

it may seem, immediately sets about clearing the nest of the young sparrows and the remaining unhatched eggs: and, with surprising expertness, soon accomplishes the business, and remains sole proprietor of the nest, and the only object of the sparrow's future care.

Numerous are the lessons of wisdom man may learn from the brute creation; from the dog he may learn vigilance and fidelity: from the beaver, social union and subordination; even the diminutive ant may teach him to labor in the summer, and to provide against the inclemency and the wants of winter. But the above cited example of intrusion and ingratitude in the cuckoo, affords a very instructive lesson to the legislator and the statesman, against the too ready admission of strangers to the rights and privileges of native citizens: for many have been the instances, in all times, when these intrusive cuckoos have cleared the nest of all the young sparrows, and remained sole possessors themselves.

TRUTH.

When a man loses his integrity, he loses the foundation of his virtue.

TRUTH is so great a perfection, that an ancient philosopher observed, if the Almighty thought proper to render himself visible to man, he would choose light for his body, and truth for his soul. The advantages which are attendant upon an habitual love of truth, and a constant practice of its precepts, are so striking to every thinking mind, that it is absolutely astonishing, that even from motives of policy, it is not universally practised.

Amidst the various amiable qualities which have been attributed to Calpurnia, the wife of Julius Cæsar, that of her love for sincerity and adherence to truth, is particularly mentioned with the applause they merit.

Aristotle, the Macedonian philosopher, being asked what a man could gain by telling a falsehood, replied, "not to be credited when he speaks the truth."

Petrarch, a celebrated Italian poet, resided in the family of Cardinal Colonna, by whom he was loved for his virtues, and esteemed for his abilities. A violent quarrel having happened, which that nobleman was anxious to know the foundation of, that he might do justice to the injured party, he assembled all his household, and compelled them to take a solemn oath that they would represent the circumstances with fairness and impartiality; even his brother, the bishop of Luna, was called upon to make the sacred assertion: but when Petrarch appeared with an intent of following the bishop's example, the cardinal instantly closed the book, saying, "as to you, Petrarch, your word is sufficient."

Zenocrates, an Athenian philosopher, was so highly celebrated for his truth and veracity, that one day, when he approached the altar, to confirm by oath, the truth of what he had asserted, the judges unanimously declared his word was a sufficient evidence and would not suffer him to take the oath.

Was I to write volumes with an intention of convincing you of the advantages of speaking truth, or the honor which is obtained by the practice of it, I could not convey a stronger proof of either, than what may be derived from the above little historical anecdotes of Petrarch and Zenocrates.

Married, on Saturday evening last, by the Rev. Doct. Roberts, Mr. Daniel Richardson, to Miss Rebecca Jones, all of this city.

A Camp Meeting.

WILL be held on Abraham Jarets's land, near the Pennsylvania line, near the Friends Meeting House, by the name of Fawn Meeting House, Hartford county, commencing the 29th of August, 1805. The most direct road from Baltimore is to the Cross Road, thence to friend Coxes' mill, thence to Marshall's tavern, thence Glendon's tavern, and then, to the appointed place.

Ferguson's Packet will sail for Norfolk on TUESDAY NEXT, August 22.



SHIP NEWS

Port of Baltimore.

From the Merchants' Coffee-House Books.

Arrived, schr. Harmony, Gold, 17 days from Lagaira—cocoa—J. F. Kennedy. Lat. 28, long. 68, 30, spoke schooner Argus, Capt. Small, bound to Norfolk. Left at Lagaira, ships Charlotte, Stranger, brig Union, and Canton, of New York; ship Active, & brig Molly, of Philadelphia; brig Mary Ann, Malery, of Baltimore; schooners, Eliza Ann, and Amelia, of Norfolk; brig Peace, of Newburyport, to sail in 10 days; Friendship, of Salem; schooners Brothers Return, Alexandria; Hope, New London; ship Alert, Nash, of Boston, laying off and on, the port not being opened. The ship Clothier, for Philadelphia, sailed 10 days before the Harmony.

