugar,
Tea, Coffee, &c. &c.

Waſhington, Dec. 18. tf.

Robert Greenhow.

Merchant in Williamsburg, Virginia.

BEING deſirous to withdraw in a great meaſure from the further purſuit of Buſineſs, offers for ſale the whole of his well known General and Valuable Aſſortment of Merchandiſe amounting probable at their prime coſt, to Eight or Ten Thouſand pounds ſterling, of which an idea may be formed by referring to a printed liſt depoſited in this office—Not wiſhing to divide the Stock applications by letters poſt paid will be by him received as to the purchaſe of the whole of it

Feb. 2, 1801. tAp

LOTS FOR SALE,

In the City of WASHINGTON.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for Sale a number of valuable Lots beautifully ſituated between the Capitol and the Eaſtern Branch Alſo a few Lots to be let on leaſe for ninety-nine years in the vicinity of the Navy yard.

WILLIAM PROUT.

City of Waſhington. December 12, 1800. tf

N. B. A few Tons of good Meadow Hay, one Kiln of Bricks, and ſome Cord Wood.

W. P.

Public Sale of LOTS,

IN WASHINGTON CITY.

WILL be Sold at Public Auction, to the higheſt bidder, on Friday the 1ſt day of May next, at William Tunnicliff's Hotel. Two Hundred Lots, ſituated Eaſtward of the Capitol and near to the Eaſtern Branch Ferry—The terms will be one half Caſh and the other half at 60 days on Notes negotiable at the Bank of Columbia ſatisfactorily endorſed. An indiſputable title will be given by,

GEORGE WALKER.

Waſhington, March 2, 1801. tMay1

Kid, Eliot & Co.

At the Brick Store oppoſite BLODGETS' HOTEL.

HAVE received by the Brig UNION, Capt. Leonard, from Liverpool, a large ſupply of Crockery Ware. Some of which is well aſſorted in ſmall caſks for the country.

Alſo, by the ſome Veſſel.

White Lead, ground in oil.
Spaniſh Brown do.
Red Lead, Patent yellow, &c. &c.

They expect by the Roba and Betſey arrived at Norfolk, an additional Invoice of crockery and a large aſſortment of Glaſs ware. All which will be ſold at the Philadelphia prices.

Dember 18.

WASHINGTON CITY.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1801.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

WHEREAS, by the firſt Article of the Terms and Conditions declared by the Preſident of the United States on the 17th day of October 1791, for regulating the Materials and manner of Buildings and Improvements on the lots in the CITY OF WASHINGTON, it is provided, "that the "outer and party walls of all Houſes in "the ſaid City, ſhall be built of brick or "ſtone."—And by the third Article of the ſame Terms and Conditions, it is declared, "that the wall of no Houſe ſhall be high-"er than forty feet to the Roof in any "part of the City, nor ſhall any be low-"er than thirty five feet in any of the A-"venues."—And whereas the above recited articles were found to impede the Settlement in the City of Mechanics and others, whoſe circumſtances did not admit of erecting Houſes authoriſed by the ſaid Regulations; for which cauſe, the Preſident of the United States, by a Writing under his Hand, bearing date the twenty fifth day of June 1796, ſuſpended the operation of the ſaid Articles, until the firſt Monday of December 1800—and the beneficial effects ariſing from ſuch ſuſpenſion having been experienced, it is deemed proper to revive the ſame. WHEREFORE, I THOMAS JEFFERSON, Preſident of the United State, do declare, that the operation of the firſt and third Articles, above recited, ſhall be, and the ſame is hereby ſuſpended until the firſt Day of January 1802, and that all the Houſes which ſhall be erected in the ſaid City of Waſhington, previous to the ſaid firſt Day of January 1802, conformable in other reſpects to the regulations aforeſaid, ſhall be conſidered as lawfully erected, except that no wooden Houſe ſhall be erected within twenty four feet of any brick or ſtone Houſe.

Given under my hand this 11th Day of March, 1801.

(Signed)

TH. JEFFERSON.

