BY THIS DAY's MAILS.

BOSTON, November 26.

The ship Native, Peterson, 69 days from Rotterdam, bound to Kennebeck, anchored in the Roads.

November 27.

Arrived, ship Almyra, Stover, of Portland, 49 days from Liverpool. Spoke, Oct. 27, lat. 41, long. 45, brig Ann, of Newburyport, Swett, last from Elsineur, bound home—same time, a Portsmouth ship from Ireland, bound to Boston, had lost his topmasts, a few days previous, but was repaired. Nov. 18, lat. 41, long. 62, 30, ship Urania, Stone, from Liverpool, for Newburyport, 56 days out, sails very much shattered. Captain Stone, on the 17th of Nov. spoke the ship Tom, of Portsmouth, 95 days from Isle of Rhea, had experienced much bad weather. Nov. 23, on Georges Banks, brig Edward, Jourdan, of Portland, bound to Martinico, one pump going. Nov. 25, in the evening, on Georges, sch'r Rebecca, Powers, from Boston.

Captain Stover, from the 12th Oct. to the 12th Nov. experienced continued gales of wind from N. W. to W.

To the southward of Grand Banks, in the Gulph Stream, captain Stover discerned one day, 18 sail of vessels steering to the westward.

November 28.

Arrived, schr. William, Brush, Havana, 17 days. Left ship Suffolk, to sail in a few days for Boston. Spoke, Nov. 6, lat. 27, long. 82, a schooner from Havana, for Philadelphia, 3 days out. Nov. 15, lat. 36, 34, long. 72, ship Commerce, Coburn, of Hallowell, from Liverpool, for Norfolk, 60 days out.

Same day, brig Lion, Alden, from Guadaloupe and St. Bartholomews—29 days from the former, and 25 from the latter place. Left brig Portland, Crabtree, to sail in 15 days; Dispatch, Motley, in 25; ——, Molton, in 30; Mary Ann, Sawyer, in 20; Rainbow, Webber, in 30—all for Portland; Merchant, Perkins, Kennebunk, in 10; brig Vigilant, Pilsbury, Boston, in 15; and a brig belonging to Messrs. Sumner and Coffin. At St. Bartholomews, *schr. Raven, Sawyer, of Portland, for Baltimore, in 2 days;* brig ———, Lowell, Portland, 15 days. November 6, lat. 25, 11, long. 66, fell in with a schr. on her beam ends, mainmast gone, yellow sides, high deck, to appearance a new vessel, stern so far under water, as not to be able to discover her name.

Same day, schr. Fame, Robinson, Madeira, 36, days.

Same day, brig Maine, Freeman, Havana, 20 days.

Same day, sloop Ten Sisters, Hallet, New-York, 3 days; *schr. Federal George. Field Baltimore, 12;* a brig from Richmond, and several other vessels coastwise.

Capt. Field, from Baltimore, spoke, Nov. 21, lat. 39, 30, long. 71, 15, *a schr. 15 days from Baltimore for New-Bedford.*

Same day, ship Suffolk, Thomas, Havana, 26 days. Left ship Columbine, Atkins, just arrived; ship Suffolk, Crocker, of Boston, to sail soon. Captain Baxter, in the brig Thomas, of Portland, was cast away coming out of Matanzies, October 28, cargo lost—crew saved.

Left at the Vineyard, ship Ocean, from Liverpool, 90 days; brig Dolphin, from Copenhagen; *schr. Francis, from Baltimore;* and several other schooners. Sailed from the Vineyard, in co. with brig Friendship, from Virginia. Spoke off the Vineyard, ship Eliza-Ann, 79 days from Amsterdam, for New-York; in Boston harbor, schr. John Adams; and a schooner of Hallowell, with naval stores on deck.

Cleared, ship Ulysses, Darling, Calcutta; Sally, Hastings, Nantz; Venus, Trask, Marseilles and a market; Alert, Fields, Amsterdam; brigs Joseph, Gay, Jamaica; Argo, Davis, Trinidad; Abbey, Anthoine, Embden; Littlar, Builard, West-Indies; sch's Robin, Dudkee, Yarmouth; Kitty, Ferguson, Placentia; Little Mary, Weston, Bilboa; Betsy, M'Gray, Yarmouth.

NEW-YORK, December 4.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at St. Louis, to his friend in Vincennes, dated the 23d ultimo.