Also, schr. Stephen, Gibson, 20 days from Port de Paix—Coffee—Wm. Preston. Left there 6th inst. schr. Conquest,

Odlin, of Philadelphia, uncertain when to sail. A schr. southward bound was captured near Monte Christie, and the crew landed, could not learn her name. Off the Capes, spoke schr. Travers, from Baltimore, for Barbadoes. Passed ship Canton, in the river bound up.

Salem, August 19.

Arrived, brig Aurora, Webb, Lisbon, 45 days. Left, July 1, brig Sally, Caswell, of Boston, to sail next day for Bordeaux; schooner Andromeda, Baker, of Boston, for Tangiers in 3 days; ship Hero, Ray, of New-York, for the Isle of May; ship Mercury, Thompson, for New-York in 20 days; ships Robert, Alcon; and Susan, Loring, for Norfolk in 8 days; brig Eliza, Bacon, of Dartmouth; brig John, Craig, of Baltimore; schr. Trio, Storey, of Boston. Spoke, July 23, in lat. 44, 37, long. 35, the ship Damascotta, Bucking' am, 16 days from Wiscasset for Dublin. August 7, in lat. 41, 47, long. 63, the brig Telemachus, Frye, 5 days from Salem for Mocha.

Also, brig Edwin, Rice, Bordeaux, 45 days. Left, July 3, brigs Hope, Cochran, of Wilmington; brig Aurora, Mark, of Norfolk; Caroline, Young, of Boston; ships Trent, Rinker, N. Orleans; Woodrop Sims, Davis, Norfolk; Sarah, Sutton, New-Orleans; brigs Ranger, Hooper, Boston; Edward, Lombard, do; Phœbe, Archams, Baltimore; ship Boston Packet, Wing, Boston; Zulema, Alston, Philadelphia; Hazen, Watts, Boston; Moultrie, Gallagher, New-York; Sarah and Susan, Mariner, ditto; Nancy, Olcott, ditto; Missouri, Gallagher, Philadelphia; Three Sisters, Clark, Charleston; Enterprise, Thompson; Hamilton, Waterson, and Eugenia, Fleming, all for New-York; brigs Adventure, Stowell, ditto; Neptune, Lathrop, ditto; Neriede, Bradford, Boston; Washington, Ledet, New-York; Ship, right, Doak, 39 days from Boston, was detained 2 days by the ice, but fortunately got clear without any damage; schr. Fage, Cross, of Hingham. July 8, was boarded by a British sloop of war, and had one man impressed who had no protection, otherwise treated politely. July 16, spoke the ship Rehoboth, 19 days from Baltimore for Bordeaux.

Also, brig Vegeance, captain Ward Chipman, 42 days from the Isle of May. Left there, ship Alexander, Roche, for Boston, in 4 days; and schooner Franklin, Jenkins, of Hudson, for Bonavista, in 10 days. August 10, in lat. 40, long. 65, 30, spoke brig Merrimack, of Amesbury, 10 days from Norfolk, for Portsmouth in England. In lat. 20, long. 67, saw five sail of English battle ships said to be cruising for a Spanish ship, of which they received intelligence.

Also, brig Sukey, captain Henry Prince, 65 days from Marsilles, and 50 from Gibraltar.—No ship news.—Captain P. informs, that one of the Tripolitan corsairs had been captured by an American frigate.

Boston, August 19.

Arrived, ship Weymouth, Rich, Isle of France, 110 days. Left there, April 30, ship Columbia, Dickson, of Philadelphia, put back leaky; James Campbell, N. York, to sail in 3 weeks; Indus, Merick, Boston, to sail in 5 days; ship George Washington, Torris, of Philadelphia, for Batavia; Alkonac, Henry, of Boston for Sumatra; Montezuma, Inceas, of Boston for Canton; Elizabeth, Latimer, of Philadelphia for the Red Sea; John Fairfield, of Salem, destination unknown; schr. Mathews; ship Charles, Percival, of Boston, from Bordeaux, just arrived. Spoke a Swedish brig from New York, for St. Barts; had met with a gale of wind and had lost her water off deck; had a number of passengers on board; ship Eleanor, Randall, of Providence, 5 days from Boston for the Havana. Several Swedish vessels were detained at the Isle of France.

