THE WHIG.

" GIVE US BUT LIGHT

BALTIMORE:

SDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1810.

SIONAL QUESTIONS. enjoined on the President ection of the act of May 1st, clamation of the fact of eith nouncing or medilying its and as France has accepted are the letters of Pinkney y sufficient proof of "the lich the President should clamation?

encer of yesterday says. s are duplicates; and two g without date, is attributed out Pinkney's letter to Wel dated August 25th, and the ting written in the same month, having recognized gen, Arms letters as au hentic, (including uotation from the duke of Cadore's et er) - is not all this, under Pinkney's hand and seal, sufficient evidence of the modification of revocation of the French modification of revocation of the direct decrees, supposing that there is no direct decrees, supposing that there executive, and leaves nothing to his discretion

Brig Betsey, Marshall, of Baltimore, was left at Pont Petre, Guadaloupe, 22d Sept. to sail for Now Orleans in 4 days.

Schooner Hope, from Baltimore, has arrived at Boston

under proper regulation, highly condu-

cive to pleasure and to virtue; I desire permission to convey a request to Mr Fennell and to Mesus Warten & Wood.

through the medium of your paper, to

gratify the citizen, of Boltimore with the

performance once were of the tragedy

of LEAR, -if it be possible to do so with

convenience. A drama, which teaches so fine a m ral, I would deligh to see

played, while Mr Fennell is here to act

the principal character. This tragedy

exhibits in indelible colours the black

ness of ingrati ude, the baseness of sy

cophancy-and shows by contrast the

striking beauty and loveliness of filial af-

fection and of fidelity to an old friend in

the blasts of adversity, which sunshine

vermin had taken wing. There is p.o.

b bly no other performer in America, than Mr. F (I do not flatter) who could

ably act the part of Lear. The pre emi

nent quality of that gentleman's powers

for tragical action alone extorts this tra

bute from an unknown admirer of chaste

performance alike divested of unnican

ing rant, and of grovelling improper degree and all are rennen support the

difficult character of HAMLET on Satur

day evening last! Discretion was his

tutor; he suited the action to the

word, the word to the action; and, with

a discriminating mind that clearly con

ceived the author's meaning in every in-

stance, he was careful not to " overstep

the modesty of nature." His acting ex-

emplified the advice of Hamlet to the

players. As a pure style consists of proper words in proper places;" so,

excellent dramatic performance consists

of an utterance, gesture, look, expres-

sive of the passion and feeling proper to

the character personated. In the stormy

conflict of passions with which Hamlet

was beset, how well, how exactly did

Fennell express the emotion ! he "held

the mirror up to nature." In the distre-s

of grief for his fether's death, and innig

nation at his mother's hasty marriage

with his uncle, (act i, scane II) he

evinced a most correct tasic and elegant

anner ;- particularly in the following :

His canon 'gainst self-s-aughter! O God! O

Then, taking fire at his mother's pre-

cipitancy, and the disrespect it implied

for his father's memory ;- " But two

months dead !" was pronounced with the

dialogues were handsomely sustained .-

Quaint things were said quaintly; plain

things, simply. The former sort of ex-

pression was mimitably used in hinting

to Rosencrantz and Guildenstern that his

madness was only feigned " I am but

mad north north west; when the wind

is southerly, I know a hawk from a hand-

chasteness of the representation; and

Fennell was greeted with clapping from

When, in a preceding part of the same

scene, he complained of his disgust with

the world, and his disselish for its en

joyments, yet show'd a devout admiration

for the works of nature and the endow

ments of man; when he exclaimed,

e In action, how like AN ANGEL! In apprehension, how like A GOD!" the

cliniax of emotion (if I may so speak)

rising higher and higher, was so admira

bly expressed by voice, features and ges-

ture,-that the audience gave vent to

their feelings, by a general burst of ap-

skill, and witnessed the force of sympa-

thy ! 'twas then, I wished myself a flay-

In the scenes with the Ghost, and with

his mother, he was equally great: The

Twas then I saw the effect of

-The audience perceived the

Ever just in perception, the lighter

How weary, stale, flat, and unprofitable

Seem to me all the uses of this world!

most pe fect sensation.

saw.

every quarter

O, that this too too solid flesh would melt,

Thaw and resolve itself into a dew!

Or that the Everlasting had not fix'd

COMMINICATION.

