

...I received the subject was disagreeable to the President; and to give it the shortest course to the public, declared my concern that it should not be in some way disposed of, as it would, with a slight modification, have a powerful effect in the country as the case of the Mississippi. The President answered that he had no much confidence in the information, the integrity and the attachment to the views of the citizens of that country to admit an apprehension of the kind. I am happy that even now this confidence well placed. As no interesting stories followed my expression of alarm I thought silence on the subject, at that time and place, became me. But I detailed, about the same time, the whole project of Mr. Burr to certain members of Congress. They believed Col. Burr capable of anything—and agreed that the fellow ought to be hanged; but thought his projects too chimerical and his circumstances too desperate to give the subject the merit of serious consideration. The total security of feeling in those to whom I had rung the tocsin induced me to suspect my own apprehensions unreasonable, or at least too deeply admitted; and, of course, I grew indifferent about the subject.

Mr. Burr's visits to me became less frequent and his conversation less familiar. He appeared to have abandoned the idea of a general revolution; but seemed bent on that of the Mississippi; and, although I could perceive symptoms of distrust in him towards me, he manifested great solicitude to engage me with him in the enterprise. Weary of his importunity, and at once to convince him of my serious attachments, I gave the following toast to the public:—The United States—Palmy to the brave, the shield to the dismembered, and the hand that will not draw to defend our nation!

I doubt whether the sentiment was better understood by any of my acquaintance than Colonel Burr. Our intercourse ended there—we met but seldom afterward. I returned to my farm in Massachusetts, and thought no more of Mr. Burr, nor his empire, till sometime late in September or beginning of October, when a letter from Morris Belknap, of Marietta, to Timothy E. Danielson, fell into my hands at Brimfield, which satisfied me that Mr. Burr had actually commenced his preparatory operations on the Ohio. I now spoke publicly of the fact—transmitted a copy of the letter from Belknap to the department of state, and about the same time forwarded through the hands of the post master general to the President in substance, of what is here above detailed concerning the Mississippi conspiracy of the said Col. Aaron Burr,—which is said to have been the first formal intelligence received by the executive on the subject of the conspirator being in motion.

I know not whether my country will allow me the merit of correctness of conduct in this affair. The novelty of the duty might, perhaps, have embarrassed stronger minds than mine. The uprightness of my intentions I hope will not be questioned.

The interviews between Colonel Burr and myself, from which the foregoing statement has resulted, were chiefly in this city, in the months of February and March, last year.

WILLIAM EATON.
Washington City, Jan. 26, 1807.
Sworn to in open court, this 26th day of January, 1807.
Wm. BRENT, Clk.

BY THIS DAY'S MAILS.

NEW-YORK, Jan. 27.
We learn, that on the 26th ult. there were at the island of Aruba, several British ships of war and transports with troops on board—that a flag had been sent to the governor of Curacao for the purpose of ascertaining whether the place would be given up without opposition—that the flag returned with a negative answer—and, that an immediate attack was expected.

Arrived, the British brig Thorn, Teat, 40 days from Kingston, Jamaica, (mentioned yesterday, Dec. 24, off Tiboron, spoke the schr. Jefferson, 11 days from Philadelphia for Jamaica. Jan. 3, was boarded by a British frigate, and informed that Curacao had been taken by Admiral Cochran. Passenger, Mr. Blagge, son of J. Blagge. The schr. Sophrona, Jenkins, 5 days from Winton, N. Carolina.

The brig Luna, Stars, from Savannah is off, and safe in our port, without damage. Clewed, ship Liberty, Young, Amsterdam; Connecticut, Lovett, Surinam; schr. Alexander, Allen, Barbados.

PHILADELPHIA, January 28.
Extract of a letter from our correspondent at Cape May, dated January 25.
"Came to anchor off Cape-Island, the schooner Hope and Polly, captain Rogers, from St. Thomas, bound to Wilmington, Delaware. On the 22d instant, eighteen leagues from Cape Henry, the Hope and Polly was boarded by an English frigate, with the ship Apollo, of Baltimore, in tow, bound as they said to Bermuda—the ship was from the Havana, bound to Baltimore. The same day a ship came out of Cape Henlopen Roads and stood up the bay—the wind at W. by N.

