BALTIMORF, MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 18.4.

On Friday the 14th inst, the house of delegates relobved that the blank, in a resolution for compensating Wm. Pinkney, esq. for his ability, zeal and honorable conduct in effecting the transfer of stock belonging to the state of Maryland in the British funds, be filled up with twelve thousand dollars. Affirmative 47 -Negative 21. The questions had been previoutly taken on fifteen, fourteen and shirteen thousand dociars and lott.

From Annapolis, Dec. 18.

46 The Road Bill yesterday paised the house of delegates to incorporate the three roads-Yeas 41, Noes 22. It contains a clause, that the Reisters-Lown and York roads thall not go into operation for three years. I his, it is thought, will have a fav rable effect on the Frederick road-that it, in getting the subscription, filed. I expect it will pais the fenate without any amendment that will go to affect the principle of the bill."

[Federa! Gazette.

A letter from St i Lomas, dated the 25th of November, received by a merchant in Philadelphia, states, thatthedays preceding, a dreadful fire occurred there by which the principal part of the town, including property to a great aimunt, was laid in ashes. The dutress of the inhabitante was extreme.

Another letter, states, that the whole of the town, with the exception of out five houses, had been destroyed by the conflagration.

The tire took place on the night of the 23d ult .- We do not hear that the linp ping at the harbor fustained any injury.

The conduct of Commodore Prefer, and our brave country men under his command, has, inevery instance, where exertion was called for, been productive cf some essential benefit to our country, not increly as it respects the destruction of the .nemy's boats, or the taking t valuable prizes, but the more important desiceralum of national reputation. The action of the 3d August in bekiness of design, and intreplain of execution, will suffer no discredit by a c. mparison with almost any naval action that is recorded in modern history.

By the Li bon Mail of yesterday, says a late Lona. n paper, letters were received from Cadiz to the 17th ult. From one of these we mave been favored with the following cant &:---" In this country we suffer much, both from sickness and ear i quakes : but, thank God, this city is better off than any in the neighborhood. Near Grenacia such has been the violence of the earth quakes, that three villages which dentain ed each nearly 3660 inhabitants, have been almost buried, about ten hautes in each only having remained standing. The loss of lives has been immense, and the few survivors have retired to the mountains, to live in huts until these ravages cease. Churches, convents, castles and places have been overtuined; roads have been destroyed, and mountains opened; rivers and fountains have disappeared, and new ones have sprung up where there never were any before. Several farms, formerly in the vallies, are now on the tops of mountains."

SOMETHIC SINGULAR .- In the garden of Mr. Jonas C. nant, jun. of Mount-Vernon, a cabbage s'ump, fiem which the head was cut in the fall, has lately sprouted, leaved and blossomed, and is now clothed in the freshest verdure. The ground around it, is hard frozen, and covered with snow; and every other species of vegetable, has been long since perseelly listless. The case we think a curious subject of investigation.

IMPORTANT INVENTION.

Mr. Bennoch, of the firm of Bennoch & Bed. ford, of Boston has invented a machine for the PLANEIBG OF BOARDS, which is now erected at the Mills in Charleston, and has been seen by several in its operations and approved. The saving of manuel labor which it will effect is very great; and at a time, like the present, when a large number of buildings are erecting of embellishing, and assistance in the Carpenter's business cannot be procured in the numbers wanted, this k vention is particularly important; as any time, however, it would merit attention and encouragement. From the success of his invention we may anticipate that in little time cargoes of planed boards will be shipped from hence to the West-India Islands, and elsewhere.

This machine is now put in motion by water, but it is presumed eculd be as well operated by steam, in which case the shavings would furnish aufficient fuel.

Married on Thursday evening last, be the Rev Dr. Bend, WILLIAM COCHRAN Efq. to Mis DEBBY ADAMS.

FEDREAL SOLILOQUY.

