

broken, and her throat cut from ear to ear. A razor was found hard by the body, and a pail of bloody water, in which probably, the wretched murderer had washed his blood-stained hands. Justice, we hope, will soon overtake this atrocious violator of the laws of his country and of God.

March 27.

Capt. Clapp, of the Kolla, from Trinidad and St. Thomas, arrived last night, informs us, that on the 12th inst. he spoke the Schooner Adventure 11 days from Martinique bound to Charleston, who informed him five sail of the line and five frigates had arrived at Martinique from France, where they stayed but four hours, and then sailed for Dominique, and landed their troops there. The first fire from the forts killed 600 Frenchmen; when they embarked their men and decamped.

He was also informed, that twelve sail of the line sailed from France some days previous to the sailing of the above fleet, for the windward islands, to attack Trinidad.

On the 1st of March, while Capt. Clapp was at St. Thomas, information was received that twenty sail of the line had passed to the north of Porto-Rico, whether they were English, French, or Spanish, was not known.

PITTSBURG, March 16.

The beautiful ship Western Trader, 400 tons burthen, was launched on Friday last from the ship-yard of Mr. Taralson. She was built under the direction of Mr. Abraham Marpole, and is said not only to be the handsomest but the most substantial vessel ever built on the western waters. She sailed last Monday for Philadelphia, and will take in the principal part of her cargo below the Rapids of Ohio.

On Saturday last was launched from the ship-yard of Messrs. Barber and Lord, on Allegany river, the brig Fort Fayette.

On Friday last the 8th inst. about one o'clock, P. M. sailed from this place, the handsome ship General Butler, commanded by Capt. Samuel Lake; burthen about 250 tons, built for, and chiefly owned by Gen. James O'Brien. This vessel is mainly constructed of materials the growth and manufacture of this country. She has on board, shipped by the owner, hhd. staves, window glass, and porter, manufactured in this place!

This instance of the progress of improvement of the Western Country, must afford a subject of high exultation, when contrasted with its situation about 20 years back.

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.

Consul O'Brien intends to return to this country in the ship Martha, to sail from Malaga for this port, early in February.

THE SMALL-POX.

The blindness of the mass of mankind to their own happiness, and to the happiness of their posterity, is in nothing more strongly shewn, than in the recent prevalence and destructive effects of the small-pox in this city and neighbourhood—while there is known to exist and to be within the reach of every person, poor or rich, a safe, certain, innocent, and unexpensive protection against this cruel and direful malady.

The mortality, in this city and neighbourhood, by small-pox, in the present year, we are informed has been as great as before the discovery of the vaccine preventive; and we find that in New-England the same indifference, or the same unfortunate prevalence of prejudice against the influence of science and experiment, has been in many instances fatal to adults.

As this subject is too serious and important to the interests of humanity, we prefer throwing out these general observations, with a view to draw the attention of parents to the security of their children, and of families generally to the preservation of their members—and particularly to call the attention of medical men, to an investigation of a subject, in which they are particularly interested.—Aurora.

NORFOLK, March 26.

Arrived, brig Betty, Shillibar, from Baltimore, bound to Salem. While she lay in Hampton Roads, a white man and a negro got on board, and contrived to convey some arsenic into a kettle of coffee that was boiling, of which the captain, mate and crew drank, and are now very ill, the captain dangerously, supposed they intended returning to plunder the vessel as soon as the dote had effected their purpose.

John Langdon, Esq; (says the New-England Palladium) is elected governor of New-Hampshire.

Captain Taber informs us that at the time of his departure the frigate United States, captain Rogers, was at Lisbon, undergoing some repairs, and would shortly leave that port to join our Squadron in the Mediterranean. Hostilities between Great-Britain and Portugal had not commenced, but such an event was considered as unavoidable.—N. Y. M. Adv.

No. 15,331, in the Roman Catholic Cathedral Church Lottery, in Baltimore, drew the prize of 10,000 dollars on Saturday morning the 23d ultimo. The fortunate adventurers are Mr. John Hewes, printer, and Mr. Edward Priestley, cabinet-maker, (son of Mrs. Priestley, of this city,) both of that city.

