that satisfaction which we believe we are justly warranted in feeling, in the contemplation of the ultimate result of the very favorable appearances now presented to our view.

BRIDPORT, April 13.

In our house of representatives last fall, from this county were fifteen members who voted as democrats, and but thirteen federalists, including one who did not attend.

This spring we shall count 17 decided federalists, and but 11 democrats; making the federal interest from this county stronger by 8 votes, than it was last fall.

MARTINSBURG, April 15.

The following is the result of the election, held on Tuesday last in Charlestown, for Jefferson county:

CONGRESS.

Major James Stephenson,	222
Osborn Sprigg,	191
Federal majority	31

ASSEMBLY.

Captain George Tate,	225	elected
Abraham Morgan,	207	
Jacob Manning,	200	
Daniel Morgan, esq.	197	

SENATE.

George North, esq.	212
Lewis Wolfe, esq.	197

In Fredereck county, Mr. Wolfe obtained a majority of 469, so that when North's majority in Jefferson is deducted, there will still remain 454 for Wolfe, which will no doubt secure his election in the district.

Jefferson county has thus given convincing proof of its federalism. Last year one federalist and one democrat were returned as representatives in the state legislature. This year two decided federal republicans are elected and the federal candidate for congress has obtained a respectable majority—Frederick has also given testimonials of an increase in the cause of federalism in that county. Last year it chose as representatives in the assembly two democrats. At their last election they made choice of one federalist and have given a majority of 469 to the federal candidate for the senate, as stated above.

LEXINGTON, April 12.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Natchez, to his correspondent in this place, dated March 10th, 1803.

"Provisions of every description are high in New Orleans—Flour, 9 dollars per bbl. Pork, 16 do. Bacon, 18 3-4, &c. and on the arrival of the French troops, the price I think will rather rise than otherwise. The French governor's baggage has arrived, and some few inferior officers. The troops are daily expected.

RICHMOND, April 20.

Mr. Wyndham Grymes, whom we mentioned in the last Gazette, being wounded in a duel with Mr. Terrell, died on Friday about two in the afternoon.

BY THIS DAY's MAILS.

BOSTON, April 20.

This day arrived, the brig Fox, captain Minns, 42 days from Liverpool. Spoke, March 26, lat. 42, 59, long. 30, schooner Virginia, 20 days from Norfolk, for Bordeaux. March 30, lat. 41, 30, a brig from Wilmington, N. C. for Newry. April 1, lat. 42, 50, ship Joanna Andreas, 14 days from Philadelphia. April 5, lat. 42, the schooners Hannah and Susanna, both of Marblehead—fishing—fish scarce on the Banks. April 9, a schooner from Boston, for the Banks.

Same day, the schooner Betsy, (owned at Damiscotta) captain Little, 27 days from Grenada. Left there, March 24, ship Ocean, captain Deshon, from Pepperelborough, very leaky, had been lying there 40 days for payment; brig America, Hatch, to sail in 10 days for Kennebunk; Juno, Griffin, in 12 days for New-Haven; schooner Minerva, Trowbridge, of New-Haven, seized; Jay, Trask, of Wilmington, condemned; Dolphin, Mansfield, in 10 days for Salem; Seven Sisters, Childs, of New Milford; schooner Hannah, Punchard, of do. to sail in 10 days for Salem; Andriscoggin, Harding, to sail in 10 days for Boston; Mary Torrence, Fisher, in 4 days for Newbern; ship Mercury, M'Cray, in 24 days for Wiscasset; Ranger, Boyd, of do. in 10 days for Boston. Spoke nothing. Markets very dull; lumber 25 dollars. Rum 50 cents. Salted provisions of any kind, not suffered to be landed; several vessels had been seized.

Same day, the schooner Friendship, captain Rider, 42 days from Trinidad. Nothing new.

Same day, the schooner George, captain Snow, 28 days from Barbados.

Same day, the schooners Two Brothers, Clemmens, and Deborah, Barker, 8 days from Windsor.