Same day, via quarantine, brig Midas, Brien, Havana, 25 days.

Same day—schr. Columbia, Straffin, Turks Island, 27 days. Spoke nothing. Left no American vessels. Sailed in co. schr. Lyon, Silke, for New York. Brig Minerva, Sanger, for Norwich, sailed previous. Sloop George, of Norfolk, was cut out of T. I. by a French privateer. She is said to be worth 12,000 dollars.

Same day—in the outer harbour, ship Juno, from Isle of France; sailed May 18. The former capt. Bates and Mr. Henry Bridge, were left at the Isle of France sick. Died of the crew of the Juno, Wm. Travers, John Jones, and Thomas Mercy.—The two first died in March; the last yesterday.

August 20.

Arrived, the Swedish schr. Sally, capt. Taliff, 36 days from St. Croix. Spoke nothing.

At quarantine. Schr. William Brush, Havana, 17 days; brig Betsey, Gorham, Guadalupe, 24; schr. Ocean, Dunlap, St. Croix 22; ship Juno, Bates, Batavia, 26; brig Dolphin, Traut, Demerara, 32; schr. Louisiana, Lovel, do. do.

Schooner Betsey, Stacy, of Gloucester, 26 days from Berbice. Sailed in company with brig Cincinnati. Timothy Davis, for Gloucester; Mars, Miles, for Portland; brig William Oxnard, do. schr. Hunter, Meed, for St. Thomas; Abigail, Vosks, do. Argus, Small, for Barbados; Phoenix, Plummer, for the island.—Left, brig Eliza, Swanton, to sail in 4 days for Boston, lost all hands except the mate and boy; schooner Federal, Rathbone, and a Portland brig just arrived from Surinam. Spoke Aug. 41, in lat. 39 10, long. 71 20, brig Susan, McCulloch, from New York

bound to Guadalupe, out 54 hours—15, schooner Rhoda, Sandford, of Westport, on a whaling voyage, out 8 days—no whales.

New-York, August 23.

Arrived since our last, The ship Keziab, Elliot, of New-Haven, in 20 days from Grenada. Sailed in co. schooner Horison, of Newbern, for New-York, and parted from her on the 7th inst. under the lee of St. Martins. The only American vessel there was a schooner belonging to Pepperelborough, commanded by captain Tarbox. August 9, in lat. 20, long. 64, 50, spoke the ship Harriet, 13 days from Philadelphia for St. Thomas. Three days since, captain Elliot spoke a Philadelphia pilot-boat, which had bearded the ship New-York from Cadiz for Philadelphia, having on board General Moreau and family. The same boat boarded the ship Columbia from the Isle of France, and a schr. from St. Martins for Philadelphia.

The brig Sukey and Betsey, Cook, in 41 days from Oporto, via Salem. Sailed in co. schooner Dispatch, Rider, for Plymouth. Off Halifax was boarded by a British frigate, and treated politely. The schooner Venus, Bryant, in 8 days from Wilmington, N. C. Passengers, Messrs. Bradley, Mervin, Wright, Blair, and a lady who did not wish her name published. The schooner Independence, Chandler, of Shrewsbury, in 10 days from Annatto-Bay, Jamaica. Left brig Matilda, of Providence, to sail in 19 days. August 18, in lat. 38, 12 leagues from land, spoke the ship Flora, 2 days from Virginia for Boston.

The schooner Maria, Steadler, in 10 days from Baltimore.

The sloop Sally, Tasset, from Snow-Hill. The brig Eliza, Pendleton, (at quarantine) in 15 days from St. Croix. The brig Ceres was to sail next day for New-York. A brig had just arrived from this port.

At quarantine, the schr. of New-Haven, from St. Croix. Cleared, ships Diana, French, Amsterdam; Cotton-Planter, Mather, Liverpool; brig Eliza-Hamilton, Colver, St. Croix; schr. Hiram, Eason, Porto-Rico; Eagle, Van Name, Currituck; Eagle, Libby, Portland.

Below last night, a brig and two schrs.—Wind S. S. E. Sailed yesterday from quarantine, the brig Juno, Perkins, for Kennebec, having landed a cargo from St. Croix.

