formed at Hamburg, for the purpose of settling not only the present dispute between France and England, but several other important objects relative to the peace and tranquility of Europe, by establishing some more permanent balance of power.

"However desirable such an event may be, I do not at present see any probability of its taking place. France will certainly not make peace without making such a guarantee for its observance, as England will be unwilling or perhaps unable to give: and I do not think England at this moment will humiliate herself so much as to make any important sacrifices. The only alternative remains with the powers of the north, who have hitherto observed a strict neutrality. I cannot believe this neutrality can be of long duration, as their commerce is shackled to its almost annihilation, and they experience the misfortunes of war without being engaged in it. Indeed, I should not be surprised at any event which may take place, especially as the two contending nations seem to nourish an eternal hatred to each other."

WAR WITH SPAIN.

The following extract from the log-book of his Majesty's ship of war the Boston, is said to have been received in town by the way of Nova-Scotia. Little confidence can be placed in it. It is not probable that they should have certain accounts in Barbados before the 31st of July (at which time the Argus sailed) of a war with Spain, and yet it not be known in England or France the 26th of August, to which period our accounts from these quarters reach.

His Majesty's ship Boston, Aug. 14.

Lieutenant Alcock boarded the schooner Agnes, I. P. Hunt, master, from Barbados, which place, she left the 31st ult. Mr. Thomas, a gentlemen (passenger) on board her, informed him that, by the mail from the British Packet, the news of war with Spain was received, in consequence of which lord Seaforth, the governor of Barbados, had issued letters of marque against Spanish vessels. The Dash, captain Smith, had taken one, and sailed on a cruize. Mr. Thomas said the one furnished captain Smith, he had seen, and it was signed by lord Seaforth.

August 23d, lieutenant Alcock boarded the brig Greenwich, from Havanna, J. P. Rennington, master, who informed him, "that he sailed from the Havanna, the 14th instant, in company with a Spanish frigate supposed bound to Europe, and that he had been informed, the French government had demanded twenty sail of the line from the Spanish, to permit them to neutral for eight months.

Cleared, brig Lively, Wood, Newfoundland; Phebe, Bragdon, Barbados; sch'r Fox, Fowler, do. Recovery, Pierce, Demerara.

A gentleman who dined at Utrecht, L. I. on Saturday informs, that he and several others who were in company saw a frigate board an inward bound merchant vessel about two o'clock; and that, after some detention, the frigate steared to the eastward, and the merchantman followed, as if taken in tow.

Captain Morris, who arrived yesterday in the schr. Volunteer, from St. Thomas, informs that the markets there were glutted; flour, beef and pork, and almost every article of American produce was at prime cost, and in no demand. A number of vessels lay there without knowing where to go to dispose of their cargoes.

Arrived since our last,

Ship Janus, Spalding, 48 days from Cowes (Isle of Wight.) August 14th, spoke ship Three-Sisters, from Charleston for Altona. September 4, long. 40, 17, lat. 48, 12, spoke ship Nile, Belcher, of and for Liverpool, from Charleston. 11th, spoke brig Swallow, from Newfoundland for Lisbon. 16th, long. 58, 6, lat. 44, 35, spoke ship Canton, Welles, of and for Philadelphia, from Amsterdam. 24th, in long. 65, 40, lat. 40, 55, spoke brig Washington, Borreton, from Kennebeck for Barbados. Oct. 1st, 12 miles from Sandy-Hook, was boarded by an English frigate, and detained several hours in examining the passengers and crew. The captain of the frigate informed captain Spalding that he impressed out of any American vessel those men who were not well protected, and that his own crew were principally composed of persons taken out of vessels bound into New-York. He boarded several Americans in my sight, detained them 3, 4, or 5 hours, and took out such men as he thought proper.

English sloop Dove, in 24 days from St. Johns, (Newfoundland). Left schooner William, Douglas, to sail for this port in two days, with a number of French passengers. The Lapwing frigate was chased into St. Johns, by a French 74 and a frigate, and obliged to throw overboard all but one of her guns. Passengers, J. Babtiste de Place, Foubeau, Chirurgre, and Etienne Ducre, taken in the French ship Caroline, from Martinique bound to Bordeaux, and Charles Balais and family, taken in the brig Mercure, from the Cape for France, from the Lapwing.

