A cloud in ambient air suspended, Light offspring of the lucid wave, By force of sudden gales distended, Back to the seas its treasures gave.

One shining drop that join'd the ocean, Was heard in sorrow to complain, Ah! what am I, 'midst this commotion! How insignificant! how vain!

Scarce had the tiny globule ended, Its slight existence to bemoan. When lo! (as if by fate intended) An oyster claim'd it for his own.

Within whose shell sad habitation, Long time the drop reluctant lay; When sudden ends its lamentation-A brighter pearl ne'er saw the day.

Now Persia's diadem its glory Completes, where blazing diamonds shine, Take you the moral of the story-Whate'er your station, ne'er repine.

#### THE BRIEF REMARKER.

Of the whole list of those Brief Remarkers, whose remarks are worthy of notice, Solomon is entitled to stand at the head .-His proverbs contain more of original sketching, more sound practical sense, a more full on the first day of April next. developement of the foibles and faults of our nature, a more clear and accurate description of men and things, and a better body of maxims even regarding worldly affairs, than can be found in any other book, ancient or modern; so that this little tract, independently of its claims to divine inspiration, and of the abundance of its moral and religious instruccautions and stimulations it furnishes us with in respect to our secular concerns.

Had these proverbs come down to us from est notice. the pen of an ancient Grecian or Roman or Chinese philosopher, or had the original manuscripts been dug out of the ruins of Herculaneum, the literati every where would have perused them with admiration.

What is worthy of particular remark with regard to them is, that though they were penned more than three thousand years past and in an inland country of Asia, yet they pourtray in many instances, men and things

When we see a young man, who is well endowed with the gifts of nature, yield him-self up, soul and body, to the enticements of be shewn it, by applying to the subscriber, pleasure, and sink far below worthlessness; we find his exact counterpart in the little manual of which I am treating: and we find there, alas, her exact counterpart, whensoever we see a woman of loose morals and profligate manners.

When we see persons careless and improvident, neglectful of the buisiness of their callings, borrowing and never paying, running needlessly into debt, and paying little or no regard to their word or promise-we here find them pencilled limb for limb.

When we see a man strike hands with a stranger, become surety for heavy debts in behalf of one he knows not, or in whose integrity and circumstances he has no just ground-of confidence; we here find him

When we see tattlers and tale-bearers buzzing off private anecdote and family secrets till they have set a whole neighborhood in a flame; we can easily find their picture

in the book. If we hear a buyer and a seller, fib in making their bargains; the former setting the article far below its real value, and the other as far above it-we may find their picture also in the book. It is naught, it is naught, saith the buyer; but when he goeth

his way, then he boasteth. If we pass by a farm that is wretchedly cultivated, that is overgrown with thorns and nettles, or with brambles and bushes, and into which every mischievous animal has free ingress through the chinks of the broken fences; we may find that Solomon has admirably hit off both the farm and the

If we see a man reeling in the streets, and babbling and quarrelling as he reelshis eyes bloodshotten, his countenance swollen and livid, and his whole visage loathsome; we may turn to-the book, and there find the picture of this man, drawn with the accuracy of truth by the pencil of the same artist.

On the other hand, when we see a man " dilligent in his business," temperate, frugal, honest, punctual; and see him, by these worthy means, and by the blessing of God, pass gradually from low estate to plenteousness of worldly comforts; we may there likewise find his respectable likeness, exhibited for practical imitation.

Last-not least-when we see a woman who feareth the Lord; who openeth her mouth with wisdom, and in whose tongue is the law of kindness; whose suavity of temper and manner makes "well ordered home man's best delight, who pours precious instruction into the minds of her infant progeny; who looked well to the ways of her household, and is a discreet as well as faithful manager of its concerns: when we see such a woman-and, thank God, many such a one we may see if we look about us-it is only for us to turn onr eyes to this ancient picture-book, and we shall there find a striking likeness of her.

With this character Solomon concluded his sketches; and he seems to have exerted the whole power of his talent, and the ut- ceive the same. most skill of his pencil, to do it justice

#### JOHN CARLILE & CO. Have on hand at their store, near the Market House,

A LARGE SELECTION OF Woollen and Cotton Goods, IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC, OF ALMOST EVERY KIND, WELL ASSORTED, liberal terms. A number of those goods,

particularly cloth, has been purchased at a considerable sacrifice in the cities, and will as the Old Furnace. JOHN PEACHER. be sold off now at a very small advance. All those wishing to purchase, particularly those living at a distance, will find it their interest February 1, 1816.

#### Valuable House and Lot FOR SALE.

to call here and see.

THE subscriber intending to build in a more retired part of Shepherd's Town, will sell on advantageous terms. (if application | House, Jefferson County, on the main road, is made before the middle of next month) the | leading from Charles Town to Winchester. two story brick house, now occupied by him on the main street in that place. The house is large and convenient, and well suited for any kind of public business. The lot is very fertile, and has on it every necessary out building. A purchaser may have possession

JOHN BAKER. Shepherd's Town, ? February 8.-[4t.5

## Fulling and Dying.

THE subscriber informs the public that the Fulling Mill, at Mills Grove, near Charlestion, is well worth the being deeply studied Town, is now in complete operation—having and even learned by heart, for the lights and an abundance of water, and workmen sufficient, he will be able to execute his work with the greatest dispatch, and on the short-

JESSE BAYLEY. February 8.

#### Cheap Bargains!

I wish to dispose of four Lots, in Charles Town, situated as follows: a two acre lot now set in clover, adjoining the lots of Mr. W. W. Lane-one unimproved lot on the main street, adjoining the public square-a just as if the originals of the portraitures had been taken in the very age and from the very country in which we live.

House and Lot fronting on Liberty street, now occupied by Jonathan Murphy—also, the House and Lot on the Main street, where I now live. Those who wish to purchase and be made acquainted with the terms.

JOHN BUCKMASTER

#### WAS FOUND

IN my enclosure lastifall, about the time of the Shepherd's Town Races, the head-stall of a bridle and part of a martingal. The owner may have them by applying to the subscriber near Shepherd's Town, describing the property and paying for this

THOMAS LAFFERTY.

Wanted in a Store, AN active Lad between 14 and 16 years old, or a young man. Inquire of the

## Stray Horse.

TAKEN up trespassing on the subscriber's farm, (about five miles from Charles Town,) sometime in January last, a dark brown HORSE, with a star in his forehead, about 15 hands high, supposed to be seven years old, and has his fore-top cut off short-appraised to 40 dollars. The owner is desired to come, prove property, pay charges and take him away.

LEONARD Y. DAVIS. February 8.

Journeymen Coopers Wanted. TWO or three Journeymen Coopers will meet with constant employ and good wages,
by applying to the subscriber, near the Brick
Mill, Jefferson county.

Wm. M'CORMICK.

TRUSTEE'S SALE. WILL be sold, to the highest bidder, for cash, upon the 4th day of March next, one moiety or half of a certain tract of land, lying in the county of Jefferson, containing thirty-two acres, adjoining the lands of John Briscoe and Garland Moore—said land having been conveyed to the undersigned in trust by Elizabeth Debostion, by deed now of record in the Superior Court for the said county of Jefferson, to secure the payment of the several sums of money therein stated, to Benjamin Bussell. The sale to take place upon the premises.

MOSES GIBBONS, TH. GRIGGS, jun. February 1.

Notice. THE subscriptions for the Rev. B. Allen's salary, have been due for some time past. It is hoped every person who have not paid, will without delay, pay to Wm. Brown, what may be due, who is authorised to re-

# 1 To Gentlemen Millers and Far-

I am in the line of BOATING this season -my Ware-house is on the Potomac, half a mile above the Old Furnace, where I will take in Flour, and deliver it in Alexandria, at one dollar per barrel, and in Georgetown, at ninety-two cents per barrel. Those living That they offer now to the public on very | in Charlestown or south of that, had best go by Rutherford's Mill, or turn to the left at the Burnt Mill-the distance about the same

#### A Journeyman Blacksmith WANTED.

I wish to employ immediately a Journey-man Blacksmith, to whom liberal wages and constant employ will be given, by applying to the subscriber, living near the White

HENRY SHEPHERD. February 1, 1816.

Mr. William West of the state of Kentucky,

PLEASE to take notice, that we shall proceed to take the depositions of David Hunter and Robert Cockburn, on the 8th day of March next, in the town of Martinsburg, at the office of Robert Wilson, a commissioner of the Superior Court of Chancery, holden at Winchester, to take depositions in the county of Berkeley, which depositions will be offered in evidence in a suit now depending in the Superior Court of law to be holden at Winchester in the county of Frederick and state of Virginia, wherein you are plaintiff and the executors and devisees of William Darke, dec'd, and John Cooke are

RICHARD BAYLOR, HENRY BEDINGER, Surviving Ex'ors. of Wm. Darke, dec'd.

WM. GROVE, & Co.

February 1.

#### BAGS!

PERSONS sending bags to the Charles Town Mill, are respectfully requested to put a plain mark of the owners name thereon, so that no mistakes will happen in giving them

February 1.

#### Ten Dollars Reward.

BEING informed that my shingle timber on the Meadow Branch, has been cut down, and carried away, I will give the above reward to any person upon the conviction of the offender, as also, on any of my Back Creek farms, likewise on Buck Hill, or my

RICHARD M'SHERRY

Bank Notice. THE President and Directors of the Farmers', Mechanics' and Merchants' Bank, of Jefferson County, Va. have ordered the fifth Instalment of Five Dollars, to be paid on each share of Capital Stock, on or before the first day of March next.

WM. BROWN, Cash'r. January 25, 1816.

#### Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Jo seph Grantham, dec'd, by bond, note, or ac count, are requested to come forward and make immediate payment, as no longer in dulgence will be given. Also, all persons having claims against said estate, are requested to bring them forward, properly attested for settlement.

William Grantham, Ex'or. January 25.

#### TO FARMERS.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public, that he has commenced the BLACK-SMITH'S BUSINESS, at the well known stand at Miller's Run, between Shepherd's Town and Charles Town. He wishes to inform the inhabitants between both places that they will be punctually attended to, without the necessity of going further. He flatters himself that his work will be turned off in the neatest manner, and on as reasonable terms as any other establishment in this County-It is deemed unnecessary to state every article that he will have on hand for sale, in his line of business, as every article in that way will be found compleated at his

William Butts. January 18.