B. B. The said Hope and Polly, at 3 o'clock the same day got under way and stood for New York. She belongs to Hardwick."

Extract of a letter, dated Havana, Dec. 25, 1806.
"The French ship the Poudroyant, one of Jerome's squadron, is almost ready for sea. The admiral [Wilbaumes] has pledged his word of honor that he will not wait a moment after he is ready. The commander of the English squadron off this port, has, I am told, wrote him several letters inviting him out with the Spanish ship the

St. Lorenzo—but they have declined the invitation."

CHARLESTON, January 16.
Arrived, ship Columbia, Rodman, Providence, R. I. 12 days; schooners Friendship, Smith, Philadelphia 7; Rising Sun, Hatch, Palmouth, N. C. 15.
Cleared, Ship Ann Maria, Barton, Havana; brig Isis, Glen, New-York.
Ship Belfast, 72 days from Hamburg; and ship Industry, from Boston, took pilots yesterday.

Ship Fidelia, Joy, 14 days from New-York, bound for Savannah passed our Barr yesterday.

January 17.
Arrived, schooner Sally, Watts, Mari-el, 7.
Cleared, ship Hope, Hunt, Kingston; schr. Emely, Donald, Demerara.
Capt. Watts, of the schooner, Sally, spoke off Florida shore, ship Pierce Manning, Pratt, from Havana, for this port.

The following vessels, among others, were left at Havana, on the ninth instant—Ship Ocean of Rhode-Island, for New-York, in 15 days; brig Mary Davis, for Boston, in 15 days; brig Henry, Warren, of Providence, for Boston, in 10 days; schr. Freedom, Smith, of Gloucester, for Baltimore, in 20 days; schooners George, ditto, for ditto, in 15 days.

NORFOLK, January 22.
Arrived, schr. Welcome Return, Horst, 24 days from St. Jago.
Left at St. Jago the 26th December, brig Ceres, Lewis, of Philadelphia, to sail in 5 or 6 days; schr. Experiment, Rodgers, Stonington, to sail in 5 days—In lat. 28, 57, N. long. 80, 05, W. spoke schr. De-light, Hathaway, 20 days from Jamaica bound to Edenton, N. C. all well—same day, spoke ship Three Sisters, Driver, from Jamaica, of and bound to this port, 21 days out.

FEDERAL GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29.

We invite the particular attention of our readers to the advertisement in this day's Gazette, of the intended performances on Friday evening, at Christ Church.

It will be unnecessary to remind the citizens of Baltimore, of the superior powers and acknowledged taste of the Directors, and of many of the members of this humane and scientific Association. Every individual susceptible of the sweet sensations produced by music—must rejoice at the opportunity thus afforded of reaping a rich harvest of harmony and pleasure: for from the united efforts of more than an hundred members (professional performers and amateurs) added to a judicious selection from the most celebrated authors, we may confidently anticipate such a treat as is not often within our reach.

Yet with whatever high delight the lovers of harmony may welcome Friday evening next, we may exultingly take a still more elevated stand. We view in this attempt the evidence of charity divine—the noblest sentiment that dignifies the character of man. Well may the hungry Babe and wretched Widow, forget their poverty and rags, and join their grateful voices in a long echo of the Organ's cheering sounds.—For many weeks shall the gladdening tones continue to vibrate along the strengthened nerve of poverty. For the collection of to-morrow evening will, we doubt not, be no less ample than honorable. At such a time as this,
"He that hath no music in his soul,
"Is fit for treason, stratagem and spoil."
Let no such man be trusted.

COMMUNICATION.
Seeing a publication in your useful paper for a meeting in Christ Church, for raising money to assist the poor, at this cold season, which laudable design will be some relief, but as it may not suit all the humane and charitable throughout the city to attend at that place, I think small sums by individuals, put into the hands of the mayor of the city, for him to have distributed for the purchase of wood, which seems to be most wanted at this season, would be well laid out and to the relief of many poor women and children.
A friend to the poor.