William Wilson & Sons, HAVE FOR SALE.

IRISH LINENS, entitled to drawback Russia Canvas Ravens Duck Drillings and Tickens Japanned Ware English Steel Brass Kettles Madder, and 27 hds. prime James River TOBACCO. August 27 eod

For Sale,

OVACCOMMODATING TERMS. THAT VERY valuable two story brick HOUSE & WARE-HOUSE, situated at the corner of Union and Bridge-streets, Old-Town; suitable for the flour or any kind of grocery business. If not sold over before the 3d of October next at private sale, it will then be offered on that day at public auction. Enquire at the Premises. August 27 eo

For Sale,

TWO LOTS in South Liberty-street, one of which has a frame store in front, and a new two story brick building, the other has a two story brick building in front, with a small back building of brick also, and a two story frame on the back of the lot; these two lots are subject to the rent of 2 shillings & 6 pence per foot yearly. Also, a lot and two dwellings, situated on the corner of Peca-street and Cyder Alley, near the Maypole Tavern; subject to the rent of 3 shillings and 9 pence per foot yearly. Also, a lot in Whiskey Alley, sixty feet front, and running back sixty feet, with three small dwellings, and one cent per foot yearly. A good title will be given for the whole of the above property. The whole or any part of said property will be sold on a liberal credit. Enquire of HENRY SCHUMBERG, No. 29, South Liberty-street d4*

A new Academy,

HIGH-STREET, OLD-TOWN. THE subscriber, recently one of the assistants to the Pantheon Academy, most respectfully informs parents guardians and others, that in compliance with the wishes of a number of respectable friends, he purposes on the first Monday of September next, to open a SCHOOL in high-street, opposite Renshaws Tavern, Old-Town, wherein shall be taught to the best of his abilities, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, &c.—together with all the general rudiments of an English education.—He will only promise to those who may please to entrust children to his care, that every attention shall be paid, both to improvement of their education, and the purity of their morals. JOHN SKELTON, August 27 d

New Bolting Cloths, WARRANTED GOOD. Hoffman & Baltzell,

No. 201, Market-street. HAVE received BOLTING CLOTHS from No. 0 to 7, of the same manufactory of those of their former importation, which are now used in the most extensive mills in its state, and are superior to any other manufactory known. They are offered at their usual prices &c. Likewise on hand, a full assortment of DRY GOODS, which being bought for money, are offered low. July 20 d3 yco

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY, The 27th inst. at 10 o'clock, at the auction room, at the head of Frederick-street dock, will commence the sale of A VARIETY OF DRY GOODS. And at 12 o'clock precisely, 67 hds Muscovado sugar 600 bags coffee 85 puncheons excellent Antigua Rum 36 do high proof well flavored Jam. do Brandy, gin, &c. &c. VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auctioneers

Sale by Auction.

TO-MORROW, Wednesday the 28th at 11 o'clock will be sold at Boxley's wharf on terms which will then be made known. The Schooner RAVEN, About 3 years old, with all her tackle and apparel, which are in excellent order, she will carry between 8 & 900 barrels. The inventory of her materials may be seen at the vendue office, at the corner of Second and Frederick-streets. THOMAS CHASE, Auctioneer. August 27

Fell's-Point Seminary.

THE subscriber informs the public generally, and particularly the citizens of Fell's-Point, that he continues the school lately conducted by Mr. Henry Gardiner, in that large, airy and commodious house, No. 15, Fell's-street, (Fell's Point)—where all the branches usually taught in such seminaries will be attended to with fidelity, and he hopes, with success. It is his intention, should sufficient encouragement offer, to set apart a room in which he purposes teaching the dead languages—the 15th of September next is fixed upon as the time for commencing—parents who wish to put their children under his care, will please to signify their intention previously to that date, so that arrangements may be made accordingly. If the proposed plan be carried into effect, an additional assistant will be wanted in the English department, of which, however, timely notice shall be given. JNO. CLOYD. August 26 2aw3w