Negro Woman for Sale. I will sell for cash, a negro woman, about 33, and her child, a boy, about 4 years of age. They can be seen at Mrs. Seelig's, at Harper's Ferry, near which place I would prefer a purchaser. Richard Duffield, Esq. is authorised to contract for them.

JOHN STROTHER. Martinsburg, Dec. 12.

BLANK DEEDS. FORSALE AT THIS OFFICE.

#### Valuable Mill Property TOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his Mills on the Rappaliannock liver, in the county of Fauquier, eight miles south of the Court House, filty three from Alexandria, and thirty three from Falmouth and Fredericksburgh. The improvements consist of a new Mili House, about thirty feet square, with two pair of five feet stones, and all the necessary machinery for manufacturing flour-an excellent new Saw Mill, and a large stone Mill House, at present out of mapair.
There are FIFTY ACRES OF LAND attached to the Mills, but any further quantity desired might be had with them on either side of the river. The local advantages which this property ver. The local advantages which this property possesses over any other water property in the Counties of Fauquier, or Culpepper, are universally acknowledged by all acquainted with itsituated immediately at the ford, where the great road leading from the fertile parts of Culpepper and Shenandoah, to Falmouth and Fredericks. burg, crosses the Rappahannock, upon a constant and powerful stream, affording in the most trying seasons an abundant supply of water-entrely unrivalled by any other mill, there being no manufacturing mill within tea miles in any direction, in a fine wheat country, the improvement of which is rapidly progressing from the use of plaister and clover, and having a most unexampled share of country work, yielding to its proprietor annually from 12 to 1500 bushels of toll corn, besides a wheat custom, which could at all times be encreased so as to keep constantly employed any mill which may be erected thereon, holds out to a purchaser acquainted with the man-agement of such property, the fairest prospects of The subscriber's price and terms of payment,

which will be made to suit the purchaser, as well as the situation and value of this property, can be known on application to Casper W. Wever, Esq. near Charlestown, Jefferson County, or Charles Tyler, Esq. Alexandria, or to the subscriber residing at the spot.

## New Establishment.

WM. HARPER, Jun. APOTHECARY & DRUGGIST.

JOHN C. SCOTT.

HAS lately established a branch of the above business in Shepherd's Town, Va. where he has a large assortment of GENUINE DRUGS AND MEDIGINES, Surgeon's Instruments, Patent Me-dicines, Paints, Dye Stuff's, and every article in his line, all of which he will sell as low as they can be purchased in Alexandria or Baltimore -He flatters himself that the good quality and low prices of his goods will insure encouragement.— Orders forwarded by mail shall be punctually attended to, and a good credit given to punctual

P. S. I have a quantity of Log Wood on hand t a very reduced price. GROCERIES of every asscription may also be had at fair prices.

#### CHEAP WOOLLEN GOODS,

CONSISTING OF Superfine and common Cloths,

Double and single mill'd Cassimers, Stockinnetts, Imperial Cords and Cassi-Fancy and common Vesting, Coating, Baizes, Flannels and Kerseya, Rose, Point and Strip'd Blankets,

Lamb's Wool and worsted Hosiery, &c. -ALSO-Bombazetts of almost every colour, Corduroys, Constitution Cords and Thick-

Irish Linens, Shirting Cambricks, Jaconet and cambrick Muslins, Silk Shawls,

Large cotton Shawls for Winter-Together with almost every other article that the inhabitants of Charlestown, and its neighborhood may stand in need of-all of which, the subscriber pledges himself, will be sold on the very lowest terms, as he is desirous of closing his fall sales.

R. WORTHINGTON. 23-Persons who have to furnish Negroes that they have hired with blankets, will find it to their interest to call on the subscriber December 14.

## Hardware & Cutlery.

John Carlile, & Co. -

Have on hand a good assortment of Knives and Forks, Pen-knives and Razors, Handsaws, Handsaw and other Files, Stirrup Irons, and Sheet Iron, Elegant Waiters, Currycombs, Spectacles, Shovel and Tongs, Wrought and Cut Nails,

With a variety of other Goods in that line all of which they will sell off, on the most accommodating terms.

Near the Market House, Charles-Town, Dec. 21.

#### NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the former Boating Concern of Annin & Beckham having been dissolved on the first of November last-The Ferry and Warehouse then came into the possession of the subscribers: the Warehouse being at this time is excellent repair for the reception of FLOUR, and the subscribers having at all times the means of effecting an immediate transportation of any quantity to the District of Columbia, flatter themselves that Millers and Farmers will find it to their advantage to favor them with their business in that line. All possible attention will be given to secure flour from damage, and to render the terms of freightage moderate.

Cahill & Bestor. Harper's Ferry, January 21. [3 w.

# FARMER'S REPOSITORY.

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ages are paid. Advertisements not exceeding a square, will be inserted three weeks for one dollar, and twenty-five cents for every subsequent the same are hereby repealed. insertion, and when not particularly directed to the contrary, will be inserted until forbid, force from and after the passing thereof. and charged accordingly.

83- All communications to the Editor must be post paid.

Virginia Legislature.

#### AN ACT To amend an Act entitled an Act concerning

the emancipation of Slaves. [Passed January 24th, 1816.]

there shall at the same time be entered of re-

cord, as the authority therefor, the general

for the same Court to extend the like per-

mission to his or her emancipated wife or

thereafter shall be null and void.

connecting, by public highways, the differ-Be it enacted, by the General Assembly, ent parts of this Commonwealth. II. And be it further enacted, That this fund for internal improvement, subject to the order of the President and Directors of That, any slave who, since the first day of May, eighteen hundred and six, hath been emancipated, for extraordinary merit; and Commonwealth, in the stock of the Little the Board, shall be deposited in the Treaany slave who may be hereafter emancipated for extraordinary merit, shall be at liberty to apply to the Court of any county or corpoto apply to the Court ration within this Commonwealth, for per- Virginia and Farmers' Bank of Virginia; to- surer of the Commonwealth to the order of mission to reside within such county or cor- gether with such dividends as may, from the Board, certified and subscribed by the mission to reside within such county or corporation. And the Court to which such apporation. And the Court to which such apporation of the Commonwealth's Secretary, and countersigned by the Presishares of stock in such work which may be plication shall be made, a majority of the and suct bonus, or premiums as may be dent; that the Treasurer shall keep a fair subscribed in pursuance of this Act, to the acting magistrates being present, or having hereafter received, for the incorporation of and regular account of such disbursements, been summoned for that purpose, shall have power, upon satisfactory proof made to them power, upon satisfactory proof made to them capitals, or extension of the charters of the which the same shall have been made, and of such extraordinary merit of the applicant; existing Banks. and of his or her general good character and HI. And be it further enacted, That for eral Assembly, at the same time at which he conduct, to grant to him or her permission | the purpose of preserving and improving this | renders his annual account of the disburseto remain within this Commonwealth, and fund, and for disbursing such portions of it, to reside within such county or corporation: as the General Assembly may, from time to in every year, the board of Public Works provided, however that no such permission time, direct to be applied to any object of shall depute a committee of their body to exshall be granted unless notice of the applica- internal improvement, it shall be, and the amine the account of all disbursements made tion shall have been posted at the front door of the court-house of the county or corporation be styled, The President and Directors of preceding the annual meeting of the board, tion, for at least five weeks immediately pre- the Board of Public Works, in which name and to compare these accounts with the ceding such application. Every application | they shall have a common seal, and perpemade as aforesaid shall be duly entered of tual succession, subject to the limitation record; and, if the permission be granted, hereinafter provided, shall be capable of

suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded, and shall have and enjoy all the good character of the applicant, and the extraordinary merit for which he or she may IV. And be it further enacted. That the the limits of the county or corporation, the poration, shall consist of the Treasurer and court of which shall have granted it, and the Attorney General of the Commonto any emancipated slave to reside as a free | poast road, which passing through the terperson within any county or corporation of ritory of the Commonwealth, crosses the printhis Commonwealth, on account of extraor- | cipal rivers thereof at, or about the head of dinary merit as aforesaid, it shall be lawful | tide water, and the residue between that

V. This Act shall commence and be in

AN ACT.

To create a Fund for Internal Improvement.

I. Be it enacted, by the General Assem-

road and the sea-coast. V. And be it further enacted, That the husband, or to his or her emancipated chil- Directors of the Board of Public Works, dren: provided that a like notice of the ap- except the Treasurer and Attorney General, plication be posted at the door of the court-house; and that satisfactory evidence be ad-the two houses of the General Assembly; duced to the Court, of the general good cha- and receive such compensation for their ser racter and conduct of such wife or husband vices, as may be allowed by law, which, and of such children. When any application until otherwise provided, shall be the same for leave of residence within this Common- mileage for travelling to and from the place wealth, made by any emancipated slave shall of sitting, and the same pay per diem, be rejected, the rejection thereof shall be re- during the continuance of their session, as is corded, and shall be final; insomuch that no now by law allowed to a member of the appeal shall be taken thereupon, and that | General Assembly. any such permission granted by any Court

VI. And be it further enacted, That in the absence of the Governor, the Board 11. Be it further enacted, That if any may elect a President pro tempore, from emancipated slave, having obtained leave of | their own body, who shall preside over the residence as aforesaid, shall afterwards be deliberations of the Board, until the Governconvicted, by the verdict of a jury and the or is enabled to attend.

judgment of a Court, of an offence against VII. And be it further enacted, That the the laws of this Commonwealth, it shall be | President and Directors of the Board of lawful for any county or corporation court, Public Works, shall have power to appoint having granted such leave, a majority of the a Principal Engineer, or Surveyor of the acting magistrates being present, or having Public Works, and a Secretary to the been summoned therefor, and such emanci- Board; together with such other officers and pated slave having been duly summoned to assistants, as they shall deem necessary; shew cause against it, to revoke the leave of each of whom shall receive for his services, residence granted as aforesaid, if to them it such compensation, as the President and Dishall seem expedient. If, after such revoca- rectors of the Board of Public Works may tion such emancipated slave shall remain allow, to be paid out of the revenue of the within this Commonwealth more than twelve | Fund for Internal Improvement, and to be months, he or she shall forfeit his or her reimbursed that fund, by an allowance to & right to freedom, and may be apprehended the Commonwealth, of so much of the stock sold in the manner provided by the 10th section of the Act, entitled "An Act to amend the constitute a reasonable compensation for the several laws concerning slaves passed the services, rendered such company, by the twenty fifth of January eighteen hundred and surveyor and his assistants.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That the III. Beit further enacted, That if any de- President and Directors of the Board of scendant however remote, of any such female slave as may have obtained leave of rein the City of Richmond, or at such other
sidence. male slave as may have obtained leave of residence as aforesaid, shall at any time be places as may be designated by law, to begin such income is derived, so as to limit the against the laws of this Commonwealth, it vear, and to continue until the business of Provided, that should the tolls, for any two against the laws of this Commonwealth, it year, and to continue until the business of shall be lawful for the court of that county the board is transacted. But that the Presi-

corporation in which such descendant may thereof, convene an extra meeting of the | Public Works, on satisfactory evidence being reside, in like manner, to revoke the leave Board, for the transaction of any extraorhim or her to depart this Commonwealth .- | Corporation,

like manner, apprehended and sold.

