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An Address to the people of New-York, signed by more than 300 of the most distinguished republicans of that State, has been published, recommending a Convention in Albany, on the 10th of June, to adopt measures to promote the re-election of the faithful and distinguished statesman, J. Q. Adams.

The Clintonians in New-York are withdrawing from the cause of Jackson. A Clintonian paper says—"the idea that Mr. Clinton would be the President *de facto*, (in case of Jackson's election) has unquestionably had very great influence in favour of General Jackson throughout this state, as also in some other states where Mr. C. was best known and respected." That hope is gone! The Jackson cause has lost the *only* real claims it ever had on the intelligent portion of the community.

The Legislature of Maryland adjourned without passing any appropriation bills. The Governor must necessarily take upon himself the responsibility of borrowing money, for the officers of Government and others have just claimed, must remain unpaid. A reassembling of the Legislature would be attended with much expense.

Silk Worms.—The production of silk is becoming an object of very general attention in this country, and the qualities of the insects begin to be noticed. This is the season for hatching. The yellow are the most valuable. They hatch once a year, but have the largest eggs. The white hatch twice, but spin less. Each miller deposits about 400 eggs. The price is sixpence a thousand for the eggs! The worms produced from the eggs of 200 winged insects will make 10 pounds of silk. 1000 worms will spin 1 pound of silk; and consume, in doing it, 150 pounds of mulberry leaves. One bushel of the yellow worm's balls yields 11 lbs. of silk—one ball measuring, when spun out, 1750 feet. The eggs are of a bright yellow color. The hoppers are rarely productive.

From the N.Y. American.

Herschel.—The name of this great astronomer, so familiar in this country, measure to the extract we make this evening, from a biographical memoir concerning him, an attentive perusal. It is among our agreeable recollections of past years to have seen this celebrated man and his sister Caroline, engaged in their learned labours at Slough. Arriving on a beautiful evening at Salt Hill, within a mile of the dwelling of Herschel, the priest of this with a companion ventured though unknown and without letters of introduction, to call upon the astronomer. Our cards designating our names and nation, were seen. We were immediately admitted, received in the most simple, courteous, and friendly manner at the family tea table, the apology we imagined to make, the only one that could be made, for such a liberty, that as strangers from a far distant land, we were desirous to embrace the only occasion that might occur, to pay the tribute of our homage to a reputation, which neither *we* nor the skies bounded, was received at it was made, with unaffected truth; we were without ceremony invited to the family meal. This finished, the astronomer and his sister accompanied us, to his vast telescope; we mounted on the stage, took our stands beside him, and looking upon the silvered locks, and venerable form before us, his cheerful and contented countenance, and in listening to his remarkable declaration that for more than 20 years there had not been a night in which the stars were visible, that had not found him at his post of examination and discovery, could not but feel that such a study, while its perceiving and skilful pursuit conferred repose, had the higher privilege of inspiring happiness and ease of mind. It is in speaking of this man of simple life and vast reputation that his biographer thus faintly closes his notice:

He lived in the heart of a nation, which abhors all others, regards the glory of its great men as publick property. He enjoyed pure happiness in the bosom of his family; his prayers were answered by the success of his son, and he heard the publick voice repeating this just and soothing expression, which may here be applied to so many others: Herschel leaves a son worthy of his father. A benevolent prince had wished to be acquainted with him, and from that moment declared himself his protector and friend. His sister Caroline Herschel, an admirable model of disinterestedness, gentleness and perseverance, devoted her life to him. For more than forty years she assisted at all his writings, collected all his thoughts, transcribed with her own hand, and published all his works; nor would she permit any other to have this charge committed

to any other. She wrote and preserved those manuscripts which Herschel left to his son, in which he fully deposited from the year 1770 his observations, and experiments—a truly noble *hindsightus* inheritance, which is another monument of a sublime science, and of the most affecting friendship.

Astronomy and physics will long find in these records a fertile source of compositions and discoveries. Thus the influence of great men stretches forth to futurity; and it is not at their death that all the fruits of their labours can be appreciated. The physical picture of the heavens uttered by Herschel, will be compared with recent observations, and the changes will be remarked which a long interval may have produced. Already striking consequences present themselves to the mind, but time alone can develop them; and they will only become manifest after a great number of ages.

Then entire revolutions will be accomplished, our successors will admire other phenomena and other stars; a part of the spectacle of the heavens will be changed; but at those remote epochs the memory of Herschel will still be fresh.

He died in the eighty fourth year of his age, without infirmities and without pain. His name, confided to the grateful sciences, is for ever preserved from oblivion, they crown it with immortal glory.

