

this order, it must not be forgotten that it leads to great actions, and to important public benefits.

Of this class, the breeders are the most remarkable, and least useful. Their object is to improve the cattle of the country, for which purpose they negotiate with the utmost anxiety the amours of their cows and sheep. Such object, exclusively pursued, tend little to improve either the intellect or the manners. These people will apply to a favorite pig, or a Herefordshire bull, the same epithets of praise and exclamations of delight, which a sculptor would bestow upon the Venus de Medici, or the Apollo Belvidere. This passion is carried to an incredible degree of folly: the great object of ambition is to make the animal as fat as possible, by which means it is diseased and miserable, while it lives, and of no use to any but the tall chandler when dead. At this very time there is a man in London belonging to a fat ox, who has received more money for having fattened his ox, than Newton received for all his discoveries, or Shakespeare for all his works. Crowds go to see the monster, which is a shapeless mass of living fat. A picture has been painted both of man and beast, a print engraved from it, in order that the one may be immortalized as the fattest ox that ever was seen, and the other as the man who fed him to that size; and two thousand persons have subscribed for this a guinea each. A fat pig has been set up against him, which I know not why, does not seem to take. The pig is acknowledged to be a pig of great merit, but he is in a manner neglected, and this man complains of the want of taste in the public.

RURAL ECONOMY.

From the Batavia Cornucopia. OPIUM.

Measur. Editors,

It is generally known that this very valuable medicine, is procured from the Poppy; and as this indigenous plant, grows luxuriantly in our country, great benefit might arise from cultivating it and collecting the Opium. For this purpose, there are various methods and as I have paid some attention to the subject, I would communicate through the medium of your paper, that which I conceive to be the best method of obtaining the gum. It requires no particular skill in cultivating the plant—the large white poppy is preferred—the other species yield this article, though I think in less degree. As soon as the flowers have fallen off, commence the operation in the morning, by making two slight transverse incisions in the head or capsule, with a sharp pointed knife—a milk like substance will immediately exude—collect this with a knife into a cup and go through the whole in the same manner, then return to the first operation upon and collect what will have transuded since the operation. The next morning what remains upon the capsule will be inspissated to a thick consistency—scrape this off and repeat the former operation. By this process, double the quantity may be procured to that of cutting off the capsule.—The gum collected in this way is much superior in strength and purity to that which is imported.

A valuable extract may be made by boiling the capsules in water after they have yielded what gum they will by incision. Put them into an iron vessel, cover them with water, boil them one hour over a brisk fire, pour off the water and press out what they absorb, strain the decoction and bring it to a proper consistency by boiling over a gentle fire.

ABRAHAM TURTELOT.

July 19, 1810

AN EXCELLENT LAW.

It was a law of Athens, that every man should be excused from maintaining his father, if his father had taught him no trade.

INTERMENTS

In the City and Precincts of Baltimore.

Table listing interments: Illness fever 3, Crup 2, Casualty 1, Consumption 4, Cholera 13, Child bed 1, Dizziness 1, Dropsy 2, Fits 2, Inflammation of the brain 1, Intermittent fever 1, Putrid fever 2, Still born 1, Teething 1, Whooping-cough 3, Unknown 2.

Adults 16

Children 26

NORFOLK, Aug. 31.

The United States' corvette JOHN ADAMS, arrived here yesterday from Washington City.

Part of Baltimore.

From the Merchants' Coffee-House Books.

Arrived, sch'r Merchant, Hamilton, 15 days from Havana—sugar, coffee and segars.—Wm. Greetham and John Han dahl. Sailed in co. with sch'r Fly, Gold, (arrived). OF Harveys, spoke sch'r Liberty, from New York for Charleston Aug. 29. lat. 37, long 75. sch'r President, from Baltimore for Cayenne, out 3 days.

Sch'r Centurion, Hillman, 21 days from New Orleans—cotton—Wm. Norris and A. Seekamp. Passed in the

Mississippi, bound up, brig Venus, from Baltimore; sch'r —, from Salem; ship Concord, Stackhouse, from New York. August 16, off Tortugas, spoke brig North Star, from Philadelphia for New Orleans.

Brig George, Rutter, for Cadix, went to sea on Sunday.

Port of Boston, August 29.

ARRIVED. Sch'r Fe elon, Linnel, 46 days from the Isle of May.

Ship Arno, 46 days from Gottenburg. Spoke off the Orkney Islands, ship Atlantic, Jayne, 42 days from New York for Gottenburg.

CLEARED.

Brig Joseph, Twitchell, Cape de Verds —sch'r Caledonia, Percival, Gottenburg; Collins, Surrinam.