IV. All acts and parts of Acts coming within the purview of this Act, shall be, and within the purview of this Act, shall be, and for any period not exceeding six months, or when occasion shall require it, to have an extra meeting, at any other place than that lic Works, shall vest in some productive designated by law, and shall have power to fund, the unappropriated dividends accruing make and establish such bye-laws, rules and regulations, for the better ordering of the conduct of their officers, agents, and servants, as to them may seem expedient, provided the same be not inconsistent with the bly, that a fund shall be, and the same is constitution and laws of this Commonwealth hereby created, to be denominated "The or of the United States of America. They Fund for Internal Improvement," and to be | shall have power at any time during the applied, exclusively, to the purpose of readering navigable and uniting, by canals, the principal rivers, and of more intimately shall have power at any time during the recess of the Legislature, to fill any vacancy which may occur in their own body, either from death, resignation, removal, inability.

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or any other cause. X. And be it further enacted, That the shall render an account thereof to the Genments of the ordinary revenue; that once,

that their report shall certify to the Board that the same have been fully accounted for, or otherwise, as the case may be.

XI. And be it further enacted, That the have been emancipated; otherwise any per- Governor of the Commonwealth shall be, ex President and Directors of the Board of Pubmission granted by this Court shall be merely void. A permission so granted and re-ly works: that the Directors, a majority of thorised to subscribe, in behalf of the Comcorded shall authorise the person, in whose whom shall constitute a Board for the tran- monwealth, to such Public Works, as the Gefavor it is, to reside as a free person, within saction of any business devolving on the corneral Assembly may, from time to time, agree to patronize, such portions of the revenue, of the Fund for internal improveshall be a full protection to such person tra- wealth, for the time being, and of ten citi- ment, as may be directed by law, but that important information, as they may have it velling in any part of the Commonwealth; zens thereof; of whom three shall reside no part of the said fund shall be subscribed in their power to collect, in relation to the but it shall not authorise him or her to reside | westward of the Allegany mountain; two | towards the stock of any Canal, Turnpike | objects committed to their trust within any other county or corporation.— | between the Allegany and the Blue Ridge; or other Company, until three-fifths at least When permission shall have been so granted | three between the Blue Ridge and the great of the whole stock necessary to complete such canal, turnpike, or other public work of such company, shall have been otherwise subscribed, nor until, of the stock so subscribed, one-fifth thereof shall have been ac- day of January, of the year one thousand tually paid in by the respective subscribers, or the payment thereof effectually secured by bond, with approved security, or a deed of trust upon the real estate of such subscriber, of twice the value of such fifth part, such bond to be taken payable to the President. Directors and Company authorised to complete such public work, and to be recoverable against the obligor or his securities, on motion, after 10 days notice in any court of record within the Commonwealth having jurisdiction thereof, and such deed of trust to be proceeded upon, whenever the trustee therein named, shall be required to do so by

treasurer's books, and the certificates giving

authority for the payment of the several

sums of money or stock entered therein;

such President, Directors and Company. XII. And be it further enacted, That the lividends of the stock which may be subscribed by the President and Directors of the Board of Public Works shall go exclusively to other subscribers than the Commonwealth, until such portion of the stock of those subscribers as shall have been actually paid in, shall have netted to them 6 per cent. per annum, from the specified time of such payment: that any increase of profit, after that nett income shall have been assured to these subscribers, shall belong exclusively to the fund for Internal Improvement until the nett annual income of the whole stock, actually expended by any Company, shall reach 6 per cent. per annum; after which the Commonwealth and the other subscribers to the stock of the Company shall divide the nett profits on such stock in proportion to their respective interests .-That, whenever the nett income of any Company to which any part of the fund hereby created shall have been subscribed, shall be found for two succeeding years, or upon an average of five succeeding years, to surpass or corporation within which the conviction dent of the Board may, at his own pleasure, to the Company of ten per cent. per annum, may be had, or for the court of the county or or shall at the request of any 2 Director, the President and Directors of the Board of

of residence of such descendant, and to order | dinary business which may devolve on the | be augmented, so as to assure to the Company such nett income; And, provided, also, after such order made, he or she shall forfeit lie Works, may at their annual meetings, ten per cent. per annum, the maximmum enact, alter or amend such rules, as to them profit of the Company may be reduced to twelve per cent, and after the lapse of one hundred years, from the same period, to ten

per cent. per annum.
XIII. And be it further enacted, That the President and Directors of the Board of Pubupon any of the stock committed to their charge, until the same shall be specially applied by law to some object of internal improvement: and shall have power, subject to the controll of the General Assembly, to sell from time to time, as may be ordained by law, the whole or any part of the shares held by the Commonwealth, in the stock of any canal, turnpike or other company subscribed for under the provisions of this Act, for the purpose of investing the proceeds of sale, in the stock of some other similar Company, subject to the like conditions, as have

been before expressed in this Act. XIV. Be it further enacted, That the President and Directors of the Board of Public Works shall have power to appoint, in behalf of the Commonwealth, so many directors of every public work, as shall bear to the whole number of the directors of such whole number of shares subscribed thereto: Provided, however, That whenever it shall be found expedient by the Legislature, to authorise the subscription of any part of the fund hereby created to any company already incorporated, the provisions of this section shall not be construed as applying to such Company, unless it be otherwise directed by

XV. Be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the President and Directors of the Board of Public Works, to keep a fair and accurate record of all their proceedings, which shall be, at all times, open to the inspection of the Members of the General-Assembly, and of the President, Directors and other officers of any Company interested therein: that they shall report to the General Assembly, at, or near the commencement of every annual session thereof, the exact state of the Fund for Internal Improvement; the progress and condition, noting especially the nett income of all the public works within the Commonwealth; the surveys, plans and estimated expense of such new works, as they may recommend to the patronage of the General Assembly, together with such other

XVI. And be it further enacted, That the public faith shall be, and the same is hereby solemnly pledged, to fulfil the appropriation, made by this Act: and that the said appropriation shall continue in force, until the first eight hundred and sixty-six, except, at such times, as the United States of America may be involved in war, or the safety of this Commonwealth may, in the opinion of the General Assembly, require: when the General Assembly may withdraw, during the period of actual hostilities, or of such imminent danger, the whole or any part of the said fund, for the purpose of defence, provided such withdrawal can be made wi hout a violation of any engagement entered into un-

der this Act. XVII. This Act shall commence and be n force, from and after the passage thereof.

#### FOREIGN.

[By the Cora, at Savannah.]

PROJET DELOI. [Accompanying the D. de Richelieu's Speech.]

Louis, by the Grace of God king of France and Navarre, to all present and to

Our council of state being consulted, we have ordered and order, that the projet de loi, the tenor of which follows, shall be presented in our name to the chamber of deputies by our minister secretary of state for the department of justice and keeper of the seals of France, our minister secretary of state for the department of the interior, our minister secretary of state for the department of war, our minister secretary of state of the department of the marine, and our minister secretary of state for the department of general police, whom we charge to explain the motives and support the discus-

ART. I. Full and complete amnesty is granted to all those who, either directly or indirectly, have taken part in the rebellion and usurpation of Napoleon Bonaparte, with the under mentioned exceptions.

2. The ordinance of the 24th of July shall

continue to be executed in regard to the per sons comprehended in the 1st article of that

3. The persons included in article 2d of the said ordinance shall quit France in the | ning of the 16th, after a severe conflict, tatwo months which shall follow the promulgation of the presant law. They shall not be at/liberty to return without the express | The Island was retaken, but the fleet left permission of the king, the whole upon pain | the neighbourhood with its plunder.

4. All the members of, or persons allied to the family of Bonaparte, and their descendants to the degree of uncle and nephew, inclusively, are excluded forever from the kingdom, and are required to leave it within one month under the penalty decreed by article 9th of the penal code.

They shall be incapable of enjoying any civil right there, or possessing any property, titles, annuities or pensions granted to them gratuitously in that country: and they shall be required to sell within six months the property of all kinds which they shall have obtained for a valuable consideration.

5. The present amnesty is not applicable to those persons against whom proceedings have been instituted, or sentences passed prior to the promulgation of the present law: the proceedings shall be continued, and the sentence executed agreeably to the laws.

6. The present amnesty does not extend to the crimes or offences against individuals at whatever period they may have been committed! The persons who have been guilty of them, shall be liable to be prosecuted according to the laws.

Given at Paris, at the Palace of the Thuilleries, the 7th day of the month of December, in the year of Grace one thousand eight hundred and fifteen, and of our reign the twenty

By the King, RICHELIEU.

After the reading of this projet, M. de Richelieu added, "The measure proposed to you, gentlemen, is not new in our annals. Henry IV. whose memory we cherish with such pleasure, published in 1594 a similar act of amnesty, and France was saved ---

Scarcely had the minister uttered the concluding words, when a spontaneous and unanimous shout of Vive V Roi burst from all parts of the hall and the tribunes. The deputies arose and waved their hats in the air, repeating the same acclamations with the most lively enthusiasm.

Silence being restored, and the Assembly again seated, the President in the name of the Chamber, acknowledged the receipt of the communications just made; he announced that the speech of the minister and the projet de loi, shall be printed and distri-buted, and that the latter should be sent for the examination of the bureaux.

