

rest instant, and under favor of a strong northerly wind, steered towards the Upper Dardanelles for the Black Sea. However, this fleet again altering its course, suddenly tacked, and after this manoeuvre, traversed the sea of Marmora, and steered towards Bursa, upon the Asiatic coast, opposite to Constantinople. It then came to anchor near the island Kallolopini, and took in provisions and fresh water. The Turkish squadron, which has returned from the Bosphorus, has formed a junction with the vessels lately fitted out, that lay off the arsenal and Tophana. These ships, forming together about 15 or 20 sail, under the captain pacha, or the Turkish grand admiral, are gone in quest of the English squadron. The crews of the Turkish vessels are mostly composed of Janizaries. It is generally expected that we shall very soon hear of a naval engagement.

The duke de Richelieu is upon the march from the borders of the Black Sea, at the head of a considerable body of Russian forces, collected by him in the governments of Odessa and Taganrook.

The Russian admiral Serawin has sailed for the Archipelago, with a strong division of his fleet, which has been considerably reinforced since the commencement of this year. He may easily form a junction with the English vessels which admiral Duckworth left cruising off Tenedos. It is thought the Russian admiral means to threaten Smyrna; it is well known he has a number of land forces on board.

#### NEW-YORK, June 9.

Arrived, ship Young Eagle, Whipple, 17 days from Surinam.

Brig Ranger, Bill, in 8 days from Wilmington, N. C.

Brig. schr. Silly, Seely, in 13 days from St. Johns, N. B.

Schr. Weymouth, Weymouth, in 8 days from Richmond. Left schr. Richmond, Seaman, for N. York, in 2 or 3 days, and schr. Jane, for do.

Sloop Friendship-Wheeler, in 8 days from Richmond.

Cleared, Snow Fanny, Warner, Cork; schr. Frances Lewis, Marsh, Porto Cavallo; Six Brothers, Lane, Boston; sloop New-York, Williams, Providence; Packet, Case, New-Befford.

#### PHILADELPHIA, June 10.

Arrived, schr. Mary, Scull, Marigalante, 19 days; Mack, Talbot, Passamaquoddy, 10; sloop Sally-Ann, Hicks, Richmond; Rush, Pitts, St. Mary's, 15.

Cleared, snow Alba, Nye, Cadiz; schr. Aulus, Hutchinson, St. Bartholomew's; sloop Lucy, Barker, Bermuda.

Brig Hope, and Swedish schr. Forscock, from Hayti, are taken by the El Reposa, British brig, and carried into Kingston.

New-Orleans, Gazette, to the 15th May, received at this office, per the Minerva, are destitute of interesting matter. Violent invectives continue to be poured on the conduct of general Wilkinson.

#### [Rel.]

Extract of a letter from our Correspondent, dated Lasareto, June 9.

"Last night arrived the schooner Triumph, capt. Gollen, in 10 days from Havana, with sugar, to James S. Ritchie—sailed in company with brig Susanna, Riley. Left schr. Amity, Bontalier, to sail in 4 days; Susannah, Thurston, time of sailing unknown; brig Union, Johnson, just arrived, having put in in distress. On the 4th inst. off Cape Henry, spoke schr. Carolina, 2 days from Norfolk, bound to Havana."

Extract of a letter from New-Orleans, dated April 18, 1807.

"I need hardly revert to political concerns at this moment; the country is as perfectly tranquil as it ever was. The names of Wilkinson and Burr are rarely ever mentioned, and when they are, it is with execration. Wilkinson, it is thought, will go to Natchez in a few days—it is said for a change of air. We are astonished that he is not sent for as an evidence against Burr; but, in truth, I suspect the administration (who it seems is resolved to bear Wilkinson through thick and thin) is afraid, expecting they will both appear in a ridiculous light."

#### CHARLESTON, May 30.

Extract of a letter to a gentleman in this city, dated Angola, 9th April.

"I had almost forgot to mention to you, that four days after the Daphne sailed, two English letters of marque came in here, and searched every ship in port for guns, powder and other naval stores, which they found we had on board. They talked of carrying us to the West Indies, but finding that a very small port only of our cargoes could be laid hold of, they released us and sailed five days ago, and are now cruising off the coast, for the ship Hindostan, which is expected from Charleston, and which they say, they are determined to capture if they fall in with."

