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FRESH GOODS.

WARD WOODBRIDGE & Co.
HAVE this day received a supply of seasonable and fashionable GOODS which renders their assortment as complete as can be found in this City.
Hartford, Oct. 29.

HARTFORD, Oct. 31, 1796.
NATHANIEL PATTEN,
HAS just received, and now opening a large assortment of English, East and West India Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Books, Stationery, &c. &c. Warranted as Cheap as at any Store in Hartford.

JENKS, BARBER, & Co.
Have this day received at their Store at Warehouse-point, in East-Window;
A General and well chosen assortment of English GOODS, selected from the latest arrivals, which will positively be sold on as good terms as any are selling at this day. They are likewise supplied with almost every article in the Grocery line, and will constantly be supplied with the best that can be purchased.
They will give the highest exchange in Salt or pay Cash for any quantity of Flax-Seed.
October 31.

JOSEPH LYNDE,
Has just received and ready for Sale at his cheap Store, a large supply of DRUGS and MEDICINES, GROCERIES, DYING MATERIALS, PAINTERS COLOURS, &c. which in conjunction with those before on hand, afford him a very large assortment; among them are almost every article in the Medical Line.
A L S O,

LONDON particular old Madeira per pipe or small quantity,
Do. London market, Do. New-York,
Do. Cape, Sherry in quarter casks,
Port in do. Lisbon of a superior quality,
per pipe or qr. cask, Tenerife per pipe
Malaga in qr. casks, and Frontenack
A few hogheads good flavored Rum.
Jamaica Spirits, Cognac and Bordeaux Brandy by the pipe.
Holland Geneva per do. Cherry Rum.
Clove Water, Mint Cordial, London Porter.
Sugar in barrels, East-India Sugar in bags.
Loaf and Lump Sugar per hhd. or cwt.
Molasses per hoghead.
Hyson, Hyson skin, Souchong 1st and second quality, excellent Gunpowder and Bohea Teas.
Coffee, Chocolate, Rice, Tamarinds.
Turkey Figs, Mace, Cloves, Nutmegs, Cinnamon.
Cassia, Cinnamon Buds, Allspice, Ginger.
Black and Cayenne Pepper, Citron, Almonds.
Sweetmeats, Peppermint, Kozingies.
Capers and Anchovies in small bottles.
Sweet Oil, Flour of Mustard, Pearl-Ash.
Salt, Salt-Petre per ton cwt. or less.
Best Philadelphia Snuff per cask.
Chewing and Smoking Tobacco.
Spanish and American Segars per thousand.
Long and short Pipes.
Sweet scented and Shaving Soap.
Ladies Wash Balls, Fleish Brushes.
Bottles, Corks, Demijohns.
Poland and Country Starch.
Hair Powder per cwt. or pound.
A great variety of Patent Lamps.

DYING MATERIALS, viz.
Copperas, Alum, Logwood, Nicaragua Wood.
Ground Camwood, do. Saunders, Fustick.
Woad, Madder, Galls, Cochineal, Argol.
Blue Vitriol, Oil of Vitriol.
Spanish, French and Carolina Indigo.
Clothiers' Jacks, fine Wool Cards.
PAINTER'S COLOURS, viz.
Best White Lead, Red do. Spanish Brown.
Spanish White, Venetian Red, Prussian Blue.
Stone Yellow, Spruce do. Patent do. Kings do.
Yellow Oaker, Umber, Ivory Black.
English Lampblack, Chalk, Strengthening Smalt.
Blue Froth, Litharge, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine.
Turpentine and fine Copal Varnish.
Gold, silver and Brads Leaf, Shell and Seed Lac.
Gum Sandarach, Spirits of Wine, Brushes.
Sash Tools and Hair Pencils, Varnishing Brushes.
Also, 8 by 10, 7 by 9, 6 by 8 Glafs in 50 and 100 feet boxes; Cast Steel, Black Lead.
Rotten Stone, Pomice do. Glue, Emery.
Sandover, Spelter, Bismuth, Copper Scales.
Nails, black Lead Pots from No. 1 to 40.
Crucibles, Sponge, Cork Soals, Powder, Shot, Lead, Flints, Powder Flasks, Shot Belts.
Writing Paper, Ink Powder, Cake Ink.
Sealing Wax, Wafers, India Rubber.
Smelling Bottles, Tooth Brushes, Tooth Powder.
Dentifrice, Cephalic Snuff, &c. &c.
Hartford, October 29.