The ministers then retired and were conducted out of the hall with the accustomed

The President announced that the deputies were about to withdraw to their bureaux; that on the morrow the Chamber would form itself, at 12 o'clock, into a secret committee, and afterwards meet in the bu-

London, Dec. 12. The trial of Sir GEORGE PREVOST is fixed for the fifteenth of January, and is

to take place at Chelsea Hospital. A ministerial paper states, that according to the account of those who affect to be well informed of the treaty under which the Ionian Islands are surrendered to the protection of Great Britain, secret articles are introduced, by which this government is | and to the floating public debt, since the 30th forbidden to interfere in any war which may be conducted by the courts of Vienna and St. Petersburgh, against the Sublime Porte. It is asserted, that the Ionian Islands are | ed to enquire into the expediency of amend-

the price of the compliance of England with

this condition. Is this possible? On the authority of letters from Spain, it | usually employed in husbandry or for the is currently reported that Ferdinand VII. | transportation of goods. The House resolved itself into a committee has deprived the Biscayans of the ancient of the whole, on the bill for reducing the diprivileges they have so long enjoyed. It will be remembered, that the three provinrect tax on the United States, to three milces of Guipuscoa, Alaba, and Biscay had a lions, &c. No amendment being proposed freer constitution than the other parts of | to it, the committee rose and reported the Spain, which was called the privileges of bill; which was laid on the table, on sugges-Biscay. According to the tenor of said contion of Mr. Root, of N. Y. to give him time stitution, the Biscayans formed their provin- | to prepare an amendment to the detail of the cial juntas or cortes under the shade of an , bil oak tree, of Garnica, said to be 400 years The resolution expressive of the sense of Congress of the gallantry of captain James old. This tree the French-destroyed when Biddle, the officers and crew of the Hornet; they were in Spain, and Ferdinand has gone

Brussels, Dec. 9.

a step farther, and overturned the constitu- and a similar resolution respecting captain

tion, from its being offensive to his prin- Charles Stewart, and the officers and crew

reading.

From Paris to our frontiers the allied troops are all in motion, the roads are covered with troops of all arms, artillery and an endless train of baggage, &c. and preparations are making at Chambray to receive before the end of the month the head quarters of Lord Wellington; all the English troops beyond the contingent of 25,000 infantry and 5,000 cavalry, which remain in France, are coming to Belgium; the Hano-verian and Hanseatic troops pass through these provinces to return home, mean time the duty is done in the French fortresses, at Lisle and Arras in the strictest manner.

British provinces during the late war. The troops which latterly landed at Os-Several papers were read respecting their merits and services, among which was a very tend, went yesterday on board again, to re-

The report is again in circulation, that Gen. Porter, lately a member of this house.

Lord Wellington's head quarters will come This bill gave rise to a rather animated to Brussells in the course of the month of debate, in which the claim of the petitioners [Hearlam Courant, Dec. 13. | to indemnity or compensation was sustained | with the enate

London, December 13; by Mr. Throop, Mr. Yates, Mr. Wright, It is observed from Cagliari the 18th of Mr. Gold and Mr. Johnson of Ky.; and op-November, that a squadron from Tunis posed by Messrs. Hulbert, Webster and composed of 19 vessels, had, on the morken possession of the Island of Antioco, from whence it conveyed on board 100 persons.

After hearing his sentence read, he wrote to

at Pizzo, but this was also refused. Never-

theless his request that the execution should

take place in the Great Hall of the comman-

dant of Pizzo, was acceded to. Twelve Si-

rilian soldiers were then placed near the door

of the apartment. Murat bid farewell to the

priest who accompanied him, entered reso-

lutely into the hall, uncovered his breast,

gave the word "fire," and fell immediately,

pierced with eight balls. The people of the

town were then permitted to enter. The bo-

dy was buried at night, by order of the com-

mandant, and not carried to Naples as re-

MURAT'S LETTER TO HIS WIFE.

From a German Paper.

and external marks render it doubtful:

"My DEAR CAROLINE-My last hour

come; in a few moments I shall have ceased

children no father more. Think on me: do

not curse my memory; I die innocent. My

Letitia-Farewell my Lucien-Farewell my

Louisa!-Shew yourselves constantly wor

oless you! Never curse my memory. Re-

CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Monday, February 12.

After the reception of petitions— On motion of Mr. Cady of N. Y. the Se-

cretary of the Treasury was directed to re-

port to this House, what additions, if any,

have been made to the funded public debt

On motion of the same gentleman, the

that no duty shall be paid on any carriage

of the Constitution, for their last victory,

passed through a committee of the whole,

and were severally ordered, nem, con. to be

The bill for rewarding the officers and

crew of the Hornet for the capture and de-

struction of the British sloop of war Penguin,

passed through a committee of the whole .--

The blank was filled with 25,000 dollars, be-

ing the amount allowed in former cases; and

the bill ordered to be engrossed for a third

THE CANADIAN REFUGEES.

The house resolved itself into a committee

of the whole, Mr. Condit in the chair, on the

bill for the relief of certain refugees from the

strong testimony to their merits, &c. from

engrossed and read a third time.

committee of ways and means were instruct-

forget your unhappy father.

" Pizzo, Oct. 13, 1815."

day of September last.

When the Northumberland reached St. Helena, Bonaparte was employed two hours in surveying it through a glass. He was observed to be very restless several times dur-

The opponents of the bill (which proposes A letter from Vienna states, that an Austrian officer arrived there as a courier, has tions of land) oppose it as rewarding treachetions for ordnance, ordnance stores, &c. were given the following detail respecting the last ry, as poisoning the fountains of morality, severally read the third time and passedmovements of Murat, and of which he was and use these general expressions of dislike, an eye witness at Pizzo. Murat having and even detestation, which such a bill is | 16. been wounded and made prisoner, a female likely to call forth from those who view it in precipitated herself upon him, and tore his cockades and decorations from him with rage.

so odious a light. The bill was not decided on; but, on motion of Mr. Johnson, laid on the table.

which ample prevision was made at the close

of the Revolutionary war. They were na-

tives of this country, and, on the breaking

out of the war, preferred ranging themselves

under the banners of their native country,

his family, and requested a pair of scissors to cut off his hair, in order to send it to his wife, but this request was refused. He then provision for the widows and orphans of requested that he might be shot by the small those who fell in the late war. detachment of his old guard, which was then

The house were occupied on this subject | the late war. till the usual hour of adjournment.

Tuesday, Feb. 13 Among the petitions presented to-day, was

one by Mr. Lewis, from sundry inhabitantsof the counties of Culpepper, Fauquier, Frederick and Shenandoah, praying that the Merchants' Bank of Alexandria, may be Mr. Middleton reported a bill to enable the President of the United States to lease out or

grant for a term of years mines of the precious metals, discovered upon the public lands; which was twice read and committed. The House resumed the consideration of the bill for reducing the direct tax on the U States to three millions, and to continue the same one year.

Mr. Atherton moved to amend the bill so The following letter, which Murat is stated as to repeal the direct tax altogether; which have written to his wife on the day of his motion was decided in the negative.-Yeas execution, is in circulation here and at Naples. We do not, however, venture to de-

Mr. Pickering then moved to amend the cide on its authenticity, as several internal said bill so as to make the tax unlimited, instead of confining it to one year; which was also negatived .- Yeas 20, Nays 129. to live .- You will have no husband, and my

Mr. Tallmadge then moved to amend the bill so as to take from it altogether the privilege allowed to the states, to assume the direct tax, &c .- Negatived. The question was then taken on ordering

life is stained by no unjust sentence.
"Farewell, my Achilles—Farewell, my the bill to be engrossed for a third reading, and decided in the affirmative. Yeas 106. Nays 46. The bill will be read a third time of Charleston, direct from Carthagena, who thy of me. I leave you without estates and The resolutions expressive of the sense of

kingdom, among my numerous enemies.— Remain always united; shew yourselves su-perior to misfortune; and think more on Congress of the merits of capt. Stewart, and the officers and crew of the frigate Constituwhat you are than on what you were. God tion, and of the merits of capt. Biddle, and the officers and crew of the sloop of war Horcollect that the bitterest pain that I feel in uet, for their late achievements, were read a my last moments is that of dying far from third time and passed manimously. my children. Receive my paternal blessing, The engrossed bill for rewarding the offimy tears, and my tender embraces.-Never

cers and crew of the sloop of war Hornet, for the capture and destruction of the British sloop of war Penguin, was read a third time and passed, nem. con.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill making appropriations for ordnance and ordnance stores for the year 1816. The question being on agreeing with the committee of the whole to fill up the blank,

for this purpose, with \$1,065,024.

Mr. Wright opposed this amount, and proposed to substitute \$500,000 in lieu thereof. On the question to concur in the amount reported by the committee of the whole, there arose a considerable debate; Mr. Wright, Mr. Desha, Mr. Goldsborough, and Mr. King of Mass. opposing, and Mr. Johnson, Mr. Smith of Md. and Mr. Forsyth, advocating this amount. ing the act laying duties on carriages, so as

The letter from the Secretary of War gives the following estimate (with details) of the appropriation he deems necessary for the

For the U. States Armory at 165,793 274 Springfield For do. at Harper's Ferry For erecting and completing arsenals, depots, &c. as spe-

457,765 50 For timber to be seasoned ·For coals, steel, iron, materi-79,000 als. &c. . For amount of existing contracts

for articles to be delivered in 1816, viz. For gunpowder Cannon and shot, shells, &c. 111,000 Muskets and rifles 89,000 Transportation of ordnance, &c. 22,000

mount of appropriation proposed was extra- the cause of his death." The coroner imvagant, under present circumstances entirely too large, and calculated unnecessarily to On the other hand, the advocates of the appropriation pointed to the items of the report, of Mr. Felix Amestroy, late paymaster to and supported the policy of authorising the general Bollivar's guard of honor, by a slave proposed expenditure on general principles | of the general's: of forecast and providence.

The question on concurring with the com- by some Spaniards, (whose names he will mittee was decided in the affirmative. Yeas 93. Nays 48.

The bill was ordered to a third reading. The message of the Senate rejecting the | fer. The general had quitted his lodgings amendments of this house to their bil' con- for a day, and in the mean time sent his bagcerning the Convention of Commerce, &c. gage and effects to the apartments of lieut.
was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Forcol. Paez, one of his late aids de camp, until syth, the house determined to insist on its a- he went into his new lodgings, which he exmendments, and to ask a conference thereon | pected to have done the next day.