Arrived, schooner Three-Friends, Brown, Rio Pongus, with 97 SLAVES, to John Callaghan; ship Africa, Caruth, Angola, with 284 SLAVES, to William Boyd; schr. Belvidere, Thompson, Matanzas, 8 days; schr. Ploughboy, Hall, Norfolk, 8.

Cleared, ships Pegasus, Cary, Matanzas; William Bradford, Fales, Greenock; schr. Hiram, Valentine, Alexandria; Venus, Hutchins, Matanzas; Sally, Lark, N. Orleans; Amanda, Wood, Wilmington.

The Fishing-smack sloop Defiance, capt. Cumings, from St. Augustine, having on board property belonging to some merchants here, has been taken by the Driver sloop of war, and sent to New Providence. When captain Love was requested by the passengers to state his reasons for capturing her, he returned for answer, that as she was bound for Charleston, where he had suffered a gross insult, he chose to take satisfaction in his own way.

#### ALEXANDRIA, June 10.

Arrived, ship Edward Preble, Porter, Portland; schr. Good Intent, Baxter, Bos-

ton; William Yeaton, Lewis, Bath; Heroine, Valentine, Charleston; sloop Olive Branch, Clements, Baltimore; Unity, Hand, Philadelphia; Packet, Barry, Boston.

### FEDERAL GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11.

Sloop Phoebe, Burton, cleared out on the 29th May, at Washington, N. C. for Baltimore.

Below, ship Comet, Hart, from New Orleans; Iris, Westcott, Madeira.

The brig Aurora, Pickle, sent into Barracoa on her passage from Philadelphia to Kingston, has been tried at St. Domingo, cleared, and captors sentenced to pay cost.

Gov. Claiborne has removed Mr. George T. Ross from the office of sheriff of the parish of New-Orleans, and appointed William G. Garlando in his stead. A large number of respectable citizens petitioned the governor to reappoint Mr. Ross, but without success. [U. S. Gazette.]

We are authorized to state, (says a London paper of the 11th April) that the chief parliamentary supporters of the bill for the Abolition of the Slave Trade have intimated their intention of attending the public meeting which is to be held at 12 o'clock on Tuesday next, at Freemason's Hall, for deliberating on the best means of promoting civilization in Africa. It will be recollected that in this number are his royal highness the Duke of Gloucester, and many leading members of the last and present administrations.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at Marietta to his friend in Trenton, (N. J.) dated April 29.

"On the 4th and 5th inst. was launched at this place two U. S. gun-boats. Five or six ships are now building here, one of which is 400 tons burthen.

A company is incorporated for the purpose of erecting a bridge across the Muskingum at its mouth. This company are empowered to raise 20,000 dollars by lottery for the purpose. The tickets are selling fast, and it is hoped the structure will soon be erected. A banking company is also forming at Marietta with a capital which I think will ensure it extensive credit.

"Four meeting houses and an academy are now building here and an academy at Athens.

"The ferment colonel Burr occasioned here last fall has nearly subsided. In the course of last week was sold at auction in Marietta, the cargoes of 11 boats, seized some times since as the property of him and his adherents.

"We have had a very severe winter and backward spring, which has occasioned a great scarcity of grain in these parts, but I hope no person will suffer for lack of food. A great mortality has prevailed among the horned cattle and swine. This has likely been occasioned partly from the severity of the weather and partly from the want of food.—It has now nearly ceased."