It is gratifying to perceive that the people of the United States are becoming more and more sensible of the pre-eminent talents and sterling integrity of John Quincy Adams. They now consider that it would be an act of egregious folly and injustice to deprive so laborious and faithful a public servant as the present incumbent. They have, indeed, a due appreciation of the military services of General Jackson: it affords them pleasure to admit that he is a brave and gallant soldier; they are aware that he has contributed largely to the military reputation of our country; they cheerfully award him their applause, and are anxious that he should wear the laurels which he won at New-Orleans. They are confident, at the same time, that he is too violent, precipitate, arbitrary and it may with perfect propriety be added ignorant, to be entrusted with the difficulties of civil office. They well know that it would be inconsistent with the dignity, honor, and welfare of our country to elevate him to a station for which he is utterly disqualified. In relation to Mr. Adams, let it be engraved upon the heart of every American, that our beloved WASHINGTON, whose name alone strikes every title dead, entertained a most exalted opinion of his talents and attainments. Of the "Father of his country," it is but justice to say, that the world never produced a man who was more remarkable for depth of sagacity, unerring judgment, and keen perception of character.

The last number of the North American Review contains an article under the title of "Travels of Ehrenberg and Hemprich" from which the following passage is taken. The facts stated in it, reflect great credit upon the sovereign who is therein mentioned. "We cannot help doing honor to the King of Prussia and his ministry, as well as to the Royal Academy at Berlin, for the generous support which they have given to the scientific expedition, which has been described in the preceding pages. Nor is this the only noble transaction, in which the King of Prussia has been deeply concerned. Within a few years, he has made free-men of a large portion of his subjects, by making equal lords of the soil which they cultivate, possessors by mere descent. He has raised up the second, if not the first University of learning, now in existence. We refer to that of Berlin, which is not yet twenty years old. He has greatly improved other Universities in his territory, particularly that of Halle. He supports at his own expense, as we are credibly informed, twenty five theological students at Wittenberg, on the very spot where Luther taught, and where three professors of theology still remain, one of whom is the well known Schleiermacher. He has made provision, that all the children of the realm shall be taught to read, and be in possession of a bible. He every year bestows some distinguished honor or privilege on literary men, who contribute to the honor of his kingdom, and the instruction of his subjects. All this, too, with very small pecuniary sources—Prussia having scarcely any commerce with foreign countries."

It has been fashionable in Europe to undervalue the talents of this monarch. But how much happier must his subjects be, under a Prince who cultivates peace, and promotes their real interests, in the various ways above specified, than they were suspended by the military glory and renown of Frederick the Second—J. Y. Daily Adv.

Admittance—50 cents.
New-Orleans, April 30, 1828.

A young lady in England lately poisoned herself because a certain gentleman did not invite her to a grand evening party.

The Flexible Father.—In the reign of Henry the Eighth, Fitzstephen, a merchant, Mayor of Galway, sent his only son as commander of a ship, to Spain, for a cargo of wine. The son kept the money for the purchase of the cargo, and the Spanish merchant, who supplied the wine sent his nephew to receive the debt. To conceal his fraud, young Fitzstephen conceived the plan of murdering the Spaniard; a project, in which he brought the crew to combine. The Spaniard was seized in his bed and thrown overboard, and the ship arrived in port.

Some time after one of the sailors was taken ill, and being at the point of death, confessed the horrid deed in which he had participated. The father, though struck with horror, shook off the parent, and said, "Justice should take its course." And, as master, he caused his son to be committed, with the rest of the crew, to prison. They confessed their crime and the father like Brutus, sat in judgment on his son; and with his own lips pronounced the sentence which left his childless.

Among the bandages of an Egyptian mummy in the Philosophical Hall at Leeds, a small piece of red leather has been found, stamped with hieroglyphic characters, which determine the date of this interesting monument of antiquity. They are the Royal Legend of Yemesses V. the Amorphite of the Greeks writers, the father of the great Sesostris, and the last monarch of Memphis' 16th dynasty of the Kings of Egypt. He ascended the throne of the Pharaohs in the year 1493, A.C. The individual, therefore, whose remains are in so perfect a state of preservation, was the contemporary of Moses, and officiated as insect-bearer and scribe to the shrine of the God Mandom, at Thebes, in Upper Egypt, more than 3,300 years ago.

Ten Dollars Reward.

Were stolen from the subscriber on the 22d of April last, two American Horses; one grey, old; very large, lean and wounded on the shoulder, the other black, with a small white star in front, with a mark near the left leg, occasioned by the rubbing of the girth.