Wednesday, February, 14 After the presentation and reference of

Mr. Easton presented sundry resolutions of the Legislature of the Missouri territory, This case has been fully presented to our readers in the shape of the petition of the committeee on behalf of these sufferers. upon the subject of land titles; which was referred to the committee on the public Their claim is precisely of a character, as the reporter understands it, with that for

On motion of Mr. Forsyth, Resolved, That the naval committee be instructed to enquire into the expediency of making provision for those American seamen who were wounded, and for the widows and families of those who were killed than that to which, for purposes of business, at Dartmoor prison, on the 6th of April

they had assumed a temporary allegi-The engrossed bill to reduce the amount of the Direct Tax upon the United States and the District of Columbia, for the year the last mentioned by yeas and nays, 107 to

The house again resolved itself into a committee of the whole Mr. Condit in the chair, on the bill to provide for the widows and orphans of the officers, non-commission-The committee then proceeded to the con- ed officers and privates of the volunteers and sideration of another bill, making further | militia who have been killed in battle, died in service, or of wounds received while in the service of the United States, during

The remainder of the day was occupied by the committee in discussing various amendments to the details of the bill. Before the subject was finished, the usual hour of adjournment arrived-when the committee rose, reported progress, and obtwined leave to sit again; and

FURTHER FROM CARTHAGENA

The House adjourned.

Extract to the Editors of the Baltimore Pa triot-dated " Santa Martha, January

"Humanity compels me to make known to you, and the world, the present sufferings of my unfortunate countrymen, who are at this moment in Carthagena, groaning under the horrid calamities and distresses attending a Spanish prison, loaded with irons. A short allowance of bread and water, devoured with vermin, and, what is still worse, close confinement has, in this hot climate, introduced a distemper among them, which will, if not shortly relieved, carry the whole of them off. At, and since the fall of Carthagena, there have eleven American and three English vessels fallen into their hands, their crews imprisoned and loaded with irons -among them, several from Baltimore. I was conversing yesterday with a Mr. Leman

saw and talked with captains Hacket and Almeda, and a Mr. Cooper, all from Balti-more, through the bars of the prison. The British frigate Junon, captain Tait, left this on the 9th inst. for Carthagena, in order to release all English subjects imprisoned in that place. I hope our government will take the same and only means of rescuing from an untimely death hundreds of our countrymen. I have in this place occular demonstration of their injustice and cruelty towards Americans. The schooner Charles Stewart, of New-Orleans, owned by Messrs. Stanley and Stratten, who were on board the schooner and bound to this place, was captured within sight of the harbor of Santa Mariha, under the pretext of going to Carthagena-captain, owners and crew all thrown in prison, and have since all died with bad treatment andfever, except the captain and Mr. Stanleythe recovery of the latter is much doubted, If, gentlemen, you think proper to make public the purport of this letter, you have my consent; and if it should be the means, through your interference, of saving from famine and death our countrymen, I need not tell you how gratifying it would be to your very humble and truly obedient, &c."

KINGSTON, (Jam.) DEC. 12. A coroner's inquest, was yesterday held on the body of Mr Felix Amestroy, a Spanish gentleman, lately attached to the commissariat department of the Venezulian army, who was found murdered at the lodging house of Raphael Paez's, in Princess street. A negro man named Peo, the property of gen. Bollivar, was apprehended, and during his examination he confessed that he had perpetrated the horrid deed when in a state of intoxication, about teno'clock on Sunday night.

The jury after a long consultation, returned the following verdict: " That the doceased came to his ceath by a wound supposed to be received from a negro man named Peo, the property of gen. S. Bollivar, with a sharp pointed knife, which entered his left side, in depth three inches and a half, and. It was on the one hand contended, the a- the width of half an inch, which wound was mediately after, committed Peo, to take his trial at a slave court.

The following statement, may be depended on as correct, relative to the assassination

The negro was offered two thousand dollars not yet mention) for the murder of his matter, which he consented to, not having sufficient fidelity to withstand so tempting an of

The general had slept one night at col.

Charlestown, was shot on Sunday evening tuation, and my purposes, you have no contracted he would have returned the next night, last by the centinel on duty, in consequence casion for spies; I myself will gratify your curiosity. I have 70,000 men, infanpappy fate, laid himself down to test in the by the centinel on post. Bost. pap. eneral's hammock, and fell asleep. The negro, agreeably to his murderons contract, when all was quiet, came up, and feeting a Charleston papers, "That there is a strong when all was quiet, can be took for his probability of an immediate rupture with the man in the hammock, whom he took for his probability of an immediate rupture with the which I expect, I will attack you—will beat intended for the United States, if they had man in the naminoted, in the neek of Creek Indians," is wholly incorrect. The you—will take Pampeluna, and will drive been base enough to have accepted of it. his supposed victin, when the unhappy man Milledgeville Journal of the 31st ult. says you out of the whole of Navarre & Biscay aprung up and struggled with the negro, unif he received a second and mortal wound in manifested any hostile intention, the survey. the left side near the back; he then fell and or employed by the government set out a few the left side, near the back, the knife days since, with an escort of only twenty which the Spaniards were completely county, Ohio. Its qualities have been tested was found in the assassin's pocket, with some men, to run the upper boundary line. powdered glass and other poison, and he contessed the deed. A Spaniard was seen to have communication through the window with him, before he snut up the house. This is the third time general Bollivar's life has honorable Samuel Dexter for governor, and been attempted by some of the lowest description of Spaniards, and each time he had and it is understood that those gentlemen a hair breadth escape. We sincerely hope have consented to be the Republican candidates at the engine election dates at the engine election. that the abettors of this horrible transaction dates at the ensuing election. will be found out so as to be brought to jus-

The unfortunate paymaster was a man of an excellent education, and of the most gentlemanly, mild and inoffensive manners, and St. Domingo.

NEW-YORK, Feb. 14. On Sunday night last, a young woman, at Greenwich, about 16 years of age, the wife of an apprentice to a mechanic in that village, was safely delivered of three fine boys, all of whom we understand, are in a healthy state. The united ages of the father, mother, and three sons, do not amount

CARLISLE, JAN. 17. Extract of a letter, dated Pittsburgh, Jan

7, 1816, to a correspondent in this town. The trade of the Western country to Philadelphia, is about to cease. The Steam of a few-days from New-Orleans, with a full cargo of British Goods. This is the first .-And the general opinion is, that the States | lbs. of sugar per acre." of Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, Mississippi and Virginia, will be supplied with goods of for sugar and molasses.

above request, the Executive be, and they every description from New Orleans: this 140,000 lbs. sugar, (worth on the spot) 17 are hereby empowered to appoint in every will be a vast advantage to the western coun- cents, try; and will prevent the scandalous system | 75 linds. molasses, at 80 dolls. - 6,000 pursued in Philadelphia of shaving our paper; as the Ohio affords such a facility in | Product of 35 acres and 17 hands, \$29,800 conveying our produce, Iron, Glass, Whitelead, &c. &c. to that market which will more than pay the amount of Foreign Goods .- 17 cents, -With the improvement of the Steam Boat Navigation, will enable the merchant to bring goods from there to Pittsburgh in | Product of 18 acres, and 5 or 6 hands, nearly the same period that is now taken to bring them from Philadelphia, and twelve and a half per cont. less.

#### THE REPOSITORY.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22.

Married, on Thursday the 15th inst. by the Clars, of Woodlawn, Frederick county.

FROM RICHMOND.

Extract of a letter to the Editors, from a member of the general assembly, dated February 15.

"The enemies of the unchartered banks, not satisfied with the refusal to charter the new banks, have obtained leave to bring in a bill to put them down (which bill is enclo- a most profitable crop. sed.) To-day a bill passed the lower house compelling the banks of this state to resume | try unfold themselves and point to indepenspecie payments on the first day of November next. The title of the bill above alluded to is, "A Bill more effectually to prevent the circulation of notes emitted by unchartered banks." Its details too tedious for in-Alexandria Herald.

M. Onis, the Minister of Spain, has departed hence on a visit to his family at Phi ladelphia. The editor of the Baltimore Federal Gazette is entirely misinformed, we believe, in regard to the motive of his absence, no rupture having taken place of the intercourse between him and this government, as far as we have heard.

Marshal GROUCHY, who lately arrived at Baltimore from France, is at present in this [Nat. Intel.

A FLOURISHING COMMERCE. Mr. DALLAS, the Secretary of the Treasury, has transmitted a letter to Congress, stating that, the three last quarters of the year 1815, the duties accruing to the U. S. from merchandize imported, amounted to the enormous sum of 28,000,000-twenty eight millions of dollars!

The Legislature of Lower Canada is in session. The chief magistrate has recom mended in his speech, precautionary measures on account of the persons who are emigrating from Europe to the United States. We understand that a petty officer belong-

ing to the United States frigate Congress. now laying in ordinary at the navy yard at

and the ill-fated paymaster guided by his un- to orders, and after being repeatedly hailed

The statement which appeared in the late extends to St. Jean Pied de Port. Suoun. Repub. of Feb. 6.

The Republicans of Massachusetts, in convention, have resolved to recommend the The federal candidates are the hon. John

Brooks and Wm. Philips.

York) in one day lately, there were six conintended to have sailed the next morning for ples joined together in the holy state of matrimony. The editor of the paper which records these happy junctions, wittily observes, "In peace prepare for war."

