protections for his men—and all the deponents say, that the said David Kitchell was not returned to the said sloop, nor have they since he was so pressed and taken aforesaid seen him.

JOHN HAND.
JOHN ALBRIGHT.
JOSEPH HUGHES.

Whereupon the said notary public, at the request of the said John Hand, have protested and do hereby solemnly protest &c. &c. in the usual form.

Alexandria, August 27, 1803.

STAR,

OR,

E'n. Shore General Advertiser.

EASTON, Tuesday Morning
September 6, 1803.

☞ The readers of the Star, will please to correct the date of the first page—for "September 7" read September 6.

It was observed at the market-house, the morning that a hand-bill made its appearance signed "Mutius Scævola"—that the *Caladonian* candidate was never before seen in a *passion*.

The quandam representative says he he intends "leaving Mr. Price's office in a short time" with a hope (no doubt) of being elected to the general assembly; but as the people of Talbot have once discharged him from their service, we would recommend to him the old adage that "*A bird in the hand, in worth two in the bush.*"

The Demosthemure eloquence of "fiddle-faddle of the grove," will obtain him the object he so warmly desires——leave to stay at home and shoot patridges this fall!

Monsieur "fiddle-faddle," is better calculated to grace a ball-room, whisper soft nonsense, nibble nuts and flirt a fan by the side of a lady, than to sit in the Legislature of Maryland. Monsieur will therefore, be elected to *stay at home.*

We are of opinion, that beau Smirk, the paragraphist, was rather out of his calculation when he stated that the federalists never voted to put any thing in their own pockets. Who was it that voted for railing the per diem? Did not a certain caldonian federalist vote for a reversionary law, that would put money in his pocket? But beau Smirk, is "so ineffably" averse to any thing that will tend to counteract his own pure wishes, that these truths were not permitted to make an impression on the "zigzag mazes of his impenetrable brain."

Joey Richardson, Junr. cut a very riseable figure with his Spyglass six feet long in the Theatre of Baltimore last winter; but in the Theatre of politics he cuts quite as ludricrous a figure as a Monkey would in a Pulpit.

Joey Richardson, Junr. has lately made a great *fuss* about deism—Christ says, "he that is not for me, is against me;" Joey Richardson, Junr. is quite as much of a reprobate as any genteel young man need be; Joey Richardson, Junr. is therefore against Christ, and ought to put the seal of silence on his tongue when christianity is spoken of.

New York, August 27.

We have received London papers to the 13th July, inclusive, and Rotterdam papers to the 6th. These papers contain very little intelligence of moment.

The expedition against England, it is said, will consist of 500,000 men, in 5 divisions, to be commanded by Buonaparte, Moreau, and Bournonville; of which it is calculated that 200,000 will be destroyed in the attempt, and that the remainder will be a force sufficient to conquer the island.

Robert Astlet, late assistant to the principal cashier of the bank of England, had his trial on the 8th for embezling property belonging to the bank to the amount of 200,000l. sterling, and was *acquitted* without examining the witnesses, on the ground that the exchequer bills alledged to have been stolen had not been formally signed under the authorities constituted in the act by which they were issued. He was, however, remanded to prison for a civil debt due to the bank of upwards of 100,000l.

LONDON, July 12.

The Brussels papers contain important intelligence from Hanover and the Elbe. It seems that the French are determined to cross that river, which the Hanoverians seem as determined to oppose. The ostensible object for the advance of the French army across the Elbe, is to disarm the Hanoverian army, in fulfilment of the treaty of Sublingen; but we presume they must have more important objects in view, as they medidate the crossing at three different places. The next accounts from that quarter will be interesting.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in North-Carolina, to the Editor of the Star.

"I am informed (correctly) that Mr. Alston has defeated general Davie, for Congress—the poll stood thus: Alston, 1986:—Davie, 1163. The federalists had attempted to plan a deep game—a number of them had solicited Mr. Jacock, a republican, to stand in opposition to Mr. Alston—after balancing the republican party as well as they could, and inducing a belief that no federalist would be polled, they set up their ex-embassador general Davie, a Scotch aristocrat, who had formerly considerable interest in the State, and was the governor, when Mr. Adams sent him to Europe. They flattered themselves that they had every thing secure, as Jacocks and Alston were completely marshalled against each other—but men really attached to the republican interest were not to be thus taken in; these two gentlemen were men of sense and honor, and conversing together, found that there was a federal plan laid to elect Davie. Mr. Jacocks, very much to his credit, declined, and Alston obthined 1986 votes, against Davie's 1163. Mr. Macon is re-elected without opposition. Colonel Wynns is also elected; indeed it is probable that there will not be more than one federal member from this state in the next congress."