The above reward will be given to any person who will bring said Horses to No. 146 Esplanade street.

FRANCOIS LABROUCHE DUSIN.

May 9

A PERSON highly recommended and perfectly acquainted with the English language, and well acquainted with the French and Latin languages, wishes to employ a few hours per day in giving private lessons. Application to be made at this office. May 9

Grand Capital Dollars—\$60,000.

Tickets, \$5; Halves, \$2 50; Quarters, 1 25; Pack-

ages of 10 do 50 dollars, warranted 20 dollars.

Certificates of do. 33 dollars; for Shares of each

apply at

The above Fortunate Office.

DRAWN NUMBERS

of the

LOUISIANA LOTTERY—No.

24—25—4—23

Subscribers passengers of prizes, are requested

to present them for payment.

Public School Lottery—Class 5,

Will positively be Drawn on Saturday,

the 24th of May inst.

HIGHEST PRIZES:

30000, 40000, 3000, 2000, 1500, 1400,

1200, 1140

Whole shares, 5 dollars; shares in

proportion, by half shares.

Lottery Office, No. 122 Canal street, opposite the Customhouse.

NOTICE to Pedlars and Hawkers, trading within the State of Louisiana.

THE Subcriber, purchaser of the

Farm of Licences to be granted to

Pedlars and Hawkers, and other per-

sons, trading, selling, or exchanging

merchandise on the great roads and wa-

ter courses in this State, informs those

whom it may concern, that his office is

opened every day, at the corner of Con-

ti and Levee streets, No. 43, where the

different Licences may be had for twelve

months, at the rate fixed by the Act of

the Legislature—approved the 18th of

February, 1826, and conformably to the

act providing for the collection of mo-

ney for the casual expences of this State

and for other purposes—approved on

the 26th of April, 1826.

The Farmer informs those who may

trade or sell (themselves, by their slaves

or hiring people) beyond the limits of

this city, that he will prosecute those

who so trade without being furnished

with a licence.

He also gives notice that Mr. P. D.

Hanay is his agent, and is authorized

to deliver licences signed by me.

Those who have licences and their

terms are expired, are requested to re-

new them to avoid the penalty above

mentioned.

LOUIS ALLEY.

May 7

Chapeaux Blancs, de castor.

NICHOLS & REEDER, are ready for

the market to supply the necessities of

Chapauurs blancs, de porcine, quilloté,

et de diverses made de New-York.

55 avod.

SALE AT AUCTION.

BY BAUDOUIN AND DOMINSON.

WILL be sold on Thursday the 15th of May instant, at 12 o'clock, at Stover's Bid-

ing-hall, a certain Tract of Land situated in the parish of West Feliciana, about 3 miles South-East from St. Francisville, and containing two thousand superficial acres or thereabout, bounded on the south by lands belonging to Mr. Robt. Bayley, East by lands belonging to Mr. John Leblanc, North by lands of Mr. Alexander, West by other parcels of land belonging to Henry Leblanc and Augustin Leblanc.

TERMS:

One fifth Cash, and the balance in equal instalments, on the first of April of each of the years 1829, 1830, 1831, and 1832.

The Deed of sale to be executed before Thaddeus Sibley, notary public, at the expense of the purchaser.

May 3.

BY G. W. BOYD:

WILL be sold on Monday the 12th of May, 1828, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, corner of St. Anne and Camp Street, New-Orleans, executed by the best French notaries; this theatre will be sold together with the same may be found at the time of sale, and will be out root motion.

The seller will, for a small compensation, withdraw his proper order and show how it may be avoided.

May 3.

Parish Court for the Parish and City

of New-Orleans, April 30th, 1828.

PRESERVE THE Horse, JAS. PITTOUR.

At the estate of Tripp and others vs. Bowles

night, damages, an immoderate dollar.

ON motion of Messrs. Mansfield and D. Seghers of Counsel for the plaintiffs of the said defendant's creditors, and upon filing a bill of distribution of the money belonging to this Estate—it is ordered by the Court that the executors of the said Dominique Blanque and all others concerned, or interested people, do show up on Saturday the 17th day of May, 1828, and the mid-tablet of distribution mentioned be performed and homologated, the monies paid over according thereto, and the executors discharged of their trust in the premises.

I do hereby certify the above,

May 1, OLIE, Doy. Clerk.

CAPITAL PRIZES.

24, 25, 4, Highest Prize \$10,000

23, 4, 25, do. " 1000

Were both sold at

MALCOLM'S

Office of the Wheel of Fortune,

No. 68 Chartres street.

The first is a whole package for a gentleman in Chartres St. The second is a half package for three Ladies.

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