### FOR THE FEDERAL GAZETTE.

#### THEATRICAL.

Last night the house closed for the season, with the new play of the *Curfew, the Interlude of the Invisible Girl*, and *Asterpiece of the Quaker*. This play is the production of Tobin, author of the *Honey Moon*, and we think little if any thing inferior to that piece either in strength of language or the interest of the scene. The characters were in general well supported, and the acknowledged merits of Mr. Wood was particularly conspicuous in that of Fitzharding. Mrs. Melmoth was highly respectable in Matilda, and it is with pleasure we witnessed the progressive improvement of Butlerford, in his spirited performance of Bertrand. Mr. Jefferson's abilities as a comic performer, are too well established to require much comment. In the part of Captain Allcock in the *Interlude*, the whole weight of the piece devolved upon him, and, as usual he acquitted himself much to his own credit, and highly to the entertainment of the house. The *Asterpiece of the Quaker* was brought forward chiefly to afford Mr. Webster an opportunity of again delighting the audience with a display of his vocal powers. The mastery style in which he gave his first Song, as Lubia, and the deep attention with which he listened to every note, amply proved how much the audience were fascinated with "the harmony of sweet sounds." It may not be amiss to remark that we observe in Mr. Webster the promise of a good comic performer, a talent seldom united with eminent musical abilities; from the execution of both he seems to have very firmly established himself in the good graces of the frequenters of the theatre. The present has been the most favorable season experienced by the managers for several years, who on their part have omitted no opportunity of evincing their high sense of the patronage afforded them, by sparing neither trouble nor expense, in the production of such pieces as in their judgment would most contribute to the amusement of the public. The pantomimes of *Cinderella* and *Valentine* and Orson proved by the numerous and splendid houses they attracted, that their efforts were not unsuccessful, and we think it but justice to them to remark that the regularity and decorum with which the business of the house has been uniformly conducted reflects upon them much credit as managers.

The benefits have upon the whole exceeded any ever before obtained in this place. The readiness with which Mrs. Warren contributed her powerful aid upon these occasions has been truly commendable, and at the same time proves the goodness of her heart and the enthusiasm of her theatrical powers. We understand that it is the intention of the managers, at an early period of the ensuing season to bring forward the play of the *Travellers*, now in preparation, which, from its dramatic merit, and the splendor of its dresses and scenery cannot fail of being highly interesting to the public.

### To the Editor of the Federal Gazette.

Sir, Amidst the many instances of improvement in our country and her citizens, we perceive cause for no little exultation, in an increasing patronage of the Fine Arts.

Mrs. Ironside, in a late number of the *Observer*, almost denounces us in a body as Boeotians, and proclaims America the "Sterberia of the arts." That this country boasts the possession of no superior artists, is incorrect; that amongst her sons there are no honorable and spirited lovers of science, is a position too preposterous to take; the "Observer" itself affords not a few arguments in refutation of the calumny. Like all other countries, we advance with a slow and measured step in the road to refinement and to fame. The country must have become rich, before the people can attend to the nicer polish, and before they can be expected to attain the proud and highest eminence of finished civilization. For the want of this state of things, America lost the honor and the services of her WEST, who now shines at the most refined court in Europe. But, corresponding with our means, we possess, in this city, a Guy, whose fame has already attracted the attention of many—and whose reward, of late, goes far to prove, that amongst us there are some whose taste is fine, and whose acknowledgments to this artist have been dealt out with no niggardly hand.

Mr. Guy's last collection of paintings, now exhibited at Cole & Bonsal's, is spoken of in high terms of praise. With no great pretensions of my own to judge definitively, but in the spirit of a modest Philo, I would recommend the re-publication of the piece in last Evening's Post. This writer has higher pretensions than I shall offer; and without presuming to alter the composition, I enclose it to you, from a respect which I owe the subject.