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Our readers are this day preſented with an intereſting Price Current *of LIVERPOOL, with accompanying commercial information of conſiderable importance.*

Some implied doubts having been expreſſed in the public prints of the *earlieſt publication* of the Inaugural ſpeech of the Preſident having been made in the National Intelligencer, the Editor conſiders it proper to exculpate himſelf from any idea of remiſſneſs to ſtate the truth. The Speech appeared in the National Intelligencer before it appeared in any other print; and from the Office of the National Intelligencer, the Editor of the Aurora obtained one of the earlieſt impreſſions, which was ſent expreſs to Baltimore, from which place it was forwarded by a mail antecedent to that which conveyed the papers for the Subſcribers to the National Intelligencer in Philadelphia.

CAPE FRANCOIS, 14th Februry.

PRICE CURRENT by the Cargo, or Wholeſale-way.

Flour	Dols.	15 per bl.
Rice, rather coarſe		5 1-2
Cod-fiſh		7
Beef, cargo good		14
Pork, northward freſh and fat		23 to 24
Salmon, freſh		12
Mackrels		11 to 13
Herrings		7
Butter, Lard, Hams, Candles		38 per wt.
Northward lumber per 1000 feet		35to40
Southward do. ſcarce		45 to 50
Scantling 33 44 45 56 66		60 to 70 pr. do.
Shingles, in bundles good		3 per 4bundles
Shingles, Pitchpine 22 inches		7 to 8 do.
Soap, (American yellow)		25 per box
Sweet-Oil, per baſket 12 bottles		8
Trane-Oil, good per gallon		7
Spermaceti Candles		6
Claret, good quality		50 to 55 per caſk
Tobacco, good quality for ſegars		7 do

ALBANY, Feb. 20.

On Friday, the houſe went into Committee on the Governor's meſſage. Mr. Benton in the chair; when Mr. Swartwout moved the following reſolution with its recital, viz.

Whereas his excellency the Governor, by his meſſage of the 26th inſt. has ſuggeſted ſome impediments to the further proceedings of the Council of Appointment, and has ſubmitted to the conſideration of the Legiſlature, whether it is not become indiſpenſable, that the merits of the oppoſite and interfering claims to the right of nomination, ſhould be aſcertained and decided without delay:

Therefore, Reſolved, as the ſenſe of this Houſe, That the Legiſlature have no authority to interpoſe between the Executive and the members of the Council of Appointment, touching the right of nomination, or to paſs a declaratory act, defining the powers of the ſaid Council, or preſcribing the manner in which the ſame ſhall be exerciſed.

Mr. Henry thereupon moved the following reſolution as a ſubſtitute, viz.

Reſolved, as the ſenſe of this committee, That it is expedient to paſs an act declaratory of the true intent and meaning of the 23d ſection of the Conſtitution of this State, relative to the perſon or perſons in whom the right of nominating all officers to be appointed by the Council of Appointment, is veſted.

The Chairman having put the queſtion, whether the committee would agree to the ſubſtitute propoſed by Mr. Henry, it paſſed in the negative.

An animated and intereſting debate enſued, and on the queſtion to agree to the reſolution propoſed by Mr. Swarwout, it was carried in the affirmative, 61 to 35.—The ayes and noes being called by Mr. Comſtock, ſeconded by Mr. Adriance ſtood as follow:

—Affirmative—

Meſſrs. Adriance, Akin, Alden, Arculaſius, Barlow, Bevier, Broome, Bull, G. Clinton, J. Clinton, Comſtock, Corl, Danforth, Emigh, A. Gilbert, Glover, Haller, Halſey, Haſbrouck, Hopkins, Humfrey, Hunt, Johnſton, Landon, B. Livingſton, M'Cord, M'Intire, Merrill, Miller, Monfoort, Mott, Nexſen, North, Odell, Peck, Pettit, Philips, Robbins, Rott, Rutgers, Savage, Sanford, Sheldon, Sherwood, Skidmore, A. Smith, N. Smith, Snell, Speaker, Storm, Swartwout, J. Ten Brock, Thomas, Thurſton, Townſend, Tucker, Veeder, Verbryck, Warner, Wheny, Yates.