Messrs. Irvine & Barnes, Having eve indulged a fondness for scenic exhibitions, thinking them,

On Jones's Falls, Situate between the mills of colorel Stricker and T. and S. Holingsworth, esqr's a out two miles from the Court House, and near the Fall Turapike Company's new bridge-containing one acre of ground more or less. On this property is erected an extensive Stone Building, which has been occupied as a tavern for 11 years and upwards, and to which considerable additions have been lately made. There is a valuable Stone Quarry on the whole of this lot, which has been parrially opened, and worked

perty is seperately and more parasitarly or cribed in the several adverti ements published in the respective newspapers. Additional information may be obtained by applying to the public's obliged humber servants, W. G. HANDS & CO. Auct'rs.

Stone Tavern and Quarry,

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

ON TUBSDAY next, the 23d instant, will be sold by auction, on the firenises

if not previously disposed of at private

sule, (of which due notice will be gr-

A LOT OF GROUND

The whole of the above,

October 22

The terms and particulars will be made known at the time of sale, (it at auction,) and in the anterim, ty the sub-

WM. G. HANDS & CO. Auctioneers.

October 17

CITY TAXES.

THOSE persons who are in a rears for Gi y, Paving and Pump Faxes, are respectfully requested to pay the same immediately either when called on or at the Collector's Office, in

that my duty to the piblic as well as mysel; must prevent longer indulgence, and that I shall proceed to enforce payment without respect to persons.

Benjamin Fowler, Collector.

dıf Oct. 6

Notice is hereby given,

THAT a Petition will be exhibited to the next General Assembly of this state, for the purpose of opening a public 10.10 from the Old York Road, on or near Thomas or Joseph Sutton's land, by Buil's Mill; and to intersect the York Tu: npike Road, at or near John Weise's

Balt. Co. Oct 11, 1810. [18] 1w*

DANCING SCHOOL. F. D. MALLET

Repectfully informs his friends, and the the public, that he has taken Mr. Zoman's Large Room, corner of Market and Field rick streets, where his Dancing School will commence on Michalay the 15th inst. from three in the afternoon till five, for Young Ladies, and from six to nine for Gentoemen. Days of timion, Monday, Tuerday, and Saturday. Every Saturday will be a Pragiting Ball, Young Ladies and Gentleiven that wish Ball. Young Ladies and Gentle wen that wish to subscribe for the Sesson, can be accom-modated upon reasonable terms. The reom-

is handsomely situated, and large enough for four Cotillons amply F. D. Mallet thinks it suffice to say, that he has given general satisfaction to the perents and guardians of hose popils under nor care, and that his manner of tesching is no way infector to any matter in this city. This, experience will demonstrate.

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Subscription Books are left at Mr. Carr's
Music Store, at D. F. M's lodgings, N. Gay
street, No. 51, and at his Dancing School. Oct. 10

Salt Petre, Sugars, Apples, &c. &c.

The best English retined Salt Petre, in kegs of 1 cwt. or smaller.

20 boxes of Havanna Sugar, white & clean Calcutta do. very white, coarse grain, and

Muscovado do, in bbls, and hhds.

Muscovado do, in one, and ands.

A few harr-la choice winter Pippins,
Pure Rye Whiskey, by the demijohn or
gallon, with a variety of other
GROCERIES, are offered for sale at the corner of Market

and South-streets, by
STILES & WILLIAMS,

Tea Merchants & Greeers

October 18 STOP --- DOG!

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THE Person who deceyed from J. Gadaby's correr, a POINTER DOG, and now himself a deal of pain by setting oim at liberty, as he is as well known in Beltimore as the Dog. Lest this shild not operate on the gentleman, a description will be necessary. The Dog has a brown head, with long cars, a slit in one of them, the other sore; has a brown spot on his back and one on his rump; on his left rive one of his rib hence broke which projects about half an inch. about halfan inch. October 20

and bent wild on vacancy, were their of

exquisite skill. Of other performers, I am not dispo-to say much; Mrs. Wilmot in Ophelia, displayed a little of talent, but really her Liniputian layship is unfit for the part.

speak of staure, merely.

Mr. Warrn played the king very well; and we like to behold kings—on the stage! Lit the most impressive portion of his art was omitted: remorse for his crimet. But, where am I running? Harret calls him "remorseless!"