GEORGIA SUGAR. Extract of a letter from Georgia to a Mem-ber of Congress. "The cultivation of the cane is rapidly ex-

tending with us. I have received some information on this interesting subject, which, I late GENERAL GEORGE WASHINGsuppose, may be gratifying to you. "Major Butler, on 85 acres, cultivated by

17 hands, produced 110,000 lbs. sugar, and 75 hhds. molassess. "John M'Queen, esq. planted 48 acres in | erected at the public expense, and to serve as cane—average product 20,000 canes per a memorial to future ages, of the love of a acre-5000 canes, the product of a quarter Boat Etna arrived at Louisville in a passage of an acre, yielded 600 gallons of juice, which, boiled down, made 672 lbs. sugar,

and may loose 50 lbs. in draining, leaving 622 Let us look at these products and see territory, the western part of Pennsylvania | what they amount to, at the present prices

Say 23 hlids. molasses, at 80 dolls. 1,840 00

32, 253 dollars, the product of 23 hands, is for each hand 1,706 dollars. There is no gold mind equal to this.

their present prices—the duties will be re- abode, and the sums subscribed, be fairly coduced, and the cost of freight and charges lessened, by the continuance of peace. Good sugar, however, cannot easily be lower in the United States than 10 cents, the | with suitable records of the age, be deposited Rev. Wm. Meade, Doctor Alexander Fitz- [old] duty included, and it is believed the in the least destructible part of the Monu- are indebted to him will call and pay him, or hugh, of Falmouth, to Miss Eliza L. G. West India planter cannot profitably furnish | ment it here at so low a rate. And then the product of these crops, raised on 103 acres, by 23 hands, (allowing the sugar at 10 cents per pound, and the molasses at 40 dollars | sioners to design the plan, and superintend per hogshead) would be 21,978 dollars, or the structure of the above Monument, with 213 dollars per acre, and 961 dollars per authority also to prescribe the ceremonial for

When we get to exporting sugar-when it becomes a staple article of our commerce, from Mount Vernon to Richmond. That the like cotton, its value may depreciate equal to | Executive be further requested to make as I am credibly informed he has not a the duty, that will probably be continued up- known, by proclamation, the period at which on it, 2 1-2 cents per lb.) but still, it will be

Nile's Weekly Reg.

Latest from Napoleon Bonaparte.

By the brig Eugene, De la Roche, in 48 days from Cadiz, we have received the following information: [Patriot. "Jan. 13, lat. 27, 55, lon 30, was brought o and boarded from H. B. M's ship Minden, Capt. Mackey, 25 days from St. Helena for

England, and was treated politely-the boarding officer, Lieut. Ganning, informed us that Napoleon Bonaparte, was in good health, but at variance with Bertrand and the rest of his suite, with whom he had no

MARSHAL MONCEY.

We extract the following from a paper printed in 1795. It proves that gen. Moncey has been a distinguished for his humanity and generosity as for his skill and bravery:- Salem Register.

" FRENCH LIBERALITY. " Madrid, April 6, 1795.

.. The French arrested three spies, employed by the prince Castel Franco, commander of our army in Navarre. Gen. Moncey sent them back to him with the fol-

"General-You know the law of nations against spies-But French generosity disdains to stain its hands with the blood of such wretches. Employ your money better. Let those unfortunate men partake of your

(Signed)

[The brave general fulfilled his promisea battle was fought a few days after, in

RICHMOND, FEB. 13.

Resolution was moved by Mr. Mercer, and adopted by the H. of D .- If Congress have ginia to do her's.

Gallery of Statues and Paintings, established the Treasury, a plan of a new tariff of Du-In the village of Hector, (state of New at the public expense, where the lineaments ties on Imports.-This is the document which of every distinguished Virginian may be pre-

Be it Resolved, unanimously, by the Ge- interest. We shall take an early opportunineral Assembly, That His Excellency the ty to lay it before our readers. Governor of Virginia, be authorised to open a correspondence with the honorable Bushrod Wahington, and to request him, in behalf and in the name of the Commonwealth, to permit the remains of her beloved son, the ger putting a hot brick on the floar of the TON, to be removed from the family vault, at Mount Vernon, and interred near the Ca-difficulty made their escape. pitol of Virginia, beneath a Monument to be grateful people.

ous offering of a nation's gratitude, Be it further Resolved, That, should the Honorable Bushrod Washington comply with the above request, the Executive be, and they County, City, Borough and Town within the Commonwealth, three or more Commissioners with authority to receive, and pay into the public treasury, such voluntary donations, as may be tendered towards defraying the expense, to which the preceding resolution may give rise; Provided, That no individual shall be allowed to subscribe there-\$9,453 28 to, in his own name, a greater sum, than ten dollars. That the Commissioners be instructed to transmit the lists of subscribers along with the sums collected; and that the But sugar and molasses may not hold names of the subscribers, with their places of pied into one or more books to be provided for that purpose-and the book, together

and be it further Resolved, That the Executive be requested to appoint five Commisremoving the precious relics of the deceased, the procession shall commence from Mount Thus do the bounties of God to our coun- Vernon and to recommend the day appointed for the re-interment at Richmond, to be set apart throughout the Commonwealth, as one of public thanks-giving, adoration and praise to the Supreme Author of all good, for having graciously bestowed upon Virginia, a Hero, first in War-first in Peace-and first in the hearts of his Countrymen.'

> BALTIMORE, Feb. 7. By an arrival at New-York from Havre: de-Grace, French dates to the 20th, and English to the 18th, of December have been received—It appears by these accounts, that a number of Generals and Officers have been arrested at Paris and sent to prison; and that more blood and confiscations may be expected to fill up the tragical proceed ings of King Louis's Ministry, acting under the protection of English and Prussian bay-

It is said, that fifty cases, containing presents from the Emperor of Russia, have arrived in England, intended for the accommodation of the Ex-Emperor now confined to the rock of St. Helena-And, if it be true, that the American General Jackson's health was lately given as a toast at a public entertainment in St. Petersburgh, by a Russian Officer, in the presence of the English Minister, it is a proof, that the Government without the necessity of going further. He of Russia is not inimical to the Government flatters himself that his work will be turned of the United States of America.

gitimates at Vienna, and ratified by the bat- every article that he will have on hand for tle of Waterloo, is the " freedom and inde- | sale, in his line of business, as every article pendence" bestowed on what are called the | in that way will be found compleated at his onian Islands-The reader, by casting his | shop. "If you wish to know my forces, my ai- eye on the map, will see them situated at January 18.

try and cavalry. The right wing of my army is defended by St. Sebastian, my centre is in the valley of Bastion, and my left fortresses garrisoned by British troops!— This is the sort of freedom latterly bestowed "Immediately on the arrival of a column upon the Island of Ceylon-and such as was

PITTSBURGH, FEB. 10.

A bed of PLAISTER OF PARIS, has by Dr. Aigster, of Pittsburgh, and found to be good. The Rev. James Duncan and E. Whittlesey, esq. the proprietor, are now making preparations to open the bed, and YESTERDAY, the following interesting | will, as soon as practicable, transport a quantity of it to Beaver-town or George-town, for the use of these contiguous to the Ohio river.

Washington, Fébruary 14. With what anxiety do we wish to see a laid before both Houses, by the Secretary of the Secretary was directed, at the last session, to prepare and report to Congress, and which has been looked for with considerable

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.

Singular occurrence!-A stage between this and Trenton took fire and was entirely consumed. It was occasioned by a passenstage to keep his feet warm, and what is most extraordinary it burnt with such rapidi-

#### JOHN CARLILE,

Requests all those indebted to That this memorial may be the spontane- him in any way whatever, to come forward and pay off their accounts immediately.

Charles Town, Feb. 22.

R. Worthington, HAS just received the following articles, viz: Madeira Wine, Box Raisins. Sherry, do. Filberts, French Brandy, Spermaceti Candles Jamaica Spirits, Mould, do. And cheap Sugar and Coffee. Charles Town, Feb. 22.

Negroes for Sale. TWO negro women and three children will be sold, together, or separate, as may suit purchasers. For terms apply at this of-

February 22.

NOTICE. THE subscriber intending to leave Smithfield in a short time, and not having time to collect his accounts, requests that all who settle by note, before the first of April,

LEE GRIGGS. February 22.

[3 w.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby forwarned against taking an assignment of a bond for \$500, bearing date the 28th December, 1815, given by the subscriber to a certain Mason B. Dodd, for the purchase of a negro man, good title to said negro. I am therefore determined not to pay said bond until a good and sufficient title be made to said negro.

JOHN HELLER. February 22.

Gentlemen come and see the elegant Horse,

# YOUNG PILGRIM.

HE will stand for mares from the first of April to the first of July as follows: Mondays and Tuesdays at the stable of Mr. John Wilson, in Charlestown-Wednesdays and Thursdays at the stable of Mr. Kreps, (brick mill)—Fridays and Saturdays at the stable of Mr. Daniel Staley, Shep-

herd's-Town. YOUNG PILGRIM is a beautiful dark dappled gray, full 17 hands high, strong and active, seven years old-See the hand-

Voung Pilgrim is one of the first horses in he state for the sadd'e and harness. JAMES M. STERRITT.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the

TO FARMERS.

public, that he has commenced the BLACK-SMITH'S BUSINESS, at the well known stand at Miller's Run, between Shepherd's Town and Charles Town. He wishes to inform the inhabitants between both places that they will be punctually attended to, without the necessity of going further. He off in the neatest manner, and on as reasona-Among the number of extraordinary ble terms as any other establishment in this Treaties, the fruits of the Congress of Le- County-It is deemed unnecessary to state

#### SERMONS

ADDRESSED TO MASTERS AND SERVANTS,

Published in the year 1743,

#### REV. THOMAS BACON Minister of the Protestant Episcopal

Church in Maryland. NOW RE-PUBLISHED WITH OTHER TRACTS AND DIALOGUES On the same subject, and recommended to all Masters and Mistresses to be used in their families.

BY THE REV. WM. MEADE. February 15.

#### NOTICE.

THE subscriber solicits those indebted to him for weaving or blue dying, particularly those at a distance, to call and pay him, as it will save him much trouble and time. I public's humble servant,

JOHN LAMON. this notice is attended to it will oblige the

#### WEAVING

Is continued in all its different branches; Coverlets, Carpeting, Diaper and Counter panes of various figures .- Also, Blue Dying Green and Red, which he will colour cheaper than has been for some time past. Charlestown, Feb. 15.

#### PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be sold at public sale, at my residence in Charlestown, on Monday the 26th instant, (being Jefferson court day,)

Four likely Slaves, viz.

a man who is an excellent hostler, or farmer-a woman well acquainted with the duties of a house servant, and her two children, (a boy and a girl)-also all my household and kitchen furniture, an excellent milch cow, together with sundry other artiticles too numerous to detail. Cash or notes negotiable at the Farmers, Mechanics and Merchants Bank of Jefferson County, Va. will be required for the negroes. The conditions on which the other property will be sold, will be made more particularly known on the day of sale, which will commence at Il o'clock, when due attendance will be

FANNY GIBBS. Charlestown, Feb. 15.