Negative.

Meſſrs Barker, Bors, Brown, Cantine, Chipman, Courtis, Dietz, Doty, Dunglaſs, Edwards, Elmendorfham, Forman, Prench, Gardenner, E. Gillert, Graham, Henry, Hicks, Lanſing, Leonard, J. Livingſton, Lovet, M'Auly, M'Kown, Micheau, Muffit, Norton, Oſtrom, Shurtleff, Ten Eyck, Van Alen, Weſt, Williams, Winne.

The committee then roſe, and the houſe accepted their report.

The ſpeakers principally were, for the reſolution, Mr. Livingſton and Mr. Swartwout; againſt it, Mr. Henry and Mr. Williams.

The Subſcriber

RESPECTFULLY informs the Public, that he intends to practice the LAW in the Courts of Alexandria and Waſhington Counties in the Diſtrict of Columbia; and in the Supreme Court of the United States.—The Public may rely on his attention to any buſineſs confided to his care. At his Office, conveyances of every kind prepared with accuracy, ſecrecy and diſpatch. Buſineſs tranſacted in any of the Public Offices for Perſons reſident at a diſtance on moderate terms

Letters poſt paid will be attended to——

By the Publics Obedient Servant,

ROBERT W. PEACOCK.

City of Waſhington, New-Jerſey Avenue, near the Capitol. } March 2, 1801. tf

☞ A few Gentlemen may be accommodated with Boarding and Lodging by the week, month, or year. R. W. P.

LOTS.

IN different elegible ſituations in the City for Sale or Leaſe on ground rent—Likewiſe,

100 *Caſks inſpected Rhode Iſland LIME.*

A number of Quarter and half and Caſks of MADEIRA WINE, of a ſuperior quality, by

JOHN STICKNEY

At his building oppoſite Rhodes Tavern Preſident's Square.

Waſhington, March 2, 1801. coptf.

For SALE.

A HOUSE and LOT in the City of Waſhington, called the COTTAGE beautifully ſituated on the ſlope of the Hill appropriated for the National Univerſity and near the Commiſſioners wharf, at preſent in the occupation of Mr. KNAPP of the Auditor's office.—For terms apply to Dr. Wm. Thornton, one of the Commiſſioners of the City, to Mr. Philip Fitzhugh, or PRESLY THORNTON.

Waſhington City, Feb. 11, 1801. tf

CHEAP LUMBER.

FOR SALE,

By the Subſcriber, on reaſonable terms, either by large or ſmall quantities, at his Lumber Yards, the north end of Lamberton, and at the old Sturgeon Pond, above Richards's wharf,

A QUANTITY OF

ASSORTED LUMBER, *viz.*

One and 1-4 inch, 1 1-8, and 1 do. Yellow pine heart boards—1 inch pannel, 1 1-4 do. for floors, 1 do. common, white pine do—3 do. 7 1-4 and 2 1-2 do planks, 1 do. 1-8, and 2-8 do. boards, black walnut—2 do. plank, 5 do. 1-2 do pannel boards, bedſtead ſetts, poplar the whole of the above are well ſeaſoned and fit for uſe]—Clear heart pine, and ſap pine white oak, and bilſtead, hemlock and white pine ſcantling, aſſorted—beſt kind three feet cedar ſhingles, dreſſed and undreſſed, do two feet white pine do.; do. 18 inch cypreſs do—Cedar rails—Alſo, white pine ſawed rails—ſhingling and plaiſtering laths, beſt kind; white oak waggon timber—ſap pine planks, ſap pine one inch boards, 3-4 cedar, beſt kind, 3-4 white pine, 3-4 ſap pine, ſeaſoned weather boards—A quantity of handſome cheſnut pailings, ſawed 1 by 3 inches and from 4 to 16 feet long, for garden fence, &c. A quantity of cheſnut oak poſts, dreſſed and undreſſed; a quantity of cherry boards, a quantity of large white oak joice, a quantity of cheſnut poſts—5000 feet of neat beach ſcantling for tool ſtocks—5000 feet of ſickamore ſcantling for bedſteads; 2 inch white oak plank; 1 inch white oak boards, 3-4 do. do. do.—25,000 feet ſuperior cherry boards and plank, 3,000 do. very clear 2 inch white pine plank, 3,000 do. handſome beaton wood bedſtead ſetts ſeaſoned, 100,000 prime North Carolina ſhingles, a quantity of aſh plank, 150 tons plaiſter Paris, warranted, 3,000 buſhels beſt Virginia pit coal, 200 buſhel cleans houſe ſand