#### From the Evening Post.

"In the circle of my acquaintance, I have heard much talk of Mr. Guy's rapid improvement in the art of painting, which drove me sooner than I intended to view his exhibition. I examined the pictures with attention, and I must candidly confess that upon the whole they seem rather to be the production of magic than the effect of genius, especially when we consider that twelve or eighteen months ago, one hundred of his paintings would not have sold at the door of an European academy, for as much as a cord of fire wood, and now to behold the productions of his pencil, the genial warmth, the mellow softness, the regular gradation from the extreme of light to the depth of shade, the apparent random tints, yet so judiciously disposed as to bring up in aggregate the effect of general harmony. How expertly he veers from one style of painting to another, and exhibits to our view the spirit of long dead masters; how his solar rays diffuse a golden hue through light and shade, to illuminate the clear obscure, and make 'darkness visible.' Yet I would not wish the public or the painter to suppose, that I hold him up as one that has arrived to such a degree of perfection as to bid defiance to all improvement; far from it, for although many of his pictures in the exhibition are good, many excellent, and would not disgrace the best landscape painter in the world, yet a few of the rest are but indifferent; however he has by this exhibition proved his ability to paint good pictures, and if ever from this time forward he exhibits any but his best productions, the pen of censure will assuredly chastise the fault. I am glad our heroic, infant city possesses such an artist, and as an individual I will do all I can to promote his interest. Many other gentlemen I know, of more extensive influence in society, will be his friends, and gladly seize every opportunity to spread his fame from one end of the union to the other, but let him remember that Baltimore contains a number of keen-eyed connoisseurs, who will not sanction a defect, nor patronize a blunder; he should therefore attend to former public and private hints, progress with a steady careful step, if slow be sure; steer in general a middle course between the ancient Dutch minuteness and the careless, disgusting modern dash—finish high, yet strong and bold, be careful not to introduce bad figures, nor even good ones ill arranged—he not satisfied with bare effect where the likeness can be given—let him always have an eye upon the principal object in his picture, and make the surrounding scenery bend in homage to its chief—let him beware of scattered light, and above all things take care to balance all light by a counterpoise of shade—embrace frequent opportunities of copying the best pictures he can procure—to avoid a settled style, & pay frequent visits to the scenes of nature, he may then soon become a master in one of the most profound and delightful studies that ever engaged the human mind.

#### AMATEUR.

Married on Tuesday evening, the 9th inst. Dr. James Glasgow, to Miss ELIZA SCHLEFFER, both of this city.

Married on Thursday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Dashiell, Mr. John Creery, to Miss *Waltbe Ann Crabbin*, all of this city.

### PORT OF BALTIMORE.

Brig Commerce, Cleared, St. Thomas

Sloop Polly, White, North-Carolina

### The Members

Of the Columbian Fire Company, are requested to meet on Thursday the 11th instant, at 4 o'clock, at their engine house, and at 7 o'clock at *Pomphrey's Hotel*.

By order, A. C. SCHNEEMANN, Sec'y.

### Sale by Auction.

ON SATURDAY, The 13th inst. at half past 12 o'clock, at the head of Frederick-street dock, will be sold.

The CARGO of the brig Hunter, Consisting of

43 bbls, very first quality, St. Croix SUGAR,

182 bags COFFEE.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auctioneers.

June 11.

### Sale by Auction.

ON FRIDAY, The 12th inst. at 12 o'clock at Waters' wharf, Fell's Point, will be sold, on terms that will then be made known,

The Ship PATSEY, With all her materials, burthen 370 tons. The ship may be examined and her inventory seen at any time previous to the day of sale.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, auctioneers.

Nine Thousand Dollars,

Will be given for an annual annuity during the life of a lady of about 50 years of age, the amount to be forfeited at her death.

Undoubted security must be given for the annual payment thereof. Apply to

WALTER ROE, No. 46, South-street, Baltimore.

June 11. eob8t

Wanted to hire,

A COOK, who can bring good recommendations, and who has no objection to go to the country during the summer. Liberal wages will be given to a good cook, and none other need apply.

Apply at this Office.

June 11. d4t

SHAD.

100 bbls No. 1, Susquehanna SHAD, in nice order, and just inspected; for sale by

JOHN OKELY, No. 14, M'Elroy's wharf.

June 11. d4t

A CARD.

W. H. Webster,

Returns his most sincere thanks to the inhabitants of Baltimore, for the favors conferred on him so liberally, and assures them he shall always endeavor to merit a continuance of their patronage.

June 11. d4t

To Let,

A two-story brick Dwelling HOUSE, No. 95, South Hanover-street, and possession given immediately. Apply on the premises, or at No. 10, South Charles-street.

June 11. d

Wanted,

A young MAN, who is a ready accountant, writes a good hand, and understands Book Keeping. One who can come respectably recommended, will hear of a situation, by applying at this Office.

June 11. d4t

For Sale,

Kiverpool Fine and Coarse Salt, Earthenware, in crates assorted, London Porter, in casks of 5 & 12 doz. each, British Canvas, No. 4, 5, and 6, Madeira Wine, in pipes and hds.

