



IMPORTANT

Millwrights & Mill-Owners.

THE Subscriber has obtained letters patent...

SAML. BREWSTER, Patentee.

New-York, January 20th, 1819.

These may certify that Mr. Eliphalet Miller...

JOHN & CURTIS BOLTON, Mill Owners.

Chatham, Morris County, New Jersey,

This may certify that I have lately put in operation...

ELIPHALET MILLER, Millwright.

April 12, 1819—St.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Bridgeton, New Jersey, April 1st, 1819.

- A.—John Adams. B.—William Brooks, James Bacon, Sheppard Bacon...

CURTIS OGDEN, P. M.

April 5th, 1819—St.

SHINGLES.

THE Subscribers have for sale about 20,000 two-foot Shingles.

STRATTON & BUCK

February 2d, 1819.

THE WHIG.

BRIDGETON, APRIL 19, 1819.

FIRE!

On Friday morning last, about 11 o'clock, a fire broke out in this village...

Cumberland Bible Society.

Tuesday, April 6, 1819.—The Cumberland Bible Society met in the Church at Deerfield...

The Managers of the Cumberland Bible Society, make the fourth report to the members...

"In the land," say the Managers of the Philadelphia Bible Society, "in which God has been pleased to cast our lot...

Good news also has sounded to us from the East. The British and Foreign Bible Society continues, with energetic efforts...

What warm expressions of gratitude do we owe to the author of all good, for such a profusion of blessings to the children of our apostate race!

Since the last annual meeting, the managers have purchased of the American Bible Society 25 octavo and 112 brevier Bibles...

By the accounts of the Treasurer annexed to this Report, it will be seen that the money received has been expended in purchasing Bibles...

On a proposition made to the Society, to alter the second article of the Constitution...

The Society then proceeded to the election of Managers, and on count of the ballots...

The Subscribers are notified, that an annual payment of fifty cents became due on the 6th inst. which they will be pleased to pay as soon as convenient...

FATAL AFFAIR.

The following statement of the unfortunate affair, which happened on Saturday last in this city, comes from the pen of a gentleman of respectability and truth...

In relating the circumstances of a fatal rencontre between John L. Hopkins and M'Queen M'Intosh, which happened on the 27th inst. and which terminated in the death of the latter gentleman...

During the fire a wooden shed in a board yard opposite, which had become covered with spectators, sunk under the weight and fell to the ground, with an alarming crash...

Savannah, April 2.

The trial of General Hopkins & Son, is postponed, by consent of parties, to the meeting of the superior court in M'Intosh county in November next.

From the Savannah Republican, March 21.

We have seen a letter from Darien, from a respectable source, to a gentleman in this city, which states that the Grand Jury for the county of M'Intosh, have found true bill against general Francis Hopkins...

ALEXANDRIA, April 8.

Arrived ship Winifred, Hodgkinson, from Messina, and 53 days from Gibraltar. Left at Messina, Jan. 6, 1819, the United States squadron, consisting of the Franklin 74, Com. Stewart; Guerriere frigate, capt. McDonough; U. States, do. capt. Crane; Erie, sloop, capt. Billard; Spark, brig, Nicholson. Sailed in company for Palermo with Com. Stewart, and Capt. Crane.

Brig Holkar.—It will be recollected, that about a month since, we received by way of St. Domingo and Charleston, a vague account of this vessel having foundered on a voyage from Carracca to this port...

We have on board a prisoner, one of the crew of the brig Holkar of New-York, who has been taken here by some persons who knew him. The fellow acknowledged the whole, and it is shocking to hear how they murdered the passenger who lay asleep in his berth.

Office of the National Intelligencer.

Washington City, April 10.

As the National Intelligencer cannot be got out in time for the mail this morning, it is thought proper to state the cause...

Philada. April 11.

FIRE!

At about 1 o'clock yesterday noon, a fire broke out in the extensive range of buildings at the intersection of Vine street and the Ridge Road, occupied by Mr. Oliver Evans as a foundry and factory.

During the fire a wooden shed in a board yard opposite, which had become covered with spectators, sunk under the weight and fell to the ground, with an alarming crash...

Wager of Battle.—The British Parliament has abolished the cruel and absurd law, sanctioning the termination of disputes by personal combat.

Caution to Sycophants.—About a fortnight ago two young men, one named Joseph Gowllett, a sailor, and the other a coal porter, in company at a public house, engaged, for a pot of beer, to try which could swear the most diabolical oaths...

Breach of Marriage Contract.

In the Superior Court of Gates County, was decided the case of Margaret Williams vs. Peter Pland, for a breach of marriage contract.

The Mail Robbers.

On the 7th inst. the trial of Joseph Maurice, Pierre Bertrand, and A. L. Niblet, otherwise called Dr. Hawy, and Dr. Desereau, for robbing the Mail of the United States, on the first of February last, in the county of Essex, in this state, came on before the Circuit Court sitting in this place.

From the charge of Judge Washington, and also from his remarks the day following, when the prisoners were brought up to receive sentence, it was evident, that in the opinion of the Court, the accused were guilty of the offence, under the act of Congress, subjecting the whole to the punishment of death.

The poor criminals were very sensibly affected with the merciful result of their trial, and manifested their gratitude to the counsel who defended them, (on the verdict of the jury being made known) by the strongest expressions of gratitude and affection.

The counsel for the prisoners, Mess. L. H. Stockton, Charles Ewing and Garret D. Wall, discharged their duty with great zeal and ability in behalf of the unhappy men, and the prosecution on the part of the United States, by the District Attorney, Joseph M'Havane, was ably supported.

About one half the jury was from the county of Essex, the remainder from this place and vicinity.

It is a subject of great satisfaction to many that this trial has not resulted in taking the lives of these unhappy men, according to the act of Congress, which would probably have been carried into effect in this vicinity.

The criminals are all Frenchmen, and have all confessed, since apprehended, the robbery with which they were charged, but deny any intention to personal injury. In extension of their offence they have used the means of subornation, and the failure of their exertions to obtain employment to relieve their necessities.

Confession of one of the Mail Robbers.

The following narrative was communicated to one of our police officers in the original French, and was translated for the New-York Gazette. He informs us, (says Mr. Lang) that he has a mother, wife, and three children, now living at Marsailles, that he has been a midshipman in the French navy, and that his father was a commander of a frigate in the same service, and was killed in battle.

TRANSLATION.

To Mr. Hopson, police magistrate, New-York.

Sir—Ever since I have been confined my intention has been to make a general confession of a crime that brought me to prison.

About three months since, I left captain John Brown, I came to N. York and boarded at Mr. Johnson's Dover-street, no. 8. I employed myself, for some time, in working on board several vessels, and I was waiting for the equipment of a small schooner belonging to Mr. Rousseau, a French captain, no. 81 Pump-street, who had promised that I should go with him as mate.

I took him on board a sloop, which was going to sail for Port-au-Prince, but the captain told us he had a complete crew. He then gave me a picture of his misery, and I felt a concern in his favour on account of his misfortunes.

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