#### Wanted Immediately, TWO or three smart boys, about 16 or 17 years of age, to learn the Wheel-Wright and Chair-Making Business—Apply to

Leonard Sadler. Charles Town, Va.? Feb. 16.—[3t. 5

## Public Sale.

WILL be sold on Monday the 18th day of March next, at the late residence of the subscriber, near Lectown, on a credit of nine months, Horses, Colts, Milch-Cows, Sheep, Hogs, farming implements, household and kitchen furniture, flax, &c. &c. A bond with approved security will be required .-Sale to commence at 9 o'clock.

Feb. 15, 1816.

#### Five Dollars Reward.

Caspar W. Wever.

hands high, between seven and eight years old, large and handsomely made, and in nice order, has a curl or feather on the left side of his jaw—has a thick long mane, handsome varriage, shod before only—paces, racks and trots—is a very good draft and saddle horse, has been used for both, but has no marks expensely that are recollected. no marks upon him that are recollected. I will give a reward of five dollars and reasonable expenses for returning said horse, or giving information where he may be found.

EDMUND RUTTER. Feb. 15, 1816.

#### FOR RENT.

THE subscribers wish to rent for one or more years, a PLANTATION, lying in Jefferson County, near the road leading from the White House to Winchester-also, one other plantation, lying in Berkeley County, adjoining the lands of Henry Payne, David Pulse, and others. Possession in both cases, will be given on the first day of March next. For terms apply to

Elizabeth Smith, Adm'trx, David Smith, Adm'or, of Frederick Smith, Dec'd. February 15----- [3 w.\*

Apprentices Indentures FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

#### LOOK HERE.

FOR SALE,

## A HOUSE AND LOT,

Situated on the east side of the main street n Charlestown, Jefferson County-the lot is well inclosed, and the house is a conve- land having been conveyed to the undersigned nient Log Building, with Kitchen, Stable in trust by Elizabeth Debostion, by deed and Granery, an excellent Smith shop, built now of record in the Superior Court for the with brick, Coal house and other necessary buildings. The stand for Smithing is superior to any in the Town, and suitable for any other public business. This property will be lisposed of very low, and the payments, very favorable to the purchaser. For terms apply to the subscriber on the premises. Thomas H. Gradu.

Feb. 15.

#### A Brickmaker Wanted.

THE subscriber is authorised to engage a Brickmaker, to make a large quantity of brick the ensuing season, to whom good wages will be given, and constant employ for the whole season.

He would also take two boys between the age of 12 and 15 years as apprentices, to learn the Bricklaying Business.

Benjamin Downs. February 15 \_\_\_\_[tf

#### A Valuable House and Lot FOR SALE.

THE subscriber wishing to remove from Fown, will sell on advantageous terms, that valuable property, now occupied by him on the corner of Washington and Water Streets, and adjoining the Presbyterian Meeting House, and is the handsomest situation in Town for a private family.-The Lot is very fertile, and has on it every necessary out building. A purchaser can have possession on the first day of April, or sooner if re

For terms apply to the Printer or to the subscriber on the premises.

William Taylor. Charles-Town, Feb. 15 1816.

#### JOHN CARLILE & CO. Have on hand at their store, near the Market House,

A LARGE SELECTION OF Woollen and Cotton Goods,

IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC, OF ALMOST EVERY KIND, WELL ASSORTED, That they offer now to the public on very liberal terms. A number of those goods, particularly cloth, has been purchased at a onsiderable sacrifice in the cities, and will be sold off now at a very small advance. All those wishing to purchase, particularly those living at a distance, will find it their interest

to call here and sec.

#### Valuable House and Lot FOR SALE.

THE subscriber intending to build in a more retired part of Shepherd's Town, will sell on advantageous terms, (if application is made before the middle of next month) the two story brick house, now occupied by him on the main street in that place. The house is large and convenient, and well suited for any kind of public business. The lot is ve-ry fertile, and has on it every necessary out ilding. A purchaser may have possession on the first day of April next.

JOHN BAKER. Shepherd's Town, ? February 8 .- [4t.5

## Fulling and Dying.

THE subscriber informs the public that the Fulling Mill, at Mills Grove, near Charles-STRAYED from Buckles Town, on Town, is now in complete operation—having Thursday the 14th December last, a dark an abundance of water, and workmen suffibrown HORSE, of a mealy colour about cient, he will be able to execute his work his nose and flanks, between 16 and 17 with the greatest dispatch, and on the short-

> JESSE BAYLEY. February 8.

## Cheap Bargains!

I wish to dispose of four Lots, in Charles Town, situated as follows: a two acre lot now set in clover, adjoining the lots of Mr. W. W. Lane-one unimproved tot on the main street, adjoining the public square—a House and Lot fronting on Liberty street, now occupied by Jonathan Murphy—also, the House and Lot on the Main street, where I now live. Those who wish to purchase any of the abovementioned property, can be shewn it, by applying to the subscriber, and be made acquainted with the terms.

JOHN BUCKMASTER February 8.

#### WAS FOUND

IN my enclosure last fall, about the time of the Shepherd's Town Races, the head-stall of a bridle and part of a martingal. The owner may have them by applying to the subscriber near Shepherd's Town, describing the property and paying for this advertisement.

THOMAS LAFFERTY. Feb. 8.

BLANK DEEDS FORSALE AT THIS OFFICE.

#### TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WILL be sold, to the highest bidder, for cash, upon the 4th day of March next, one moiety or half of a certain tract of land, lying in the county of Jefferson, containing thirty-two acres, adjoining the lands of John Briscoe and Garland Moore—said said county of Jefferson, to secure the payment of the several sums of money therein stated, to Benjamin Bussell. The sale to take place upon the premises.

MOSES GIBBONS, TH. GRIGGS, jun. February 1.

Wanted in a Store, AN active Lad between 14 and 16 years

old, or a young man. Inquire of the, Feb. 8.

Journeymen Coopers Wanted. TWO or three Journeymen Coopers will meet with constant employ and good wages, by applying to the subscriber, near the Brick

Mill, Jefferson county.

Wm. M'CORMICK.

# To Gentlemen Millers and Far-

I am in the line of BOATING this season mile above the Old Furnace, where I will take in Flour, and deliver it in Alexandria, at one dollar per barrel, and in Georgetown, at ninety-two cents per barrel. Those living in Charlestown or south of that, had best go by Rutherford's Mill, or turn to the left at the Burnt Mill—the distance about the same as the Old Furnace.

number of wheat country, the improvement of which is rapidly progressing from the use of plaister and clover, and having a most unexam.

JOHN PEACHER. February 1, 1816.

#### Mr. William West of the state of Kentucky,

PLEASE to take notice, that we shall proceed to take the depositions of David Hunter and Robert Cockburn, on the 8th day of March next, in the town of Martinsburg, at the office of Robert Wilson, a commissioner of the Superior Court of Chancery, holden at Winchester, to take depositions in the county of Berkeley, which depositions will be offered in evidence in a suit now depending in the Superior Court of law to be holden at Winchester in the county of Frederick and state of Virginia, wherein you are plaintiff and the executors and devisees of William Darke, dec'd, and John Cooke are

RICHARD BAYLOR. HENRY BEDINGER, Surviving Exors. of Wm. Darke, dec'd.

February 1.

#### Negro Woman for Sale.

I will sell for cash, a negro woman, about | Common Prayer, 33, and her child, a boy, about 4 years of age. They can be seen at Mrs. Seelig's, at Harper's Ferry, near which place I would prefer a purchaser. Richard Duffield, Esq. is authorised to contract for them. JOHN STROTHER.

Martinsburg, Dec. 12.

#### BAGS!

PERSONS sending bags to the Charles Town Mill, are respectfully requested to put a plain mark of the owners name thereon, so that no mistakes will happen in giving them

WM. GROVE, &Co. February 1.

Ten Dollars Reward. BEING informed that my shingle timber on the Meadow Branch, has been cut down, and carried away, I will give the above reward to any person upon the conviction of the offender, as also, on any of my Back Creek farms, likewise on Buck Hill, or my adjoining lands.

RICHARD M'SHERRY February 1.

January 25, 1816.

Bank Notice. THE President and Directors of the Farmers', Mechanics' and Merchants' Bank, of
Jefferson County, Va. have ordered the fifth
Instalment of Five Dollars, to be paid on
each share of Capital Stock, on or before
the first day of March next. WM. BROWN, Cash'r.

A Journeyman Blacksmith

# WANTED. I wish to employ immediately a Journey-man Blacksmith, to whom liberal wages and constant employ will be given, by applying to the subscriber, living near the White House, Jefferson County, on the main road, leading from Charles Town to Winchester.

HENRY SHEPHERD. [3 w. \* February 1, 1816.

#### Notice.

THE subscriptions for the Bev. B. A. len's salary, have been due for some time past. It is hoped every person who have not paid, will without delay, pay to Wm. Brown what may be due, who is authorised to re ceive the same. January 25.

Notice. ALL persons indebted to the estate of L eph Grantham, dec'd, by bond, note, or ac count, are requested to come forward and make immediate payment, as no longer in dulgence will be given. Also, all persons having claims against said estate, are requested to bring them forward, properly attested for settlement.

William Grantham, Extor. January 25.

#### Valuable Mill Property FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his Mills on the Rappahannock River, in the county of Fauquie, eight miles south of the Court House, files three from Alexandria, and thirty three from Falmouth and Fredericksburgh. The improvements consist of a new Mill House, about thirty feet square, with two pair on five feet stones, and all the necessary machinery for manufacturing flour—an excellent new Saw Mill, and a large stone Mill House, at present out of repair.—
There are FIFTY ACRES OF LAND attached to the Mills, but any further quantity desired might be had with them on either side of the river. The local advantages which this property. possesses over any other water property in the Counties of Fauquier, or Culpepper, are universally acknowledged by all acquainted with it—Situated immediately at the ford, where the great my Ware-house is on the Potomac, half a road leading from the fertile parts of Culpepper and Shenandoah, to Falmouth and Fredericks. burg, crosses the Rappahannock, upon a constant and powerful stream, affording in the most trying seasons an abundant supply of water-entirely unrivailed by any other mill, there being no manufacturing mill within ten miles in any direction. pled share of country work, yielding to its pro-prietor annually from 12 to 1500 bushels of tall corn, besides a wheat custom, which could it ail times be encreased so as to keep constantly employed any mill which may be erected thereo. holds out to a purchaser acquainted with the ma-agement of such property, the fairest prospects a profitable investment of capital. The subscriber's price and terms of payment,

which will be made to suit the purchaser, as well as the situation and value of this property, can be known on application to Casper W. Wever, Esq near Charlestown, Jefferson County, or Charles Tyler, Esq. Alexandria, or to the subscriber residing at the spot.