At Quarantine,

Sch'r Volunteer, Morris, 21 days from St. Thomas. Left there, several American vessels, but none of New-York. Arrived at St. Thomas on the 2d September, and left it on the 5th for Cape-Francois.

Came up from Quarantine,

Sch'r Favorite, Cotteril, from Philadelphia.

Below last evening,

Ship William and Mary, from St. Petersburg.

Brig Minerva, from Bordeaux.

Brig Recovery, from Greenock. On Sunday last, the Recovery had 9 seamen pressed, and taken on board the British frigate Cambrian, off the Hook.

PHILADELPHIA, October 5.

A division among the democratic republicans of Dauphin county, is supposed to have taken place, as there are two separate tickets in circulation—The one composed of sensible and respectable republicans, moderate and candid—The other of a contrary character.

HEALTH-OFFICE,
Philadelphia, October 4.

Thirty-three physicians of the city and liberties report 9 cases of the malignant fever in the city and liberties, during the last 24 hours, ending this forenoon—and 1 of 7 days illness.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM T. DONALDSON,
President.

Attest,
FELIX PASCALIS, *Secretary.*

CITY HOSPITAL REPORT,
October 4, 1803.

Admitted the last 24 hours, ending this morning at 8 o'clock:

John Sanders, from Hayscale-wharf, Northern Liberties, without pulse, and dying when admitted.

Sally Sweeny, from No. 160, south Water-street.

Died since last report:

John Sanders, eight hours after admission.

Eleanor Dougherty.

Discharged cured:

James Miller.

Remaining in the Hospital—twenty—of whom 6 are convalescent.

JOHN SYNG DORSEY,
Resident Physician.

Interred in the public ground, since last report:
Two adults from the city hospital
A man from Shippen-street
A man from Southwark
A man from south Second-street.
SAMUEL GOODMAN, Steward.

Arrived, brig Union, Thomas, Guadaloupe, via Lazaretto.

At the Lazaretto.

Brig Caroline, Wilcocks, Havre-de-Grace. Left it the 15th August; Saunders, Hortshorne, Madeira. Left it the 23d August. Schooner Little Robert, Dolby, St. Bart's. Left it the 17th September.

Cleared, brig Agnes, Hodgson, Demarara.

Captain Hartshorne, of the brig Saunders left at Madeira on the 25d August—the ship William, Quandrille, of Philadelphia, just arrived; and ship American Eagle, of New-York, to sail in two days for Teneriffe.

Captain Hunt of the ship Columbia Packet, mentioned in our last, informs, that he sailed from St. Petersburg on the 13th and from the Sound on the 31st July, with brig Betsy, Swain, for Boston, and an English fleet of four hundred sail and upwards, convoyed by several English ships of war. Captain H. spoke the following vessels on his passage:—August 16, in lat. 59, 20, N. long. 17, W. the ship Melissa, of London, from Davis Straits, half laden with oil. 25th, lat. 57, 43, N. long. 23, 40, W. a Danish brig from St. Croix, for Copenhagen. September 2d, in lat. 48, 32, N. long. 31, 50, W. an English brig, from Liverpool for Newfoundland, had lost her top-mast in a gale of wind. September 10th, fell in with the brig Mary, Brown, of and for Philadelphia, from Dublin, out 28 days, parted company with her on the banks of Newfoundland, on the 13th, in lat. 43, 24, N. long. 51, 12, W. Spoke, 23d, in lat. 40, 17, N. long. 66, 50, W. a ship from Plymouth, England, for Alexandria, out 35 days.

Captain Hunt left at St. Petersburg,

Ship American, Lelar, of and for Philadelphia, to sail in 10 days.

Thames, Paddock, do. New-York, in 14 days.

Neptune, Adams, do. Providence, in 10 days.

Rising States, Bickford, do. Salem in 15 days.

Atlantic, Drinkwater, do. Portland, for New-York, to sail in three weeks.

Brig ——, Clark, of Baltimore.

Admittance, Sansom, for Duxbury, uncertain.

Ship Canton, Wills, from Amsterdam, has arrived at New-Castle (Del.)

Ship Elizabeth, Morris; brigs Flora, Glenn, and Globe, Shalcross, went to sea the 27th ult.

At Bristol, August 12. Ship Cornelia, Bliss, of this port, and George, Rice, of do. from Malaga, at quarantine.

Ship Nancy, from hence to Jamaica, was spoken September 15, in lat. 23, 21, long. 63, 54.

ALEXANDRIA, October 5.

HEALTH-OFFICE,
OCTOBER 5.

The committee of health report 4 deaths, 2 adults and 2 children, for the last 24 hours, ending this morning at 10 o'clock.

They acknowledge with gratitude the receipt of 100 dollars, from the Marine Insurance Association, ten dollars from a person unknown, by the hands of A. Janney, ten bushels of potatoes from Mr. J. B. Nickolls, as donations for the use of the poor.

S. SNOWDEN, *Sec'ry.*

John M'Kim, jun.

No. 108, MARKET-STREET,
Has imported by the late arrivals from London and Liverpool, a general assortment of
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE & CUTLERY.
Also,
A large assortment of chintzes and calicoes, tambored, lappet and cambrick muslins, which will be sold low for cash or good notes at 90 days.
A few cases well assorted Pewter.
September 28. d

FEDERAL GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, *OCTOBER 6.*

The accounts from Europe by this day's mail indicate the speedy co-operation of Russia with England, in the present contest, and of the northern powers generally, in obtaining the evacuation of Hanover and the release of the Elbe and Weser from their present blockade.

A rumor also prevails that England has declared war against Spain. We believe that it is premature, but that such an event will take place.

The brig ——, Vincent, and schooner Hannah, Butler, of Baltimore, were left at Fort Gustava (St. Bartholomew's) on the 11th ultimo.

ELECTION.

Prince George's County.

From the returns of the Vansville, Bladensburg & Piscataway districts, which are all that have yet come to hand, the federal ticket for assemblymen and sheriff, has obtained a majority of 100. From the iniquitous views of the Democrats in laying off the election districts, and by which Prince-Georges, nearly equally divided in politics, was tacked to a remote and democratic part of another county, the federalists offered no congressional candidate in that district. A similar cause will account for the want of federal candidates for congress in several other districts. Indeed, so intent were those humble minions in offering up incense to the chief magistrate, that their district law has as completely silenced federalism in some parts of the state, as an edict against receiving the votes of federalists could do.

Should the democrats have a majority in our assembly, which we hope they may not, it is said to be their intention of taking the choice of electors of president and vice-president, out of the hands of the people, and exercising it themselves this session. A measure we should not at all be surprized at, after what they have already done.

The Democratic ticket we learn has succeeded in toto in Kent.

DORCHESTER COUNTY.

Assembly.—Charles Goldsborough, Josiah Bailey, Solomon Frazier, Matthew Keene.

Sheriff.—Thomas James Patterson.

Congress.—John Dennis.

The above are all federalists.

The following returns are copied from a morning paper, which states them to be correct.

In that part of Frederick county attached to Washington and Allegany.

CONGRESS.

Gen. D. Heister (demo.)	1593.
Col. E. Williams (fed.)	890.

In that part attached to Montg. county.

CONGRESS.

Mr. Plater (fed.)	1126.
Mr. Magruder (demo.)	1027.
Mr. Wooten (fed.)	82

ASSEMBLY.

Thomas Hawkins (demo.)	2721
Daniel Clarke	2714
Henry Kemp	2701
David Shriver	2700
R. B. Taney (fed.)	2130
John Troxel	2129
Robert Cummins	2129
John H. Thomas	2110

SHERIFF.

Geo. Creager (demo.)	2734
Wm. Clement (fed.)	2109

Anne-Arundel county.

ASSEMBLY.