ALAS! federalism, that bibel of aristogracy is fallen, is fallen! that clothe i us in scarlet and fine linen -Our expedition; at one blow are out off, and the cause of this hideous ruin adds to the chagrine if all its friends : but no imputation of treachery can be ascribed to O-s, or to any of his co-adjutors. They meant it act; but were sincere and zealous in their plan for a General Ticket, not so much as once dreaming of such a dismal catastrophe! All feueral murmers, therefore, aught to be silenced on that score, although the consequence s'mult be a ling farewell to the prospect of a Division of the States, and to every pleasing hope of Orde s of Nobility being established in America; as was expedied, from private assurances, where'er a coalition was effected. Farewell to the prospect of eight per cent loans-standing armies-sedition, alien and stamp acts-carriage, house and window tax! Farewell to the hope of the sixteen cidevant Courts being reavimated-to the jays that would be derived to the " well-born," by assimilating our government to the " stupendous fabric of human wirdem "-Before our lamentations for the great LAMA were ended this newaffl Bion hat befalle ins, wir ch demonstates that " the people are their own worst ene. mics" and ought never to belet loose to all f r thems lves! - Let the assembly rooms Le shu; up for one week, and all the feloral papers be stampt with black birdere Biston Geron.

From the Rb de-Is an Republicon f Dec. 13. On Wednesday, 5th instact, the Presidential Electors of this state met at Bristol an! we are happy to learn were unanim us in their ballets for Thomas Jerrenson as Petitient, ant GE RGE LINTON, as Vice-President of th. U. sed : tales

Died at Philadelph a on Wednesday last, of a consumption, Ar Thomas Dangon, Printer, late Secretary to the Philadelphia Typig aphical Society, a native of Canada, but for some time past a resident in that city.

House of Representatives of South Carolina, November .3.

Wr. Wilmer gave notice that he would, on Monday next, ask for leave to bring in a bill to | dev uri g every thing in its course | Some vi'repeal an act, entitled, an act o alt ra damend | lag o, and several depots of grain have likewice the several acts, respecting the importation of | been destroyed. negroes into this state

We understand that the house of represen:atives, of this commonwealth, has appeinted CASAR A RODNEY, Liq. of the state of Delaware, to act as their counsel, in the profecution of the im peachment of Messrs. Thippen, Yates and Smith judges of the subreme court of Pennsylvania. We are further informed that Mr. Rodney has accepted the appointment, and will aid the committee ap pointed by the house, on the trial, which will commence on the first Monday of [Aurora. enext month.

The election of Mr. Bayard, to the senate of the United States, will prevent a scrutiny of the votes at the late election for representative to congress from the state of Delaware. it is pro able, however, that the election of the federal condidite, Mitchill for governor, will be contested and for the best of all reasons, that in the sederal counties more votes were given than there were voters, or persons entitled to vote, the auxiliaries were miners and persons residing within the state life of Maryland.

The House of Delegates of Virginia, hasbeen occupied in considering a memorial from the people called Quakers, praying to be exempted from musters, and from the fines imposed for non attendance thereon-much was said on the subject, at length it was determined, as it had been verymany times before, that they could have no exemption from the rest of the community, and the law remains un altered.

A new invented Shearing Machine has been advertised by Jenah Nichols, of Pawtuxet, R. I. The shears are far preserable to any ever before invented, as they shear double the quantity of clath, that the other patented thears will, in the same time; and they are much easier kept in repair. A lad of a dezen years of age is capa. able of working them by hand, and can shear as much as three journeymen can do with hand shears, and do it equally as w. II.

The American Citizen, of New York, informs that Meffrs Stockton & M'Whorter, two leading federal lawyers of New Jersey, have accepted sees from Mr. Burr, to plead in his defence in the case of the indictment found against him for having killed Mr. Hamilton in a duel. From tuned.

this circumstance it would appear that Mr. Burr means to submit himself to the laws.

Our late French papers say, "They write ! om Spain, that the ex-General Morgan, instead of proceeding to Ameis a, retires, with the consent of the French Government at the Court of Spain, to the Island of Minorca."

[Norfolk Herald.

Letters from the North of Europe. BY a gentleman of information just arrived fron St. Petersburg, (Russia) which he lest the 26th September, we are informed, that a war with Frince wis confidered inevitable; that the Charge des affairs which had been left by the French minister, was ordered to leave Russia, on the 26th September; but that, in consequence of the receipt of information that the Russian Charge des assairs had been detained at Strasburg, a courier had been dispatched to Revel, to detain the Frenchmen :- That the greatest affivity prevailed in the Russian Navy yards, and several ships of the line had been ordered out of deck, which cirumstance, at that season of the year, evinced urgency; --That an army of 150,000 men was assembled on the western frontier of Russia to command which the Grand Duke Con Hantine (brother to the Emperor, and an eleve of Suwarrow) left St Petersburg some days besore our informant sailed :--That the general expectation was, that ostilities again!! France would commence in the spring, unless, conciliatory propos. tions were received from' Bonaparie during the winter Russia can fit out a navy of 70 fail of the line.