Same day, anchored in the outer harbor, the brig Lydia Head, captain Bradford, 44 days from Malaga, via Gibraltar, 40. Left at Malaga, Pomona, Mires, and Eugene, Mansfield, of New-York; John, Arnold, of Providence; Falcon, Kennison, of Boston. At Gibraltar, the Hawk, of Plymouth, and James, of Boston; several others waiting convoy up the Mediterranean, names unknown. Spoke nothing. Market for provisions fallen. A report prevailed at Malaga, that one of the United States ships had taken a rich prize off Tripoli, which was bound in there.

It is with pleasure we announce that the following are all the losses that we have heard of since the late severe storm. The schooner Mary, captain Austin, of Wiscasset, from Norfolk, was driven on shore the back of Provincetown, & a sloop from St. Johns, bound to Philadelphia, with plaister, had also gone on to the Cape—vessels and cargoes lost. It appears that the gale did not extend a great way at sea, as captain Little, arrived here yesterday, experienced a fresh S. W. breeze on Friday, Saturday and Sunday last—he was some ways this side of Bermudas.

The Newburyport Herald of Tuesday last, informs, "that a schooner from Nova-Scotia, for New-York, went ashore in Sandy-Bay, on Saturday last, and is gone to pieces. A sea struck and knocked her down on her beam ends, and stove in three of her dead lights, while lying to; and she immediately filled and went ashore. People all saved."

Cleared, ships Ann, Bradford, Liverpool; Ocean, Drinkwater, Havre-de-Grace; Lucia, Atkins, West-Indies; brig Eunice, Bowland, do.; schooner Prosperity, Killey, Yarmouth.

PHILADELPHIA, April 25.

Extract of a letter from Northampton county to the editor of the Lancaster Journal.

DEAR SIR,

"I saw a paragraph in your paper some time since, which does not only surprise me, but every man I have spoken to on the subject, both in the county where I live and in Wayne. That is, that judge Ryerson was removed from office, WITHOUT A HEARING, after complaints had been preferred against him and without notice of such complaint. Believe me, sir, I never heard any thing since the revolution that has caused so much uneasiness among the people. Every person I have converted with on the subject seems to be surprised and alarmed. I have for many years been personally acquainted with judge Ryerson and from every observation, I have found him to be a man of information, modest, decent, sensible and prudent, and from what I can collect, if he had been informed of the complaints, could have made it appear that the very complaints against him originated in a faction that intrigue invented, and the hope of succeeding carried on.

Mr. Ryerson was a strong advocate for the present measures and assisted all in his power to promote the very persons who have fought his downfall.

I have served a long time in the militia during the revolution; I have ever advocated the present measures, but if men are through intrigue (when in public trust) to sap the foundation of others and build themselves upon the ruin; condemn them on complains without a hearing or even letting them know that they are complained of; from such a government the Lord deliver us."

A duel was fought, [*or to speak more correctly, a* MURDER *was attempted to be committed*] on the afternoon of Monday last, near the Pennsylvania line, between William B. Shields, of the Borough of Wilmington, and Henry M. Ridgely, of Dover. The latter was wounded in the arm.

Arrived, brig Echo, Gilmore, Cadiz, 38 days; schooner Betsy, Bradford, St. Andrews, 15; Liberty, Bennet, Savannah, 14.

Cleared, schooner Joseph, Chase, Savannah; Liberty, Williams, St. Kitts; Wealthy, Fisher, Norfolk.

Arrived, brig Echo, Gilmore, 38 days from Cadiz. Captain G. has handed the following list of American vessels there.