HARTFORD, Sept. 28, 1796.
THE Copartnership of Eleazer Sweetland and Thomas Flint, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said Firm are once more requested to pay their respective Bills to Eleazer Sweetland.

The business will hereafter be transacted by ELEAZER SWEETLAND and WILLIAM SAVAGE, under the Firm of Sweetland and Savage, who have just received and are receiving from Bolton a fresh and general assortment of GROCERIES, which they offer for sale on good terms to the purchaser.

6s. Salt or Cash given in exchange for Flax-Seed.

STRAYED or stolen from the subscriber, about the 14th instant, a sandy HOG, both ears and tail lately cut off, supposed to weigh about 100 pounds: whoever will give information where said Hog may be found, shall be generously rewarded and charges paid, by
JONATHAN AVERY.
Hartford, October 31.

CASH Paid for RAGS,
By HUDSON & GOODWIN,

STRAYED or stolen out of the pasture of the subscriber, in the night of the 26 inst. a light grey Canadian stone Horse, supposed to be about 14 hands high, natural trotter, his mane and tail a shade darker than his body, tail long and thick, shod all round, shoe on his right fore foot loose—a good draught horse: Whoever will secure the horse and thief if stolen, so that the thief may be brought to justice, shall have a reward of ten Dollars; and if strayed, the person taking up and securing said horse and giving information to the subscriber so that he may obtain him again, shall be handsomely rewarded, and all necessary charges paid in either case.
ROYAL TYLER.
Coventry, Oct. 28.

JAMES KILBURN,
HEREBY reminds those who have accounts open with him of any more than Six Months standing, that they had no encouragement of any longer credit—therefore requests an immediate settlement of all such accounts—those who cannot make immediate pay must give notes on interest.
Said Kilburn, has on hand a handsome assortment of European and India Goods as usual.
Granby, October 24th, 1796.

ALL persons indebted to DENNIS C. PALMER whose accounts by agreement are become due, are requested to make payment without delay.—He has just received an additional supply of Goods suitable for the approaching season which he will sell on very reasonable terms for ready pay or on short credit.
Hartford, Oct. 29.

Irish Linens & Flannels.
JUST arrived and to be sold, at No. 43 Water Street, 44 Boxes, 4 Bales of Irish Linens, yard wide, 7-8 and 3-4 wide; 10 bales of white and coloured Flannels; the above assortment was purchased by one of the subscribers in Ireland, and will be found well worth the attention of gentlemen in the Linen and Woollen business.—The highest price given for 3000 hogheads Flax-Seed, and 200 barrels Potash.
McKEIG & SYLVESTER.
New-York, Oct. 28.

Just received and for Sale, by
BROWN & KIMBERLY,
FRENCH Brandy per pipe, Holland Geneva per do. St. Croix Rum per hhd. Madeira, Sherry, Port, Lisbon and Malaga Wines per qr. cask; Lump Sugar per Cwt. Brown do. per bbl. Hyson and Souchong Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, approved English Mustard in 1-4 and 1-2 bottles, Pepper, Pimento, Rice, Starch, Bay Tallow, Nutmegs, Crown Soap, Corks, Glue, Leipers Snuff, Spanish and French Indigo, a few tons Swedes and Russia Iron per ton, American and German Steel, Sheet Iron, Shovels and Spades, Hollow Ware, Frying Pans, Bar Lead, 3000 feet 9 by 7 and 8 by 6 Crown Glafs. The above Goods are offered on the best terms for cash, country produce or short and approved credit.
Wanted 100 tierces Flax-Seed, for which the highest price in Cash will be paid on delivery.
Hartford, October 31.