[Eoston Centinel]

A vest quantity of cloves were lately destroy ed by fire at Amboyna: it broke out in a clove plantation and is stated to have originiated in the fliction of two trees against each otherduring as uncommon high wind. The flames raged with great violence for 2 days and a night [London paper.

A porter going to a Mr. Bissi's house one lay with a load upon his back, raid to a gentleman that he met in the Haymarket-" Pray yourh ". ner, can you tell me where Mr Blast lives ?" Mr Blas: ! Blas: d'd you say replied the gentieman. "Yes, Bast, y ur bonir," says the porter: this mid connexion of words, though no intente d'to give any effence, so irritated the gentleman, that he not only refused to give the porter inf matien, but in a rage gave him a hearty drubbing with his cane.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 20. " Below, a fleet of ships, a fleet of brigs,

and two felooners. - News expected."

As to-more ou will be CHRISTMAS. no paper will be issued from this . ffee on WEDNESDAY morning. Should however, any thing of importance transpire. our readers may expect to be furnished there-

with in an Extra.

SHIP

Newburyport December 14. The fine thip America. 280 tons, was burnt in Cloucester harbor, last week, with a cargo of 140 tons of Sugar-owned by Messer. Daniel Hews, of Boston, and by 76 young ladies Captain Gardner, of Nantucket.

New-York, December 21.

Cleared, the ships Givern . Gilmant Wes, Live pool; Wairen, Hunter, St. Thomas; Dispatch, Aime Savainah; brig. Muce va, Barker. St. Senastians & Bordeaux; Clio, Gamble, M diterrante an, sch'i Rebecca, Ferguson, Hahlax; sloop Plato, Berna d, Charleston.

The two brigs much we mentioned in our Gezette of yesterday to be on shore to the southward of Sandy Hook,

The brig Two Friends, capt. Russell, of Salem, from Sumatra, and four months from the Isle of France.

The brig Orange, Labree, from Charleston for Philadelphi.

Both of the above vesicls went on shore on Friday night last, on Island Beach, forty miles to the southward of Sandy-H.ok. Their crews and most of the reargines will be sived; but the vessels are not expected to be a of off.

The ship Richmord, Da Peyster, of New York, saucid on the 19th of August, from the Isleul France for Canton. The snip Aspessa, of New York, was at the Isle of France.

On the cover of a letter from Liverpool, dated the 18 h of Oct. the arrival there of the ship I such Collins, is men-

Philadelphia, December 22. Arrived at New Castle, scht. Samuel, Dill. 21 day from St. Thomas, Lest h re on the 28th ult. brig Mary, Mon "eith, of and for this port, in 6 days; brig Lyon, of New York, for Charleston; schooner Noncy, J'Aries, of this part; brig Menter. Thu soon, of Philadelphia; from Alexandria, arrived the 27th, in 17 days. Cargo fire and corn, taken by "overnme" t at 15 do:lars per birrel of flour, which price was fixed by governrient to prevent monopoly Captain D bestered the Deleware the 16 h, and a x day reac ed New Castle. Saw no

oner inward h und vestels. Schooner Citizen, Fra'ey, from Savar nah, sashore a few miles below Mi ford, n The west side of the Bay of Delaware, cargo expected to be saved.

Brig Artelope, Winslow, and a schr. lay a' New-Casle, ice bound, yesterday

Norfolk, December 18 Entered, brig Economy, Smith New, port ; schooners Jeremiah. Haws, Boston ; Commerce, Butler. Providence; Norfolk

Deagle, Baitimore. Cleared thips Dunrobin Castle, MBride, Liverpool; Gosport, Durkheum Amsterdam; schooner Experiment Nath, West Indies; Samuel, Clark, New York; Harrie: Briun. Baltimore; floop Patty Newton. Phil idelphia.

Union Bank of Mary and. TOM REW being brismes, the Bank will be shut. Ali bil's and notes due on that ay, are experted to be paid This Day. R. HIGINB THOM, Cash'r.