Port of New-York, Sept 1.

Below, brig Union, 70 days from Liverpool, and two schooners.

Port of Newburyport, Aug. 30.

ARRIVED. Barque Mars, Williams, 20 days fr. St Vincents. Sch'r Panelope, of Portsmouth, Vir. sailed for New York, July 30.

Prices at St Vincents.

Corn 60 cents no sale; lumber 18 dolls plenty; w. o. hhd staves 25; Flour 7; hhd hoops 25; corn meal 4; fish 3, no sale; rum 50 cents gallons; punchcons 12 dolls; molasses (includ. casks) 48 cents.

Brig Speedwell, Dent, 20 days from St. Lucia, sch'r Hope, Lowell, 20 days from Port au Prince. Left August 8, sch'r Triumph, Dorrance, of Philadelphia, two-thirds discharged.

Port of Philadelphia, Sept 3.

ARRIVED. Brigs Niagara, Russel, 50 days from Gottenburg; Eliza, Burgee, New Orleans.

Ship Edward and Charles, King, from Tonningen in a long passage, is below.

Capt. Mead, of the Transit, spoke 25th ult. sch'r Amity, Butler, of this port, out 59 days from Liverpool, for N. Carolina, all well.

Yesterday arrived brig Niagara, Russel, 50 days from Gottenburg. On the 9th of July, the day he sailed, he saw the fleet from Russia for England; the Elizabeth, American, Ganges and Thomas Penrose, of this port in company, got under way. He left at Gottenburg, the ships Stranger, Delaware, Ariel, Fair Trader, and African of Philadelphia, destination uncertain. The Sussannah, of Philadelphia, had proceeded up the Baltic. The ship Minerva Smith, Man, of and from this port, was taken 1st of July, near Gottenburg, by a British cruiser and sent to England.—The ship Devotion, of New York, was cleared but the captors had appealed; the Mary Pike, Myers, of Boston, from Lisbon, and Live Oak, Farill, of Newburyport from St. Ubes, for Russia, are condemned at Copenhagen. Capt R on the 16th of July fell in with a British Greenlandman, who informed that four days before in long 2 east, he spoke the ship Little Cherub, Parkinson, from Philadelphia for Archangel, all well, another American ship in company.—Brig Union, Aldridge, from the Isle of May, is below.

CLEARED.

Schrs Cumberland, Wheaton, Lisbon; Maria, Hardie, West Indies; Pearl, Blanch, St Jago de Cuba; Pece, Babcock, Richmond; Farmer, Platt, Norfolk; Sally & Eliza, Carey, do; sloop Harmony, Edward, Alexandria.

Port of Norfolk, Aug. 31.

ARRIVED. Ship Mary-Anne, Russel, 6 days from New York—ballast.

Ship Calhoun, Henderson, 6 days from —ballast.

Sch'r Mary Anne, Bernard, 12 days from Turk's Island—sea, turtle, & fruit. Left there, sch'r Philander, Clark, for New Haven, in a few days. Spoke August 15, in sight of Turk's Island, ship Captain, from Baltimore bound to New Orleans. Next day, fell in with the brig Mary, Foster, (late master), of Boston, from St. Mary's bound to Jamaica; the captain of which shot himself about three hours before. Having no person on board capable of navigating her, capt' Oldner of this place went on board for that purpose.

NOTICE.

That there will be an ELECTION held on MONDAY, the first day in October next, at the usual places—for two CONGRESS MEN, one for the County, and one for the City. And six ASSEMBLY MEN—four from the County, and two from the City, to represent us in the ensuing Sessions. WM. MERRYMAN, Sheriff. Baltimore, Sept. 5, 1810 disto

NOTICE.

Since the Partnership of GARDNER & OWENS, has dissolved by mutual consent, the Subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has OPENED a

GROCERIES & LIQUORS, of the best quality—where Grocers, Merchants and others may be supplied on the most reasonable terms; and all Goods entrusted to his care, shall be attended with the greatest care and punctuality.

JOHN CATOR.

N B GOODS received on Storage, as above. Sept 5 2aw4w

Sale by Auction.

ON FRIDAY (At half past 9 o'clock)

The 7th inst. at the New Auction Rooms, corner of East and Lemmon streets, and nearly fronting the New Theatre.

Will commence the Sale of A variety of Dry Goods;

Among which are, A few pieces of Damask Draper Table Cloth, 6 4 to 8 4 wide, of superior quality, and suitable for families.

Also, without any reserve,

At the request of the concern, a variety of GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,

AND

One Trunk of Jewelry.

Immediately after the sale of Dry Goods, A quantity of St. Domingo Coffee, and other Groceries.