HENRY DEMING,
HAS just received a very extensive assortment of European and India GOODS, which are now offered for sale at his Store six rods South of the Meeting-House in Wethersfield, at a much smaller advance than usual.—A good assortment of Groceries.
Wethersfield, Oct. 29.

New Goods, cheap Goods & good Goods.
BOIES & ROBINSON,
HAVE just received from New-York a complete assortment of Fall and Winter GOODS, which will be sold very low for cash, country produce, or on a short and approved credit; amongst which are—black, blue and red Broadcloths, Kerfaneers, swansdown Velt Patterns, Forest Cloths, plain and twilled Coatings, Velvet and Thicketts, Wildbores, Lutefring, Chintzes and Calicoes, Linens and Humhums, and in a word every article wanted in a country store.
Also they want to purchase 5000 yards checked Flannel for which a generous price will be given.
N. B. All those indebted to them either by Book account or Note of hand, are desired to make immediate payment.
Granville, Oct. 24.

TIMOTHY BURR, jun. & Co.
Have just received from the latest arrivals in New-York, a large assortment of Fall and Winter GOODS, consisting of
Superfine and common Broadcloths,
Hunters and Forrest Cloths, Cassimers,
Hasticks, twill'd and plain Coatings,
Swansdown, printed Cassimers,
Twill'd and plain Velvets, Fancy Cord.
Thicketts, Jeans, Fustians,
Satin-latings, Baizes, Flannels,
Modes, Sattins, Lutefrings, Taffeties,
Silk Florentine, Silk Shawls, Muslin do.
Chintz and purple ditto.
Ladies silk Gloves & Mitts, Ladies beaver Hatts,
Chintzes, Calicoes, Dimities, Muslinetts,
Ginghams, Furniture Calico.
Irish Linens, India Cottons,
Cotton and Linen Cambrics,
Book and Jaconet Muslin, Muslin Hks.
Mens' silk, worsted and cotton Hosiery,
Moreens, Taboreen, Ruffels, Calimanco,
Durvins, Tammies, Wildbores, Camblets,
Gentlemens' beaver and fur Gloves,
Rose Blankets, Umbrella's, &c. &c.
The above Goods will be sold as cheap as at any store in the State.
Hartford, October 29.

DAVID GREENLEAF,
On the corner North of the Court-House,
HAS just received, a large assortment of day of the month, stop, second, capt and jewelled gold, gilt and silver WATCHES. Any gentleman that values true time, and wish to supply themselves with real good Watches, wont be disappointed when they come to prove them.
Hartford, Oct. 31.

SELDEN CHAPMAN,
HAS FOR SALE,
3000 Bushels best Turke Island Salt.
50 Barrels Tar.
Lisbon Wine per quarter cask.
Rum per hoghead, &c.
Hartford, Oct. 27.

Wheat and Rye,
WANTED at the new Mill in Middletown, for which cash will be paid on delivery,
By J. HART & Co.
Middletown, Oct. 31.

DAVID GREENLEAF,
On the corner north of the Court-House,
HAS just received by the latest arrivals from London, a very large assortment of articles in his line—consisting of the following articles, Viz. gold, gilt and silver Watches, from 10 to 50 dollars each, cheaper than can be bought in New-York, at retail; plated, curb and inaffle bits, buckles and tips, saddle nails and stirrups, shoe boot and knee buckles, watch chains, seals and keys, watch glasses, miniature settings and chains, lockets and hollow pins, ladies silver and enamel thimbles of the best kind, fancy beads earrings and pendals, very neat stone broaches, shell sleeve buttons, sugar tongs and spoons, sugar tools, toy watches, enamel snuff boxes, shoe clasps, penknives, garnet rings, and many other articles two numerous for an advertisement.
Hartford, Oct. 31.

