

# DAILY DIGEST

WASHINGTON, CONN.

## Home built by British loyalist sells for \$1.249 million

The 1774 Joel Stone House in town has sold for \$1.249 million, according to the Realtor who listed the home, Klemm Real Estate.

Carefully restored over the past decade, the house is known for its original wall frescoes in one of the bedrooms.

Joel Stone, a merchant, lived in the home when the Green was the town's commercial center during the 18th century. Stone, a British loyalist, was forced out of town during the Revolutionary War and later captured. He escaped, fled to Long Island and then to Canada, according to past accounts from the historical society.