

Mr. BUTLER. The following lines were written to a sister whose husband's health appeared to be declining...

RUSTICUS.

MY active limbs and health decay. My body fails and wastes away. This mortal life draws near a close...

22lb 37 lb; tallness, exclusive of kidney fat, 32lb. 10 oz. N. B. The wool being only five months growth...

Mr. Sherriff has for some years been at much pains and expense to improve his breed of sheep...

HAPPY MARRIAGE.

FROM A LATE LONDON PAPER. Lately, at Woodhouse, near Leeds, William Wilson, aged 91, to Mary Wilkinson of 75...

ANECDOTE OF BONNEL THORNTON.

MR. Thornton's character as a man of wit, as well as a writer of reputation, has been too well established to need further eulogization...

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NOT long ago a negro was arraigned at the bar for arson. The crime imputed to his charge was the burning of a barn...

Levi Shephard,

HAS LATELY RECEIVED A LARGE SUPPLY OF WEST-INDIA & NEW-ENGLAND RUM. HE HAS ALSO FOREIGN MADEIRA, WINES, &c.

DRUGS & MEDICINES,

AS USUAL. DYING WOODS and DRUGS for CLOTHIERS, of almost every kind. PAINTER'S COLOURS...

English and India Goods.

A number of BED SACKS, with suitable cord to lace them to the bedstead, which are made of the finest flax.

CASH,

AND THE HIGHEST PRICE, GIVEN FOR SALTS OF LYE, by WRIGHT & STODDARD.

NEW GOODS.

Daniel Butler, Hat-Jest opened for sale, at the Store under the Printing Office, Northampton.

ALSO, a good assortment of Winter Goods. ALL of which will be offered for sale at a small advance for pay in hand.

Maurice W. Dwight. HAS a few articles of simple Medicines, of excellent quality, well calculated for a Country Physician...

WE the subscribers being appointed Commissioners by the Hon. Court of Probate, to receive and examine the claims of the Creditors of the Estate of Deacon Samuel Knight...

DANIEL KIRKLAND, WILLIAM FOBES, AARON HALL. ALL Persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to call on the subscribers...

BROKE into the inclosure of the subscribers, on the 29th of November last, two COLTS, one of them a Mare, two years old...

Simeon Butler, RESPECTFULLY informs the Public, that he has just commenced the business of BOOK BINDING in this town...

Levi Shephard, HAS LATELY RECEIVED A LARGE SUPPLY OF WEST-INDIA & NEW-ENGLAND RUM.

WANTED TO Purchase, A QUANTITY OF LEAF TOBACCO, For which good pay will be made...

THE person who has lost a pair of BELLS, 18 years old, with a white rump and belly...

CASH and the HIGHEST PRICE given for all kinds of SHIPPING FURRS, by ASA WHITE.

WILLIAMSBURG, JANUARY 1, 1793. ALL Persons indebted to the subscriber, are requested to make immediate PAYMENT.

TICKETS, In New-Haven Bridge Lottery, for sale, by BENJ. PRESCOTT.

Hamshire Gazette.

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LETTERS remaining in the POST OFFICE, at NORTHAMPTON, January 16, 1793. LEAZER Potter, Esq. HADLEY; Charles Phelps, Esq. HADLEY...

Sherman & Peck, ESSECTUALLY inform their friends and the public, that they have lately received a supply of West-India and European GOODS.

THE Proprietors of the LOCKS and CANALS, on Connecticut River, are to purchase a quantity of iron for the repair of the locks...

At which time proposals will be received from any person or persons desiring to contract to build a dam across Connecticut river, at the head of the falls by Gaylord's Mills...

Proposals will then be received from any person inclined to contract to build a dam of the above description of timbers, placed transversely over each other...

Proposals will also be received at the same time, from any persons inclining to build by contract and furnish materials for the same...

chamber, two outside doors and six windows, each with 24 panes of 7 by 9 glass, finished on the inside by common sliding or plantation...

Table with 3 columns: Number of Pieces, Length, Size squared. Rows include 175, 230, 280, 330, 380, 430, 480, 530, 580, 630, 680, 730, 780, 830, 880, 930, 980.

At a quantity of very fine white oak timber, measured on an average of a high shank, of the following lengths: one third of 16, one third of 28 and one third of 30 feet...

Answers will be given to any of the foregoing proposals, at Springfield, on the 14th day of February next.

JOHN WILLIAMS, Committee of B. DWIGHT & J. PRESCOTT, are desired to inform the public...

REPORT

OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY respecting the REDEMPTION OF THE PUBLIC DEBT, and the REMOVAL OF THE LOAN MADE BY THE BANK OF THE UNITED STATES.

I have the honor to transmit herewith a Report prepared in pursuance of two Resolutions of the House of Representatives...

IN obedience to two resolutions of the House of Representatives, one of the 21st inst. directing the Secretary of the Treasury to report a plan for the redemption of so much of the Public Debt...

THE expediency of taking measure for the redemption of the Public Debt according to the plan which has been referred to the government, being widely determined by the House of Representatives...

With this view, the first enquiry, which naturally presents itself, is, whether the existing revenues are so ample, adequate to the purpose?

But did no such temporary necessity for referring to other expedients exist, the doing of it would still be recommended by weighty considerations.

Loans from time to time, equal to the sums annually redeemable and borrowed on the same revenues, which are now appropriated to pay the interest upon those sums...

It is a probability of borrowing at a lower rate of interest, a more liberal and more certain supply of money, if more better could be devised, ought not to be neglected.

It is obvious, that to rely upon this expedient, more would be to do little towards the final extinction of the nation. To stop at this point would consequently be neither prudent nor satisfactory.

The establishment of additional revenues is the remaining resource. This, if the business is to be undertaken in earnest, is unavoidable.

It can only be expected that care be taken to choose such as are liable to fewest objections, and that in the modifications of the business in other respects, due regard be had to the present and progressive circumstances of the country.

Assuming it as the basis of a plan of redemption, that additional revenues are to be provided, the farther inquiry divides itself into the following branches:

I. Shall a certain sum be immediately constituted, equal to the full sum as it stands at present, to be redeemed, according to the terms of the contract?

II. Shall a revenue be constituted from year to year, equal only to the interest of the sum to be redeemed in each year, coupling with this operation an annual loan, commensurate with such sum?

III. Shall a revenue be constituted each year, so much exceeding the interest of the sum to be redeemed, as to be sufficient, within a short period, to discharge the principal itself?

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