FOR SALE,
ONE pair of stout HORSES, six years old and well broke to any carriage, with a Hack and Harnes, in good order for running—any person may know the terms by applying to
JAMES BULL.
Corner state and front street }
near Hartford market-house. } Oct. 31.

THE Hon. Court of Probate for the district of Hartford, having allowed twelve months from the date, for the settlement of the Estate of Mr. Samuel Drake, late of Hartford, deceased. All persons having demands on said Estate are notified to exhibit them within said time, or they will be barred a recovery.
MARTHA DRAKE, } Adm'rs.
JAMES PRATT, }
Hartford, October 24th, 1796.

FLAX-SEED.
THE highest price in Cash, Rock, Turke Island or St. Ubes Salt given for FLAX-SEED, by JARED CONE, jun. at his Store in Bolton.
October 27.

WANTED immediately, as apprentices to the blacksmiths business, two healthy, active LADS, 15 or 16 years of age; they shall have good encouragement, agreeable to their parents desire. Enquire of the printers. Oct. 31.
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons liable by law to pay taxes in the town of Simsbury, on the list of 1795, to pay to the subscriber, a tax of one penny halfpenny state tax, and a town tax of two pence, and a lociety tax of two pence three farthings on the pound; that the subscriber will meet them on the 14th day of Nov. next, at the house of Mr. Jared Mills; and on the 15th at Mr. David Adams, and on the 16th at Mr. Elijah Tuller, jun. on the 17th at Capt. Noah A. Phelps's, and on the 18th at Capt. Aaron Pinneys, at each of said places from 12 o'clock until 4 o'clock, p. m. and on Saturdays the subscriber will attend at his house; those who neglect must expect to pay fees.
AMASA HUMPHRY, State, Town and Society Collector.
Simsbury, Oct. 26.

ELDREDGE & KINNE,
WILL pay Goods (on low terms) for Black and White Oak Hhd. and Dbl. Staves, Cheese, Onions, Oats, Corn, Rye, White and check'd flannels and tow cloth; they will pay Cash or Salt for FLAX-SEED.
Glastenbury, Oct. 10. (6.v.)

English Stallions.
NINE capital covering HORSES, imported in the Ship Niagara, from Hull, six of them Baronet, Warwick, Champion, Ancient Pistol, Nestler and Little John, are full blooded racers, and justly esteemed the very finest of their kind, they are bays and full size from 3 to 6 years old. Euryalus, Royal Slave and Clothier, are large, and very excellent Stock Horses. Gentlemen Farmers and others who wish to improve their breed of Horses, will do well to make immediate application. For terms of sale, which will be made easy if well secured, apply to
FREDERICK and PHILIP RHINELANDER,
at the corner of Barclay and Greenwich Streets, North River, New-York.

Who have also for Sale,
100 Crates well assorted Earthen Ware.
15 Hhds. do. Glafs Ware.
These are particularly adapted for Country Stores, each containing a complete assortment of the most useful articles.
De Ruyters Holland Gin, made in N. York.
A Copper Still will contain 200 gallons.
4 Flour Bolts, with fixtures complete.
2 Cables of 8 and 9 inches.
3 Coils of 5 and 6 inch Shroud Hawser.
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BY HIS EXCELLENCY
OLIVER WOLCOTT, Esq.
Governor and Commander in Chief of the STATE OF CONNECTICUT:
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEN the Supreme Ruler of the Universe has liberally conferred his Blessings upon a People who enjoy the inestimable Benefits of divine Revelation, it becomes in a special Manner, their Duty to adore their Beneficent Creator with public Thanksgiving and Praise.

