

Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1824.

ESCAPE FROM PRISON.

George W. Crane made his escape from the goal of this county on Saturday night last. He stood charged with the murder of Charles L. Dougherty, of Calvert county.

The following letter, addressed to the gaoler by Crane, was found the morning after his escape in the apartment which he had occupied: "Dear Sir,

It is with the deepest regret, that I have left this place, but finding it necessary am compelled for the protection of a poor helpless wife, and seven children.

The balance due for board shall be paid, also for washing, should not Mrs. Crane send the cash up.

Yours affectionately, Geo. W. Crane.

Mr. Charles H. Willigman. 21st Aug. 1824.

General La Fayette's reception at New-York.

It would afford us pleasure to lay before our readers a detail of the reception of the venerable La Fayette at New-York, but to do this in a paper no larger than ours, would be attended with an exclusion from its columns of almost every other subject.

La Fayette started for Boston in a coach and four, attended by an escort of mounted men, on Friday last. He calculates on returning to New-York about the first fortnight in September, and purposes visiting Philadelphia about the middle of the same month.

In Baltimore, where he is expected about the first of October, extensive arrangements are making to receive him. The volunteer company of this city commanded by Captain Hutton, has been invited to Baltimore to join the troops there in paying him military honours, and has resolved to accept the invitation.

In the succeeding column we give some interesting particulars of the base treatment experienced by this Friend of Republics, at the hands of the minions of the French government, when he was about to embark at Havre.

Communicated.

"Quis novus hic nostris successit sedibus hospes? Quem sese ore ferens; quam forti pectore et armis."

"What chief is this, that visits us from afar, Whose gallant mien bespeaks him train'd to war?"

In our impression of last week, we announced to our readers, the gratifying intelligence of the safe arrival of the long expected, the much wished for La Fayette. He has been received in New-York, in the most appropriate manner.

But why have no arrangements yet been made, to receive this gallant chief, at the seat of government? It is presumed that there are few places in

the United States, which the Marquis would visit with more mingled emotions, than the city of Annapolis. The reminiscences which would be excited here, if somewhat tinged with melancholy, would still be pleasing to him to indulge.

Let then arrangements be immediately made, for the proper reception of this great, this good, and this illustrious man.

For the Md. Gazette.

Mr. Adams and the New-York Legislature.

Notwithstanding the unequivocal evidence which the legislature of New-York has furnished of its determination to give the vote of that state to Mr. Crawford, his enemies, with their characteristic pertinacity, contend that a majority of that body is anxious for the election of Mr. Adams.

Mr. Adams is not the favourite candidate of a majority of the legislature of New-York, that to resort to argument to shew that he is not, would be labouring to prove a self-evident fact. If a majority of the legislature be favourable to Mr. Adams, and the people of the State desire him for the next president, is it not the extreme of folly in his adherents to wish to take from that majority the power of conferring the votes of the state upon him?

To pursue this subject farther, would be a needless waste of time; enough has been said to shew that Mr. Adams has not a majority in the legislature of New-York, and enough has been done by that legislature to convince every man conversant with its proceedings and open to conviction, that the majority of that body is decidedly favourable to the election of WILLIAM H. CRAWFORD to the presidency of the United States.

TRUTH.

From the New York Commercial Advertiser of Wednesday.

EMBARKMENT OF GEN. LA FAYETTE AT HAVRE.

By the Don Quixotte, which arrived here yesterday, we received the following account, from an eye witness, of the arrival of General La Fayette at Havre, and his embarkation on board the Cadmus.

"It was expected that the General would arrive early in the afternoon of the 12th, several merchants, and a great number of young men left this at 2 P.M. in carriages, gigs, and on horseback, to go out and meet Monsieur La Fayette at Horffleur, (6 miles from Havre), and accompany him into town. The American Consul, and all the American gentlemen, and captains of ships in the harbor, intended also paying that compliment to the General; but the Sans Pretet notified to the Consul that the Americans must not do so.

"The road for two miles out of town continued crowded from 3 in the afternoon till dark, when no tidings of the General having come, the people returned into town, where they remained in groups all the evening.

and prevented the crowd from collecting in any one spot.

"At quarter past 10 the General arrived in a post carriage, with his son and Secretary. They were accompanied by the carriage which had come out from Havre, and about 100 young men on horseback, all dressed like a strong body of gen'darmes escorted the cavalcade.

"In the mean time the General proceeded to the house of Mr. Philippin (a most respectable merchant,) where an elegant dinner was provided, and a large party waiting to receive him.

"In the course of the entertainment a stone was thrown by some miscreant thro' one of the windows, which passed close to the head of one of the gentlemen. On the morning of the 13th, crowds again assembled to witness the embarkation of the General, and the streets presented the same appearance as the evening before. A party of soldiers was drawn up opposite the 'Admus, on the custom house quay where it was supposed the embarkation would take place.

"The Government, I can assure you, is so much on the alert, and so well-informed of all its movements, ever since he left Italy, and even since his arrival in England, that any attempt on his part to invade the country will terminate in his own destruction.