The ſubſcriber intends, eſtabliſhing a Lumber Yard at the Federal City of Waſhington, which he will keep regularly ſupplied as above—Any quantities may be agreed for by contract, deliverable, as the purchaſer may wiſh, provided that the place of delivery may be comeatable by water with a navigable veſſel—Any quantity that may be ordered for ſhipping abroad, ſhall be ſupplied with punctuality and diſpatch, agreeable to order.

Gentlemen who are or may be building—as well as carpenters who may be under or may enter into contracts to build and furniſh the materials, will find it well worth their attention to apply as above—Applications may be made by letter (poſt paid) or otherwiſe, to the ſubſcriber, or left with Wm. and Anthony M. Buckley, or Benj. W Morris and Co. merchants, Philadelphia.

Also for Sale or to Let,

A large commodious Dwelling Houſe, with out buildings complete, and from three to ſeven acres of land—Two ſmall do. with lots thereto. Alſo, a ſmall Store near the river—All laying in the village of Lamberton.

NATHAN COMBS.

N. B. A Screw Jack to let, that raiſes from 10 to 40 tons by hand—a conſtant ſupply of plaiſter and Smith's Virginia coal.

Lamberton, New Jerſey, (on Del.)

January 13, 1801. twtf

WANTED a large handſome MARE of a Bay or Cheſnut color, accuſtomed to draw in Harneſs, not more than ſeven years old, for which a GELDING will be given in exchange and the difference of value if any paid Caſh. Enquire of Mr. Dunn, at the Capitol.

Waſhington, Feb. 18, 1801.

TO BE RENTED.

A TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING-HOUSE, with a large garden well incloſed, a ſtable for 4 horſes, a Coach Houſe, & other office Houſes, with a good well of water in the Yard, moſt elegantly ſituated in ſquare 104, in the City of Waſhington, for terms apply to

WM. KING.

WHO will accommodate through the enſuing Summer a few GENTEEL BOARDERS, by the day, week, or month, at his preſent dwelling Houſe, 4 doors South of MR. STILLE'S Hotel, on Capitol Hill.

March 13, 1801. tf.

In Chancery, March 6th, 1801.

SAMUEL BOOTS an Inſolvent debtor of Prince George's County, makes application as a trader by petition to the Chancellor in writing, praying the benefit of "an act for the relief of ſundry inſolvent debtors," there is annexed to his petition, a ſchedule of his property and a liſt of his creditors, on oath as by the ſaid act is required; and the Chancellor being ſatisfied by competent Teſtimony that the ſaid Samuel Boots is, and at the time of paſſing the ſaid act was a Citizen of this State and of the United States.

It is therefore adjudged and ordered that he appear before the Chancellor, in the Chancery office on the firſt day of October next, for the purpoſe of taking the oath by the ſaid act required in preſence of his creditors; and that by cauſing a copy of this order to be inſerted in a Waſhington paper, once in each of three ſucceſſive weeks, and by ſerving ſo many of his creditors with a copy thereof as can be conveniently ſerved therewith before the firſt day of April next, he give notice to his creditors to attend on the ſaid firſt day of October, for the purpoſe of recommending a truſtee for their benefit, and to lodge with the Chancellor within ſix months from the time of the laſt publication (if they ſhall think fit) their diſſent to his being admitted to the benefit of the ſaid act.

Teſt.

SAMUEL H. HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can

March 13, 1801. 3t1w.