February 20.

Arrived, *English brig Duddon, Keene, (late Hughs) Rio Pongo, 40 days. 173 slaves —Gibson and Broadfoot*; schr. Bellona, Godfrey, New-York ; English schooner Betsy, Morine, Halifax (N. S.) 20 ; sloop Betsy, Bowen, Bristol, (R. I.) 17.

Ship Ulysses, M'Cray Liverpool; brig Hercules, Courtney, Phillips, Havana.

Ship Native, of Portland, 11 days from Bath, was coming in last evening.

A brig from New-York, for Savannah, passed the bar yesterday.

The schooner Jane, Bell for this port, sailed in company with the Bellona.

Capt. Haley passed the ship Columbia, (formerly of this port) from Savannah for the West-Indies, ashore near Tibee light house.

NORFOLK, February 25.

On Friday night, about the hour of 11 o'clock, a barber by the name of *M'Kinnan*, and who is upwards of 69 years of age, went to the house of a Mrs. Everift, a widow, in Bank-street, and having some altercation with her, stabbed her in the left breast with a sharp pointed instrument, which immediately put an end to her existence.—A man who was in the place at the time, and who attempted to arrest the murderer, was also stabbed by him in the breast, but not to endanger his life.—We are sorry to remark that this diabolical assassin has made his scape.

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.

Captain Dixey, of the schr. Nancy and Ketty, from, Campeachy, whose arrival we mentioned on Tuesday last) has politely furnished us with the following extracts from his log book.

January 22d, left Lagoon in company with the schr. Venus, of New-York, bound to N. Orleans.

January 31st, in lat, 27, 31, N. long. 89, 00, W. fell in with a fleet of 7 sail of Spanish merchantmen, from Campeachy, bound to Havana, consisting of 4 brigs & 3 schrs. armend and full of men, who bro't me to—when a boat manned from one of them came on board and went to plundering, having their great knives in their hands threatening our lives, if we offered to stop them. Their mate, who came with them, an Irishman, demanded seeing my papers. When going down the cabin to get them the men that were there plundering, ran at me with their knives, when I was obliged to return on deck, and by that time a brig came under my lee, which their mate told me, was the commodore and would see me righted, when I immediately hailed him, and told how I was treated ; when he ordered me on board with my papers, and after strictly examining them, ordered our clothes, &c. to be given up (who then had a boat load of plunder) on condition, to keep company with the fleet, as it was bound to the eastward, and not offer to go out of gun shot, or he would sink us.

February 2d, bore down on the commodore and asked him his reasons for detaining me? his answer was, *he would sink me if I did not rest contented*, and after that, every night stationed me between two armed brigs. On the 3d, all the captains in the fleet came on board with men to search us, on suspicion of having money on board! On the 6th, in the morning at day-break an English frigate hove in sight, in lat. 26. N. long. 85, W. the four brigs formed a line to engage her, and the three schooners hauled their wind and stood to the eastward ; at 7 A. M the frigate being within gun-shot, the action commenced and lasted for two glasses, when three of the four brigs made sail and stood to the S. W. the fourth fought the frigate for six glasses longer, when she struck, and in half an hour was manned and went in chase of the other three brigs. The wind being light, could see the frigates nearly within gun-shot of them at sun down. On the night following calm, could hear a constant firing for one hour.

BY THIS DAY's MAILS

NEW-YORK, March 3.

Still below, the brig Susan, and the sch'r Hector. The wind, for the last 48 hours, has been in heavy squalls from N. N. E. N. N. W. and N. W. which has prevented any thing from getting in ; but about 18 sail have gone to sea during the above period. Yesterday a ship and brig appeared in the Offing, beating in.