Ship Nancy, captain Orn,		Portsmouth
Heart of Oak, capt. Jackson,		Boston
Martha, capt. Harrington,		Lisbon
Polly, capt. Barker,		Boston
Maria, capt. Hill,		Alexandria
Melpomene, capt. Larken,		Charleston
Brig Eliza & Mary, capt. M'Minel,		New-Y.
Delight, capt. Rooke,		do.
Quanti-Bay-Cook, capt. Webb,		do.
Brandywine-Miller, capt. Collins,		do.
Juno, capt. O'Conner,		do.
Calisto, capt. Atkins,		Norfolk
Jack, capt. Haskel,		Boston
Eliza, capt. Haff,		New-York
Georgia Packet, capt. Wood,		do.
Fame, Drummond,		Virginia
Anna, Maria, capt. Allen,		Philadelphia
Anna, capt. Barklet,		Norfolk
Alexandria, capt. Deyer,		Lisbon
Juliana, capt. Highe,		St. Lucie
Schr. Betsy, capt. Williams,		Baltimore
Three Brothers, capt. Story,		Salem
Fanny, capt. Thompson,		Lisbon
Lydia, capt. Tomslin,		Beverly, to sail for Gibraltar.

Captain Gilmore spoke the following vessels on his passage, April 11th, in lat. 34, 32, N. long. 64, 34, W. the sloop Laura, Read, five days from Rhode-Island to St. Bartholomews. April 12th, in lat. 34, 42, N. long. 64, 51, W. the sloop Polly, Maxwell, from Bermuda to New-London. April 20th, in lat. 38, 30, N. on Soundings, the sloop Jersey Blue, Gardner, from Newbern to Rhode-Island.

Captain Andaule, of the schooner Lyon, spoke off L'Archaye, the brig Two Sisters, Watson, from hence for Port-Republican.

At a stated meeting of the American Philosophical society, held at their hall the 15th instant, the following gentlemen were duly elected members.

Jean Baptiste Joseph de Lambre—One of the secretaries of the National Institute of France.

Daniel Melanderhjelm—Professor of Astronomy, and member of the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences.

Eric Prosperin—Professor of Astronomy in the University of Upsal.

Benjamin Dearborn—Of Boston.

Francis Nichols—Of Philadelphia.

JOHN REDMAN COXE, Sec'y.

We understand that the corporation of this city, have passed an ordinance authorising the raising of a loan of 50,000 dollars, for the purpose of extending and completing the Water-works.

WASHINGTON, April 25.

[*Copy.*]

THOMAS JEFFERSON,

President of the United States of America,

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

The citizen Gerard Cazeaux, having produced to me his commission as vice commissary of commercial relations of the French republic, for Portsmouth, in the state of New-Hampshire—I do hereby recognize him as such, and declare him free too exercise such functions, powers and privileges as are allowed to the similar agents of the most favored nations.

Intestimony whereof, I have caused these letters to be made patent and the seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed. Given under my hand at the city of Washington, the [L. S.] 5th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and three; and of the independence of the United States of America, the twenty-seventh.

TH: JEFFERSON.

By the president.

JAMES MADISON, *Secretary of State.*

FEDERAL GAZETTE.

TUESDAY, *April 26.*

A letter of the 2d instant, from Cape-Francois, received at Bryden's coffee-house, by the ship Elk, mentions that the blood-hounds lately imported into St. Domingo, from Cuba, have spread great terror among the negroes. Several black prisoners, who would have expiated their guilt upon the gallows, have been turned defenceless and naked upon the plains, and torn to pieces by those dogs! A number of the chief officers of the brigands lately held a conference, by a flag of truce, with the commanding officers of C. Francois. The result was not known, but the report prevailed that they offered to lay down their arms and return to their plantations provided they could be treated as hirelings and not as slaves.

At Cape-Francois, April 2.

The sch'rs Nautilus, Bishop; Coquette, Long; and brig Two Brothers, Kilbourn, all of Baltimore; Washington, Smith; Lydia, Wyngates; and Diana, Nicolls, of New-York; William Wright, Oblin; Olive Branch, Burns, of Philadelphia; Sally, Savage, of Vienna (Md.); Sally (captain dead) of Alexandria; Topsam, Kirrison, Savannah; Lydia, Wingate, Newburyport; Hannah, Andrews, of Marblehead.

By captain Barbine's Norfolk packet Victory, arrived this morning, we have received the Norfolk Herald, of the 21st and 23d instant, from which the following articles are copied:

NORFOLK, April 21.