FOR THE STAR.

"Ingratitudo vitiorum omnium caput"

HAD I not have felt a confidence, that the piece signed, "Amicitia," would have superceded the necessity of having a second conference with this ungrateful Sorceress, who, I have been constrained to address through a public medium I should certainly have been more explicit in the first instance in delineating the character of this implacable enemy to a young man, who is no less distinguished by his own merit, than by that reputable rank in society, which the merit and independent circumstances of his connections justly entitle him to.

The latter part of that piece I hoped would have been sufficient to put a stop to that malevolence and slander, which have ever characterized this being, at least, that it would have diverted any second prepense attempt to impress an unfavourable opinion of this youth upon certain minds; but it since appears that this sorceress finding her attempts upon him to prove abortive has dared to insinuate a reflection upon an aged friend of his—by saying that he has done so and so, and that this venerable friend had said such and such things, and that in fact the business is all at an end. I wish she may be satisfied even now, when (as she says), the business is all at an end: for rest assured however repugnant it may be to my own, to wound the feelings of others, by plainly and nominally exposing the base deceit, and ingratitude, of this creature. I shall be compelled in justification of this young man, to come forward in a public manner, with my real name and explain to the world every item of this business, which no doubt must appear very misterious to every one but those, who are immediately concerned.

As this creature must now be convinced that nothing can be said, which will not be immediately communicated to this youth, and that by her silence alone henceforth, my feelings will be relieved from the most disagreeable task which could possibly be imposed. I shall rest satisfied that she possesses at all times cunning enough at least (though she may be often bereft of her senses) to desist from any farther attempts, which must prove fruitless, to traduce a character so well established, and which depends solely upon his future conduct ever to afford a field for the remotest shadaw of reflection.—

"All seems infected, that the infected spy,
"As all looks yellow, to the jaundic'd eye."

AMICITIA.

September 5.

To the Public.

A proper respect for the good opinion of my Fellow-Citizens, and a sense of duty to myself, compels me to declare to the world, that the CHARGES exhibited against me in the Star of the 30th August past under the signature of "A Voter of Talbot County," are FALSE, UNFOUNDED and UNJUST. The author says I presented him with one of my Hand-Bills—if I did so, my name was signed to it, and I have therefore a right to expect equal explicitness and candour from him in his communications to me. If the author really wishes a reply from me he will give me his real name, and I will then enter the list with him, but I cannot pay attention to anonymous publications.

ROBERT HY. GOLDSBOROUGH.

September 5.

By an official statement of the board of health of New York, it appears that the number of those who have fallen victims to the yellow fever in that city from the 29th July to the 24th of August, amounts to 102.

Extract of a letter from Gibraltar, dated June 16, to a gentleman in Norfolk.

"There is a Portuguese 74 just arrived from a cruize off Algiers, which had an engagement with two Algerine frigates and nine zebecks—She captured one of the zebecks of 16 guns, but it falling calm, they were enabled to send out boats, which towed in the frigates and the eight remaining zebecks, otherwise there is no doubt but the Portuguese ship would have captured and destroyed the most of them."

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Bordeaux, to his friend in Boston, dated June 29.

"Since the declaration of war we have had much trouble with American seamen; many left their vessels to enter on board French privateers. The consul was determined to prevent such conduct, and applied to the officers of government, to know if it was allowed to captains of privateers to entice seamen from their respective vessels, by making large offers. They assured the consul that it was not allowed, and that they would lend their assistance in preventing such conduct.—The commissary of marine very readily gave his aid, and not only threatened the captains with imprisonment, but stopped, at the consul's request, the Blond, a French privateer, (formerly the America of Salem,) for a week, until the captain had delivered to the consul 16 American seamen he had shipped, who are now in prison, and will be sent home, I believe, to take their trial as an example.

Fifty other American seamen, who were about entering on board corsairs, were arrested by the commissary of police by the consul's request, and, after a few days confinement, were distributed on board the different American vessels, and are not allowed to come on shore.—Without these severe steps not an American vessel would have had a man to go to sea with; and had the same measures been pursued here the last war, so many of our seamen would not have fallen into the hands of the British."

Extract of a letter, dated Savanah, Georgia, 27th July, 1803.