Cleared, ships Ann Alexander, Snow, Leghorn ; Constellation, Totten, Amsterdam ; John Jones, Christian, Havana ; Isabella, Zuill, St. Croix ; Polly, Leadet, Guadaloupe ; brigs Phœbe, Churchill, Liverpool ; Resolution, Smith, Trinidad ; Venus, Lockyer, St. Croix ; Dean, Edgar, Savannah ; Snow William, Warren, Liverpool ; sch's Allegany, Hilliard, Havana ; Sally, Sterling City of St. Domingo ; Rising States, Wood, Charleston ; Rising States, Newcomb, Norfolk ; America, Young, Edenton ; Helen, Hathaway, do. ; Rising Sun, Bartram, Boston ; sloop Malinda, Segar, Philadelphia.

NORFOLK, February 27.

Arrived, schooner Sally, Waters, 24 days from Martinique. Left at Martinique the following American vessels ; ships Friendship, Little, of and for New-York, sailing uncertain ; Plato, Howland, of and for do. 19 days ; brigs Brunswick, Sawyer, of and for Portland, uncertain ; Elizabeth, Bassett, of and for Newburyport, 12 ; Sophronia, Biron, of and for Boston, 4 ; Triton, Merill, of Portland, for ———, in 4 ; *Martha and Marry, Coulson, of and for Baltimore, in* 20 ; Edward, Jordan, of and for Portland, uncertain ; Two Brothers, Holmes, of and for New-York, in 12 ; schrs. Active, Pitree, Kennebunk, for Boston, in 3 ; Defiance, Merill, Salem, for Wilmington, N. C. in 7 ; Prince, Heron, of and for Salem, in 20 ; Greyhound, Smith, of and for Newhaven, in 25 ; Parogon, Mitchell, of and for New-London, in 25 ; Yarmouth, Atwood, of and for Plymouth, in 10 ; Dolphin, Collens, Middletown, for Newbern, N. C. 3 ; Sally, Smith, of and for Plymouth, in 10. The schooner Ralph, Herlberd, sailed for New London 20th Jan. and the schr. Fox, White, sailed for New-York, the next day.

British sloop Edward, Davis, 7 days from Bermuda ; left there the schr. Maryland Mary, Suggs, and Elizabeth Margaret, Mallory, both of this port. On the 10th inst. the ship Endymion, M'Neil, from N. York bound to Jamaica, ran upon the rocks on the north side of Bermuda, part of the cargo was got on shore ; it is feared the vessel will not be got off. The brig Sally, Paine, from Surinam, for New-London, laden with molasses ; & the brig Charlotte, Snell, from Philadelphia, for Guadaloupe, with naval stores, were sent into Bermuda by the British frigate Cleopatra.

Schr. Ann Ballard, Moffit, 20 days from Surinam.

Schr. Weymouth, Weymouth ; Charming Mary, Potter, & sloop Venus, Boush, from New-York.

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.

WESTERN STATE ROAD,

By the Northern route.

The bill has passed the house of representatives for this important road by the Northern route, by a large majority, 61 to 15. I hope the immense importance of a road by this route, will stimulate the citizens of Pennsylvania to give it the encouragement it merits ; and that all those disposed to forward the work, will be careful not to be misled by making any subscriptions to a *Southern* route, for which it seems there has been also a bill passed, which, if it be not entirely neglected, will act as a foil and prevent the benefits intended. P.

FEDERAL GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, *MARCH 5.*

The letter-bag of the Packet Adherbal, captain M'Meal, for New-Orleans, will be taken from the Coffee-house on Friday morning.

A late Charleston paper says, "The following is the number of Africans imported since the opening of the port, according to the reports made at Fort Johnson :—

In the year 1804,	- -	5764
1805,	- -	6725
To the 16 of Feb. 1806,	-	1695
Total,		14,185

Several vessels with Negroes came up to the city in distress, without being reported, which are not included in the above."

Providence, (R. I.) February 22.—Arrived brig Delight, Foot, Isle of France, 86 days. Left there November 24, ship Good-Friends, Thompson, of Philadelphia; Orion, Arnold, of do. When captain F. sailed, a British squadron was cruizing off the Isle of France

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From the Merchant's Coffee-House Books.

March 3.

The brig Neptune, Darnell, hence, has arrived at Antigua in 18 days.