JOHN &. SCOTT.

November 15.

Saint's Rest.

Messiab,

Payley's Evidences,

Jenk's Devotion,

Simpson's Plea,

Sincere Christian,

Evangelical History.

Study of the Bible,

Blair's Lectures.

the Bible,

Fletcher's Works.

Family Instructor,

Newton's Letters,

Sincere Christian,

Life of Franklin,

- Eaton.

Johnston,

Erskine's do.

British Spy,

Chase's Trial,

Junius' Letters,

Curran's Speeches,

Confession of Faith,

Wood's Dictionary

Harmony of the Gospels

Christian's Companion,

## BOOKS.

R. Worthington

Has received a number of Books, among which the following, viz. FAMILY BIBLES, | Jesuit's do. Zimmerman on National Davis Sermons, Watt's do. Solitude Sweetened, Blair's do. Mrs. Grant on Educa Village do. Christian Researches in tion, Hamilton on do. Asia, Rise and Progress Comstock on do. Female Friend. Seneca's Morals, vric Poems. Faber on the Spirit,

Religious Courtship, Smith's Wealth of Na-Owen on the Spirit, Watts on the Passions, Owen's Spiritual mind-Elements of Morality, Faber on the Prophecies | Thompson's Seasonns Buck's Dictionary, Buck's Expositor, Campbell's l'oems, Creighton's Dictionary, Baxter's Miscelleneous, Park's Travels, Gass's Journal, Simeon on the Liturgy, Lady's Preceptor, Triumph of Faith,

stranger in Ireland, Diversions of Purley, Constitutions, Williamson on Climate ohnston's Dictionary, Walker's do. merican Orator, Natural History. listory of America, Morse's Geography, Goldsmith's England, Social Monitor,

Morehead's Discourses, Lessons for Young Per Murray's Introduction Kce, - Exercises, Watt's Psalms & Hymns - Sequel,

- Grammar, Friend's Algebra, Schoolmaster's Assis Fenelon's Pious Reflec-Spelling Books, Primers, Divine Poems & Essays, Barton's Cullen, Christian Martyrdom, Bell's Desections, - Great Interest, Horne on Ulcers, Register of Arts, Life of Washington, ohnson on Cancer, Saunders on Liver, Senac on Fevers,

New System of Chemis scofield on Cow Pox, ---- Hester Ann Rogers Thaddeus of Warsaw, Malthus on Population, Tristram Shandy, Scottish Chiefs, Rectuse of Norway, Rokeby, Sandford and Merton

Blank Books, Slates and Pencils, Large and common Writing Paper—Letter ditto—Sening Wax—Wafers—English Quills—Ink Sand-lak Stands, Sand Boxes, Red and Black Ink Poster, Sand Boxes, Red and Boxes, Red and Black Ink Poster, Sand Boxes, Lead Pencils, &c. &c. all of which are offered of the lowest terms.

Blank Attachments for sale at this office

# FARMER'S REPOSITORY.

CHARLES-TOWN, (Jefferson County, Virginia, ) PRINTED BY RICHARD WILLIAMS.

## Vol. VIII.

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 1816.

The Editor of the Washing vision of the royal army, had the fortune to and squares of the city, and for all other purthat it was considered political heresy to opvery interesting particulars on the "state of take him prisoner; and, that he might not poses of ornament and improvement, (expose any thing plumed with the name of the military forces engaged in defence of the United Provinces' of La Plata, by a gentle-United Provinces' of La Plata, by a gentle-United Provinces of La P United Provinces of the first consideration in that delight- hot iron, and destroyed by the torture. The as the nature of the case will admit, the attempted to erect a mausoleum, an Egypful country on whom the utmost reliance glories of this tyrant did not last long—for years when the several expences were incurful country on whom the country of whom the firends of freedom will, may be placed. The friends of freedom will, the division of Angulo forced him to retreat was the object of the resolution now offered.

with great pleasure, observe the strength in which he lost a great part of his troops, and funds out of which the same were paid. Such an enterprise he was unwilling to seand disposition of the patriots—and conclude and virtues of appropriated; distinguishing between cond; not because the fame and virtues of and disposition of the patriots totally incompedate and virtues of that the power of Spain is totally incompedate and virtues of that the power of Spain is totally incompedate and virtues of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the payments as were made out of the treatment of the payments as were made out of the payments as well as we that the power of Span is to her racks and put to the sword by those who had grieved sury of the United States, and such as were on others; but because he wished to protect wheels and monopolies—with tyranny and at his loss. One child of this unfortunate made out of the proceeds of the sales of pubwheels and more state and has joined the party of his father, and lie property within the district of Columbia, said this resolut ion declared the fame of of the Editor's observes, confidently, that follows up the work with enthusiasm. An or out of other districts, funds or donations washington perishable, if a monument of of the Editor's observes, give a good actions Areualas, native of Cathey can at Buenos Ayres, give a good action and the famous Areualas, native of Cathey can at Buenos Ayres, give a good action of the samount of the amount of send against the republicans.

Present state of the Military Forces occupi ed in defence of the United Provinces. [Translated for the Weekly Register.]

BUENOS AYRES. tillery, infantry and cavalry. Recruits are of those have passed over to Rondeau. In constantly arriving to complete the 8000 the year 1815, we may hope for a success which are destined by the government, as a | which will secure our cause. corps of reserve, to oppose the threatened in-vasion of the Spaniards. The local militia this year, which concludes happily, all the of infantry in service are 6,000 well disci- United provinces enjoy tranquility, and are plined men, and possessing every good quality which can belong to them. The stand | and in organizing their government, which of arms (or armory) is abundantly provided | will be in conformity to those of the U. S. by the continual remittance of fusils, made Representatives are elected to compose a by the friends of our sacred cause. The ma- general congress, to whose decision all the nufactory of fusils, which made twenty daily, people offer to submit. They will open is suspended, that others may be introduced their session in February or March. A deis suspended, that others may be introduced. at more convenient prices. The militia ca- claration of independence appears induvalry are disciplining themselves with great diligence, and the Director reviews them every eight days. The quarters of all these forces are established 50 leagues in the interior, and a plan of defence has been adopted | ber, 1814 .- The iniquity of certain stransufficient to resist all the power of our op- | gers who, to the disgrace of this delightful

ORIENTAL BANDA.

The people are energetic, valiant and accustomed to scourge tyrants. The chief of the Orientals is Col. Don Jose Artigas, who is much beloved by those on er his command. He has, at present, 4000 veterans usefully employed. They are determined to destroy every thing which cannot be defended. The Spaniards and Portuguese know the respect which they deserve. Artigas has established Parification, in which are more than 600 European Spaniards, guarded by a competent garrison, in order to prevent the effects of their pernicious doctrines, as well as by way of reprisal for the Americans who were vana Gazette.

PROVINCE OF PARAGUAY The force of this consists of 3000 veterans, and a great number of militia and cavalry .-They have not shared in any of the honors of the war, but are well disposed to it; and to this end, and to aid the other provinces, they hold considerable property in reserve. It is commanded by don N. Francha, whose talents are highly spoken of.

PROVINCE OF CUYO Its force is 3000 fusiliers, and a numerous regiment of Chilese cavalry, who united with Mendoza, in October, 1814, and pro-

tested the emigration of 2000 persons of both ral years in the Spanish army. THE ARMY OF UPPER PERI

> After several victories over the royal army, has re-conquered, in a little time, the territory between Jupis and Orerx. The strong positions which Peznela occupied in Cotaguita, had formed new chains for South America; but they only served to augment the glories of the legions of Rio del Plata, under the order of the virtuous and valiant general don Jose Rondeaux. The advance of his army are in Chavanta, and he is marching with united forces to give the mortal blow to the despot, Abascal. Can Peznela, with 3000 persecuted, dispirited, mer-\*enaries, resist 7000 victorious republicans, commanded by worthy chiefs? The desertion of the troops of Peznela is scandalous, and his limited resources place him in an unfortunate situation. Potosi gave Rondeau the means of paying his troops, and he hastened immediately to remit supplies of money to Buenos Ayres. The inhabitants of the towns that had been freed from oppressional sundry petitionsjor D. N. French with 2000 choice veterans, laid on the table: and 3000 fusils to reinforce Rondeau. It is Resolved, That the President of the U.

cannot increase his miserable army, because | public property yet remaining on hand. the spirit of insurrection is spread through all the territory under his command. He was compelled to occupy Chili with 1500 of There are in this city 6000 veterans of ar. his most confidential men, and already many

occupied in raising forces for their defence.

by an extraordinary event, on the 2d Octoment and of the troops, proposed to the ene-There is not a man in this fertile province my the most degrading and perfidious cawho has not taken up arms in its defence. pitulation. When a remedy was proposed, it was already too late. The enemy, under shelter of the capitulation, was considerably strengthened by a Spanish division, which had insula. Commodore Hillyar ought to blush | and Mr. Johnson against it - the amendat the active part which he took in the sacri- | ment was disagreed to and tice of a million of inhabitants, who were fighting for liberty. After having obtained, by his bad faith, and by the criminal conof saying mass, and shewing himself to the cedent. somthing else here about Hillyar which we | motion was made to lay the bill on the table; cannot understand; it concludes with |-this | and hypocritical intruder created himself per-

etual governor of Chili, and set sail when he had done all the mischief he could. The present governor of Chili is colonel Osorio. All the forces under his command amount to 1000 men; half of which are natives of the country, and serve by compul sion. Osorio, like all the Spanish chiefs, has taken the side of oppression. The island and choice militia and cavalry. They pass- of Juan Fernandez is the deposit of 500 ed the Cordilleras in December, to re con- patriots of the principal families. The conquer Chili. Among these 3000 veterans is a tributions are insupportable, and the property of all the emigrants and prisoners is delivered up to the pillage of the band of | