solved in the affirmative—Yeas 44—Nays 13.

At a numerous meeting of the Merchants of this city, held at the Tontine Coffee-house on Monday evening, (John Broome, esq. chairman) the following resolutions were adopted.

N. York paper.

Resolved, That a committee of 22 persons be appointed, to take into consideration the embarrassments which attend the commerce of the United States, especially such as proceed from improper restraints on the importation and exportation of colonial productions, from the irregular conduct of ships of war, particularly in the vicinity of our coasts and harbors; and from the unjustifiable and piratical depredations of private vessels, with and without commissions; and that the said committee report to a future meeting, to be convened by them, whether any, and if any, what representation it may, in their opinion, be adviseable for the commercial interest of this city to make, to the President, Senate and house of Representatives of the United States, for the purpose of obtaining, through the aid of government, compensation for losses already sustained, and security against future aggressions,

Resolved, That this committee be directed to correspond with the Merchants of other parts of the United States, on the subject contained in the preceding resolution, and request them to take the same into their serious consideration.

Resolved, That John Broome, John Murray, Matthew Clarkson, John B. Coles, Archibald Gracie, Wm. Edgar, Benj. G. Minturn, Wm. Bayard, Gullian Ludlow, Wm. W. Woolsey, John P. Mumford, H. Post, Rensselaer Havens, Ebenezer Stevens, Charles Wright, Wm. Lovett, Geo. Griswold, Wynant Van Zant, jun. Wm. Henderson, Benjamin Bailey, John R. Livingston, and Isaac Clason, be members of the said committee.

Published by order of the meeting.

JOHN BROOME, Chairman.

JOHN FERRERS, Secretary.

Governor's Inaugural Speech.

We are indebted to the politeness of a gentleman who arrived last evening from Lancaster, for the following speech of the governor, to both houses of the legislature, upon his taking the oath of office, on Tuesday the 17th instant.

[*U. S. Gazette.*]

Friends & Fellow-Citizens,

The honor which our constituents have conferred, by my election, for a third period to the office of Governor, I accept with a grateful sense of their confidence and with an undimished zeal for their service.

It is true, that some circumstances have occurred in the course of the election which I did not anticipate, as respected myself; but which more than on my own, I lament on account of the public. I did not anticipate that the close of a life sincerely devoted, as far as my means and judgment extend, to advance the liberty, independence and prosperity of my native country, would have been embittered by any imputation of a dereliction of principle, or any usurpation of power:—by artful combinations to impair the confidence of the people; or by groundless slanders to destroy an honest reputation. These, however, are evils, in relation to the *individual*, of too little moment to attract your attention; but as they affect the great interests, political and social, of the community, you will regard them with an anxious eye.—If therefore in the course of a short retrospect, you should discover, that the press has been contaminated by the foulest pollutions; that political incendiaries, just landed on our shores, attempt to acquire, for sinister purposes, the mastery of the passions and prejudices of the people; nay, that the influence of legislative names have been insidiously employed in the paltry practices of party;—I pray you, by all the force of precept, as I know you will, by all the weight of example, to resist and repel the danger, with which such proceedings threaten the fame, the honour and the tranquillity of the state.

The oaths, that have been just now administered, bind me to a co-operation in this, as well as in every other publick duty resulting from the constitution and the laws. Accept then a renewal of my assurances of cheerful co-operation; for our interests, and that of our fellow-citizens, cannot be separated: And, altho' we may sometimes differ, in our opinion of the best means to attain the object, let us reciprocally believe, that still our object is the same; to obey and support the constitution and laws; and to promote the welfare and happiness of the people.

THOMAS M'KEAN.

Lancaster, Dec. 17th, 1805.

Died at Frenchtown, in Cæcil county, on Wednesday, the 18th inst. after a severe illness of sixteen days, Mr. RICHARD SEWELL.

Died at Cape Francois, on the 5th inst. Mr. ANDREW M'LAUGHLIN, of this city, after an illness of 4 or 5 days.

Notice.

The Reverend Doctor Kattoone will officiate in the Second Presbyterian Church, on Christmas day. Divine Service begining at the usual hour of 11 o'clock, and after the Sermon a collection will be made.

December 23. d3

A Quarterly Meeting

OF the MARINE SOCIETY will be held at Peck's Hotel, on THURSDAY, the 26th December, at 6 o'clock in the evening.

By order of the President,

JOHN HAMILTON, Sec'ry.

N. B. The members are requested to be punctual in their attendance, as a plan of the utmost advantage to the society will be laid before them.

We will endeavor to give JUSTICE a place to-morrow.

SHIPPING NEWS

New-York, December 20.

Arrived since our last,

The ship Jason, Blunt, in 19 days from Havanna. Left ships Aurora, Fairchild; Lydia, Roorbach; brigs Rajah, Smith; and Mary, Norton, all of New-York; brig Cyrus, of New Bedford; ships Suffolk, Crocker; Diana, Gray; and Columbine, Atkins, all of Boston; brig ——, Tate, of Salem; ship Rosalind, of Portsmouth, N. H. condemned; brigs Charles, Perkins, of Kennebunk; Bounty, Small, of Portland—and a number of others. December 13, in lat. 37, long. 71, 30, spoke brig Nancy, Davis, 3 days from Philadelphia, for Madeira.

The British ship Medway, Watson, in 56 days from Madeira. The ship Thomas Gordon sailed 10 days before for New York. The ship Experiment (most probably the Enterprize) had just arrived from New York. There was a Norfolk brig also there.

The ship Ann, Murdock, in 37 days from Falmouth, Jamaica. The fleet for England was to sail the same day. The brig Integrity, of New-York, was expected at Falmouth for part of her cargo.—The ship Experiment, of New York, was still under trial, having been recaptured. Spoke, November 25, in lat. 24. 16, the brig Mars, from Jamaica for Portland—Same day, ten leagues from Matanzas was boarded by two British privateers, which had captured the brig Alliance, from New York for Havanna; and ship Two Pollies, from Philadelphia for Havanna, and sent them for New Providence. December 16, in lat. 25, 15, long. 70, 50, the sloop Betsey, 3 days from New York for Antigua.

The ship Clyde, Nichol, in 20 days from Antigua, left, besides those mentioned by captain Bunce, ship Delaware, vessel and cargo libelled; brig Sparrow, Coleman, of Alexandria, to sail in 2 days; brig Albert, Fraser, of Norfolk; schr. Ann, Horn, of St. Bartholomews, vessel and cargo, libelled; schr. Patty, Cowper, of Norfolk, for St. Bartholomews in 2 days schr. Catherine Sheperd, Webb, of do. for Nevis and St. Kitts, in 2; brig Ceres, O'Zuill, of New York, sailed from English harbor 27th ult. for Nevis and St. Kitts. Spoke, Dec. 12, in lat. 29, 30, long. 69, schr. Sally, Hazard, 20 days from Martinique to New-London.

The brig Mary, Norton, in 16 days from Havanna. The brig Pallas sailed 3 days before for New-York; and the ship Columbia, for Boston, do. *Left*, brigs Mary, and Charles, both to sail next day for New-York; ship Aurora, in 6 days for do. ship Lydia, of do. for New-Orleans; brig Hiram, Smith, for New-York in five days; brigs Cyrus, Smith, next day for Philadelphia.