"The crops of cotton in South Carolina and Georgia, [illegible] fair appearances will be very great, unless the caterpillar and bug should attack it; if it should so happen, they will make their appearance in the latter part of August. The cultivation of tobacco and rice in Georgia, since the introduction of cotton, has been very sparing. Of indigo none raised. The last winter was extremely cold for this lattitude; a person will feel the cold more sensibly here than at the northward. The spring has been very backward, but the present season is very promising. Cargoes of Africans, by the way of the West Indies and Bahamas, are smuggled into this state, the average price, as they are sold here, is 100l. this currency, at 4s. 8d. to the dollar. Report says there has been an additional cession of lands by the Creek Indians to this state."

The sloop Hiland, (a constant trader from Philadelphia to Alexandria) arrived at Alexandria on the 28th inst. from Philadelphia. On his passage captain Hand had one of his men impressed by a British 64 gun ship. The impressed man's name is David Kitchell, he was born near Philadelphia, and has a family consisting of a wife and children in that city, who, by this circumstance are deprived of his industry, their only means of support.

The captain of the 64 was very minute in his enquiries of captain Hand, respecting *Jerome Buonaparte.*

The United States brig *Argus* has been launched from Mr. Hart's ship-yard in Boston—and will sail in a short time to join commodore Preble's squadron in the Mediterranean.

MARRIED——On Sunday last, Mr. JAMES TROTH, to Mrs. C. BALL, both of this town.

ERRATTA

In the address to the Democratic Freemen of Queen-Ann's county, in last Tuesday's Star.

In the 25th line for "four" read five. 48th line for "oppression" read oppressive—at the end of the signatures the name of John Brown, was omitted.

To Correspondents.

"*A Subscriber,*" is received and shall appear on Tuesday next.

Several communications are on file, and shall appear in due time.

Notice.

HAVING for a number of years sustained very considerable injury from waggons and carts hauling through my woods, and being determined not to suffer it any longer, hereby forwarn all persons whatsoever (Thomas J. Bullitt, excepted) from hauling wood, or other timber through or over any part of my lands.

☞ Market carts may pass as usual.

JOHN JENKINSON.

9th mo. 6th, 1803. 3

The Subscriber

HAS just received from the Patent Medicine Ware-House, of RICHARD LEE, & Co. New-York,

A FRESH SUPPLY OF

Genuine Patent Medicines,

amongst which are the following, viz.

Dr HAHN's Anti-Billious Pills. Celebrated for evacuating superfluous bile, and preventing its morbid secretion—removing obstinate costiveness—restoring and amending the appetite, &c. and are esteemed a valuable prevertative of the Yellow Fever.

Dr. HAHN's genuine Eye Water, a sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes.

Infalliable Ague & Fever Drops—a long eulogium on the virtues of this medicine is unnecessary, it never having failed in many thousand cases—not one in a hundred has had occasion to take more than one bottle, and numbers not half a bottle.

Sovereign Ointment for the Itch—which is warranted an infalliable remedy at one application.

Restorative Powder, for the Teeth and Gums.

Hamilton's Elixir, a sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, catarchs, astmahs, sore throats, and approaching consumptions.

Hamilton's essence and extract of Mustard, which has performed more cures than all the other medicines ever before made public—in rhumatism, gout, palsey, sprains, &c.

The genuine Persiou Lotion, so celebrated among the fashionable thro'out Europe, as an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and free from corrosive and repellent minerals, (the basis of other lotions) and of unparralleled efficacy in preventing and removing blemishes of every kind particularly freckles, pimples, inflammatory redness, scurfs, titters, ringworms, sun-burns, prickley heat, premature wrinkles, &c.

Dr. HAHN's true and genuine German Corn Plaister—an infalliable remedy for *corns* speedily removing them root and branch, without giving pain.

The patent Indian Vegitable Specific, prepared by Dr. LEROUX.

HAMILTON's Worm Destroying [illegible] This medicine which is innocent and mild, as [illegible] tain and efficatious in its operation, cannot injure the youngest infant, should no Worms exist in the body; but will without pain or griping cleanse the stomach and bowels, of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevents the production of worms and many fatal disorders.

HAMILTON's Grand Restorative is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of the various complaints which result from dissipated pleasures—juvenile indiscretions—residence in climates unfavorable to the constitution—the immoderate use of tea, frequent intoxication or any other destructive intemperance—the unskilful or excessive use of mercury—the diseases peculiar to females at a certain period of life—bad lyings in, &c.&c.