IMPRESSED with this Sentiment, and contemplating the many Favours which by the Dispensations of Divine Providence the People of this State have enjoyed the current Year, I have thought proper, by and with the Advice of the Council, and at the Desire of the House of Representatives, to appoint, and do hereby appoint, THURSDAY, the Twenty-Second Day of December next, to be religiously observed as a Day of public THANKSGIVING and PRAISE to Almighty GOD, throughout this State; hereby recommending to Ministers and People of every Society, Church, and Congregation, to assemble on said Day, and devoutly render their Tribute of Praise to their Almighty Creator, for the various Manifestations of his Goodness towards us: Particularly, that it hath pleased GOD to grant to his People the Blessing of general Health; and prospered our Agriculture, Commerce and Manufactures, and other of our lawful Vocations and Employments; and continued to us the unalloyed Enjoyment of the blessed Gospel of CHRIST JESUS, the Saviour; to supplicate the Almighty to continue to us his Favour and Blessing, and make us sensible of our Dependence upon his Providence, and disposed to manifest the Sincerity of our Gratitude by a cheerful Obedience to the divine Will.

That Thanks be rendered to Almighty GOD for the Prosperity which he has granted to our Nation; that our Liberties and Independence have been preserved, and a national Peace established; that GOD has preserved the Life and important Usefulness of the President of these United States, and to supplicate the Almighty to continue to him his divine Aid and Protection.

That GOD would ever influence and direct the public Councils and Administration of this State, and of the United States of America, and render them subservient to the important Ends of their Institution.—That our Nation may always be under the Protection of a most gracious Providence.—And that no evil Machinations may be permitted to disturb our national Union and Peace.—That the Precepts of our holy Religion may have their proper Influence upon the Conduct of Mankind.—That Righteousness and Peace may universally prevail.

All servile Labour is forbidden on said Day.
Given at the City of New-Haven, the Thirty-first Day of October, in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety six, and in the Twenty first Year of the Independence of the United States of America.

OLIVER WOLCOTT.
By His Excellency's Command,
SAMUEL WYLLIS, Secretary.

AMERICAN CLAIMS.
In the High Court of Admiralty. Sir James Marriot Judge.
Samuel Bayard, agent of the United States &c. in behalf of Messrs. John and Thomas Stephens and Israel Thorndike, citizens of the United States, and owners of the Schooner Relief and cargo, Asa Cole, master:—Claimants—against
General Sir Charles Grey and Admiral Sir John Jarvis.

The Relief was an American vessel seized by the British forces at Martinique shortly after the capture of that island. On the 10th of April 1794, she was libelled in a pretended Court of Admiralty established at Martinique by the captors. On the 5th of May the vessel and cargo were sold, and on the 14th they were condemned.

On the 28th of Feb. 1795, Mr. Bayard filed his claim in the High Court of Admiralty on behalf of the owners; and a motion thereupon issued against Admiral Jarvis and General Grey, directing them to bring into the registry of the court the ship's papers and all depositions taken in preparatory. The captors, though a year had elapsed from the time of the issuing of the motion, brought in no papers; and the king's advocate and proctor admitted, that they did not expect to bring in any. The cause was therefore heard on the ex parte evidence produced by the claimants.

Doctors Nicholl and Lawrence for the claimants, and Sir. William Scott, the king's advocate for the captors.

On the 2d of Feb. 1796 Sir James Marriot delivered his opinion as follows:
Since the king's advocate and proctor both admit that there is no prospect of shortly, if at all, receiving from their clients any further papers respecting these American vessels seized at Martinique, as they admit this vessel to be one of those seized and sold by persons under the orders of Sir Charles Grey and Sir John Jarvis, and as the claimants have done all in their power to have the ships papers brought forward, and not being able to obtain them from the captors, have furnished such as were in their power, I do not see how I can do otherwise than decree the restitution of this vessel and cargo.

Dr. Nicholl then moved, that the restitution might be accompanied with costs and damages,