Arrived the ship Cedre (formerly the Woodrop Sims) captain Duval, 34 days from Nantz.

British sloop Henry, captain Robinson, 14 days from Bermuda.

Sloop Patty, captain Newton, 6 days from Philadelphia. The Patty lost her mast on the passage in a gale of wind.

Ship William and Henry, captain Jappie, 48 days from London. Vessels spoke. March 22, ship Mary, captain Howat, from this port bound to Belfast, all well; in lat. 45, 23, long 35, 27. April 8, ship Atlantic, captain Howe, of Boston, from this port bound to Falmouth, all well; in lat. 39, 53, long. 66, 35. April 13, schooner Father & Son, of Portsmouth, N. H. from this port bound to Lisbon, in lat. 37, 29, long 74, 20.

British schooner Severn, captain Callahan, 23 days from Montferrat.

British sloop Jolly Tar, captain Gilbert, 18 days from Bermuda.

Cleared, schooner Norfolk, Deagle, Baltimore; Mary, Griffin, do; Sea Flower, Kelly, Wilmington, (Delaware.)

April 23.

Arrived, British barque Medway, Parker, 7 weeks from New-Castle, bound to Alexandria.

April 5, in lat. 38, 36, N. long. 56, W. spoke the ship Aimwell, from Savannah, bound to Greenock, all well. April 6, in lat. 38, 15, long. 58, spoke the Belvidere, from Baltimore, out 15 days, all well.—April 11, spoke the brig Hope, and a ship in company, from Baltimore, out 4 days, all well.

Cleared, ship Little William, Baldry, Cork; snow Crawford, Scaife, Genoa; sch'rs Josiah Parker, Davis, West-Indies; Hercules, Felt, Salem; Industry, Richardson, Beverly; Four Sisters, Peters, Baltimore; Betsy & Fanny, Gibson, Antigua; sloops Eagle, Curlet, New-York; George, Potter, Providence; Juliana, Pitts, Bermuda; Sally, Winant, Philadelphia.

[*The following is extracted from the* National Ægis, *a democratic paper, published in Worcester, Massachusetts.*]

MASSACHUSETTS ELECTION.

No apology can be necessary for declining a further detail of the votes, given in on the first Monday in April. It would exhibit nothing but disappointment and defeat. Intelligence of this sort will reach our readers in due season, without the aid of newspaper authority. It would have yielded us much pleasure to have been the harbingers of better tidings. We have now only to recommend to them patience, resignation, and a steady perseverance in the ways of well-doing.

It is difficult to decide, whether the event has happened from an unusual lassitude on the part of the republicans, or from an unprecedented industry and vigilance of the federal party. Whatever may be the cause, it is unquestionably true, we believe, that the federal majority, in Massachusetts, has increased since the last election.

From BRYDEN'S MARINE LIST.

April 25.

Arrived, brig Eliza, captain Beard, 28 days from Kingston, (Jamaica)—ballast—Archibald Stewart. Left there, brig Jefferson, captain Blunt, of Edenton, N. C. Spoke, in the Gulph of Florida, schooner Jolly Bacchus, of and for Philadelphia, from Jamaica.

Also, schr. Tartar, Glaverry, 22 days from Santa Domingo—mahogany—Philip Rogers. Left no American vessels there. Passed the ship Hebe, from Canton, in the bay, and a number of vessels off the Capes, standing in.

The brig Alliance, Jones, of this port, has arrived at Guadaloupe, after having touched at Martinique and St. Lucia.

A letter from a gentlemen in Amherst county, dated the 9th instant, mentions that a most atrocious murder was committed on the Monday night preceding, on the body of doctor James Hopkins, of that neighborhood, in his own house, by privately shooting him through the window just before he intended going to bed. As his wife and two other persons were in the house at the time, and as the person ran off immediately after firing it, it is presumed the horrid act was not committed with a view of plundering the house; and what is still more inexplicable, the person who committed the murder, never had any dispute with doctor Hopkins, and was barely known by him; nay, the doctor was very remarkable for his meek, placid and charitable deportment towards all his neighbors and all other persons.