"In short, the country wears the aspect of perfect tranquility, the measures of Government, in every department, are calculated to inspire perfect confidence; and, whatever difference of opinion may prevail elsewhere, rest assured that Mexican Independence cannot be effectually shaken either by the efforts of the Holy Alliance or by any desperate attempt of an adventurer: he people remember, too well, the chains he imposed, and the cruelties he exercised, during his short reign; to countenance his projects. To guard against surprise, the Executive has sent strong detachments of faithful troops to Vera Cruz, Tampico, and Alvarado, the only ports where any attempt at landing can take place."

OBITUARY. COMMUNICATIONS.

In all the dispensations of Providence, death stands first as the most grievous and calamitous; it is emphatically called the king of terrors, whose power we cannot resist, and whose arrest we cannot escape. Viewed only with regard to life, it is beyond the support of feeble, unassisted human nature, not to the Christian, to the believer in that God, who was in Christ Jesus, reconciling the world to himself, it is the passage from the church militant here to the church triumphant, in a state of perfection and glory far exceeding our finite comprehension. When we are deprived by death of our friends, it is near approach leads us to ponder in our hearts these awful visitations.

"To say nothing more of the merits of the deceased, that what she has manifested to the world, all who were acquainted with her, particularly her Christian friends, while perusing this imperfect sketch of her worth, will bear testimony that she possessed and enjoyed those blessings which this world cannot give, and that she lived and died in the Lord. Christian hospitality to the stranger as well as the friend, an unremitted attention to the sick and afflicted, and a heartfelt sympathy for the distresses of others, were qualities which portrayed the disposition of the deceased during her lifetime; and which is recollected with gratitude by many who have experienced benefit at her hands. Her resignation to the Divine will during a long confinement on a bed of languishing, her meekness and patience in awaiting the coming of her Lord & Master, on whom she leaned, and on whom she altogether depended, her unshaken fortitude at the stroke of death, and the tranquillity of soul with which she slept in the arms of Jesus, was too manifest to be unnoticed. Let it be said for the consolation of her affectionate children and relatives, that although she is separated from them, their loss is infinitely gained. She exhorted, she gave them counsel while with them, that they may through the merits of the same Saviour, follow her to realms of everlasting happiness where parting is no more.

POSTSCRIPT.

NEWS OF ITURBIDE. We have Intelligence of Iturbide, received by us exclusively, at the Federal Gazette office. We shall in the first place insert the annexed:

From the Diario del Gobierno of Havana, of August 11.

"Entered, 10th August, from London and Soto la Marina, 18 days from the latter port, the English brig Spring, Captain J. Welsh, in ballast, to Drake and Mitchell. The Captain reports that on 11th May, near the Isle of Wight, he received from a steam boat, Iturbide and twelve other persons, consisting of his wife, two sons, cousins, chaplains and servants, whom he landed on 15th July at Soto la Marina."

"In addition to the foregoing we have it in our power to state, that from a private letter received by a respectable mercantile friend in Baltimore, from his correspondent, dated Havana, August 11, we learn it was reported and believed there, that in his progress into the interior from Soto la Marina, ITURBIDE WAS ASSASSINATED!

"This report may not be correct—we may not have been assassinated, though such an event can scarcely be considered improbable.

"In the mean time, a few extracts from a Mexican letter, published in one of the last London Couriers, may be thought of interest, particularly as the Editor of that paper states it to be written by a person closely connected with the Mexican government.

Mexico, April 15, 1824. You will ere now have heard that an Englishman, of the name of —, who stated himself to be a colonel, has recently been arrested on his way from Tampico to Mexico, suspected to be the bearer of secret intelligence from the Ex-Emperor Iturbide. This individual, it appears, landed a short time previously at Tampico, coming from England, and, presuming that his rank and birth would shield him from suspicion he boldly attempted to reach the capital, where, by his presence, and the importance of his communications, he expected to inspire fresh courage in the adherents of Iturbide. The Government, however, perfectly informed of his object, caused him suddenly to be arrested, and all his papers to be seized; on examination, these indicated too clearly that his suspicions were well founded. He is ordered to be sent out of the country.

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EMIGRATION TO HAYTI.

From a Philadelphia paper of Tuesday. Yesterday 60 coloured people embarked on board the brig Charlotte (under) for Hayti, and we learn hundreds are waiting an opportunity of following their friends. President Boyer is likely to people his vast domains in a short time.

EDUCATION.

The subscriber begs leave to inform the citizens of Annapolis, and its vicinity, that he has opened an English Academy in the house lately occupied as a milliner's shop by Miss Auld; and in his manner of conducting an institution of this kind, it is well known in this city, he flatters himself with the anticipation of a liberal patronage.

"Although he is fully impressed with the importance and responsibility of teaching, he is at the same time convinced of his own want of ability, to discharge the duties which devolve upon one, who undertakes to train up youth in the path of science, and to fit them for future usefulness. It is, however, sincerely believed that his friends, and those who are best acquainted with him, will attribute such inability, not to the want of experience, but consider it, as in some degree, at least, common with all men. W. WILSON

TERMS. Orthography, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography, Mensuration, Algebra, Mathematics, History and Composition. \$4, paid quarterly in advance \$5.