100 Gollars Reward.

WH! REAS · m. malici us person or per sons, on the night of the 13th instant, entered the grave yard belonging to the German Lutheren cong galien, and from the gale; theref removed and des .. ofed several of the tombtotes. In order to put a stop to ruch uncarista inlike proceedings, a reward of One, Hundrad Dollars will be given to thy per in or persons, who will give inform tion of the above diab li cal per, ctrator, so that he, she or they may be or aught to condign punishment.

By order of the Vestery december 24

Notice.

THE Co-Partnership which has existed for several years past, between Solomon, Hillen jun and James Williams, un er he firm et Hi en a d Williams, at and Francois, in the Island of St. Domingo, was dissolved, by mutual conse: t, on the 9.h of June last-All those theree who have claim; against said film are requested to present them as early as possible for way ment; and those indebted to the same are respectfully solici el to make speedy payment to either of the subscribers.

SOLO: HHLLEN, junr. JAMES WILLIAMS december 14

ON Saturday the 22d instant, a red Morocco Pocket Pook, much worn, having in it a Five Dellar Note of the ! nion Bank of Maryland, with other papers of no value but to the person that I st them who will give one dollar to the p rson who has fourd said pocket book, by leaving it at this office.

december 24 enfit

Dissolution of Partnerscip. THE parenership or Bonsal & Niles, printers and bookse lers, will be dist lved on the Sist instant-all those who have claims against their firm, will please to exhibit them for settlement, and those indebted are requested to make payment as soon as possible.

VINCENT BONSAL, HEZEKIAH NILES.

Vincent & Isaac Bonsal,

On the first way of January, 1805. Will commence the Book-Binding, Brok-Selling, an i ! tationary business, at No. 192, Baltimere-street, the stand at present occupied by Binsil & Niles, where may be had, Books in all the departments ef literature, Stationary of every description, &c

* Account Bo ks bound to any prttern, at r short notice, and Printing of every description executed in a neat and correct manner december 24

Exhibition.

THE Pupils belonging to Wm. C. Cochran's Academy, will exhibit This Evening, at the Panthe in, commencing at 6 o'clock, the following pieces-

Prilogue, by a young lady Dialogu between Ldward & Harry Sacred Drama, from Moses in the bulrushes,

The Miser by 5 boys and a girl The Orphan Boy The Widow's tribute The little country maidens Slaves in Barbary, by 60 boys Reflection: over the grave of a young man Lines on the death of Mrs. Mason The Hermit The Distressed Mother The young lady's complaint The awkwar, Schoolmaster And to corclude with a short Epilogue.

BF The Marine Society will meet at Peck's Hotel. Fell's-Point, on Wednesday the 26th December, at 6 o'clock in the evening.

december 24

By order of the President. JOHN HAMILTON, Sec'ry. December 22.

Lottery Notice.

G. & R. WAITE colicitous of giving every adventurer an opportunity of purchasing at the present price of Seven Dollars a Ticket, hereby notify, that Tickets in the New York State Lottery, No. 3, for the encouragement of Literaere, will advance on the Ath January next, to Seven and a Half Deliars. Gentlemen inclusing the cash at any time previous to that date, will have their orders punchally attended to ; and those who are fortunate in drawing prizes, by inclosing them in a letter, directed to the Permanent Lottery Offices of G. & R. Waite. New-York, may depend on having the an ount in cash, or warranted undrawn Tickets, faithfully returned by mail. Letters must be post paul. New York, december 31

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY. The 24th inst. at 10 o'clock, at the avertion grown, t the beat of Gay etreet week, will commence

the sale of DRY GOODS, consisting of Worsted H -ziery, Brok and Cambrick Muslins, Irish Linens. Purple Shawls, 6 bales India Muslins, I' bale Turker Yar's and a cases Germin Cnecks. enti i d to a zwhark.

After which at 13 a'clock, 47 hhds. Mascovado sugar

23 pipes Bordenux brande, on liberal credit 183 bigs good codes ? vithout riserve to 59 do do damage close a concern 100 baskets sweet oil

58 hoxe-primes

8 cases indigo 3 hh 's, and I pipe Madeira wine 11 puncheons 4th priof Jameica rum, &c.
LEMMON & CAMPBE' L. sud'rs.

Sale by Auction.