The person who committed the murder is said to be one Lewis M'Queen, who has absconded, and notwithstanding twenty or thirty men have been continually in search of him, he is not yet taken. The said M'Queen is by birth a Scotsman, which may be discovered by his pronunciation; he is about five feet eight or ten inches high; wears his hair, which is of a light color, short; his complexion is rather pale and inclined to be swarthy; broad square shoulders and tolerably thick built; his eyes are blue, and is accustomed to half close one of them when in conversation; he generally wears a coat and pantaloons made of coarse Bath coating, but it is expected he will change his clothes.

[*Virginia Argus.*]

From a LONDON PAPER.

View of the Natural Small Pox, &c.

HISTORY.

For twelve centuries this disease has been known to continue its ravages, destroying probably in every year, an *immense proportion* of the whole population of the world!

NATURAL SMALL POX.

General character.	*Mortality.*
In some instances mild, but for the most part violent, painful, loathsome, contagious and dangerous to life.	One in six who have the disease, *dies.* At least half of mankind have it, consequently *one in twelve* of the human race perish by one disease! In London 3000 annually—in the United kingdom 40,000.

INOCULATED SMALL POX.

For the most part mild, but in some instances violent, painful, loathsome and dangerous to life.	One in 300 inoculated, *dies.* In London, probably one in 100! Inoculation of small pox, by spreading the disease, has increased its general mortality 17 in every thousand.

INOCULATED COW POX.

Uniformly mild, inoffensive, free from pain or danger, and an infallible preventive of the small pox.

NEVER FATAL

CULTURE OF POTATOES.

Letter from Joseph Barrell, esq. to the corresponding secretary of the Massachusetts Agricultural Society.

Pleasant Hill, January 1, 1803.

In the spring of the last year, I found in the ground a large Irish apple potatoe, which had lain there all the winter. This potatoe contained twelve eyes, which I carefully separated, and planted in four different hills in my garden, three eyes in each hill. I dunged the hill well with horse dung which had rotted in the hot-bed the last season; from these four hills I gathered two hundred and thirty-two potatoes; two hundred and ten of them were fit for the pot, and one hundred of the largest weighed thirty-four pounds. The core of this potatoe, without either skin or eye, I cut into six pieces and planted in one hill; from this I gathered twenty-two potatoes, all very small, none bigger than a large cramberry; so that the whole produce was two hundred and fifty-four. It is remarkable, all the potatoes that were from the core were of the true Irish apple kind, and all that were from the eyes were of a kind very much like the English whites.

It should be remarked, that the Irish apple potatoe is not a great bearer, and that the past season was not very favorable to potatoes.

Mem. The whole produce of this potatoe, I have preserved, and mean the next season, to give it a fair trial, and notice the produce of the whole.

I have for several years made experiments on potatoes (some of which I communicated to the society) and from them I am fully convinced, that small potatoes are as good for seed as large, that three in a hill is better than a large quantity, that cut potatoes are better than whole, and that the eyes are best of all.

The past season I planted my potatoe field chiefly with eyes, and had in some parts, a prodigious increase; and in the field throughout, full as large a crop as any of my neighbors, although they planted from eight or ten bushel on an acre, and I planted a short half bushels on an acre, and if I had cut the eyes carefully, I am sure there would not have been a peck to an acre. In this method there will be an immense saving of more than nineteen twentieths of the seed, which is well worth the attention of every farmer who dares to differ from the practice of his father. My overseer, wanting faith in this method, planted a single large potatoe, with many eyes in a hill, by itself; he gave it three times as much dung as an other hill, and it produced only thirty-four potatoes of all sizes. I am, &c.

JOSEPH BARRELL.

MARBLE.

This valuable article of commerce is likely to be transferred from Italy to Great-Britain. Immense strata or quarries of excellent marble (in no respect inferior to the Italian) have been discovered in a remote corner of Scotland. Mr. Pennant, the celebrated tourist, first threw out the hint which led to this discovery.