4 cases Listados, Bordeaux Brandy, 4th proof, Gunny Bags. Apply to

JOHN SHERLOCK.

June 11. d5t

Notice,

That I shall prefer a petition to the next Baltimore county court for the appointment of Commissioners to take evidence to prove and establish the metes and bounds of a lot or parcel of Land, now in my possession; being part of a tract of Land called Cole's Harbor, or Todd's Range, lying near and contiguous to the city of Baltimore.

June 11, 1807. HENRY NICOLS, law4t

Lafitte, Duche and Barthe,

Baltimore-street, No. 172, Agents for sale,

2 trunks and 2 boxes India H'dies, 1 bale Serasakas,

2 trunks Men and Ladies' Silk Stockings, 1 case Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Leno,

2000 pieces short Yellow Nankeen.

The whole of the above entitled to debenture.

Also on hand, An assortment of

Plain and Plaid Silks, 5 & 7 8 & 9 4 Silk

Shawl, Silk and Kid Gloves, Silk and Cotton Stockings, Cotton and Laid Lace, Silk and Cotton Suspenders, Bandannos, fine Hats, &c. &c.

One case preserved Citron.

June 11. eo2w

For Sale,

Or to RENT for a term of years,

A neat little COUNTRY-SEAT, in a healthy situation, not two miles from this city; a short distance from the York turnpike road, near the country-seats of James Edwards and Hugh Thompson, equidistant.

It contains about eleven acres of Land, divided into several convenient lots; two excellent meadow lots, a clover lot, and a pasture set in orchard grass; a good cultivated garden with sundry kinds of fruit, pears, &c; 2 young thriving orchards of excellent fruit, consisting of apples, peaches and cherries.

The improvements are, a neat two-story frame House, two rooms on a floor; stable and out-houses; a brick milk-house, and a pump of excellent water running through the same; also, a spring of good water convenient to the house.

The above may be had with or without a careful industrious black Man and his Wife, for a term of years; or they will be hired. They are both accustomed to the place, and steady, well-disposed people. Also, a number of utensils suitable for such a place, and some stock. Inquire of the printer.

June 11. 2aw4t

To Architects.

The subscriber being appointed to obtain plans and estimates for a plain, substantial and commodious BRICK CHURCH, with steeple and clock, to be erected in this city, he hereby offers a premium of one hundred dollars to any person who may furnish him, on or before the first day of August next, the plan and estimate of said buildings which may be approved of and finally adopted.

It is requested, that in such plans as may be offered, special regard be had for obtaining a copious admission and circulation of fresh air; also, that the pews be single, and in number at least one hundred, each at least sufficiently large for the accommodation of six or eight persons.

Such plans and estimates as may not be approved, will be returned, if desired, in conformity to instructions which may accompany them.

The printers in Savannah, Charleston, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New-York and Boston, are requested to publish this advertisement, and forward their accounts for payment to the printer of the *Augusta Herald*.

Augusta, Georgia, April 9.

June 11. d4t

### Grand Concert,

THIS EVENING.

Mr. NENNINGER respectfully announces to the public, that his CONCERT will take place at Bryden's Assembly-Room, on THURSDAY NEXT, the 11th of June.

The entertainment will consist of the following pieces:

PART I.

A Grand Military Overture, Full Orchestra

A Concerto on the German, By an Amateur

Flute, By Mr. Webster

A new Song, "Oh climb the rocks with me, my love," By Nenninger.

A Rondo on the Violin, By Nenninger.

PART II.

An Overture, Full Orchestra

A Comic Song, By Mr. Jefferson

A Concerto on the Violin, By Nenninger

A new Song, "Trephion & Celia," By Mr. Webster

A grand Military Piece, by Full Orchestra.

Neubauer.

The Concert will commence at 7 o'clock, P. M. precisely.

Tickets to be had until 6 o'clock at Mr. Carr's and Mr. Sadler's; after 6, at Bryden's Assembly-Room.