Married on Thursday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Coleman, Mr. *Thomas Carr*, of this city, to Miss *Milcah Merryman*, of Baltimore county.

Died at Curracoa, on the 26th ult. JOHN LYLE, Esq. Consul of the United States for that island—a gentleman of correct principles and amiable manners.

From the New-York Gazette, of March 3.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT.

We have it from authority not to be doubted, that on Saturday last, Samuel G. Ogden, esq. and col. Smith, of the custom-house, and others, were arrested by order of government and taken before the district judge, to answer such queries respecting the destination of the ship Leander, as might be put to them on oath At first, Mr. Ogden refused to answer certain questions ; but, on being threatened with commitment, he proceeded ; and, as astonishing and incredible as it may appear, Mr. Ogden's answers went *directly to implicate the government of the United States, in the fitting out of the Leander*; that general Miranda not only had interviews with Mr. Madison on this subject, but also with the president of the United States. From this it then appears, that if government have not sanctioned this mysterious expedition with *closed* doors, yet they have permitted it with *closed* eyes. Here is room for a volume of comments, but we leave this to abler pens.

From the Philadelphia Gazette.

COMMUNICATION.

In the Aurora of this morning, I have seen with sincere regret certain remarks made by the National Intelligencer, relative to the questions lately addressed to Mr. Madison. This impotent attempt to justify either a criminal connivance, or a not less criminal neglect, rather tends to fix than to do away the stigma which appears to stamp the conduct of our rulers : as to the strong impression arising from *well known facts*, and probable circumstances, nothing is opposed but vague and illiberal surmises, respecting the pretended author, thereby adding injustice to insult on the person alluded to. No, sir, the author of the questions is not a foreigner, as it is imagined by the *detected* employers of Mr. Smith's pen ; he is an American as eager to resent foreign insult as he is desirous of preserving his country's interest and honor. These two last appear clearly implicated by some recent events, & he has seen with indifference all the mischievous effects occasioned by the glaring violation of the rights of embassy, and the most supine neglect in the protection of our neutrality, of our good faith, and of our national honor.

Whether the Spanish agents have been informed or not of the late singular transactions is not my intention to decide ; but I feel bold to declare, that this supposed ignorance, so triumphantly presented as an apology for our administration, is neither fair, nor applicable. The Federal government possesses the most efficient means of information in business of this nature, and equally so those of checking and counteracting any similar piratical attempt. Their custom house officers are numerous, the revenue cutters and their commanders are under their control ; the officers of every other branch, the conformity of language, manners and many other collateral circumstances give to administration many means which are out of the reach and power of an insolated foreign agent. Besides, Miranda does not appear to have visited any of those of Spain—he has not *dined* with them—he did not communicate to them his piratical plans. Can the same thing be said of the officers of the Federal government? Let the impartial spectators at Washington answer the question—let those who know that the naval officer's eldest son, at New-York, is embarked with Miranda on board of the Leander, decide this point.

March 1, 1806.

From the United States Gazette.

STONE-WARE PIPES FOR CONVEYING WATER.

Pipes of stone-ware materials are but little known on this continent, (would being so cheap), but are in general use in many parts of Europe, particularly in England, where the many advantages they possess render them more general than any other kind. With care, they are as durable as iron or lead, and "are particularly valued for the conveyance of spring water to drink, for being glazed on the inside as well as out, the mud will not stick to them, and the water is better preserved and clearer than in any other pipes ; besides, it does not acquire that bad quality in passing through them which it does through lead, iron or wood ;" for whatever is the quality of the water at the spring, it can be depended on being equally good, however far it may run, even in the hottest weather—A peculiar excellence ! No other sort of pipe can vie with them in keeping it cool. This last advantage is a very considerable one in a climate like that of America, especially in the summer season ; and their cost bears no comparison with the lead or iron.