Died, in England, Mrs. *Flaley*, aged 102. But a very few days before her death, her sight was so strong as to see to pick up a small pin from the ground; and her hearing so perfect, as to comprehend every thing that was said to her.

Port of Baltimore.

ENTERED.

Snow John & Joseph, Stockett, Gibraltar
Eliza, Beard, Jamaica
Ship Elk, Jones, Cape-Francois
Schr. Tartar, Glaverry, City San Domingo

Sale by Auction.

ON FRIDAY,

The 29th instant, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, will be sold,

That very valuable LOT, with the improvements thereon, (belonging to the estate of the late Dr. Moores) No. 18, forty feet front on Gay-street, and extending back to Frederick-street, 165 feet.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct's.

April 23.

R Y E.

J. C. WHITE & SONS, No. 22, South-street,

Wish to Purchase immediately,

Several thousand bushels of good RYE.

April 26. d

G. & C. Lindenberger

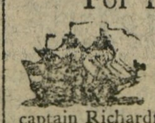
Have received by the ship Union, from London, and Harriot, from Liverpool, a part of their

SPRING GOODS.

By the first arrivals from London and Liverpool, they will receive the remainder.

April 26. eo19tJ

For Fredericksburg,



(To sail on Saturday next,)

The schooner LUCY ANN; Burthened about 460 barrels. For freight or passage, apply to captain Richardson, on board, at Bowly's wharf, or to WILLIAM YOUNG LEWIS, No. 20, Calvert-street.

April 26. d4t||

For Sale,

The Cargo of the ship Follansbee, from Bordeaux, consisting of 300 pipes high 4th proof Cogniac Brandy, and 60 casks of ground Yellow Ochre.

Also,

16 pipes Bordeaux brandy, 2d proof
4 puncheons Jamaica rum
6 hhds. New-England rum
17 cases assorted glass ware
1 do. muskets
9 boxes Dutch cheese, with an assortment of cambricks, silk handkerchiefs and stockings.

For sale by SAMUEL R. ROGERS, No. 69, Smith's wharf.

April 26. d4t-eo6t

Grand Lodge

OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

THE different Lodges of Free Masons, holding under the authority of the Grand Lodge of this state, will take notice, that the half yearly communication will commence and be held in the city of Baltimore, on Monday the 9th day of May next, at 10 o'clock, A M. at which time and place they are desired to appear by their representatives, properly appointed.

The officers & members composing said Grand Lodge, will also observe the above notice, and attend accordingly.

SAMUEL VINCENT, G. S.

April 26. 22wt7My

New Theatre.

NOT ACTED THESE SEVEN YEARS.

TO-MORROW EVENING, April 27,

Will be presented, a celebrated Comedy, in five acts, called

A Bold Stroke for a Husband.

To which will be added, a Comic Opera, in 2 acts, called

The Turnpike Gate.

Box one dollar, Pit three-quarters of a dollar.

The doors of the theatre will open at a quarter before six, and the curtain rise at a quarter before seven o'clock.

Tickets to be had, and places in the boxes to be taken of Mr. Evans, at the office in front of the theatre, on days of performance, from ten o'clock in the morning till four in the afternoon; and on other days, from ten until two.

Days of performance, Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

April 25.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living on Elk Ridge, Ann Arundel county, on the 16th instant, a Negro man named TOM; thirty years of age, five feet eleven inches high, rather slender made; he is very black; has a stoppage in his speech when in liquor, which he is much addicted to; has long hair, which he generally wears queued. Had on when he went away, a high crowned felt hat, coarse country made linen shirt, white fulled cloth coat and waistcoat, grey mixed cloth trousers, and nailed shoes—took with him a number of other cloathing not recollected. The above reward and all reasonable expences will be paid if taken out of the state; 30 dollars, if 25 miles from home; and 20 dollars if in the neighborhood of my place, one and an half miles from Mr. Richard Owings's mills.

WM. HELLING, Senior.

Ann-Arundel county, April 26. eo