The ship Nancy, Webb, hence, has arrived at Savannah.

Prices current at Kingston, Jan. Dec. 20th.
Superfine flour 12 dolls. cornmeal 9, corn per bushel 1-1 to 2, red and white oak staves and heading 50, shingles 7 to 8, rum 35-40 expected lower, sugars 40 to 55, coffee 120 to 130, pimento 10d, logwood 14c, Nicaragua wood, none; mahogany, none; fustic 81, bills on London 12 1/2 p. cent. premium; do. on America 5 1/2 dollars, 1 to 2 per cent.

CURIOS FACT.
At the time the schooner Messenger, (arrived at Annapolis) left Vera Cruz, a British frigate was taking in three millions of dollars, in consequence of an order from the king of England, endorsed by the king of Spain.

[Telegraph.]
We understand by a gentleman direct from Demerara, which place he left on the 14th of December last that on the 13th of the same month, a proclamation was issued, prohibiting the importation of any articles except lumber and fish, the return cargo for the same run and molasses.

We hear it rumored in our city, that some of the banks and insurance companies, viewing the bill lately read in the house of assembly to tax those institutions, as vexatious and injurious to the commerce of the state, particularly so when it is considered that the city already has, more than pays the whole state's civil list, have it in contemplation to purchase sites on the Jersey shore, opposite Philadelphia, and to apply to the legislature of that state for charters, and thus remove the business of Pennsylvania to New-Jersey.

[Phil. Gaz.]
Extract of a letter from an influential character, dated New-Orleans, Dec. 26.
Business is at a stand for 20 days past, nothing is talked of but Burr's expedition down the river. The planters are afraid to send down their produce. Shopkeepers are afraid to buy merchandize. I wait with great anxiety to hear what measures the general government will pursue to prevent this daring outrage, and punish the projectors of it.

Extract of a letter from Kingston, (Jan. 24) dated December 5.
"The Resistance frigate, capt. Adam, arrived here lately, after having landed Don Mendoza, a Spanish nobleman, at Carthagena. There are now on board her a Portuguese and an English merchant. They are to proceed in her to La Vera Cruz, and ballast her with dollars. Capt. Adam, is to receive 10,000 sterling, in lieu of freight, &c. There are many conjectures respecting this expedition. The admiral does not know whether the money is for individuals, or for the English or Spanish governments."

The commissioners appointed under a law of the United States, entitled "An act to regulate the laying out and making a road from Cumberland, in the state of Maryland, to the state of Ohio," not being prepared at this time to make such report as the law requires, and fearing that a delay might be attended with injurious consequences, have thought best to submit the enclosed statement to the president of the United States, for his information on that subject, and are respectfully,
JOSEPH KERR,
THOMAS MOORE,
City of Washington, Dec. 24, 1806.
THOMAS JEFFERSON, P. U. S.

The following is a statement of the distances between the several points which are to be embraced in the road from Cumberland, on the Potomac, to the river Ohio, near the point of Wheeling Island. Beginning at a stone marked No. 1, on the point above the junction of Willis creek with the North Branch of the Potomac, and in the town of Cumberland; thence through the gap of Gwynn's mountain, and passing Ryan Gwynn's to the mouth of Winter's run, a branch of Braddock's run, by the meanders of the road, and surface measure.

	Miles.	Perches.
From thence to Jesse Tobin-son's on a direct line: same measure,	6	320
From thence to the Pennsylvania line, near the summit of the Negro mountain, and about a mile north of the present road: same measure,	12	76
From thence to the Yough-gany river near the mouth of Rodger's run,	5	185
From thence to Brownsville	14	370
From thence to Bridgeport, crossing the Monongahela river below Josiah Crawford's ferry, and thence to the Ohio river, near the lower point of Wheeling Island	32	162
Making in all one hundred and seventeen miles, one hundred and eighty-eight perches; of which about twenty-four miles and one hundred and eighty-eight perches, is thro' the state of Maryland; eighty-one miles through the state of Pennsylvania; & 12 miles through the state of Virginia.		

JOSEPH KERR,
THOMAS MOORE,
City of Washington, 24th Dec. 1806.

"BLACK LIST"
From a Charleston paper of the 13th Jan. Prime Negroes.
For sale on board the Louisa
Margaret 24
John 156
Edward & Edmund 138
Nicholson 300
Union 312
James 400
Mercury 80
Little Ann 81
Washington the Cargo

From the Merchants' Coffee-House Books.
January 25.
Arrived at Annapolis, brig Neptune, Patrick, from the City of St. Domingo—malt, coffee, hides, &c.—Hazelhurst, Brothers' Co. Left there the 1st January, brig Seaflower, Stewart, for Providence, R. I. in 10 or 12 days; schooner M-Culloch, N. Y. do, a ship Stanger, Robinson, Philadelphia; ship Tabur, from Trinidad, bound to N. Y. had been ashore at into R.R. & sprung a leak, put in in distress; schr. Nancy, Berry, Philadelphia; schr. Enterprise, Briggs, from Curacao for Baltimore, brought in by a French privateer, cleared to sail in 2 or 3 days; schooner Fairplay, Grims, from Curacao for Alexandria, brought in; trial not come on; sloop Sylvia, Hillman, of Baltimore for the coast; Landing on the coast, brig Mars, Pemberton, for New-York, and brig Harriot, Gardner, Morris for ditto. Off the east end of St. Domingo was boarded by the British ship Milan, who broke open all her letters.

Two ships, three schooners, and a brig came into Annapolis, the evening before last.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.
As a suitable acknowledgment for the liberal patronage afforded to the Gazette, the present Editor will hereafter give four insertions for a DOLLAR, to the Advertisements (each square) of all persons who subscribe to his paper.

Post-Office,
BALTIMORE, January 29.
Letters for the British packet Diana, for Fulmouth direct, will be received at this office, until half past 7 o'clock, on Monday, the 2d February next.
CHARLES BURRALL,
P. S. The inland postage to New-York must be paid on all letters for the packet.
Jan. 29

Sale by Auction—Postponed.
THE sale of Dry Goods and Groceries, advertised for this day, was unavoidably postponed.
THOMAS CHASE, Aucr.
January 29.

Overseer Wanted.
A Person is wanted as Overseer to a plantation, well stocked, and hands sufficient to work. He will be received either on wages or on shares—A married man would be preferred, who can be well recommended. Apply at this office.
January 28. d13t

Miscellaneous Oratorio.
On FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 30, 1807, will be performed in CHRIST CHURCH (for the Benefit of the Poor) a variety of Original and Selected

SACRED MUSIC:
Consisting of
SONO, RECITATIVE, DEOS, TROS, QUARTETS, & FULL CHORUS.
Under the direction of Messrs. Cole's and Mr. C. Moore.
Organ, Mr. C. Moore; Violins, Mr. Huffzeld, and Amateurs; Violoncellos & Double Bass, Amateurs; Trumpet, Mr. C. Huffzeld; Kettle Drum, &c. Amateurs.
PART I.
An Original Introduction, on the Organ, with Accompaniments.
Dies Irae, or Judgment Hymn, translated from the Latin by the earl of Roscommon, with trumpet Accompaniments.
Solo—I know that my Redeemer liveth.
Thanksgiving Anthem, from various celebrated authors, arranged by Amos for Christmas, various authors, concluding with a Chorus from Hayden's Creation.
Motette, (soprano and chorus)
Anthem—When the Lord shall build up Zion—(4 voices)
Gloria Patri—(duet & chorus)
O Praise the Lord—Anthem—(soprano, duet and chorus)
PART II.
Our Lord is risen from the dead, Dr. Arnold.
O be joyful—(full anthem) F. Cole.
God be merciful unto us and bless us—(anthem) Meinek.
Hark! a glad voice—(from Pope's Messiah) F. Cole.
Easter Ode—(recitative and chorus)—to conclude with the celebrated Hallelujah Chorus, from Handel's Messiah.
Tickets of admission at One Dollar each, may be had at the office of the Mayor, Mr. Carr's Music store, at the respective book-stores of George Hill, Conrad & Co. Anderson and Jeffers, Samuel Jeffers, and of George Grundy, and Isaac Brimston.
The performance will commence at half past 6 o'clock precisely.
N. B. The Church will be comfortably aired and superbly illuminated.
To obviate a difficulty frequently complained of, in performance of the above nature, the committee of arrangement have annexed to the bill of the performance, all the words, set to each piece of Music, in the order in which they will be performed.
January 28.

Forensic Society.
BALTIMORE, Jan. 24, 1807.
The Society met, agreeably to appointment at the PANTHEON, and discussed the subject in a learned, ingenious and interesting manner, honoured with the presence of a number of respectable ladies and gentlemen; on deciding the question—Ought Witches to be taxed? in the negative—They adjourned to meet in the same place on Saturday evening next, at half past six o'clock, in order to discuss the following question:—Is it the motive of all human actions? The debate to commence at 7 o'clock.
Tickets of admission, 12 1/2 cents—to be had at the door.
N. B. Should the Money received at the door exceed the necessary expenses, the surplus will be appropriated to a charitable purpose.
January 26. mwfes4t

Stray Calf.
CAME to the Subscriber's house, living near the Presbyterian Meeting House, Old-Town, a small white and red CALF, about 4 months old. Whoever wants information, may have it, by applying at George Hussey's Pan-Yard, on the Causeway.
N. B. The owner is desirous to prove property, pay charges, and take it away.
JOHN CASHOWER.
January 28. e03t

Stray Cows.
CAME to the subscriber's plantation, near Peter Hill's Mill, four Cows, of the following description: one a brown, with white on her belly and without ear marks; one a red, with a white forehead, and a slit in the left ear; one a white and red, with a slit in each ear; and a brindle with white in her forehead, and no ear marks.
The owner or owners are desirous to prove property, pay charges, and take them away.
ELIZABETH WATTS.
January 23. e03t

Just Published,
(Price 25 cents.)
To be had from the different booksellers, Stationers or the establishment of colleges, particularly St. Mary's, in the precincts of Baltimore.—By different writers.
January 22. e03t

For Cows,
The Ship
POWHATAN,
Thomas W. Norman, master;
For passage only (having good accommodations) apply to the master on board, or
LEMBEL TAYLOR, Agent.
January 29. d13t

Public Sale.
BY virtue of a decree of the honorable the high court of chancery, the subscribers will sell at public sale, on the premises, in Hockestown, on the turnpike road leading from Baltimore to Reister's town, on Saturday, the 31st day of January instant, at 12 o'clock, if fair, if not, the next fair day (Sunday excepted) without fail, at the same hour & place as aforesaid, the following valuable property, viz.
ALL that parcel of land, in fee simple, called Cole's Addition, lying on the said turnpike road, about 1-1/2 miles from Baltimore, containing 16 acres and 5-80ths of an acre, late the property of Jacob Hook. This land lies on the S. side of the said road, adjoining the estate of Mr. John McKim, jun.—the greater part of it is now set with timothy meadow and lies level. The improvements are, an old frame building, and a post and rail fence. Also, at the said time and place will be sold, all that part of a tract of land, lying adjoining the farm of Mr. N. Canan, and now in the occupation of Mr. Jacob Loos, called Lollar Loos, heretofore leased by Charles Carroll to Jacob Hook, for three years, one of which hath expired, containing 115 acres of land. A plat of the above lands may be seen at the office of S. Meale.

The terms of sale are that the purchaser of the above lands, or any part thereof, shall give bonds to the trustees, with security to be approved of by them, for the payment of the purchase money with interest, within six, nine, and twelve months from the day of sale.
S. MOALE,
S. CHASE, Jan. 29. NOTICE.
ALL persons having claims against the estate of J. Hook, late of Baltimore county, deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit their claims, with vouchers of the truth thereof annexed, to the chancellor, in the chancery office, within six months from the said day of sale.
S. M.
S. C.
January 29. 11t

Land for Sale.
THE Subscribers (in virtue of a decree of the honorable the chancellor of Maryland, made in the cause of Robert Ferguson vs. S. Lucket) will on Friday, the 27th day of February next, at 12 o'clock, sell at the courthouse of Charles county, in the state of Maryland, to the highest bidder, all the estate and interest of Samuel Lucket, of the said county, in and to all those tracts or parcels of land, lying in Durham Parish, and county aforesaid, called Lucket's Slips, Lucket's Hazard, Lucket's Addition, and Lucket's Chance, containing by estimation, four hundred acres; and in and to another tract or parcel, lying in the said Parish, called Frog's Nest, containing about one hundred & twenty-five acres.
The terms of sale, prescribed by the decree, are, that the purchaser or purchasers pay the purchase money on the day of sale, or on the day of the ratification thereof, by the chancellor, which, if ratified, shall be just five weeks from the subscribers's report of the said sale.—And on obtaining the chancellor's ratification of the said sale, and on paying the whole of the purchase money, the subscriber shall execute a deed to the purchaser or purchasers in fee simple, conveying to him or them all the right, title, and interest of the said Samuel Lucket, free and discharged of all the claim of the said Robert Ferguson and the said Samuel Lucket.
The said lands will be either sold entire, or divided as to the purchasers.
CLEMENT DORSEY, Trustee,
January 29. d17t

St. Paul's Parish Lottery.
THE drawing of this Lottery commenced on Monday at 3 o'clock, P. M. at Mr. Peck's Hotel, No. 172, Market-street; two hundred tickets were drawn, of which No. 1245, the first drawn ticket, was, according to the scheme, entitled to 500 dollars: of the other tickets, the following drew prizes.
Prize of \$70 No. 1434.
Prizes of \$10 Nos. 4570 5505 9750 13057
Prizes of \$10 Nos. 4780 7847 16552 18000
Prizes of \$7 Nos. 31 129 152 181 476 592
549 555 638 687 895 1032 1163 1453 2151
2331 4061 4188 4332 4592 5199 5545 5750
5862 6161 6305 6935 7044 7318 8432 8438
8807 8970 9435 10439 10439 10495 11615
11580 11760 12650 13777 13771 14688 15392
15956 16406 16423 17179 17729.
The further drawing of the Lottery was postponed to the 10th February next, when it will be certainly resumed, at the same place and hour: it will be continued with all possible regularity and dispatch. The postponement is made, that farther time may be allowed, for the transmission of tickets not yet returned from abroad, and that further opportunity may be afforded for the purchase of tickets still on hand. They may be had of the several managers, and of Mr. Stewart, at the bar of the Indian Queen; Messrs Cole and I. Bousal, No. 174 1-2, Market-street; Mr. Samuel Vincent, No. 44, North Gay-street; Mr. John Cole, St. Paul's-Lane; Messrs. Warner and Hanna, Market-street; and Dobbin and Murphy, No. 12, Market-street; and Mr. Thomas Sheppard, Fell's-Point, at the original price of 5 dollars, all further notice. The managers expect to sell the remaining tickets, shortly after the next drawing, when the purchasers thereof intend to raise the price.
By order of the managers,
SAMUEL VINCENT, Clerks to the
SAMUEL COLE, Managers.
January 9. 1aw4t

Five Dollars Reward.
WAS lost on the 15th instant, in Hanover-street, near Market-street, a Red Morocco POCKET BOOK, about half worn, containing a few papers, that are of no value to any one but the owner; the above reward will be paid to any person that will leave the Pocket Book, and its contents at this office, or at the Pilot Stage Office, Baltimore-street, and no questions asked.
January 29. d03t

Notice.
THE Subscribers has taken out letters of Administration on the estate of captain James Norman, late of the city of Baltimore, deceased; requests all persons having claims against the deceased, to bring them in legally authenticated—and those indebted, to make immediate payment to Mr. Charles Robinson, who is fully authorized to settle the same.
THEOPHILUS NORMAN, Adm'r.
January 28. e04t