ON WEDNESDAY, The 20th instal at it o'clock the auction s f Frederick-street dock, will room, at the

A VARIOTY OF DRY GOODS.

29 hhis first quality muscovado sugar

213 bags } coff e

5 hales ci mamon

5 hh 's cloves

3 pipes gin, brandy, co-dage, &c. VAN WYCK & USIRSEY, audiest

For New Orleans,

JiNE. Captain HART, She will earlow ther day the 27th inst. For freight or pressure and to Ww TAYLOR,

The Schoener

, Bank-street, Who bas for Sale 10 hh!: Co peras and a fex rolls sheet lead

Wax-Work.

Wilkbe Exhibited at Mr. F. bu, Miller's, comer oi Praites' eet an i Dugin's uite o for a A large and extens v collection of

Wax Figu.es, As large as life, Which are acknowl dge by those who have seen them in the principal cities throughout the United States, to be equal, if nat superiar in their beauty and near approach to real life, to any that have ever been exhibited in this coun-

try. Among the number are the follo in goharacters, " hich the proprietor flatters horself will be turd, (b) those wh have seen the originals) to be both natural and stiking in their cepresentation; and she hope that every spectator will be extissied with the formation of these figines, and with the efforts of art, which have beer user o unitate nature, viz. Gen Washing on Thomas Jefferson, Ber in-

min Frinklin. Gene al Bintaparte, aleo the Grenadica that eaved his inc in the council of five hundred; Veltaire, the late king and queen of France, princess 'I zibeth of France, the king and queen of E. gland, prince and mines; of Wales, the sleeping beauty, the slumburing wauty, the old batchelor and old maid, mrs. Cax and two children, with several other disinquished figures.

h J. P. i.e. .. i edmittance for grown persons 25 cents, children talf price. To be seen from 9 o'clock in the morning the 9 in the evening. december .4

rank of Baltimore,

December 22d, 18 4. TUESDAY next being Christmat, the bank will be shut-all bills and noises falling due on that day it is expedied will be paid previous; and all the aper intended for that day's offering. must be left at bank this day; discounts may be drawn for on Monday.

AMES COX, Cathier. december 22 62000 los Rich South West

Mountain Virginia Tobacco, Just received and for sale ! y A BOUGHAN, Bearly's wharf,

Who has on hand, and for saie. 250 harrels freth back country Flour 1000 bushels Bran, on brard a craft, an A quantity S uthern Wheat in Swee. ecember 31

Government security! NEW-YORK LOTTERY.

No. III, FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT of LITERATURE Begins Drawing on the Eighth of April next. 25 000 Dollars, ..

10 000 DOLLARS, 5.000 DOLLARS, HIOHEST PRIZES.

The scheme contains 37,000 tickets, of which 9913 are prizes—less than two and a half blanks to-a prize. Deduction 15 per cent. At the session of the Legislature of the state of New York, on Monday, the 12th of Novem-

ber, 1804, a resolution passed the senate, and was concurred in by the House of the Assembly. that the drawing of the said Lottery be: postponed until the SECOND HONDAY in APRIL next, in consequence of the defalcation of one of the managers, and that the Legisla ure will GUARANTER the PAYMENT of ALL the PRIZES in said Lottery. TICK ETS,

> HALTES, QUARTERS AND EIGHTHS, are to be bad at G. & R. Waite's

PERMANENT LOTTERY OFFICES. Nos 64. & 38, MATDEN LANE.

At the following Prices, Whole Tickets, dls. 7 Quarters, 3 62 | Eighths, Halves, But, as the tickets and shares have met with such an extraordinary rapid sale, thronghout every part of the United States, they will speedily

advance in price, pro Distant adventurers, by inclosing Bonk Notes of any description, (but Branch Bank would be preferred), may have tickets forwards ed them liv post to any part of the Union, by G. & H. WATTE, with the utwost punduality. and the earliest intelligence sent of their success -CASII Edvanced for prizes as some attraction -or warranted undrawn Tickets exchanged

for Prizeadurit g the drawhig 👙 For the extistaction of adventurers in Baltimore and its vicinity, the Manager's Official List will be forwarded to the priaters of this paper, ar soon as possible after the drawing. where any gentleman can examine his own number. I ettem (post paid) duly attended he

N. York, nov. 23 (30)