The brig Ontario, Bunce, from Cayenne, and 27 days from Antigua. The Ontario was captured by the British ship Hippomenes, carried into Antigua, tried and cleared. *Left* at Cayenne, the ship Vengeance, to sail next day for New-York, and the ship Gen. Wilkinson, for do. The following American vessels were detained at Antigua:—Ship Clyde, Nichols, from Gaudaloupe for New-York, cargo condemned, to sail in 2 dsys for home; schr. Peggy, Tryon, from Martinique to New-London, vessel and cargo condemned; schr. Washington, Stilman, from Bordeaux for New Orleans, vessel and cargo libelled, waiting for trial, all detained by the Hippomenes; ship Echo, Higgins, of Boston, from Nantz to St. Barts, vessel and cargo condemned; schr. Thomas, Stanley, from Martinique to Beverly; ship Delaware, Pickle, from Philadelphia to Point-Petre, detained by the Eunach schr. sloop George, Reed, of Norfolk, from Point-Petre to New-York, cargo waiting for further proof, she was to sail for New-York next day. Three or four other vessels were at St. Kitts—one the brig Harlequin, Dodge, from Gaudaloupe for New-York, detained by the Amelia frigate, cargo libelled. Understood that a brig from Bordeaux for Philadelphia, with a valuable cargo, was carried into Tortola. Captain Bunce spoke, 5 days since, to the S. and W. of Cape Hatteras, a white bottomed ship, from New York for Charleston.

The British brig Atlantic, Brown, in 76 days from Liverpool. Spoke, October 29, in lat. 43, long. 44, the brig Peregrine, 43 days from Gottenburg for Boston. Nov. 6, in lat. 41, long. 53, the Ship Columbia, 10 days from Philadelphia for Amsterdam Nov. 17, in lat. 38, long. 61, the brig Hero, 46 days from Liverpool for St. Johns or New-York. Dec. 1, in lat. 40, long. 65, the brig George Washington, 3 days from Newburyport for Martinique. 6th, in lat. 40, long. 71, the ship Young Factor, 24 hours from New-York. The passage of the Atlantic has been prolonged at least 40 days by adverse winds and bad weather. She sailed in company with the George Barclay, which vessel most probably is yet detained by having got to the southward in the Gulph.

Kingston, Oct. 21.—Arrived, brig Lana, Douglas, 40 days from New-York; Triton, Marson, North Carolina, 38; brig Enterprize, Alexandria, 28. His Majesty's ship La Pique has put into Lucea, dismasted in a gale on the 30th ult. H. M. ship Success, has arrived at Port Royal, with the schr. Hiram, Euson, from New York to Porto-Rico, recaptured from the French, by whom she was robbed. Came in the brig Port-Mahon, with the brig Swift, from Cuba, for Baltimore, detained. Oct. 26, sailed schr. Sally, Allen, for New-York.

Philadelphia, Dec. 21.

Cleared, ship Brothers, Bray, Londonderry; Belfast, Carman, Norfolk; sch'r Maryland, Coarse, Charleston; sch'r Ceres, King, St. Jago de Cuba; sloop Liberty, Hallet, Providence, R. I.

Arrived the Cyrus, Smith, Havannah. Left there the 4th instant, sch'r Adela, Antine, just arrived in 15 days from Philadelphia, all well—had been boarded by a New-Providence privateer and politely treated, informed that they had sent in the brig Mercury, Dolby, from Philadelphia to Havanna. Also left, ship Aurora, Fairchild, for New-York, in 10 days; ship Lydia, Roebuck, do. uncertain; brig Rajah, Smith, do. in 8 days, and many others, but none of this port. Dec. 6, off Matanzes, S. S. W. lat. 24, 17, spoke the ship Indiana, ——, out 11 days from Philadelphia, for Campeachy all well.

Brig Mary and Hannah, Powers, 13 days from St. Juan de los Remedios, and informs, that the captain of a French privateer, arrived at that port from Nevealas—sailed from thence 8 days before in co. with the brig Charlotte, Kitchen, of and for this port, and that he left there, a Philadelphia brig.

Ship Hercules, Monk, of this port, was at Campeachy, the 18th October, to sail in a few days.

Norfolk, December 16.

Arrived, ship Ohio, Williams, 75 days from Nantz. October 7, in lat 41, 36, long. 18, 10, fell in with a number of spars and sails, picked up several much burnt, marked R. appeared to have belonged to a man of war. Nov. 28, in lat. 29, 15, long. 74, 24, spoke the sloop Sally, Austin, 3 days from New York, bound to Newprovidence. Dec. 11, lat. 34, 21, long. 75, brig Enterprize, bound to Alexandria—supplied him with provisions—he having been plundered of all his provisions off the Havanna, by a French privateer.