WRAPPING PAPER.

A few reams of WRAPPING PAPER, at 1 dollar per ream, for sale at the Printing-Office.

ATTENTION!

THE Members composing the Volunteer Companies of Infantry and Artillery, (the latter of which was omitted in our last through mistake) are requested to take notice, that there will be a meeting of said Companies, on Saturday the 6th of April, at 3 o'clock, P. M. The members will take care to appear in full uniform, with arms and accoutrements in soldier-like order.

J. B. DUCLAIRACQ

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Annapolis, that he intends giving a BALL, next Tuesday, at the assembly room. Tickets of admittance to be had at MRS. WINN'S tavern.

By virtue of a deed of trust, executed to me by the late general JOHN HOSKINS STONE, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on the 16th of April, if fair, if not the first fair day,

ALL that valuable tract of land called STEPNEY, lying on South river, in Anne-Arundel county, together with all the negroes, stock, plantation utensils, &c. The land will be sold in a body, or parcels, as may best suit persons wishing to purchase. A credit of twelve months will be given for the land, on the purchaser's entering into bond, with approved security. The terms for the personal property will be made known on the day of sale.

ROBERT C. STONE, Trustee.

April 1, 1805.

By virtue of a deed of trust from THOMAS M. SIMPSON to the subscriber, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 10th day of May next, on the premises,

PART of a tract of LAND, lying and being in Charles county, near Newport; this land is remarkably level, and the soil equal to any in that neighbourhood. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, and a title given, when the purchase money is paid, by

JOSEPH GREEN.

March 26, 1805.

CINCINNATI.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Maryland Society of Cincinnati will be held in Baltimore, at Evans's tavern, on Saturday the 13th of April, at 11 o'clock. As some matters interesting to the society will then be under consideration, the members are desired to be punctual in their attendance.

By order of the president,
ROBERT DENNY, Secretary.

March 27, 1805.

The editors of news-papers in the state are desired to insert the above in their papers.

LANDS FOR SALE.

I WILL sell eighteen hundred and fifty acres of LAND, lying on the waters of Bennet's Creek, twelve miles from Frederick-town, twenty-eight from George-town, and thirty-six from Baltimore; there are three tenements on the land, one of which is a good log dwelling-house, with two rooms, with a good brick chimney between them, and convenient out houses; the situation of this place is high and healthy, with an extensive and variegated prospect, a good orchard on it, and the water of a pure and excellent quality; the other two tenements have convenient houses for tenants, and their situations equally healthy with the former. The whole of the land well adapted to the plaster of Paris. It is unnecessary to be more particular in a description of this land, as it is presumed no one will purchase without examining it. I will sell the whole together, or have it laid off in lots. The land may be seen, and the terms of sale known, by application to Mr. WILLIAM HOBBS, of Samuel, residing near it, Mr. HENRY R. WARFIELD, of Frederick-town, or the subscriber.

CHARLES ALEXANDER WARFIELD.

Just received, and for Sale, at the
Book and Stationary Store,
AT THE PRINTING-OFFICE,

CURRAN'S Speeches, Ferdinand and Elmira, a new novel, by a Lady of Massachusetts, interesting Anecdotes of the heroic conduct of Women, previous to and during the French revolution, translated from the French, Constitutions of the United States, the latest edition—It contains all the acts concerning the government of the new states, &c. down to March, 1804.

A variety of Novels, &c.

Bibles, Testaments, Davidson's Latin Grammar, with Sententia, latest edition, Dictionaries, different kinds, Scett's Lessons, Sandford and Merton, Gough's Arithmetic, Dilworth's Assistant, Dilworth's, Webster's and Columbian Spelling Books, History of England, abridged, for the use of schools, Looking-Glafs for the Mind, Fisher's Young Man's Companion, Ash's Grammar, Primers, &c. &c.

Prayer Books, large and small, in Morocco and plain binding, Hymn Books, &c.