Pipes of this description are said to have been found in several places about the city of London which, by several circumstances, are supposed (by scientific men) to have been laid by the Romans when they inhabited that island ; such have been taken up in Hyde Park belonging to the ancient water works there, and still perfectly sound. "Some years ago there was a trial of this sort of pipes (half an inch thick, and four inches bore) made at the York buildings before Dr. Desagueliers, and the plumbers of the works themselves, when being fairly tried with all the compression of air and force that engine could lay upon them, without doing them the least injury."—A considerable improvement has lately been made by a manufacturer at Charleston (on the Ohio) in the method of finishing them. It principally consists in an ingenious machine for boring them completely true (an essential requisite) as well as leaving their internal surface smooth, which qualifies them for and enables them to receive an excellent glaze which is prepared I am assured without a particle of lead ; and being fitted together with a small quantity of cement are rendered water-tight.

Some of these pipes are cylindrical, some square on the outside, others half square & half round, others octagon with gores of any diameters to suit the fancy or convenience of purchasers.

Taking all things into consideration, no sort of pipes can be put in competition with them even in this country, for wood has only one solitary advantage, namely, the first cost being something less ; but when excellence and durability are considered, as also how much sweeter and cooler stone ware is known to keep water (when on the contrary, almost every sort of wood gives it a disagreeable taste and color) this objection vanishes.

Besides employing them for conveying water under ground and various other purposes, they are commonly used to carry it from the roofs and gutters of houses, and for this purpose they are much to be preferred to wook, as exposure to changes of weather does not affect them, whilst it soon destroys the other.

A friend to American manufactures.

Port of Baltimore.

CLEARED,

Ship North-America, Tucker, Bremen

BALTIMORE

Office of Discount & Deposit,

February 22d, 1806.

39 1-2 *Cents per Guilder,*

Will be given for approved Bills on Amsterdam, at 60 days sight, by

DAVID HARRIS, Cashier.

February 23. d4t

A New China Store

Is opened at No. 172, BALTIMORE-STREET, between Light & Charles-sts, Baltimore.

Where a large and very general assortment of

China, Glass & Queen's-ware

Of the best quality and newest fashions, imported immediately from the different manufactories, will be constantly kept and sold at the lowest prices for *cash* or acceptances in town, by

INGLIS & DE MUN.

October 31 d6t eo6t 2aw4t law

Sale by Auction.

TO-MORROW MORNING,

The 6th instant, at 10 o'clock, at the vendue warehouse, corner of Second and Frederick-streets, will commence the sale of

DRY GOODS, PLATED WARE, &c.

And at 12 o'clock,

30 hhds. } Muscovado SUGAR
35 bbls. }
40 boxes white Havana do.
20 hhds. excellent Molasses
14 pipes Lisbon Wine
2000 lbs. Carracas Cocoa
60 boxes Lemons, in excellent order
8 pipes Holland Gin
A few qr chests Young Hyson Tea, of the Portsmouth's cargo
40 qr. casks Gun-Powder, E & E
30 hhds. Juniper Berries

ALSO,

500 Grind Stones of various sizes, in lots of 50 each.

THOMAS CHASE, Auct'r.

March 5.

Red Clover Seed.

A large supply of RED CLOVER SEED, of a superior quality, just received and for sale at the GROCERY STORE of

GERARD & WM. HOPKINS,

1, County wharf.

3d mo. 5th. eo

Wanted Immediately,

A steady MAN SERVANT, who will do his duty in a small family. To such a one, bringing good recommendations, generous wages will be given.

March 5. 2aw

Posting Books, &c.

WILL be attended to by a gentleman residing in this place, from 5, until nine in the evening. The compensation he would ask, will be moderate ; his character is fair, and secrecy may be relied on. A line directed to Y. Z. and left at this office, will be attended to.

3d mo. 5th tu&s4t

Fresh Red Clover Seed.

JUST RECEIVED,

A parcel of *clear heavy Clover Seed*, of last year's growth, which will be sold on reasonable terms.

ALSO,

A few hhds. of the first quality retailing Molosses, &c. &c. For sale by

WILLIAM HUSBAND,

County wharf.

March 5. eo4t

DIVIDEND.

