on the day or days prescribed in the aforesaid act.

[True copy from the original.]

AND whereas, by an act passed at the present session of assembly, it is provided, that a new election shall be held for managers of the Baltimore and Reisterstown turnpike company, on the first Monday in April next; and the election being held on so late a day may much impede the operations of the company—Therefore,

BE it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful to hold the election of managers of the Baltimore and Reisterstown turnpike company, on the third Monday in February next—any thing in the aforesaid act to the contrary notwithstanding.

From the Merchant's Coffee-House Books.

January 24.

Arrived, the schr. Enterprise, Hull, from Leghorn—soap & oil—Hollins & M'Blair, and James Purviance. Left there, 21st November, brigs Paragon, Eveleth, of Baltimore, to sail in 10days; Alexander, Reeves, of ditto, discharging; a ship and brig for Salem, in 20 days. A Philadelphia schr arrived there the 16th November, in 20 days from Smyrna—informed that the brigs Eutaw, and Spartan, of Baltimore, were to sail for Trieste the day after her. Nov. 29, off Malaga, spoke the brig Ann, M'Cowley of Newburyport, from Amsterdam, for Alicant. Off Carthage, the ship Eliza. Seahussey, of Nantucket, from New-York, for Barcelona. Jan. 2, lat. 31, 35, long. 67, spoke the ship Henrietta, 6 days from Philadelphia, for St. Croix. 5th lat. 33, 52, long. 68, the schr. Somerset, Nowell, from Baltimore, for Guadaloupe.

January 25.

The Mechanic, hence, has arrived at Bremen, Nov. 29.

The brig Truxton, Mooney, hence, has arrived at Lisbon, in 30 days passage.

We are happy in announcing the complete emancipation of our harbor from its icy embargo; 4 ships, 1 brig and 2 schooners are now in sight, bound up.

We are indebted to a friend at Washington, for a copy of a bill introduced into the senate on Monday last, by Mr. Wright of Maryland. We are bound in charity to believe the man mad—stark staring mad because, we should be sorry to think him a fool.—I wonder whether congress are going to spend their whole session in idle ravings like this, while business of the most momentous nature is pressing upon them.

[*U. S. Gazette.*]

SENATE.

January 20.

Agreeably to notice given on the 16th inst.

Mr. Wright asked and obtained leave to bring in the following bill, which was read and passed to a second reading:

A BILL,

For the protection and indemnification of American seamen.

WHEREAS, by the treaty of amity, commerce and navigation made between his Britannic majesty and the United States, at London, on the nineteenth day of Nov. one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, by the first article of said treaty, it is agreed, "That there shall be a firm, inviolable and universal peace, and a true and sincere friendship between his Britannic majesty, his heirs and successors, and the United States of America, and between their respective countries, territories, cities, towns, and people of every degree, without exception of persons or places." And whereas, in direct violation of said treaty, his Britannic majesty has caused to be impressed out of the ships of the United States sailing on the high seas, divers citizens of said United States; and has compelled them to serve on board the ships of war of his said Britannic majesty, in violation of their liberty, and at the hazard of their lives; and in despite of the remonstrances of the government of said U. States, continues said unjust practice; and the seamen of the United States so impressed, by force, retains in his service; and whereas the United States are solemnly bound to protect all those who are bound in allegiance to the said U. States, Therefore,

Be it enacted, by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, That from and after the day of next, any person or persons, who shall impress any seaman on board any vessel bearing the flag of the United States, upon the high seas, or in any river, haven, basin or bay, under pretext or color of a commission from any foreign power, shall for every such offence be adjudged a pirate and felon; and on conviction shall suffer death. And the trial in any such case may be had where the offender is apprehended or may be first brought.

Sect. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall be lawful for any American seamen, sailing under the flag of the United States, on any person or persons attempting to impress him by force, from on board any vessel of the Untied States, upon the high seas, or in any river, haven, basin or bay, to repel such force by shooting, or otherwise killing or destroying the person or persons so attempting to impress him, and shall, as an encouragement to resist, be entitled to a bounty of two hundred dollars, to be paid to him or his order, or legal representatives, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sect. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That on information being given to the president of the United States, proving satisfactorily to him, that any citizen of the U. States, who shall have been impressed or forced by violence or threats, to enter on board any foreign vessel, shall suffer death, or any other corporal punishment by the authority of such power; it shall be lawful for the president of the United States to cause the most rigorous and exact retaliation on any subjects of that government, whom he is hereby authorized to seize and take for that purpose.

Sect. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That every American seaman, heretofore or hereafter impressed and compelled to serve on board any foreign ship or vessel, shall be entitled to receive, as an indemnification for his slavery and hardships on board the ship in which he has been or shall be compelled to serve, from the day of his impressment, the sum of sixty dollars per month for every month he has or shall serve on board the said ship or ships; and that the said seaman, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall be entitled to recover the same in the district court of the state in which the port lies from which the vessel cleared for the voyage in which he was taken, by attachment of any private debt due from any citizen of the United States to any subject of that government by whose subjects he had been impressed; and that any sums of money so attached out of the hands of any debtor, shall be a payment of so much of said debt, and may be pleaded in payment or discount to the amount of the said sum so attached, and all the costs of said attachment, which shall be allowed as a payment of that amount in any suit for said debt. And that so much of the treaty of London, of the nineteenth of November, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, as secures the inviolability of such debts as will be infringed by the attachments or recoveries hereby authorised, shall not (so far as is necessary in the execution of this act only) be regarded as legally obligatory on the government or citizens of the United States.

From late London papers.

PRIVATE CORRESPONDENCE.

PARIS, November 9.

"The naval victory of lord Nelson has been known here for these two days past, and has occasioned the greatest consternation among all classes of people, but particularly so among our military and our merchants. Louis Bonaparte spoke, however, very slightly of it last night in his wife's circle. He said, "that it might induce the emperor to conclude another peace, but that the final conquest of Great-Britain, tho' postponed, would never be relinquished by his majesty, but with his death. *It was, and would be, the principal object of his reign.*" On the other hand, an increase of the prices of colonial productions was the immediate consequence; and while our funds lowered two per cent. interest for ready money, advanced one per cent. in the month. We do not yet hear all the particulars of this battle, but we apprehend that this is the *third* Toulon fleet destroyed, *en masse*, by your nation, within these last ten years.

"All our troops on the coast, and in the interior, have marched, or are ordered to march, for the Upper and Lower Rhine, and every thing makes us dread another general war, another paper money, another maximum, and, perhaps, another famine. Many of the sailors of our gunboats perform garrison duty instead of our soldiers, and complain bitterly, not only on this account, but because their pay is behind-hand for 7 months.

"Rouen contains one of government's depots of conscripts; last week a friend of mine saw there four thousand of them, ordered upon duty, to shoot one of their comrades who had deserted, together with a miller who had concealed him. They at first unanimously refused, alledging, that they were soldiers, and not executioners. Fifty gens d'armes, soon, however, called them to order, and the criminals suffered. The parents, brothers and sisters of the conscript and the widow and children of the miller, are still in irons, expecting the emperor's determination with regard to their fate. Such is our love of glory, and our military spirit, that out of sixty substitutes procured by parents of the department of Lower Seine, some have received twenty thousand livres, and none less than fifteen thousand livres, for serving our emperor.

"A confidential stock broker of Talleyrand always holds out hopes of peace, while a confidential agent of Berthier is shewing orders for the collecting of two armies of observation of one hundred and twenty thousand men in Holland and on the Lower Rhine. Of these troops, twenty thousand are to be commanded by general Brune, and fifty thousand by general Lefevre.

"Hautfrieve is now composing for the Moniteur a most violent diatribe against the emperor of Russia for visiting Berlin, and against the king of Prussia for receiving his visit, without the permission of the emperor of the French.

"The electoral prince of Bavaria is much feasted by the Imperial Bonapartes. It is said that he is to serve as an aid-de-camp under Napoleon, and that his sister has been put in requisition, for his serene highness prince Eugenius de Beauharnois, the viceroy of Italy."

The father of capt. Wright, (who, there is every reason to believe has been put to death by order of Bonaparte) has long been in Edinburg, as major and paymaster of the garrison battalion. The moment he heard his son had fallen into Bonaparte's hands, he despaired of his life, and has never been observed to speak of him without bursting into tears. His son was the confidential friend of sir Sidney Smith, and under that illustrious chief, incurred the immortal hatred of Bonaparte, by his heroic atchievements in the defence of Acre. Bonaparte's last hope of taking the place depended on a mine, which he had led up, in order to blow up the fortifications. But when the mine was nearly ready to take effect, captain Wright, with a handful of men, cut his way through the enemy, and demolished the mine. In this exploit he was severely wounded, and overwhelmed in the rubbish, where his men left him, supposing him to be dead. But sir Sidney, determined that his friend, dead or alive, should not fall into the hands of the enemy, by a more vigorous sally, dug him out of the rubbish, and carried him off in triumph, amidst the fire of the whole French army.

Extraordinary escape of the Agamemnon, sir Edward Berry, previous to the battle of Trafalgar.

From the most authentic documents, we have this intelligence:—That on the morning of the 10th October, at half past three, off Cape Finisterre, sir Edward Berry, in the Agamemnon, discovered 8 sail to windward; at four, one of them bore down towards the Agamemnon. The private night-signal was made, but not answered. Sir Edward therefore kept his course S. by W. full, and with all sail set, except studding-sails. At day-light the private signal was made, but not answered. The first ship that bore down was soon discovered to be a three-decker, with five ships of the line, two frigates and a brig, evidently French. The three-decker was within gun-shot at day-break, and crouded all sail to get alongside the Agamemnon, as did the 80 gun ship, which was on the lee-quarter. There being a butt of water before the breast of each gun, sir Edward ordered them all to be started and the casks thrown overboard, to be clear for battle. At nine, the Agamemnon gained upon the three-decker, but the 80 gun ship neared the Agamemnon. Sir Edward determined not to keep away, and could not tack without the certainty of a broadside from the three-decker, and being raked by the 80 gun ship while in stays, he therefore kept the ship steady in her course, furling the topgallant-sails, & hauling down the stay-sails in the squalls and setting them occasionally. At ten the 80 gun ship gained upon the Agamemnon; he therefore ordered the weather-quarter boat to be cut away, and ran out the stern-chases. At eleven, the French admiral relinquished the chase, and called in the 80 gun ship, when each hoisted the colors of their nation; and soon after, sir Edward came within signal of the Amiable frigate, the honorable captain Bouverie, to whom he communicated what had happened: But this extraordary manœuvre will be more fully explained, when sir Edward's letter to his glorious chief shall be published. The chace continued the space of 70 miles by the log.

At a meeting of the New Market Fire Company, held at Chamberlain's tavern, on Saturday evening last, the following persons were elected officers of the company, for the present year:—

George Grundy — *President.*
Peter Little, Ebenezer Finley — *Vice Preeidents.*
Owen Dorsey — *Secretary.*
Adam Welsh — *Treasurer.*
Richard Seabrook, John Stouffer, John Dillon, Samuel Cole, William Krebs, Moses Hand, Leonard Frailey, Gerhard Von Harten, Charles Bohn, William Hayward — *Directors.*
Isaac Phillips, Asahel Hussey, John Baxley, John Hayward — *Lanemen.*
Michael Kimmel, Christian Baum, Samuel Wolf — *Engineers.*
Nicholas Orrich Ridgely, Peter Pollard, John D. Read, Elisha Bailey, John Stitcher, Thomas Haelbraith, James Hyndes, George Hennich, Peter Fowble, Jacob Myers — *Hosemen.*
Marshal English, Peter Hedges, George Reynolds, Bennet Kirk — *Axemen.*
William Edwards, Henry Winters, Henry Myers, Alexander Thompson, Humphrey Sanders, William B. Lupton — *Laddermen.*
Archibald Hawkins, George Myers, Robert Edwards, John Bracken, Abraham Pyke, George Speake — *Hookmen.*
David Harris, Willliam Merridith, Michael Warner, John Reese, Andrew M'Coy, Josias Thompson — *Property men*
Oliver Pollock, George Baxley, Gunning S Bedford, Abraham Booth — *Property guards.*
John Simpson, *Notice server.*

The company will meet at Chamberlain's tavern, according to appointment, THIS EVENING, at 6 o'clock, when those persons wishing to become members are invited to attend.

January 25.

A CHARITY SERMON

Will be preached on Sunday morning next, by the Rev. Mr. David, at St. Peter's, the Roman Catholic church, for the benefit of the female humane association charity school.—January 23.

Sale by Auction.

On MONDAY,

The 27th inst. at 11 o'clock, at the auction room, at the head of Gay-street dock, will commence the sale of

A variety of Dry Goods,

ALSO,

A few sets of Chimney Ornaments,

After which at 12 o'clock,

23 hhds. Muscovado Sugar
218 bales of Green Coffee
100 tierces of Rice, on 4 months credit
Young Hyson and Hyson Skin Teas, Brandy, &c.

LEMMON & CAMPBELL, Auct's.

January 25.

Wanted,

A middle-aged woman, completely qualified for a House-keeper, in a large family; to such a one, that can bring proper testimonials of good character, a liberal salary will be given. For further particulars enquire of the editors of this Gazette.

January 25. d4teo4t

A Hat

WAS found last evening, which the proper owner may have again, by calling at the office of the Federal Gazette, and paying cost of advertising

January 25. d3t||

For Sale,

A Negro WOMAN, about 33 years of age. She is one of the best cooks in Maryland, and she is also an excellent House servant and washer.

A handsome Mulatto GIRL, about 11 years of age, will also be disposed of. Enquire of the printers.

January 25. d

For Sale,

TWO very fine *Geldings*, well broke to either Saddle or Harness; young, spirited and remarkably active. Also, a Gig, with Top and Apron. They will be sold low as they are the property of a person leaving the country; and good approved notes at 4 months, will be taken in payment. Apply to

DAVID BAILEY,
At his Stable in Liberty-street.

January 25. d4t6

The Copartnership

Hitherto existing under the firm of *Hermes* and *Karthaus*, has ceased on the 31st December last. The pending concerns of that firm will be settled, and the business continued by

PETER ARNOLD KARTHAUS,
No. 1, South Liberty-street,

Who has imported by the ship Industry, captain Nicholas Meyers, from Amsterdam,

5 boxes Checks No. 2, entitled to drawback
12 boxes German home-made Linen, of excellent quality, for family use, 3-4, 7-8, 1-8 yard wide
200 pieces Apron Check's and Cotton Stripes
4 boxes Tapes, assorted
2 boxes white Linen Thread
1 box Silk Velvet, and Silk Velvet Checked patterns, fashionable colors
2 boxes black and colored Velvet Ribbons, assorted
1 box Cotton and Worsted Men's Gloves
18 kegs Hoes, from 7 to 12 inches
2 boxes Saws, Mill and Cross-cut
6 casks Coffee Mills, Waffle Irons & Socket Shovels
4 casks German Scythes
Iron Cast Stoves, for Coals
1 cask Iron Lamps
12 bundles German Steel
1 cask Crucibles, assorted
2 kegs Gun, Rifle and Pistol Flints, Slates and Marbles

A small quantity of Quicksilver and Cream-Tartar.

And on hand from former importations,

An extensive assortment of Silesia Linens, entitled to drawback, and all kinds of German goods; among which are a few pieces of black, blue and brown superfine broad Cloth.

All of which will be disposed of at a small advance, for approved paper, or in barter for West-India and American produce.

January 25. eo4w

A MEDAL,

Worthy of the illustrious WASHINGTON,

HAS been at length executed in Philadelphia, by a German artist (J. Reich) upon the designs of a person of taste, under the inspection of the director of the mint, the librarian of the Philosophical Society, and gentlemen of professional abilities an acknowledged judgement.

A proof impression in silver, is now submitted to public examination, and particularly recommended to the patronage of the members of Congress, and foreign Embassadors, at the Book-store of M. & J. Conrad & Co. where subscriptions will be received for the same.

IN GOLD, at 50 Dollars.
IN SILVER, at 5 Do.

Deliverable as nearly as possible, in the order of subscription, on the 31st day of March next.

DESCRIPTION.

The Face. A head of gen. Washington in his uniform.

INSCRIPTION.

G. G. Washington, C. C. A. U. S. (commander in chief of the armies of the U. States.

Reverse. Under the date of the acquisition of Independence, the American Eagle, with the thunderbolt in its claws, and the Olive-branch in its beak, descending upon a section of the globe, on which the United States are delineated by their natural boundaries.

N. B. Gentlemen who wish to possess this interesting momento of national gratitude, will please to remark, that the subscription will be closed on the 30th March, after which time, no more impressions will be taken in the precious metals.

January 25. 1aw4t

Polemic Society.

THE society met, at their hall in Harrison-street, when the following question was discussed:

"Which is the most attractive power in the female sex, Money, Beauty, or Merit?"—After a lengthy and animated debate, it was carried, by a great majority in favor of Merit.

Questions for Saturday evening next.

1. Which would afford the greatest security to the Commerce of the United States from the depredations of European powers; a non-intercourse act, sequestration of foreign property, or an open declaration of war?

2. Which is the best recommendation in a Man; Impudence, Riches, or Merit.

Debate to commence at seven o'clock.—Price of admission 12 1-2 cents.

January 23.

To be sold for want of employ,

A well disposed likely NEGRO GIRL, accustomed to house-work.

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON,
Head of Market-street.

January 24. eo3t||

Book Auction.

THIS EVENING,

The 25th instant, at 6 o'clock, at our auction room and commission-store, No. 3, Light street, next door to the Coffee-House, will commence the sale of a large assortment of

NEW BOOKS.

Sale to commence at half past 6 o'clock.

Catalogues may be had, and the books viewed any time during the day.

The whole to be sold without reserve.

SOWER & S COLE, Auct's.

January 25.

Book Auction.

Will be added to our sale THIS EVENING,

A small invoice of English manufactured Ladies' and Merchants' POCKET BOOKS.

SOWER and S. COLE, Auct's.

☞ The stated nights of sale, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, in every week.

January 25.

A MODEL
OF THE CITY OF JERUSALEM.

A. TUCKER

RESPECTFULLY returns his thanks to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Baltimore, for the flattering encouragement he has received since the opening of the exhibition of the Model of the city of Jerusalem—and begs leave to acquaint them, that he is now waiting for the river to open, when that most valuable of all exhibitions in the world, will be removed.—

This Model is laid out on a scale 16 feet by 9, agreeably to the map of Josephus, all in wooden buildings, after the Gothic style, together with Solomon's rich and elegant Temple. As this work has been published in two of the papers of Baltimore, inferior to none in this city, it is deemed unnecessary to give a further description of this master piece of workmanship. I can therefore, with confidence invite all to view it, and attend its lectures, as it never fails to afford universal satisfaction to all classes of people who attend.

As money is not the only object, his admittance is only 25 cents for Ladies and Gentlemen; half price for Children.

N. B. He has removed to the house of Mrs. Mitchel, No. 6, Market-space, where his admittance is bold and convenient, through an entry for Ladies and Gentlemen.

All favors gratefully received.

January 25. eo3t

EXHIBITION.

A Professor from the Dramatic School of Paris, will exhibit on MONDAY next, the 27th inst. at Mr. Bryden's Ball Room, a representation as follows:

PART 1st.

The Machinist is preparing the theatre, and the professor will by means of Ventriloquism, produce the different voices of workmen, supposed to be employed in different parts of the theatre.

PART 2d.

The dangers of Drunkenness

This scene is imitated from the celebrated Garrick. A man during the absence of his wife, takes his infant to play with, at a window of an upper apartment, and drinks till he gets intoxicated---lets it slip out of his arms into the street.---Here the professor displays the degrees of pleasure and fury.

PART 3d.

THE DISCONSOLATE ACTOR; OR,
THE MANAGER IN DISTRESS,
A Proverb in 1 act.

In this the professor will represent eight different persons, and will change his dress instantaneously eight different times.

A band of music is engaged for the occasion.

The public are informed, that there shall be only one exhibition---*after which shall take place,*

A GRAND BALL.

The officers of the Turkish delegation have promised to be at the exhibition.

N. B. The director of this exhibition wishing to find a person to assist him, has applied to Mr. Lawrence, a compeer of his, who without any view of interest could not refuse.

*** Tickets at one dollar each, to be had at Mr. Bryden's bar room, and at Mr. Faget's, No. 2, Cay-street.

A Card.

IT having been observed to the professor, that the imitation which he advertised in the second part of his exhibition, called Mass with Music, might be thought a burlesque on religion—he has withdrawn it, and begs leave to assure the public, that impressed with the greatest respect for all sacred ceremonies, he had no other intention but that of giving them the pleasure of hearing the performance of a a celebrated author.

January 22.

Cumberland D. Williams

Has just received for Sale,

283 bbls. prime Pork
7 do. mess do.
100 kegs Lard.

ON HAND,

50 bbls. No. 1 Beef
250 boxes Mould Candles
300 half boxes Soap
4 pipes of Port Wine
4 do. Lisbon ditto
4 quarter casks do. ditto
2 pipes Cogniac ditto
1 pipe Burgundy
100 chests Hyson Skin Tea } Portsmouth's
10 half chests Bohea ditto } cargo.
20 boxes Hyson Shulan ditto.

January 11. eo7t

"Wonders of Nature & Art."

THE Gentlemen in Baltimore, subscribers to the above work, are respectfully informed, that in order to make it more deserving their attention, a delay will necessarily take place, so that the first volume will not appear till Spring, in the mean, time George Hill will take the names of any one wishing to subscribe.

January 20. eo3t

BALTIMORE AND
FREDERICK-TOWN TURNPIKE ROAD COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the president and managers require a payment of 5 dollars on each share of stock, to be paid to the treasurer of the company at the bank of Maryland on Monday, the 24th day of March next.

Persons residing in or near Frederick-Town, may make payment to John M'Pherson, or George Baer, jun. esquires; and persons residing in or near Hager's town, may make payment to Thomas Sprigg, esq

By order of the president and managers
J. LEWIS WAMPLER, Sec'y.

Baltimore, Jan. 11, 1806 1awt24M

For Sale,

A NEGRO BOY, about 18 years old; is a good house servant, and fond of taking care of horses.--Enquire of the printers.

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