John F. Mercer	680
Richard Harwood	618
Edward Hall	595
Lloyd Dorsey	583
A. Dorsey	533
Richard H. Merriken	527

SHFRIFF.

Edward J. Tilly	919
——— Welch	368
Isaac Dorsey	148

Consequently John F. Mercer, Richard Harwood, Edward Hall, and Lloyd Dorsey, esquires, are duly elected representatives for the legislature, and Edward J. Tilly, sheriff for said county.

We are informed that the democratic ticket has prevailed in Washington county by a majority of 600 votes and upwards.

From BRYDEN'S MARINE LIST.
October 6.

Arrived, schooner Harriott, captain Ball, 21 days from Jeremie---Coffee---Isaac M'Kim. Left there,

Sch'r Nancy, De Butts, of Alexandria
Young Charles, ——, Lewis, of Philadelphia, both to sail in 6 days

Spoke the Spanish Corvette, from Baltimore bound to Havanna in the Gulph Stream.

The sch'rs Favorite, Drummond, and Tartar, Glavery, are in the river, and a brig said to be the George, from St. Petersburg.

BALTIMORE HIBERNIAN BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

☞ *In consequence of the thin attendance of the members upon the 4th instant, at noon, it was thought proper to adjourn the meeting until Saturday evening, the 8th instant, at 7 o'clock, at Bryden's tavern. A full and prompt attendance is most earnestly requested, as the committee will then report the plan of a constitution for the government of the society, and receive the annual subscription from the members.*

JOHN CAMPBELL WHITE.
October 5. d3t

Sale by Auction.

TO-MORROW,
The 7th instant, at 10 o'clock, at the new auction room of the subscriber, Water-street, near Peters's bridge, will be offered for sale,
Sundry articles of DRY GOODS, Carpeting, Furniture, &c.
And immediately after,
40 hhds. molasses
40 boxes claret 2½ dozen each
40 do. do. 1 do. each
50 hhds. do.
20 boxes soap
10 do. candles
16 do prunes
21 bags juniper berries
1 roll sheet lead
5 pipes gin
20 kegs Dutch herrings
3 hhds. glass ware
1 elegant grate, brass
1 do. book case
And sundry other furniture, &c.
EDWARD WOODYEAR, Auct'r.
October 6.

Richard Seabrooks
Has received by the ships Two Sisters, Augusta and Fame, from Liverpool, and Sally, from Hull,
FALL GOODS.
Also on hand, SADDLERY,
Which he offers for sale on reasonable terms.
October 6. d30t

Notice.

THE LEVY COURT for Baltimore county stands adjourned until Monday, the 17th day of October instant, on which day they will meet for the purpose of settling the accounts of supervisors and others, and closing the levy for this present year, of which all persons interested are desired to take notice.
Test WM. GIBSON, Clerk.
October 6. dt15thO

B. H. Mullikin,
At the sign of the Sheaff of Wheat and two Pigeons, No. 101, Baltimore-street,
Has imported in the Ann, Two Sisters and Augusta, from Liverpool, a considerable part of his
FALL GOODS.
Also, received from other late arrivals,
A choice selection of Fancy and Seasonable Goods, with a large assortment of Irish Linens, which make his assortment general & extensive—all of which he will sell, wholesale or retail, at reduced prices for cash or approved paper.
October 6. d12t

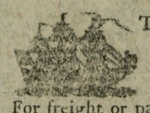
Bolting Cloths—Warranted good.

Hoffman and Baltzell,
No. 201, Market-street,
Have received BOLTING CLOTHS, of the same quality as those of their former importation, which are in use in mills of the most extensive business, and are thought equal in quality to any imported in the United States—Numbers and width as follows: No. 1 to 7, 5-4; No. 1 to 7, 6-4 wide.
Likewise on hand,
A full assortment of Seasonable GOODS, which with the cloths, are offered at reduced prices.
October 6. d3t-2aw

For Freight or Charter,

The Brig
BETSY,
Daniel Fitch, master;
Burthen 1600 barrels; is a strong good vessel, and can be ready to receive a cargo in a few days. Apply to
RICHARDSON & MERRYMAN.
October 6 eo3t

For New-York,



The remarkably fine fast-sailing Schooner NEW-YORK,
Wm. Holmes, master,
Will sail with all possible speed.
For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply to the master on board, at Smith's wharf, or ISAIAH MANKIN.
October 6. d

REMOVAL.