"I saw governor Harrison on Sunday, on his way by water to Vincennes. A treaty of peace has been patched up between the Osages and the different other tribes—No one, however, expects it will be long attended to by either, for authentic information has just been received that Spain has agents among the Indians of the Missouri, and upper parts of the Missisippi, persuading them to war against the United States, and that in consequence two men have been killed. This confirms the numerous accounts received of the hostile disposition of Spain towards the United States."

No arrivals at this port yesterday.

Cleared, ship Cato, Pile, Jamaica; Francis, Braine, Greenock; brig Comet, Center, Nantz; Eliza Hamilton, Culver, St. Croix; Charlotte, Jones, New-Providence; Susan, M'Cormick, Guadaloupe; schr. West-Indian, Jamaica; Hiram, Bliffin, Martinique.

PHILADELPHIA, December 5.

A letter from a gentleman at Lancaster states, that the Senate and house of representatives of this state were organized on Tuesday last. JAMES BRADY, esquire, is chosen Speaker of the senate, and Charles Porter, esq. speaker of the house of representatives—both *constitutionalists.*

The votes for speaker, in each house, were as follow:

In the Senate.

For James Brady, of Westmoreland, 13
John Steele, of Lancaster, *late speaker,* 8

In the house of representatives.

For Charles Porter, of Fayette, 46
Jacob Holgate, of Philadelphia county, 32

NORFOLK, November 30.

A very respectable gentleman in this borough, received by last mail, a letter from Richmond, stating that information had been received from Washington, and from unquestionable authority, which stated that an amicable adjustment of all matters in dispute, between the United States and Great-Britain had taken place.

Arrived in Hampton-Roads, the ship Julia, Vickery, 57 days from Liverpool.

Also, brig Fame, Hoyt, 24 days from Exuma. She was bound to New-York, but having sprung a leak, put into this port.

Also, sch'r Jane, Pearson, 4 days from Philadelphia; Argonaut, Lee, 7 days from do.; sloop George, Lawrence, 5 days from do.; and schr. George, Hewett, 7 days from Boston.

Cleared, ship Dumfries, Beard, London; brig Alexander, Laughton, France; schr. Mohawk, Quarles, St. Domingo; Enterprize, Fitzhugh, Tobago; Hope, Sprague, Jamaica.

FEDERAL GAZETTE.

FRIDAY, *DECEMBER* 6.

Scarcely has one fire ceased to be the general topic of conversation, before another rouses our citizens to exertion. About 6 o'clock last evening, the three-story house in Market-street occupied by Mr. Thomas Dobbin, as a dwelling and printing-office, was discovered to be on fire in the roof, near the eaves, and in a few minutes the flames burst through and threatened the adjoining house, occupied by Messrs. Meteer and Armstrong. The efforts, however, of a few meritorious individuals, who exposed themselves to the fire on one side, and to the water thrown from the engines on the other, materially contributed to limit its ravages: while the united exertions of the fire-companies, and other citizens who could find an opportunity to lend their services, aided by the favorable stillness of the evening, extinguished the fire with the loss of part of the roof.

Much anxiety was evinced for the preservation of the printing materials, which were in the third story of the house and the greater part of them were removed to the lower rooms,—but in such a state, from their own nature and from the confusion incident to the scene, as to render their derangement scarcely less injurious to Mr. Dobbin, than their destruction.

The difficulty of procuring water at the commencement of this fire, contributed greatly to retard its extinction. Without enquiring by what authority individuals have undertaken to remove the public steps from the falls at the side of Market-street bridge, we would observe, that the necessity of their being immediately replaced must be evident to all. Nor should any public pumps be suffered to be out of order for a single day—yet that on the west side of and near the upper end of the market, has been out of order for some time.

Those who first arrived at the spot where this fire commenced, state, that it must have originated on the inside of the roof, near the eaves; and as it appears that the family held no intercourse with that part of the house, nor with the garret, there is a strong presumption that some one, prompted by the same diabolical spirit as shewed its handy-work in South-street, *set the house on fire!*

Connected with the arrangements about to be made by the fire-companies, we would suggest the necessity of each company choosing some judicious member, as a *Vidette,* whose duty it should be, to attain the most advantageous view of a fire when it breaks out, and by the assistance of a speaking trumpet to inform the person on the engine to what point to direct his volume of water.

The Editor of the Telegraphe having experienced an incalculable loss from the unfortunate occurrence of last evening, solicits the indulgence of his patrons, for a short time, which will be employed in the re-organization of the office, and the regulation of his domestic concerns.

He also embraces this opportunity of returning his gratitude to his numerous friends for their vigilance and activity in preserving from the flames, the most valuable portion of his printing materials and household furniture.

THOMAS DOBBIN.

S. Meeteer and *Armstrong* offer a tribute of sincere thanks, as a return to their friends and fellow-citizens, for their active and friendly attentions, manifested to them during the fire last evening—they acknowledge themselves much indebted for that praiseworthy policy, enforced by those of their friends, who completely saved their property by preventing its removal.

The following petition has been presented to the house of delegates.

To the hon. gen. assembly of Maryland.

The memorial of the mayor and city council of Baltimore, respectfully sheweth,

That by an act of assembly in passed the year 1803, certain alterations were proposed to be made in the law by which the city of Baltimore was incorporated—provided such alterations were approved by the first branch of the city council, at their succeeding session. It is further respectfully represented, that the propriety of adopting the alterations so proposed, received the consideration of the first branch of the city council, at the time directed: and it was by that branch unanimously thought unadviseable to adopt all the alterations proposed: and as the corporation had not the privilege of accepting such of them as were desireable, it was resolved that your honorable body should be respectfully petitioned at your present session for the following alterations in the aforesaid charter:—

1st. That the amount of five hundred dollars of assessment within the city, be the qualification of members of the first branch of the city council, instead of one thousand dollars, at present requisite.

2d. That the amount of one thousand dollars of assessment within the city, be the qualification of members of the second branch of the city council, instead of two thousand dollars, at present requisite.

3d. That the mode of voting, at the city elections, be by ballot, and that such elections commence and close at the same times of the day as the other elections held within this city.

And whereas by the act of incorporation of the city of Baltimore, the corporation are to provide for the safe-keeping and preservation of the standard of weights and measures fixed by congress, and for the regulating thereby all weights and measures used within the city and precincts: and inasmuch as congress have not yet fixed any standard of weights and measures, your petitioners pray, that the mayor and city council may have the right of regulating weights and measures by the present standard, until one shall be fixed by congress, so that much fraud and imposition may be thereby prevented.

It appears to your memorialists that these alterations would meet the general approbation of the citizens of Baltimore, and the first and second of them remove the inconvenience suffered by some of the wards of the city; and as they appear reasonable in themselves, your memorialists confidently hope, that a law will be enacted by your honorable body granting the prayer of this petition.

By the First Branch of the City Council,
BALTZER SCHÆFFER, Presid't.
By the Second Branch of the City Council,
JAMES CALHOUN, Presid't.
Approved,
THOROWGOOD SMITH,
Mayor of the city of Baltimore.

Extract of a letter to the Editor of the Evening Post, dated Anapolis, December 4.

"The Reister's-Town and York turnpike road bills, passed yesterday by a majority of 11. I understand it is expected that John Scott, esq. is to be attorney general, and it is reported that Luther Martin has resigned his office.

The house have invested 40,000 dollars in the Farmer's Bank of Maryland."

Answer of Austria to the French note to the diet of Ratisbon, by M. Bacher.

RATISBON, Sept. 13, 1805.

The Austrian minister has delivered the following rescript to the diet:

"The declaration which the French charge d'affairs was ordered to communicate to the diet at Ratisbon, has been laid before his Roman and Austrian Imperial majesty. According to this declaration, the states of the German empire might be induced to imagine that the armaments and acts of violence of the French emperor in Italy, have given Austria no cause for a counter-arming; that France, not Austria wishes the restoration of a general peace, to attain which restoration, was the object of the intended invasion of England, which Austria now endeavors to interrupt, to prevent the attainment of this object. With this declaration is connected the threat of an attack on the German empire, if Austria does not immediately disarm at the order of the French emperor.

"Called upon by such a declaration made to the German diet, his majesty finds it incumbent upon him to lay before his co-estates of the empire such documents as may shew the true causes and views which have compelled him to arm. They will thence perceive that Austria offered its mediation for the restoration of peace and tranquility, which France refused; that France wishes not peace; for that situation is not peace, but more destructive than war, in which a single power, formidable by its greatness, alone remains armed, and is prevented by no opposition from occupying with its troops, oppressing and subjecting one independent peaceable state after another.

"To put an end to this state of things is the object of the arming of the Austrian and Russian imperial troops; and that the former, from the menacing armaments of the French in Italy, has the most pressing motives to be careful for its own safety, must be evident to all who have had experience in the affairs of he world; and for further proof it is only necessary to refer to the extracts of the Moniteurs of the 12th of May, and 13th of June of the present year. That only this object and not any self-interested views, have produced the determination of Austria and Russia, appears from their readiness to enter into any negociation on principles of justice and moderation—from their assurances to the states of the empire, that, in case war should prove unavoidable, they will maintain the legal state of the German constitution and possessions, inviolate; which assurances the Austrian envoys have orders to repeat and confirm in the most solemn manner.

"The threats of the French emperor to attack the German empire, shews how necessary it is to be guarded against such an attack by adequate preparations; experience never to be forgotten has taught with what consequences the fulfilment of such threats on the part of France is connected; and it is the more necessary to be active in preventing them, as already the most certain indications are apparent, that several princes of the frontier circles of the empire have been encouraged on the part of the French to take up arms against their emperor and co-estate, and to this end, new secret connections have been entered into, and those existing abused.

"His majesty trusts with confidence, that if not all, at least the greater part of the states of the empire, will see the dangerous tendency of such proceedings, and the necessity of warding off from Germany, by unanimity, fidelity and courage, the fate of Italy and other neighboring countries of France, which have been rendered either half or entirely dependent upon her; and that they will consequently approve and promote those measures, without which, the salutary views of Austria and Russia, cannot be carried into effect; for it is most evident that the possibility of maintaining a real peace, depends on being prepared with those effectual means, which, in case it should be impossible to attain the object wished, can alone furnish the last hope of deliverance and succor.

"LOUIS, COUNT COBENTZEL."

From the Merchants Coffee-House Books.

December 6.

Arrived, ship Bacchus, Groom, 80 days from Tonningen—linens, copper & lead—S. Smith & Buchanan. Sept. 23, off Dover, spoke ship Commerce, Adams, of this port, 47 days from Norfolk, for Varel. Nov. 16, lat. 35, long. 65, the British packet Hamilton, from Jamaica, for Falmouth, out 4 weeks. Nov. 23, lat. 37, 8, long. 71, schr. Intrepid, Jeamine, from Baltimore, for St. Thomas, out 2 days.

Also, schr. Jane, Collard, 28 days from St. Pierres, (Mart.)—sugars—P. A. Guestier. Left there, ship Olive Branch, Lake, for Philadelphia, in 6 or 7 days; brig Superior, Denabre, for do. 1st Dec.; Amazon, Putman, Newburyport, 16 days; Fair American, Bengley, Norwich, 5 days; Melantho, Butman, Portland, 10 or 12 days; Laura N. Haven, 15 days; schr. Wilmington, Miller, Philadelphia, uncertain; Commerce, Wilson, New-York 8 days. Left the ship Minerva, Blackwell, from Boston, at New-Point-Comfort.

Also, the ship Bonetto from Salem; schr. Union, Hawkings, from New-York, and Julian, Carlton, from Newburyport.

Departed this life, this morning, MR. JOHN M'GOWAN, in the 25th year of his age, of a pulmonary consumption, which he bore for several years with exemplary fortitude. Mr. M'GOWAN served the latter years of his apprenticeship in this office, where he continued to be employed until relieved from his unyielding complaint by the friendly hand of death—friendly, to one whose life was without guile, but full of pain, and to whom there could be no terrors in a closing scene. Though humble the part allotted him here, yet the manner in which it was sustained ensured him an infinitely more enviable one in a better world. We knew his worth, and feel a lively regret for his loss.

☞ *His friends and acquaintance are informed, that his funeral will take place To-Morrow Afternoon, at 3 o'clock, proceeding from his late dwelling, at the N. E. corner of Pratt-street and Market-Space.*

WITH sincere thanks to the numerous and respectable assembly, who attended the PHILOSOPHICAL EXHIBITION, of the Subscriber on Tuesday evening last, he laments the disappointment, which both them and himself felt, on account of several events, which rendered the representation so much less interesting, than they had a right to expect, and the Subscriber fully intended, and hoped it would have been.

Several of the most interesting experiments, in the first part of the exhibition, were entirely defeated, by an unfortunate accident, which shall hereafter be strictly guarded against.

But it is with extreme regret, the Subscriber states, that the Optical part of the representation, was in a great measure marred, by the intrusion of persons into the area, between the spectators and the scenes, and which compelled him, from the consequent derangement of operation, to omit many of the most interesting pieces. He hopes that after this notice, no such intrusion will hereafter take place.

There were numerous instances in the evening, of persons entering the room without delivering their tickets; such as were admitted in this manner, the subscriber hopes, will be so good as to send back their tickets to the place from whence they received them, or to the subscriber.

In consequence of some necessary alterations, and arrangements in the room, the next exhibition will be postponed until *Wednesday next,* the 12th instant, at half past six o'clock, P. M. and will be *positively* continued in future, on every *Wednesday and Saturday,* at the same hour.

Tickets may be had at Messrs. Carr's and Conrad's stores, and at the office of the Federal Gazette as usual, or down stairs at the Octagon. L. GEANTY.

December 6. d4t

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscribers of Anne-Arundel county, have obtained from the orphan's court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Vachel Gaither, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, on or before the 27th day of February next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands this 27th day of August, 1805.

RUTH GAITHER, Adm'x.
BENJ. GAITHER, Adm'r.

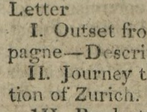
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☞ A steady Compositor
Will meet with constant employ at this office.

Sale by Auction.

ON MONDAY,

The 9th instant, at half past 12 o'clock, in Frederick-street dock, where she now lies, will be sold, for approved endorsed negotiable notes, at 3, 6 and 9 months,



The fast-sailing pilot boat
Schr. St. MICHAEL,
As she arrived from sea—burthen 100 tons; has made but two voyages, and is well found.

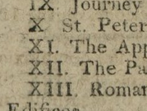
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December 6.

Sale by Auction.

ON MONDAY,

The 9th instant, (immediately after the sale of the schr. St. Michael) about 1 o'clock, will be sold, in Smith's dock, on 6 and 12 months credit, for approved paper,



The Schooner
MARTHA & MARY,
Burthen about 50 tons, and now ready to take in a cargo.

LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auc's.

December 6

ESTATE OF
David Bowman, esq. deceased.

ALL Persons having claims against the estate of David Bowman, esq deceased, late of Accomack county, Virginia, are requested to furnish them, duly authenticated, to the subscribers, that they may be provided for in a due course of administration, agreeably to law. JOHN KER } Executors.
WM. SEYMOUR }

Accomack county, Nov. 28, 1805.

December 6. 2aw6t

American Letters.

This day is published, and for sale by George Hill,
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December 7. eo4t

Wanted,

A steady YOUNG MAN who writes a good hand, and can be well recommended—A line directed to D. F. and left at this office will be attended to.

December 6. d3t

For Sale,

1500 bushels Liverpool SALT
200 bbls. New-England RUM,
Just received by the schooner Julian, in Frederick-street dock

Also on hand,
Prime Georgia COTTON and TOBACCO.
FALLS & BROWN.

December 6. d3t

Wanted immediately,

A YOUNG MAN, qualified to take charge of a Wholesale and Retail Store. Among other requisites, an indubitable character for morality and application will be indispensible. Apply to WILLIAM WILKINS,
73, Baltimore-street.

Dec. 6. d3t||

Baltimore Dancing Assembly.

THE Managers request a meeting of the proprietors, at the Rooms on Monday evening next, to ballot for such married gentlemen, as may be proposed for the season, or as proprietors by purchase

December 6. d2t

Five Dollars Reward.

STRAYED away on Sunday evening (during the fire in South-street) from the stable of the Subscribers, on M'Lure's wharf, a bay *Horse* and a dun colored *Mare,* which they cannot find or hear of since. The above reward will be paid to any person who will bring home the same, with all reasonable charges; or, to any person who will give information, so that we may get them again.

M'QUINN & BARRON.

December 6. d

Stolen or Strayed

Last evening, from my waggon in Howard-street, a Bay MARE, about 14 hands high, 13 or 14 years old, is blind in the left eye, with the mark D. B. on the left buttock. A reward of Ten Dollars will be given to any person who will bring the said Mare to David Hostetter, in Howard-street; to the subscriber; or to George Beams, on the Reister's-town road.

DAVID MAHAN.

November 25. law3w||