Writing paper, different sizes, per ream or quire, Wrapping do. do. Dutch Quills, Penknives, Inkstands, Ink-powder, Sealing wax, red and black, wafers, do. do. Ladies and Gentlemen's Pocket books, Slates and Slate Pencils, red Tape, Indian rubber, &c.

Drawing paper, Steel port crayons, and pencils.

Tooth-brushes, and Hayden's Dentrifice, Court Plaster, Windsof Soap, &c.

ALMANACS, for 1805.

Pocket ditto.

Poet's Corner.

ORIGINAL.

FOR THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

A SONG,

In imitation, and to the tune, of THE SOLDIER'S ADIEU, occasioned by the departure of a young gentleman, an intimate acquaintance of the Author, who went in the Navy.

ADIEU, my being's only joy,
Unfeeling fate must part us;
All earthly pleasures meet alloy,
So let not that disheart us—
Though now I'm hurried far away,
Where roaring NEPTUNE stamps affright,
Where billows dash in wild affray,
Yet if my MIRA think of me,
For ever see

All trembling fears and vain complaints—
Thy tender sigh,
Ascending high,
Shall interest a world of faints,
To guard me in the fight.

When battles rage with wide alarm,
And dismalize the ocean,
Thy thought shall brace my sinewy arm,
And rouse me into motion—
Then many a foe, despoiled of breath,
Shall sink to everlasting night,
And gasping meet an early death—
For if with LOVE thy bosom glow,
Away I throw

All trembling fears, &c.

And if, perhaps, I chance to fall,
O'ercome by whelming numbers,
Well pleas'd I'll meet Death's early call,
And greet the peaceful slumbers—
For sure thy WILLIAM'S soul elate,
To Heav'n will take an happy flight,
And for above the stroke of fate,
And if for me you heave the sigh,
For ever fly

All trembling fears and vain complaints—
Thy tender sigh,
Ascending high,
Shall interest a world of faints,
To bear me from the fight.

PHILO-POETICUS.

SELECTED.

From the Middlesex Gazette.

THE TRIPOLINE CAPTIVE.

THE moon silver'd o'er the rough surge
That broke on the Barbary shore,
Where Tripoli's castles emerge,
And frown, while the hoarse billows roar.
On a rock that look'd over the flood,
While the clank of his chains pierc'd the air,
A son of COLUMBIA stood,
A statue of woe and despair.
His eyes in distraction were roll'd,
His countenance hollow and pale,
His sighs would his sorrows have told,
But their murmurs were lost in the gale.
O my country! heart-broken, he cried,
Where now has thy LIBERTY gone?
INDEPENDENCE, thy boast and thy pride,
Did once at captivity spurn.

Ah! why then this cruel delay,
While your children in slav'ry you see!
Where's the gold that you lavish away?
Where's the valour that once made you FREE?
At a distance, you hear not our cries,
You know not the anguish we bear;
Or else when our death-shrieks arise,
Columbia would sure drop a tear.

But adieu every lip of reproach,
My tears, ye no longer shall flow!
Death rapidly makes his approach,
To relieve the poor captive of woe.
What means this renewal of grief?
Oh my parents! your sorrow is vain,
Adieu! ye can give no relief,
Adieu! we shall soon meet again.
His knees were now bent to the ground;
His eyes in distraction were rais'd;
When suddenly glaring around,
On the scenery ghastly he gaz'd.
Then quickly the poinard he drew,
And plunging it deep in his side,
Like the lily depress'd by the dew,
He sunk on his mantle and died.

ANECDOTE.

A PAINTER was employed in painting a West-India ship in the river, suspended on a stage under the ship's stern. The captain, who had just got into the boat along side, for the purpose of going ashore, ordered the boy to let go the painter (that is the rope which makes fast the boat): the boy (who had never been to sea, and was ignorant of the term) ran immediately aft, and let go the ropes by which the stage was held. The captain surpris'd at the boy's delay cried out, "You lazy dog, why don't you let go the painter?" The boy replied, "He's gone, Sir, pots and all."