And, as usual, a variety of

Household Goods & Kitchen Furniture,

Part of which is new and of superior quality

In course of sale,

An old fashioned Phaeton.

WM. G. HANDS & Co. Auctioneers.

Sept 5 3

FOR SALE,

An Elegant New

PILOT-BOAT BUILT SCHOONER,

Burthen 70 tons, cap-peters measure—will carry about 150 barrels, pierced for guns, and built of the best seasoned materials—supplied by judges will prove a very fast sailer; and if required can be launched in ten days. For terms apply to the subscriber at Barron's wharf, Fell's Point.

JOSHUA WILLS.

Sept. 5 2aw4

To be Rented,

THAT LARGE and CONVENIENT

Three story BRICK HOUSE,

At the corner of Bond and Thames-streets Fell's Point—which has been occupied as a Tavern for many years—having a number of separate Rooms, with large Ball and Billiard Room; and very well calculated for a Boarding House. A further description of this eligible stand is thought unnecessary, as any person wishing to rent will view the premises; and the terms will be made known by the subscriber living thereon.

JAMES BOND.

Sept 5 2aw4

NOTICE.

To the Creditors of PETER GIESLER, an Insolvent Debtor—I will make a dividend of the money in hand, on THURSDAY, the 25th inst. All persons having claims, will present them to me at my office, on Tuesday, the 20th inst.

WILLIAM MERRYMAN, Sheriff & Trustee.

Sept 5 2aw4

To the People of Baltimore City and County.

FELLOW CITIZENS!

Look before you leap—in giving your votes to those who have not the stamp and spirit of '76. Now is the time at hand you are to be slaves or freemen—Come forward to the polls on the 1st day of October next, and vote for that man without partiality, who will at the risk of his life stand and contend to support your country's cause, and will not yield.

Fellow citizens.—I am solicited by many of my friends and acquaintances, to represent you in the 12th Congress.—Gentlemen, permit me to offer to you my services.—Should I have the good fortune to be successful in this my undertaking, I will pledge my self and labour to discharge the duties of that station with honour and steadfast attention and fidelity, at the risk of my life, as a republican of '76. And with all due respect, subscribe myself,

Your most humble servant to serve,

JOHN BUNKER.

Fell's Point, Baltimore

Sept 5 The Evening Post and American will please insert the above.

September 5 d.

Boarding House and Tavern.

CHARLES BURNETT.

Impraised with gratitude for the many favours conferred upon him, respectfully in forms his friends and the public, that he has opened and fitted up as a

GENTLE BOARDING HOUSE,

that large commodious house, No. 20, Fell's street, Fell's Point, nearly opposite Dr. Alder's, where every attention will be paid to the accommodation of those gentlemen who may please to favour him with their custom.

Orders, during the season, as usual; and Wines of the first quality and flavour; Spirits, foreign and domestic, with a general supply of the best Provisions on the market at low rates.

A DINNER will be provided every day at one o'clock, at 50 cents each.

August 25 2aw4

FOR SALE,

The Schooner

MARY-ANN,

In Frederick-street dock—

about 51 tons burthen in good order and sails remarkably fast.

ALSO,

The Schooner

HENRY,

In Frederick-street dock—

about 45 tons, and is well calculated for the Bay trade.—Apply to

THOMAS SPRIGG,

83, D street, Baltimore.

August 27 2aw4

REGULAR PACKET.

THE SCHOONER

MARY & JANE

CENTREVILLE PACKET.

Will sail from the upper end of Bowley's wharf every WEDNESDAY morning at 8 o'clock, and leave Centreville every SATURDAY morning at the same hour.

BENJAMIN CALDER.

2aw4tO.

July 25

William Matthews,

Has just Received and for Sale,

250 barrels Soft Turpentine.

IN STORE,

37 bales Upland Cotton, suitable for retailing.

With a General Assortment of

Bar, Bolt, Nail and Spike Iron

Patent and other Cambooses

Spikes, from 3j to 10 inches long

Wrought and Cut Nails.

ALSO,

Herrings, Shad, Pork & Lard.

August 29 2aw4

HORSE & GIG.

A new GIG made in Philadelphia, in the first style, and on a new plan, with a set of best full plated Harness—And, a handsome GREY HORSE, fit for saddle or harness. For sale at Mr. Worley's Tavern.

Sept 1 d4t

Stray MARE.

Strayed from the Subscriber, on Wene day the 28th ult. a Dark Bay Mare, about 14 ha ds 2 inches high—branded S S on the left shoulder, nine years old. I will give a reward of Four Dollars to any person for finding and bringing the said Mare to me.

WILLIAM MILLS.

64, South street.