Polonius wa twice butchered; once by Hamlet, anthen by Mr. Jefferson. I am confiden that the old courtier was not intended f a wilful buffoon as Jef-ferson made in. The finest part of his character wasoncerled also; his admo nivion to his in Laertes, when setting out on lus træls :

_ " be thy thoughts no tongue, Nor any unprortioned thought his act. Be thou familia but by no means vulgar, &c. Give every mahine ear, but few thy voice: Take each ra's consure, but reserve thy

judg + Costly thy ha as thy purse can buy, But not expered in fancy; rich, not gaudy For the Complete processing the man. of Polonius: 15 an officious, bustling page of rojalty, se is despicable, but not a buffoon. The peerless captain All-clack was cut of his element in a trage-

dy.

Blisset appresented the grave digger to perfection.

As for Laertes, his representative madehim afoil to Hamlet.

I hope we shall be gratified with Lear once nore. That was the cause of this communication: for I am NO CRITIC.

> STORY OF A SHEEP; OF,

THE EFFECTS OF CHOWDED SPEECK. (A true tale, communicated to the Edi-1018)

" O sire, evied Robinson, the sheep! the sheep! What of the sheep, replied the king, pray,

Dead, Robinson, dead, dead, or run away D ad, answered Bohinson—dead, d so!
Then like a drooping lilly hung sis head?

[Peter P maar.

Not many weeks since, a gentleman in Philadelphia purchased a Noble Merino ram at auction, and sent him by a ervant to his country residence, to graze upon his farm. The gentleman being very rich, and occupied with business, seemed to speak by the second, and throw out his words without space or stop between them; thinking, per haps, his servant might have more time than he - " Harke Sir inform Mis there will be that on day of there will be numerous party to dine with us in the country and here? The Marind Hard Now, by the rood, he did not intend that the ram should be enten! but that he should eat the choicest grass and clover on his plantation Unfortuna cly for this " patriarchal ram," his name was coup

and the servant emptied the contents of this budget in a heap.

On the appointed day, the company assembled & the villa f Mr N ——; the diener hour was not yet pronounced by the clock, nor pointed to by the dial. So, it was proposed to take a turn over the fields, to see the Merino ram, the flocks and trees. But, Mrs. intim-ted to them, that the luckless Merino would be shortly on the table. This was certainly a surprize upon Mr. -

led in the message with a dinner party,

looked " White as the ghost who sought king Priam's bed, And told him that his warlike son was

dead " Why, patient or impatient reader, should I say more to caution you against confusion of speech, or an improper collocation of words?

colloca ion of words?

SOUTH CAROLINA ELECTION Langdon Cheves, and D R. Williams, are elected to the 12th congress: both republicans of hendsome talents .-Other districts not heard from. These gentlemen are chosen to succeed Messrs. Marion and Witherspoon, members of

the present congress. Brig Eliza Ann, Russell, from hence, har arrived at Charleston; where also

arrived the 13th instant-British ship Recovery, Bryant, Guadaloupe, in distress bound to Greenock: sugar, cotton and coffee-and

Ship Jane, Myer, London, and 48 days from the Isle of Wight-goods, gin, brandy and porter.

Captain Willoughby, commanding an English ship of war off the Mauritius, landed with a party of marines, &c at Port Jacotel, on the S. E. part of the island, in April last, got possession of a fort, spiked a few guns, burned a signalhouse and flag staff in a very gallant manner, and very gallantly-made his escape again to his ship.

The Mufti, at Constantinople, has sent all his plate to the mint, in imitation of the Grand Seignior and Grand Vizier A contribution of 3,000,000 of plastres has been imposed on the Greeks, Ar menians, and Jews, residing in Turkey.

At the entrance of the Seraglio four horse tails are placed, as a sign that the Grand Seignior is going to take the field.

Professor Leslie, of Edinburgh, says an English paper, has discovered a new mode of producing artificial cold. With start of surprise and fear; the glaring out any expenditure of materials, he can,

by means of a slimple apparatus, in which the action of certain chemical powers is combined, freeze a mass of water, and keep it for an infinite length of time in a state of ice. In an hour he has thus for med a cake of any inches in diameter, and three quarters of an inch thick; with very little trouble, he can produce a per manent cold of 90 degrees of l'ahrenheit, below the temperature of the air, and might easily push it to more than 100 degrees.

"MULTUM IN PARVIS;" or, Plain truthin a few words.