Brig Flora, Benthal, 43 days from Liverpool. The ship Juno, Ritson, of this port sailed 10 days before. The ship Alexander, King, of this port was to sail about the 5th Nov. Nov. 7, in lat. 49, long. 15, spoke the ship Duxbury, from Boston for Cherburgh, out 35 days. Dec. 3 in lat. 37, 66, spoke the ship Lydia, of Boston from Charleston, blowing hard, could not hear where bound, but supposed to Liverpool

Sch'r Lydia, Livingston, 25 days from Guadaloupe. Dec. 2, in lat. 22, 40, long. 67, spoke brig Juno, Farinilee, from Dominica bound to New-York, 6 days out. Dec. 7, in lat. 28, 42, long. 71, 30, sch'r Two-Brothers, Cain, of and from Fredericksburg, bound to Turks-Island, 6 days out—had lost his main boom.

Sch'r Belona, Adams, 29 days from Honduras. Nov. 30, off Cape Antonio, was boarded by a Spanish privateer and plundered of 500 dolls. in cash, trinkets, &c, after 24 hours detention dismissed us. The British brig Friends, Metcalf, was to sail in 4 or 5 days for this port.

Abner Tucker,

Now on a tour for his health,

Respectfully informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Baltimore, that he has brought with him

A MODEL IN WOOD,

OF THE ANCIENT CITY OF

JERUSALEM,

THIS ingenious piece of machanism, so universally admired by every person who has seen and heard it explained, is laid out on a scale of *sixteen* by *nine* feet. The LECTURE upon it is long, and calculated to impress the mind with a solemn awe of the Deity, while we see before our eyes the trial and crucifiction of our Divine Saviour.

Those who wish to examine it will do well to improve the present opportunity, by calling at No, 8, Market-space, where they will be admitted for the moderate sum of 25 cents, children for half price He can with confidence invite all, and particularly the religious of every denomination to attend his Lectures.

Among other objects worthy of notice, are the seven mountains in the vicinity of the city and several species of fruit on trees, six feet high.

He informs the citizens, that his hours of exhibition are from 10 o'clock in the morning, until 10 at night.

Dec. 23 d8t

Twenty Dollars Reward.

DAVID MASON, a Shoe-maker by trade, hired a chesnut sorrel MARE of me on Thursday morning last. From circumstances I am induced to believe he is gone off with the intention of not returning her—I will give the above reward for his apprehension with the mare and Ten Dollars for the Mare only, and all reasonable expences paid.

MASON is about 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair; black eyes; had on a knapped surtout; black coat; striped silk vest; black velvet pantaloons, and boots.

The mare is 14 hands high; blaze face; one hind foot white; branded on one of her buttocks I. B. scarcely perceptible. She has lately been trimed for the scratches, and is remarkable for an easy gallop—supposed to be with foal.

WILLIAM COCHRAN, or
JOS. C. O'REILY, Merchant,
Market-space.

December 23 d

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 23d inst. at 12 o'clock, at Waters's wharf, Fell's-Point,

The Fine Brig

ANTELOPE,

178 tons, will carry 240,000 lbs. coffee; sails remarkably fast, mounts 10 guns, and may be sent to sea without any expence.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 23d inst. at 12 o'clock at Bowly's-wharf, will be sold, by order of the administrators,

The Schooner

BELLONA,

Burthen 750 barrels, with all her materials. Her inventory will be shewn, and the terms made known at the time of sale.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct's.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY.

The 23d inst. at 12 o'clock, at the head of Gay-street dock, will be sold, on a liberal credit,

The fast sailing Schooner,

PATRIOT,

Burthen 91 tons, well found, and are in complete order for sea.

LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auct's.

Sale by Auction.

THIS MORNING,

The 23d inst. at 11 o'clock, at the auction room, at the head of Gay-street dock, will commence the sale of

DRY GOODS,

Amongst which are,

1 bale superfine cloths
1 do. second do. &c. &c.