Various other Patent Medicines, besides those enumerated.

He has on hand as usual a general supply of genuine Drugs, Perfumes, Spices, Dyes, &c, All which he will sell at the most reduced prices.

Orders from the Country will be promptly attended to.

JOHN STEVENS, jun.

Easton, Sept. 6, 1803. tf

Warwick Races.

WILL be run for on Wednesday the 28th of September, instant, over the Warwick course, three times round for a heat and repeat, a Purse of *Two Hundred Dollars*, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, carrying weight and running agreeably to the rules and regulations of the Chester-Town Jockey Club.

On Thursday the 29th, for Colts only, a Purse of *Fifty Dollars*, together with the entrance of that day which will be stipulated at *Ten Dollars* for each Colt, twice round for a heat, and repeat, under the same rules and regulations as above specified, the winning horse the preceding day excepted.

On Friday, the 30th, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, (the winning Horses the preceding days excepted) a Purse of *Fifty Dollars*, once round for a heat and repeat, under the same rules and regulations as above.

Three Horses to start each day or no race.

The Horses to be entered with subscriber on the evening preceding each day, or pay double entrance.

JOHN D. THOMPSON.

September 6, 1803. 3

India Chintzes.

A NUMBER of pieces of good quality and large size: a few pieces of fine and course Muslins: a few pieces of Irish Linen: a general assortment of Kid and Morocco Shoes, of the best kind: India Handkerchiefs of the most fashionable colors, and best quality: Some English Chintzes, and a variety of other articles may be had on the lowest terms, on application to the Subscriber; at Mr. James Roper's, opposite the Court House. THOS. FIELD.

Easton, September 6, 1803. 3

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Any person who obtains and becomes answerable for twenty subscribers, shall be entitled to a copy for his trouble.

☞ Subscriptions received at the Star-Office, Easton, Md.

September 6, 1803. tf

Artificial Fire Works.

(The last time this Season.)

The Ladies and Gentlemen of Easton, and its vicinity, are respectfully informed that an Elegant Display of

FIRE WORKS,

will be exhited in an inclosure prepared for that purpose in the suburbs of Easton, *On TUESDAY EVENING, Sept.* 13. if fair, if not, the next fair evening.

Accompanied with Music.

The evenings entertainment will consist of a varity of

Fixed, moving, & airiel Pieces,

whose brilliancy far exceeds any description that could be given of them.

To conclude with a

A Serpent 10 feet in length, in chase of a BUTTERFLY, [illegible] onably large.

This last piece of Machinery is equal if not superior to any piece of fire works ever exhibited in any part of the Globe; and this is only the third time that it has been shewn in America. Whoever sees this piece will be highly gratified; and will never regret their time and expense.

A canopy with seats, will be provided for the better accommodation of the ladies.

Sky rockets and Roman candles, will be let off from the opening of the doors to end of the performance.

Doors will be opened at half past six, and the performance begin at half past seven o'clock.

† Price of admittance 50 cents.—Children half price.

☞ Tickets to be had at the Star-Office; at Dr. Stevens's Apothecary's shop—at Mr. Lowe's tavern; and at the place of performance.

NICHOLAS W. EASTON.

Easton, September 5, 1803.

Notice is hereby given,

TO the creditors of *Richard Blackiston*, late of Queen-Ann's county, deceased; that on Monday the nineteenth day of September next, at the Court House in said county, the subscribers will make a farther distribution among the said creditors, of the personal assets in their hands. The said creditors are requested to appear, on the said day, at the Court House aforesaid, with their claims against the said deceased, legally attested, otherwise they will be excluded from any share in said dividend.

WILLIAM CRANE, *adm'tor*
and
HESTER CRANE, *adm'trix*

Kent County, August 25, 1803. 3

Sept. 6.

Valuable Property for Sale.

A LOT of ground in New Market, Dorchester county, with the following improvements thereon, viz. a new two story framed house, having two rooms below and two above stairs, the lower front room well calculated for a store; a new kitchen, stables, &c. &c. It is thought to be one of the best stands for a store on the Eastern Shore. If the above property is not sold by the 15th October next, it will be rented for the ensuing year.—Any person wishing to purchase or rent may obtain further information by applying to Wm. Marshall in Easton, or the Subscriber, residing in New Market.

LEVIN MARSHALL.

September 6, 1803. 3.