The following little article, from the Boston Chronicle, contains facts and conclusions, which federal sophistry cannot

refute:"We ask the democratic party a plain question, and request a plain and categorical answer :- Do they, or do they not justify Bonaparte in the immense seizures he has made of American property, on the principle of retulation for the Non-intercourse act? We look for a reply in the Chronicle "-(Repertory,

The seizure of our property by the French, has never been attempted to be justified by the republicans either on the principle of retailation for the Non-intercourse act, or any other pinciple.
In no instance have we asserted, that Fonce has not injured us :- But the pritciple for which we havecontended is, that the aggressions of Fince arose from those of Great Britain and that it is to England we are to look, as the ori gin of all our political and ommercial evils. When France beheld ur proper ty condemned in the British Courts of Admiralty-when she saw thusands of Americans impressed on boat the Bri tish navy, and there compelld to fight George the Third-when shewitnessed the passage of a proclamation blockade from the cabinet of Great Britin, and its non resistance by the United Stateswhen she beneld the slaugh orof Pierce and the crew of the Chesapeke-and saw nothing on our part but themost un qualified submission to these agravated outrages, she undoubtedly thought that the prodigal son had returned, & thrown himself at the feet of his father.

The blockades and orders of England. injured both France and the United States; and the retaliatory decrees of the French were in self defence. But as Bonaparte has consented to repeal his decrees upon the conditions offered by the United States-end as in this event the English have engagedto withdraw their orders, it will be both for our interest and honor to oppose Great Britain, if she fail in performance.

Paris, August 17. To a submissive address celivered to Buonaparte by admiral Verheul, as spokesman of the deputies from Holland, sent to congratulate the emne lowing answer:]-

"Gentlemen, Deputies of the Legislative Body of the land and sea forces of Holland, and gentlemen deputies of my good city of Amsterdam, for these thirty years you have experienced many vicissitudes. You lost your liberty when one of the great officers of the republic, favoured by England, employed Prus sian bayonets to interrupt the delibera tions of your councils. It was then that the wise constitution handed down to you by your forefathers, was destroyed

foreve: " You formed part of the coalition, in consequence of which French armies conquered your country: an event which was the unavoidable consequence of the alliance with England After the conquest, a distinct government was form ed, yet your republic formed part of the empire Your strong fortresses, and the principal positions in your country were occupied by French troops; and your government was changed according to the opinions which succeeded each other

in France. When Providence placed ne on this all the nations which compose this vast empire, to bestow on all the signal ad vantages which arise from firmess, con sistency and order-and to distroy the baneful consequences of irregularity and weakness. I put a period to he waver. ing destinies of Italy, by placing the iron crown on my head. I annulated the government which ruled Piednont. By my act of mediation, I justly appreciated the constitution of Switzerlad, and brought the local circumstances of the country in unison with the salty and rights of this imperial crown. I gave you a prince of my blood for you ruler: this was intended as a bond to uite the concerns of your republic with thrights of the empire My hopes hav been deceived, and on this occasion have shewn more forbearance than m char acter generally admits, and myrights required. I have at length put aleriod to the painful uncertainty of your uture fate, and warded off the fatal blowklich threatened to annihilate all your pisperity, all your resources. I have sened the continent to your national indury. "The day shall come when ye are

to conduct my eagles on the seascelebrated by the exploits of your anctors Then shall you show yourselves withy of yourselves and me. From thimo ment to that period, all the changethat take place in Europe, shall hat for their first motive, the destruction that tyraunical and irrational system lich the English government, unmind of the pernicious consequences which ise therefrom to its own country, andibtherefrom to its own country, and be her crew except 3, including the cap-ject it to the arbitrary authority of bg. tain. Left Sep. 23d, sch'rs Fox, Swain; lish licenses.

"Gentlemen, deputies of the legisla. tive body, and of the land and sea forces of Helland; and gentlemen deputies of my good city of Amsterdam—tell my subjects of Holland I feel perfectly satisfied they possess the sentiments they possess for me—Tell them that I doubt not their loyal attachment, and depend on their heartily joining their exertions to those of the rest of my subjects, to reconquer the rights of the sea-the loss of which five coalitions, incited by England, have inflicted on the continent.

Tell them, that in all circumstances they may reckon on my peculiar protection."

FATAL ACCIDENT. Yesterday murning Mr. Robert Robin-son, of Newport, Rhode Island, mate of the ship Resolution, of this port, fell from the main yard of the said ship and was instantly killed.

NEW YORK, October 20. Last evening arrived at this port the fast sailing ship Hannibal, in 35 days from Liverport.

Capt. Barnum has brought two sets of dispatches from our minister in London for government, one set was put on board the 9th of September.