Ennion Williams and Co.
Have removed to No. 78, Baltimore-street, the late residence of John M'Kim.
They have on hand and intend keeping an extensive assortment of DRY GOODS. They have also received from the manufactory, Rhode-Island, SPUN COTTON, single, two and three threads, of different sizes; and country made BEDTICKEN, of good quality—all which they mean to sell at moderate prices, wholesale or retail, for cash, or on the usual credit to punctual customers, whose favors will be thankfully received. 10th mo. 6. eo18t

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in the city of Baltimore, yesterday evening the 5th instant, a negro man named POLYDORE; he is about 28 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, slender made, sharp faced, and very polite when spoken to. He is an excellent house servant, and can take care of horses or drive a carriage very well. He had on when he went away a blue sailors jacket, Russia sheeting shirt and trousers; he has a variety of clothes, and amongst others a deep blue broad cloth coat with the pockets inside, buckskin breeches, and generally wears half boots on Sundays; he has also a drab colored coating surtout coat, which he occasionally wears. As he has been accustomed to the above employments, he may probably offer himself to inn-keepers in the neighboring cities. I will pay 10 dollars if taken in the city; if out of the city and in the county 20 dollars; if out of the state, and secured in any jail, 30 dollars; and if out of the state, and brought home to the subscriber, the above reward.
JACOB SMALL.
N.B. Masters of vessels and others are warned against harboring or carrying off said negro, as they will be dealt with according to law.
October 6. d4t

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living on the Philadelphia road, a negro man by the name of JACOB, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, about 38 years of age, very black. Had on when he went away a light colored thick cloth upper jacket, and trousers of the same, with a white linen waistcoat, an old hat somewhat torn on the rim, and new shoes. He has lost two toes cut off by an axe, it is thought off the right foot. He went away yesterday morning, and it is probable will make for Philadelphia, as he has been there twice on business for the subscriber. Five Dollars will be given if taken in this county or city, and the above reward if taken in or near Philadelphia, or for the like distance, by
JOSEPH BIAYS.
October 6. d

For Sale,
On board the brig Leopard, at Smith's wharf,
A few hogsheads choice New-England RUM
A few bolts of good Russia DUCK.
October 5. d3t

A CARD.

IMPRESSED with the most lively feelings of gratitude towards my friends, who supported my interest at the election just terminated—I am thereby induced to tender them a sincere acknowledgment of thanks; and with diffidence I take the liberty of informing both *them* and my fellow-citizens *generally*, that having been placed on the return by a respectable poll, and being influenced by a flattering reliance on the stedfast and continued support of my present well-wishers, together with a hope, that an increase of countenance will be extended towards me, urge me again to hold myself in nomination as a candidate for the office of sheriff for the *next* term.

Though I have been unfortunate in a first attempt, still I cheerfully submit to that splendid majority which elected Mr. Bailey, viewing him as a gentleman worthy of the office conferred on him. And I indulge the expectation, that at the next campaign, I shall be honored with the suffrage of many of his friends, at least, such favor is respectfully solicited.

I am sorry to find it necessary to notice one *insinuation* which was set afloat during the late contest, to injure my election. The character of a near relative was brought forward, and certain *traits*, such as *imperious* and *overbearing*, were ascribed to him, and by some were deemed a sufficient cause for withholding from me their support. If any individual among my relatives has rendered himself obnoxious, it seems afflicting, that the burthen of odium which his improprieties may excite, should rest on me. I have ever endeavored to "do unto all men as I would they should do unto me," and it is certainly somewhat cruel to charge me with the faults of others, over whom I have no control.