At the particular request of Mr. William Wilson, we proceeded to examine him in the different branches of English education which he proposes to teach, viz: English Grammar, Geography, with the use of the maps and globes, Arithmetic, Mensuration, Geometry, and the Mathematics, and it affords me pleasure to state that he answered such questions as were put to him with promptness and facility, and I have no hesitation in saying, that I believe him well qualified to instruct in those branches with honor to himself and advantage to his pupils.

"Mr. Wilson also possesses the literary acquirements which amply qualify him to discharge the duties of an English Academy. He is unquestionably a young gentleman of correct moral habits, and highly deserving the patronage of those who wish their children instructed in an English education. Given under my hand, this 23d day July 1824. A. D. KELLY, Spring Hill Academy, Fauquier County, Va. August 10. 1824.

La Fayette Corps

ATTENTION! You are ordered to parade on Saturday next, at 4 o'clock, P. M. on the Company Parade Ground, in front of the Church.

By order, JAMES H. BRIGHT, O. S. Officers attached to the La Fayette Corps.

- Henry H. ... Capt. Somerville ... 1st Lieutenant, William Brogan, 2d do. Richard ... 3d do. Noncommissioned Officers. James H. Bright, Orderly Sergeant, Joseph H. Nicholson, 3d do. William Kirby, 2d do. Edwin Harwood, 4th do.

ATTENTION!

Annapolis United Volunteers. You are ordered to assemble for parade on your usual parade ground, on Saturday evening next at 4 o'clock; with arms and accoutrements to complete order. By order John T. Diney, O. S. Aug 26, 1824.

Mr. Hughes,

Of this city, has compiled and printed a volume entitled

The Maryland Militia Hand-Book.

PART 1. The existing military laws of the state and the amendments thereof, of which there are about 14, with marginal notes, references and remarks; (excepting the militia law of Baltimore which has recently been published in pamphlet form, and being entirely of local operation is omitted.)

PART 2. Abstracts of the several laws of the United States which relate to militia either when in or out of service—and embracing the rules and articles of war as large, the regulations of the army, particularly respecting the Police Duty of each. The different regulations respecting Guard and Sentinels, compliments by individuals, by companies, by guards to colours, &c.—Salutes Directions for reviews and Inspection—Ranks of corps and of officers—Pay and allowances—Rations; Mustering when ordered in, or discharged from the service—Details, Arrests, Courts Martial, Drum Beats, Funerals Honours, &c.

PART 3. The Exercise and Manoeuvres as performed in the army of the United States and directed to be adopted by the militia of Maryland, abridged for the use of the latter; containing, 1. The school of the soldier and squad exercise. 2. School of the company. 3. School of the battalion. A comprehensive Index is attached.

It is not unfrequent for works of this nature to be directed at the public expense. No authority existed in this instance to authorize the Executive to incur such an expenditure. The present edition is at individual expense, and therefore is necessarily limited to such a number as would readily be disposed of. The price unbound will be \$1 per copy.

It is respectfully submitted to the officers of regiments and companies, to associate, in orders, such a number of copies as may be required by them, which will be carefully forwarded as may be directed. JER. HUGHES.

Annapolis, August 23, 1824.

J. Hughes, Esq. Sir—I have carefully looked through the 'Maryland Militia Hand-Book,' compiled and printed by you, and think it well calculated to be useful, more especially in the hands of the militia, which have always wanted some such guide.

Very respectfully your obedient servant. RICHARD HARWOOD, (of Thos.) Adjutant-General M. M.

Stop the Thieves.

I WILL give Fifty Dollars for apprehending two young men, who robbed me about half a mile from Vansville, on the Washington turnpike Road on Sunday evening, the 15th inst. One was dressed in blue coat and pantaloons, with a narrow brim hat, much worn, with long hair, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, & red face; the other was of a dark complexion, with a small mouth, his clothing was a dirty coloured roundabout with white stripes, brown pantaloons much worn, his height 5 feet 8 or 10 inches. They took from me three hundred and sixty five dollars, and I will give the above reward for apprehending the thieves, with the money so that they may be brought to justice. In addition to the money taken by the thieves, they also robbed me of a first rate English Watch, with hair chain, and gold key set with a white stone. The watch told the day of the month; the figure 6 was broken off the face and put on again, which particulars may lead to a discovery of the thieves, should they offer the same for sale. Aug. 26. JOHN C. LYON.

PUBLIC MEETING

AND BARBACUE. The voters of Anne-Arundel County, and the candidates for their suffrages at the approaching elections, are respectfully invited to attend a public meeting and partake of a barbacue, on Saturday, the 28th inst. near Merrill's Waterloo Inn, on the Washington turnpike road. Aug 26.

This is to give notice,

That the subscriber, of the city of Annapolis, has obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Dr. Beale M. Worthington, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. The creditors of said deceased are hereby requested to exhibit their claims legally authenticated, to the administrator, and all persons indebted to said estate are desired to make immediate payment. GEORGE WELLS Jr. Admr. August 26, 1824.

of Inebriety... Reward. of Anne Arundel... Reward. away from the Landing... SIMON... JULY 30th, 1824... BEEN ANNOUNCED...