RAN AWAY

FROM the subscriber living in Alexandria, Virginia, on the 7th of July, 1805, a negro man named LIGE; stout male; about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high; bow legged; black bushy hair; green sunken eyes; very much scared with the small pox; has a scar on his right cheek bone; bad countenance; fond of bad company and strong drink. He has always been used to crafting in the Chesapeake bay, & thereby accumulated much company of his own colour and description. When spoken to he is apt to stammer; much given to lying, and lately to stealing. He was seen from the 12th to the 18th July in various parts of Baltimore with negroes, last at Fell's-Point, looking for a birth, probably on board a craft, as he was never at sea. I will give 50 dollars if taken and put in any jail, and information given me in Alexandria, or Mr. Wm. Ball of Baltimore; if brought home all expenses paid to the amount of 25 dollars, not exceeding. REUBEN JONSTON. Masters of vessels and others are cautioned not to harbor or employ the above fellow, at their peril. August 6 eodw

A fresh supply of

DOCTOR COOLEY'S Vegetable Elixir, is just received and for sale by GEORGE MARIS, Drug list, No. 149, Market-street. A Remedy, far exceeding every other yet used, for consumptions, asthmas, spitting of blood, coughs, shortness of breath, and every other species of disease to which that organ of life, the lungs, is perpetually exposed. Complaints of the lungs have always been considered the opprobria medicine (or reproach to the art of physic) and it has long been a desideratum in medical science, that a remedy might be devised which should check this outlet of human life. The many thousands which yearly fall a sacrifice to this insidious disease, (phthisis pulmonalis, or consumption of the lungs, has, ever since my acquaintance with diseases, which is almost thirty years) so excited my commiseration, that a large share of my time has been employed in investigating the cause and cure of it; and, from my most unremitting attention and constant research, I have the happiness to proclaim to the world, that, in my Vegetable Elixir, a speedy, safe, and effectual remedy is generally to be had. It is needless for me to dwell too long on the praises of this medicine; those who use it will be immediately convinced of its superior virtues in dispelling every distressing symptom in the complaints above enumerated; those hectic heats will in a few days be allayed, the night sweats will disappear, the cough diminishes rapidly, and the patients who, previous to the use of this medicine, were panting for breath, and fast approaching to dissolution, will find themselves resuscitated in the most unexpected manners. So wonderful has been the relief, that, to express their gratitude, frequent solicitations have been made to have their testimonials made public of the unrivalled virtues of this medicine; those who experience its benign and salutary effects by a short trial, will need no other recommendation. It is not pretended that this medicine will cure every disease to which suffering humanity is liable, as is the case with most patent medicines; diseases which are as completely opposite as an acid and an alkali, they will assert, are all to be cured by one simple remedy. Such weak impositions have with much propriety rought most patent drugs into disrepute.—But, the Vegetable Elixir is calculated for one class of diseases only, viz. those, to which the lungs are exposed, and I need not observe that they terminate in consumptions. The precursors or harbingers of this hitherto intractable malady, (until the discovery of the Vegetable Elixir) are spitting of blood, pains in the breast and sides, coughs, difficulty in breathing, and a great number of complaints, which slender and delicate constitutions are so frequently laboring under, which if attended to immediately on their commencement, will easily be obviated, and those in the last stages will be much alleviated, and many of them effectually cured.—Price 75 cents per bottle. Also, for sale as above, Doctor Cooley's Genuine ANTI-PESTILENTIAL ATTEMPUATING AND RESTORATIVE PILLS, Greatly esteemed in Rheumatic and Dilettos complaints—50 cents a box. June 14 2aw

John M'Kim, jun.

No. 108, MARKET-STREET, Offers for sale by the package, entitled to drawback, Flaxen Oznaburg's Tow ditto Madrass Handkerchiefs Turkey Red Pullicat Handkerchiefs Gingham London dye 1 Gambrick Muslins Scotch Threads, assorted Blue Broad Cloth, coarse and superfine. June 18 eo

John B. Jauffret

No 28, NORTH GAY-STREET, Has just received per schooner Susan, Wm. Burton, master from Havana, and offers for sale on a liberal credit, 48 boxes White Sugar 32 do Brown do Also on hand, 50 boxes Havana Segars 2000 pieces Yellow and Blue Nankeen, And a few casks Old Caret August 12 eodt

NOTICE.