By the Hannibal the editors of the Mercantile Adv. rtiser have received files of London and Liverpool papers, and Lloyd's Lists to the 7th of September, but their contents have been anticipated by the papers brought by the sch'r Laura Ann from London.

CHARLESTON October 15. FIRE! Last evening, about half past eight o'c'ock, a FIRE broke out in the kitchen attached to the house of Morton Waring, E:q. in Broad street, which was consumed; but the carly attention of the citizens, who have been in one continued state of alarm since this night week, pre-vented its spreading farther. This was decidedly the work of an Incendiary, 25 the fire was communicated to the kitchen from the fowl house adjoining. If there is no law, by which vagrants can be taken up, now existing in this state, we think that a little club law would, if ever, be now excusable. -- City Gaz.

Port of Baltimore.

From the Merchant's Coffee-House Books. October 22

Arrived, sch'r Rosamond, Fitch, 19 days from Havanna—sugar—T. Tenant and J. Sterett. Left there, ship Ann, Hooper, for Baltimore, 5th Oct; 3ch'r Houper, for Haltimore, 5th Oct; sch'r Harmony, Gordon, do. 3d; Tartar, Potter, do. discharging; brig Freelove, Lake, of do touched at Havanna, and sailed next day for N Otleans Spoke sloop Liberty, of Norfolk, trom Jamaica going into Havanna, in distress, crew aick... Oct. 8. of Floridas, spoke sch'r , Och a off Wait for Billimore. out 27 days, short of provisions, blowing fresh, could only send him some beef by a line Passed in the Bay, ships Perseverance and Stapleton

Also, ship Stapleton, Blackwell, 59 days from London, in ballast, to Robert Gilmor & Sons. Left there 24th Auggress, Hope, and Good Hope of Battimore. Oct 12th, lat 38, lon 68, spoke brig Ruse, from Portland for Jamaica.— Passed ship Friendship from Cork, in the bay. The Perseverance was aground between Sparrow's Point and the Rocks.

CLEARED, Sch'r Sea Flower, Lewis, Barbadoes Fly, Thomas, Fly, Thomas, Wm & John, Dameron, do St. Jose, Vigo, St. Thomas Sloop St. Jose, Vigo,

Port of Salem, Oct. 13. ARRIVED,

Brig Return, Hooper, from Surii.

nanı. October 14.

Ship Friendship, Brookhouse, 63 days from Archangel, with hemp and iron — Left—ships Canawa, Murdock; Lovely Matilda, Bingham; and Little Cherub, first throne of the world, it fel to my lot to decide forever the fate of Fance, and to decide forever the fate of Fance, and the second of the world it is wast in first Frederick Augustus, Potter; Allerican Andrews Thomas exander Hamilton, Anderson; Thomas, Nichole; and Ann, Grush, Baltimore: Hercules, Taylor; American Eagle, Clemmons, from St. Michaels; Huron, Smith, from New York for Fayal; Katy, Delano, do; Courtney, English, Norfolk; George, Mix, from Varel; Sally, Stetson, Boston; Thomas, Nichols, it. Madeira; Ajax, Nichols, of Bath from Tonningen; Clyde, Messervy, for New York next day; Hare, New York; Xanthus, Newburyport; Regulus, Brooks, Salem; Juno, Page, do. Brigs Perseretance, Smith, Providence, from Bergen; Comet, Bounds, Faltimore, do; Three Sons, Rich, Boston, from News York; Amazon, Hopkins, New York; Rebecca, Searl; Telemachus, Townsend; Dido, Lewis; and George, Haraden, Salem; Alfred, Coleman, Portland; Sally, Jackson; and Sally, Simonds, Boston; sch'r Four Brothers, Molloy, Salem; Independence, Somes, Boston; captain Haskell, of Newburypore, from Alicant; Four Sisters, Thorndike, for Beverly next day; Swan, Woodbury, Be-erly, from Oporto, under the imperial decree, being from an English port; ship St. Nicholas, Strong, for Rotterdam in 5 days; Catharine, Hopkins, late master of the Commerce of Philadelphia, for England in 5 days. Spoke Sept 6th. lat 56 54, Ion 21 9, schooner Augusts, Stickney, from Archangel for Beverly.

Sch'r Ann, Gage, from Point Petre. Sailed in company with the brig Ruby, Dillaway, for Newburyport; and spoke her Oct 12, on George's banks-lost all