### Nimrod Maxwell,

Proprietor of the celebrated Sulphur Spring in Adams' county, Pennsylvania, takes leave, on the approach of the season for bathing, &c. drinking this highly medicinal water, to inform his former friends, and the inhabitants of this and the neighboring states, who may be in quest of health or pleasure, that he is prepared to gratify them in both. His house is in all respects in an improved state, his rooms freshly embellished and furnished with the best Beds, and his cellars replenished with a variety of the choicest Liquors. He promises a plentiful and luxurious Table embellished by the best cooks; and has been at the expense of sinking in the solid Rock, and replenishing with abundance of Ice a cistern for the refreshment of his Spring Guests. He will have obliging Waiters, and plenty of them, together with Music for the entertainment of such as delight in that exquisite Treat. The House on the south side of the Bridge, is occupied by Mr. Robert Long, who kept it formerly, and who has fitted it in the best manner for the accommodation of Boarders.

N. Maxwell in this age of puffing, has chosen to content himself with this plain and modest notice, begging his readers to believe that he means to perform even more than he has promised.

June 11. d15thly

### Fifty Dollars Reward.

Ranaway the twenty first day of May from the subscriber, living in Prince-George's county, Maryland, about 4 miles from Alexandria ferry, Negro NED, and sometimes calls himself EDWARD PLATY, 30 years old, a small slender-made negro, a blacksmith by trade, and can read and write.—He has a bright mulatto woman at Alexandria, called Rachel, for a wife, and has four or five children by her—the woman is or was the property of Miss Contee. I cannot describe his dress as he had a variety of good clothes. Any person apprehending the said negro and securing him in jail so that I get him again, shall receive if taken within ten miles from home Ten dollars, if forty miles Thirty Dollars, and if a greater distance the above reward and all reasonable expenses if brought home.

JAMES HAWKINS, law5w

June 11.

STOLEN

From my Pocket last night at the Theatre, a (Red Morocco covered) Memorandum Book, containing a long Sliding Pencil, a letter addressed to Mrs. Rebecca Wilcox, Deep River, Chatham county N. Carolina; and a number of other papers of little consequence.

As there was no money in it, no doubt the thief will throw it in some place where it may be found. It can be of no use to any but the owner; but as there were a number of memoranda and entries made in the Book (some with ink and some with a pencil) they were of considerable consequence to me.

My name and place of residence is entered on the first leaf of the Book. Any person whose hands it may happen to fall by putting a cover on it addressed to me and leaving it in some Post-Office, so that it may be forwarded by the mail, will very much oblige

MURDOCH M'KENZIE, eo3t

June 11.

ELEGANT LACES.

Miss LEVY,

Corner of St. Paul's Lane & Chatham-street.

Has just received a new assortment of Rich LACES, and Cambric Muslin SHORT DRESSES, worked with Cotton. She offers the above for sale on reasonable terms. She has a variety of handsome FLOWERS, and other articles.

Ladies can, as usual, be furnished by her with EMBROIDERY in Cotton, Gold, Silver, and Colours, as well as MARKING with durable Ink, and Painting on Satin.

M. L. Has a quantity of SUPERB WORKING COTTON,

Which she will dispose of to those who wish drawing done on any article they think proper to work.

Plain India MUL MUSLIN and French CAMBRIC can be furnished for CAP PATTERNS, &c. &c.

She continues to receive orders for Plain Sewing, which is dispatched with neatness.

ALSO, MOURNING FOR LADIES.

may 30. eo12t

Peter Hoffman & Son

Have remaining of their Spring importations, (Entitled to drawback on exportation)

Superfine Cloths, Casemiers,

Flannels, Fancy Muslins, Plain Cambric do., Chambray Muslins, Prints,

Cotton and Silk Hosiery, Shirting Cottons, Nens and Colored Thread, Kaitung Cotton, Fine Hats, &c.

And daily expect a further supply.

June 2. d

To Rent,

A large new 2-story Brick WAREHOUSE and CELLAR, with a convenient Back-building, all in complete order, sufficient to accommodate a large family, with a pump of excellent water in the yard, and the use of a large vacant lot adjoining. It is an excellent stand for the flour and grocery business, &c. opposite the French secondary and convenient to the New market. Possession may be had on the 1st of November. For terms, apply at