WHEREAS my late wife MARY CONNELLY, (maiden name FINLEY) having in my absence contracted large debts without my knowledge, I hereby caution the public against crediting her in future on my account, as I am no longer her husband, and therefore will not be liable for any debts of her contracting. Given under my hand this 22d day of August, 1805. OWEN CONNELLY August 23 2aw2w

The Subscriber,

LIVING in the Borough of York, in the state of Pennsylvania, takes this method to inform the public, that he will, upon the shortest notice, make WAGGONS COMPLETE, for Roads or Plantation use, by applying to George Sheals, at the hay-scales' tavern, Old-Town, or George Eichelberger, Water-street, of the city of Baltimore, in the state of Maryland, or the subscriber himself. MICHAEL SCHREIBER. Dork Borough, July 14, 1805. All waggons engaged, will be delivered according to order. July 20 eodw

To be Rented,

OR LEASED that long established & well known TAVERN the INDIAN KING, No. 2, Water-street, its situation as a stand for Tavern Keeping business is unexceptionable. As soon as the house is engaged the furniture will be disposed of at auction. The terms, will be made known on application to the subscriber, at present occupying said house. Wm. SOUTHWORD. August 17 eodt

LAND For Sale.

Will be offered at PUBLIC SALE on FRIDAY, the 4th of October next, if fair, if not the next fair day.

THAT valuable PLANTATION, lying on the Western Branch of Winter's run, in Harford county, State of Maryland, 24 miles from Baltimore, 1 mile from Marshall's tavern, 3 miles from the upper Cross Roads, 2 miles from the Baptist meeting-house, 10 from Belle Air, 2 from the Presbyterian meeting, containing 135 acres; about two thirds is cleared and in good repair; 15 acres of meadow now in grass, and as much more may be made; the residue of the upland is covered with young thriving timber; there are on the premises a good Log House, a new Barn with stone stables under it, a stone spring house with a never failing spring near the door, besides several others on the tract, a corn house, &c. A good apple orchard of 200 trees, 60 young trees lately planted, a number of which are of the best grafted fruit, besides upwards of 100 bearing peach trees; also a good mill seat with 26 feet head and fall, and is the best stand for a country mill in the county. The property will be shewn any time previous to the day of sale, by Thomas Clark or Ashel Hiccock near the premises, or by the subscriber in Baltimore, No. 93, Pratt-street. JONAS BARCROFT. August 19 1aw2wo

Von Kapff & Brune

Have received and offer for sale, 4300 pieces Platillas 5700 do Britagnes 205 do Cress a la Morlaix 100 do Dowlas 450 do Cholets 325 do Rouans 400 do Estopillas 160 do Listadocs 200 do Checks No. 2 300 do Librets 20 do Shirting Linnen ON HAND, A few packages superfine French Britanias, Hempen and Flaxen Linnen, White Rolls, Linnen 2 bushel Bags, Gunny Bags, Table Linnen, Toweling, Cotton Checks, Bedticks, Bluefield Shirting Linnen, Turkey Yarn, Blankets, a case English Hats, Hatbands, Black Crapes, different kinds of Ribbons, German Steel, Green Paint, Tumblers, Decanters, Liqueur Cases, Looking Glasses, Beads, a few tons German and English Lead, and a few casks of Crucibles ALSO, 50 hds. Tobacco Stems 100 barrels Prime Pork 250 pieces Rice 8 tons Braziletto Wood 30 Serouns Peruvian Barks. July 26 d6t eo

For Sale, Cheap,

A SECOND hand CART, with New ears; For particulars, enquire of the printer. August 26 d4t

This is to give notice, that a petition will be presented to the next General Assembly of Maryland, to lay out a road from Meredith Ford, in Baltimore county, by General Charles Ridgely's mine banks, Mr. by Hillen, and General S. Smith's country seats, to the city of Baltimore. August 26 2aw6w

For sale,

THE entire cargo of the schooner Edith & Nancy, consisting of 813 bags of the first quality St. Domingo COFFE. A small quantity of LOG WOOD. For terms apply to JOHN DILLON, No. 6, North Howard-street, eodt August 23