Sept 1 d4t

FOR SALE,

A valuable Negro WOMAN Slave,

17 years of age—she is a good Cook, &c.

Apply to

W. G. HANDS & CO Auctioneers.

She is not to be sold out of the city.

August 30 d4t

BLACKSMITHS.

Two or three BLACKSMITHS wanted.

Apply to

ENOCH & JESSE LEVERING.

August 19 2aw4

TO MANUFACTURERS.

The subscriber having his hot cylinder in good order, and having had several applications to calculate goods at his own manufactory, respectfully inform his friends and the public in general, that he will receive Cotton or Flax Linen to be Calendered, at a very moderate price. Every application will be attended to with punctuality; the Goods must be sent to his Warehouse, No. 157, Market street, on Monday and Tuesday every week, to be sent to the factory on Wednesday, and will be delivered on the next Saturday.

Persons wishing to send their goods are requested to mark them on the two ends of each piece.

He has on hand from his own manufactory, an extensive assortment of CALICOES of various descriptions and new and fashionable patterns, Shawls, Handkerchiefs, Window Curtains, Bed Spreads, Turkey Red, Yarn, and a variety of other colours; which he offers for sale on liberal credit for approved paper, or at low prices for cash.

He will print on commission at a moderate price.

Cash will be given for Damaged Wheat.

L. I. LANNAY.

August 25 d4t

Sale by Auction.

ON THURSDAY,

The 13th September, at 12 o'clock, at the

licensee, will be sold on a liberal credit,

THE very valuable and highly improved

dyeing PLANTATION of the late William

McCubbin, eq. 3 or 4 miles from the city of

Baltimore—containing about 90 acres of land

—on which is erected, a comfortable brick

dwellling and kitchen, milch and cow house,

barn and stables brick negro quarter and work

shop. The orchard is planted with 500 fruit

trees, now in perfection, and are of a very

choice selection; the farm is divided into

eleven fields; under good fence, and three lots set

in clover; one half of said tract of land is

heavily timbered, and will cut from 20 to 40 cord

of wood per acre; it binds two miles on Back

River, which abounds with fine fish and wild

fowl, in their season.

Immediately after the above, will be sold,

25 NEGROES—men, women and children.

C. O. MULLER, Auc'r.

August 8

The Columbia Academy

Again OPENS for the reception of

YOUNG LADIES,

AS BOARDERS OR DAY SCHOLARS,

On the first Monday in September.

Mrs. GROOMBRIDGE,

Grateful for the extensive patronage she has been honored with during six years residence in Baltimore, assures her friends and the public, that the report of her intention to give up her School, is entirely without foundation, she is far from having such an idea; & although she has twelve Teachers in whose ability she can confide, yet she dedicates the principal part of her time to the superior advantage of her pupils. Their progress she does not enlarge upon, as the parents and guardians of those confided to her care, have had frequent opportunities of judging for themselves, both in her public and private examinations.

In addition to the other branches of education, the Italian and Spanish Languages are taught with elegance and correctness.

Parents or guardians who desire to have their young ladies instructed in those branches, may have an opportunity of hearing the pupils go through their exercises, by applying to Mrs. Groombridge for that purpose.

August 25 d4w4

To Journeymen Shoemakers.

WANTED by the subscriber, in the city of Washington, a FOREMAN in the Shoe making business—to whom constant employment and good wages will be given. A man with a family, capable of conducting a small manufactory, must be sure of a permanent situation, at least as long as the business is carried on by

JOHN MENCHIN,

No. 9, ... street.

August 31 2aw4

This is to give Notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphan's Court of Baltimore County, in Maryland—Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Thomas Jones, late of Baltimore county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, at or before the first day of December next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said Estate.

NATHAN LONG, Adm'r.

August 29 2aw4

STOLEN

Between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday, several SILVER KA SPOONS, marked in cypher J & Z, by an elderly man in the character of a beggar! Ten dollars will be given for apprehending the thief, or five dollars for the spoons. Silver smiths are cautioned against purchasing them if offered for sale; and the owner requests that they may be stopped, and half a dollar will be paid for each spoon, if left with the printer.

S p 4 d4t

SHEATHING COPPER.

JOHN McKIM, Jun.

Has received an assortment of SHEATHING COPPER,—which will be disposed of on the most moderate terms.

Aug. 6 2aw4

A NEW NOVEL,

The morning published, entitled

A Sailor's Friendship

Contrasted with

A SOLDIER'S LOVE.

Two volumes in one—price, one dollar.

DEDICATED

To the memory of a departed hero, a

great and good man, a patriot, and a

philanthropist;—to the remem-

brance of the domestic gra-