THE President and Directors of the Bank of Maryland have declared a dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock for the half year, which will end on the 7th inst. The same will, on the 8th, be ready to pay the stockholders or their legal representatives.

By order,

R. WILSON, Cashier.

March 5. d6t

Green Coffee.

WILLIAM & HUGH NEILSON,

3, *O'Donnell's wharf,*

OFFER FOR SALE,

90,000 lbs. green COFFEE, suitable for retailing.

On hand,

Wool and Cotton Cards
Codfish in boxes
Russian and American Cordage
A quantity of superior quality
Port Wine in bottles.

March 4. eo8t

ROBBERY.

STOLEN some time since, a lady's Gold Enameled Watch, a valuable Diamond Ring, and other valuable Trinkets not now recollected. Watch-makers, Gold smiths and others, are requested, that should any of the articles be offered them for sale, by suspicious persons, that they will detain them.

Any information that may tend to the conviction of the thief, and recovery of the articles, will be handsomely rewarded. Apply to the printers

March 5. eo12t

For Sale,

Bourdeaux Claret, prepared for the Isle of France market
London particular Madeira Wine, in pipes, hhds. and qr. casks
Holland and English Canvas, assorted
Common and fine Salt
Earthen Ware in crates, assorted
Seaming, Sewing and Seine Twine,
German Linens, consisting of
Dantic Rolls, Creas a la Morlaix, Listadoes and Bonts,
Nutmegs and Cloves. Apply to

JOHN SHERLOCK.

February 27. eo6t

Salmon, Codfish, &c.

Just received per schooner Federal George, capt. Field from Boston,

30 barrels Salmon,
146 kegs do.
35 do. Tongues and Sounds.

On hand,

80 hhds. Maryland and Virginia Tobacco
30 kegs Richmond Manufactured do.
250 boxes Codfish, in nice shipping order
4000 lbs. Glauber Salts
150 kegs Tongues and Sounds
New-York prime Pork and Beef
Cyder Vinegar, common Brandy, &c.
Which are offered for sale by

ISAIAH MANKIN

69, Smith's wharf

☞ Exchange on Boston, for sale as above

February 19. 2a3w

This is to give Notice,

THAT the subscriber of the county of Baltimore, hath obtained from the orphan's court of Baltimore county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Charles Hart, late of Baltimore county, *deceased*. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 8th day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate

Given under my hand and seal, this seventh day of January, 1806.

BENJAMIN HART, *Ex'r.*

January 9. 2aw6w§

Notice.

WILLIAM MERRYMAN having by a deed of trust, conveyed to the subscribers, all his property *for the use of his creditors*, we hereby notify all persons indebted to him, to make payment to either of us, on or before the 10th day of March next, or suits will be instituted against them.

KENNEDY OWEN,

PETER HOFFMAN, jun.

February 20. d6t eo10t§

Sale by Auction.

On FRIDAY,

The 7th instant, at the new auction room, corner of Market and Shakspeare-streets, Fell's Point, at 10 o'clock, will be sold on 60 days credit, for approved paper,

The remainder of the stock in trade of John M'Gray, sold by virtue of an order from the trustees,

Consisting of a variety of

WEARING APPAREL & DRY GOODS.

And at half past 11 o'clock,

Cogniac and Bordeaux Brandy, Holland and country Gin, Spirits, New-England Rum and Whisky, Tobacco in kegs and Sugar in barrels, with an assortment of Household Furniture.

JOSEPH CLARK, Auct'r.

March 5

Sale at Auction,

WITHOUT RESERVE.

On THURSDAY,

The 20th instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the premises, on the old York road, about one mile from Griffith's bridge, directly opposite Dr Aitken's country seat, will be sold on terms that will then be made known,

A convenient two-story BRICK HOUSE, with waggon yard, stables, sheds and convenient out-houses ; a garden with sundry good fruit trees therein ; a pump, with a never-failing spring of water before the door. The lot fronts 80 feet on the road, and 125 feet deep.

The above property is considered to be an excellent situation for a Tavern, Dry Goods and Grocery Store, or a Summer Retreat.