Gentlemen, my character and situation in life is known to many of you, and I trust that three succeeding years will render us better acquainted: and if at the end of that period I should be the people's choice, I will endeavor to furnish proof of gratitude, by manifesting a proper degree of solicitude to please.
HENRY TRAPNALL.
October 6. d2t

For Sale,

A SOAP & CANDLE MANUFACTORY, situate on Jones's falls, with navigation for scows & boats to the premises, consisting of two large lots, on one of which is a convenient two-story brick dwelling house, with a complete kitchen and cellar under the same, with a pump of excellent water in the kitchen; on the same lot stands the manufactory, in complete order, said to be the most complete of any on the continent. A large convenient shed, with other out buildings. The other lot adjoining and unimproved. The terms will be accommodating to the purchaser, if required. For particulars apply to the proprietor, living on the premises.
HUMPHREY BUCKLER.
N.B. If a purchaser should not offer in 20 days, a steady complete workman, to act as foreman, will meet with liberal encouragement. Apply as above. H. B.
October 6. 2aw4t

Irish Linen.

ALEXANDER BROWN
Has just received by the ship Fame,
A large assortment of 7-8 and 4-4 wide Linen, Long Lawns and Diaper, which he expects to be opening at his Irish linen warehouse, No. 90, Market-street, in all this week.
October 4. d6t

Cotton and Wool Cards,
A large assortment for sale at the Card Manufactory of
A. FONERDEN,
No. 54, Market-street;
Where country merchants may be supplied by the box or dozen, on moderate terms.
October 5. d

Printed Calicoes, Muslins, &c.

Guest, Atterbury and Co.
No. 14, Calvert-street,
Have imported in the several vessels from London, Liverpool & Hull, a very extensive assortment of
7-8 and 9-8 Fancy CALICOES & CHINTZES,

Jaconet and book muslins	Cambrick and lappet shawls
Tambored & lappet do.	Lawn handkerchiefs
White & colored cambrick do.	Hosiery
Jaconet and book handkerchiefs	Dimities, quiltings
	Fancy cords and velvets
	Durants, calimancoes,

And a few bales carpets, blankets, coatings, swandowns, &c.
For sale very low for cash or acceptances at short dates.
October 5. d

BALTIMORE
Gunpowder Manufactory.

THE proprietors of the Baltimore Gunpowder Manufactory beg leave to inform the public, that they are prepared to supply those wanting GUNPOWDER, with a variety of kinds, warranted equal to any made in the United States.
Also,
Refined SALTPETRE. Apply to
LORMAN & FULFORD'S,
Bowly's wharf.
October 5. d

New Theatre.

To-Morrow Evening, October 6,
Will be presented a favorite Comedy, in 5 acts, called
Lovers' Vows.
(Translated from the German of Kotzebue, by Mrs. Inchbald.)
To which will be added an admired Comic Opera, in 2 acts, called
The Lock and Key.

BOX one Dollar, PIT three-fourths of a dollar.
☞ The doors will open at half past 5, and the performance commence a quarter after six o'clock.
October 5.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from my country seat, near the city of Baltimore, on Sunday, the 2d instant, a dark mulatto man, named MOSES, formerly hostler at Baily's livery stables, afterwards at Evans's stables, and lastly at Coleby's stables; he is twenty years of age; about five feet ten inches high; slender made, and has a remarkable twist with his mouth at particular times; he had on, when he went away, a brown mixt broad cloth short coat, with round-topt metal buttons; white waistcoat; pantaloons of the same cloth of his coat, with a pair of nankeen under them; half-worn castor hat; worsted stockings and common coarse shoes; is an artful fellow, and it is probable will change his cloaths; he was seen in the city yesterday, with two other mulattoes; and is, perhaps, still lurking about the town. I will pay five dollars for apprehending, securing and giving information if in the city of Baltimore; if out of the city, in the county, ten dollars; if out of the county, twenty dollars; and if out of the state, the above reward, with all reasonable charges.
CONRAD EISELEN.
N. B. Masters of vessels and others are warned against harboring or carrying off said fellow, as the law will be put in force against them.
October 3. d3t-eo