And on account of the underwriters,

9 bales of Dantzic Rolls

After which at 12 o'clock,

62 hhds. of Muscovado sugar
125 bags Guad. Coffee } As advertised
219 tierces of Rice }
62 chests imperial young hyson and hyson skin Teas, &c. &c.

LEMMON & CAMPBELL Auct'rs.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 23d instant, at 12 o'clock, at the auction room at the head of Gay-street dock, will be sold for approved paper, at 4 months,

219 tierces of Rice.

LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auct'rs

Sale by Auction.

JUST ARRIVED,

And will be added to our sale on Monday for cash

125 bags prime Guadaloupe COFFEE.

LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auct's.

Sale by Auction,

TO-MORROW,

The 24th 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,

Consisting of

Broad cloths, Cassimeres, Irish Linen, Russia Sheetings, &c. &c.

And for account of the underwriters,

5 bales damaged German Linen.

After which at 12 o'clock,

37 hhds. Muscovado sugar
118 boxes white and brown Havanna sugar
19 puncheons Jamaica Rum.
343 bags best green coffee
100 gross corks
1 case vials, &c.

And for account of the underwriters,

Part of a Cable.

Also,

The cargo of the brig Antelope, consisting of,
80,000 lbs. coffee, and
100,000 lbs of Cocoa of an excellent quality.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct's.

December 23

Sale by Auction.

Is just received by the last packets, and will be sold TO-MORROW, Tuesday the 24th, at 12 o'clock, at the vendue warehouse, at the corner of second and Frederick-streets, without reserve, for cash,

400 pieces CALLICOES, &
30 pieces beautiful superfine CLOTHS, blues, blacks and dark browns.

THOMAS CHASE, Auct'r.

December 23.

Union Bank of Maryland,

23d DECEMBER, 1805.

NOTICE,

The Union Bank of Maryland will be shut on Wednesday the 25th, (Christmas day.) All persons offering bills or notes for Thursday's discounts, are requested to lodge the same during bank hours on Tuesday the 24th, when it is expected the bills and notes due on Wednesday, will be paid.

R. HIGGINBOTHOM, Caishier.

d2t

To Rent,

FOR a term of years, or shorter time as may be agreed on, that very commodious two story brick HOUSE, about half way between the Town and the Point, formerly owned and occupied by Mr. James Barry. The situation is extremely convenient for a merchant, who has business to attend at either or both places; there is a large, well inclosed garden; a lot of ground highly cultivated, stable, carriage-house, &c. a pump in the yard well supplied with most excellent water, and no place in the environs of Baltimore more healthy. For terms apply to HUGH THOMPSON.

December 23 d

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber has obtained letters of administration on the estate of of SUSANNAH BREIDENBAUGH, late of this city deceased All persons to whom the said deceased stood indebted, are requested to exhibit their accounts properly authenticated, on or before the 21st of March next, they may otherwise, by law be excluded from all benefit of her estate; and all those indebted are requested to make immediate payment to

VALENTINE BREIDENBAUGH,
Administrator,

Who will dispose of at private sale, if application is made, before the 21st of March next, a frame HOUSE and LOT, situate in Green-street, Old Town, late residence of Susannah Breidenbaugh, deceased—If not disposed prior to that date, it will then be offered at Public Sale.

Dec. 23. 2aw6t*

108000 lbs. COCOA &

80000 lbs. fine GREEN COFFEE, received by the Antelope.

For Sale by

JOHN F. KENNEDY.

December 18 d4t

Christmas Day.

WEDNESDAY next being christmas day the Bank of Maryland will be shut, for which reason it is requested that all Notes intended for discount, may be lodged in the bank on Monday, to lay before a special meeting of the directors, on Tuesday, when it is expected that the Bills and Notes due on Wednesday, will be paid, and for which purpose the discounts obtained may be drawn on.

By order, R. WILSON.

December 21 d3t

Jamaica Rum.

50 puncheons just received per Walker's packet, and offered for Sale low, if taken from the wharf.

Also on hand,

Linseed Oil, entitled to debenture
Muscovado Sugar
Teneriffe Wine
Virginia Tobacco, re inspected here.