And immediately after, a handsome Frame HOUSE and LOT of GROUND, fronting the same road 35 feet, and 152 feet deep.

And immediately after, a handsome LOT of GROUND, fronting 40 feet on the same road, and 120 deep, with the remains of two Houses that were burnt.

The above property must positively be sold, as the present owner is about to leave the city ; therefore great bargains may be expected.

JOSEPH CLARK, Auct'r.

March 5.

WAR IN DISGUISE,

WITH THE ANSWER,

IS THIS DAY PUBLISHED, AND FOR SALE BY

ANDERSON & JEFFERIS,

66, Market-street.

Also,

Just received, a few copies of the Life and Campaigns of

VICTOR MOREAU,

Comprehending his trial, justification, and other events, till the period of his embarkation for the United States.

February 22. eo6t

For Sale,

By the Printers hereof,

Fount of BREVIER
1 do. LONG PRIMER
1 do. ENGLISH,

Being the type on which this Gazette was lately printed. Terms will be accommodating.

July 26.

Notice.

THE subscriber having on the first of January last, disposed of his concern in the China, Glass and Queens Ware business, hitherto conducted under his name, to his brother Joseph Goldthwait ; all persons having claims against, & those indebted to the said firm, are requested to call on him for settlement.

WINKLES B GOLDTHWAIT.

March 1. eo1m

To be let,

THAT large and spacious store, no. 13, on Cheapside, now occupied by Mr. S. Spalding. The cellar is roomy and quite dry ; there is a wheel on the best construction to hoist goods. There is also a counting room up-stairs, and a separate door to it from the street. Possession will be given the 18th day of next month. Apply to

WM. WILSON, Pratt-street.

February 24. M3t

Lands for Sale.

Pursuant to the last will of Joshua Dorsey, sen. late of Elk Ridge, deceased ; and agreeably to the decree of the honorable the chancellor of Maryland, of June 1804, will be sold at Public Sale, on the premises, on the 11th day of April next,

THE TRACT OF LAND CALLED LOCUS THICKET,

Situated on Elk-Ridge, Ann Arundel county, Maryland ; containing 411 acres, more or less. This Land is one and a half miles from Spurrier's tavern, on the post road from Baltimore to the city of Washington ; about 13 miles from Baltimore, and about 25 from the city of Washington There are several Merchant Mills within a few miles of this farm. This land is well adapted to Indian Corn, Wheat, Rye, and Tobacco ; it is divided into six fields, under good fencing, and conveniently watered, with good springs and streams of water. There is a tolerable good Mill Seat on this land ; a good proportion of meadow now in grass, and more can easily be made : There is a sufficiency of woodland to support this farm. The improvements are, a comfortable dwelling house, kitchen, smoke house, corn house, barn, stables, and other necessary buildings ; an apple orchard of good fruit, and a variety of other fruit trees, The terms of sale are, twelve months credit, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with interest from the day of sale, with approved security for the purchase money to the subscriber. Any person calling on Mr John Shipley, near the premises, can be shewn the above-mentioned land. There will be an accurate plat exhibited at the day of sale. When the purchase money is paid, and not before, there will be a good and sufficient deed given by the subscriber. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock, and immediate possession given.

GEORGE DORSEY, Trustee.

☞ *Mr. Green, of Annapolis, Mr Hamilton, of Lancaster, and Mr Edie, of York, are requested to publish the above advertisement six times, and send their accounts to Tilghman & Brown.*

February 28. law6t

By order of the orphan's Court

of Baltimore County.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber of the city of Baltimore, hath obtained from the orphan's court of Baltimore county, letters of administration, *de bonis non*, with copy of the will annexed, on the personal estate of Robson Barnes, late of the said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the first day of April next ; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Also, all persons who are in any wise indebted to said estate, by bond, note, book account, or otherwise, are notified to come and pay their respective debts, on or before said day, otherwise suits will be brought without respect of persons.

Given under my hand, this 29th day of January, 1806. WILLIAM M'MECHEN.

January 29. law4t