Apply to JOHN RANDALL,
95 Bowly's wharf.

Dec. 21 d4teo4t

December 21st.

FRESH GOODS,

JUST received per the Argo, from N. York, and now opening in the Cellar of Messrs. John Wood & Co. No. 18, Calvert street,

2 cases fine and common CALICOES
2 cases cotton and silk BRACES

Dec. 21 d4t

Herrings & Codfish.

WILL be landed on Monday, from on board the schooner Argo, captain Hubbard, from New York,

100 barrels HERRINGS
10 hhds COD FISH

For sale by

ALEXANDER WEBSTER & Co.
No. 1, *Commerce-street.*

December 21 d4t

212, 540, Acres of Land.

In the following counties in Virginia, for sale or Barter, viz:—

35,000 in Bath,
70,000 in Patrick,
57,000 in Wythe,
50,000 in ditto,
540 in Botetourt.

Proper surveys have recently been made thereon, and the titles are indisputable.

Any part or the whole may be had a great bargain, by applying to

JOHN STICKNEY.

December 21 d.t1a2w

Geo. C. Muller,

Two doors below the Custom-House,

HAS received by the last arrivals, and on hand from former importations,

2000 pieces Britagnes
600 do. Platillas
600 do. Bonton, No. 2
650 do. Check & Stripes
150 do. Listados
100 do. Creas a la morlaix
200 do. Rouans
1000 do. Estopillas unis
300 do. Cholets
400 do. Bedticks
1 box Bielfield Linen
38 bales Osnaburgs
Ticklenburgs, & Hessians, &c.

Which he offers for sale, on the usual terms.

Dec. 21 d12t

Education.

Baltimore Academy,

Tammany-street.

THE parents of the youth, at this institution, & the public are respectfully informed that on Monday and Tuesday, the 23d & 24th inst. will be held an examination of the different departments in the Seminary. The classical school will be examined on Monday, and the English and mathematical on Tuesday.

On the evening of each day, commencing at 6 o'clock, the youth will deliver a variety of exercises in elocution. The parents will receive tickets of admission previous to the exhibition.

The principal of the Academy takes this occasion of informing the public, that the different departments have lately been filled with the ablest tutors that liberal salaries could procure; and who are ready to be responsible for their respective charges, not only to their employer, but the public.

The Mathematical School is under the tuition of Mr. John Dickson Craig, a gentleman highly recommended for capacity and experience, especially in the higher mathematics & natural philosophy.

The primary or introductory school is taught by Mr. John Craig, A.M who lately graduated at the university of Glasgow, and produces the most respectable credentials of those qualifications, moral and literary, which should characterise the instructor of youth

Besides these, there are two junior ushers; and a French tutor, of respectable character and qualifications, is constantly engaged in instructing such as wish to acquire that language.

It is presumed that, to those who may take the trouble to make impartial enquiry, it will appear, that there is no Seminary in this city, or the state, where more highly sanctioned means can be afforded for acquiring a liberal & comprehensive course of literary instruction.

The principal has expended two thousand five hundred dollars on accommodations and apparatus. Exclusive of his own labours, the acquisition of the most respectable talents, together with contingent expences, amount to upwards of two thousand dollars per annum, and consequently must require respectable support; but it is resolved that the number of pupils, at no one time, shall exceed twenty five for each instructor. Parents, who can without prejudice, make allowance for diversity of genius or capacity in youth, and have patience to wait the effects of system and discipline, steadily and zealously pursued, shall not be disappointed.

The liberal and enlightened citizens of Baltimore whose munificence hath already blessed so many *very distant* Seminaries, it is hoped, cannot fail to encourage the exertions of an individual, in behalf of their *own youth*, more especially when it is considered, that the terms are regulated by that principle, without which, no public Seminary can be entitled to public countenance in a free country, *i.e.* NOT PLACED BEYOND THE REACH OF THE GREAT BODY OF THE COMMUNITY.

Academy, Baltimore, December 20, 1805. } SAML. KNOX.

December 21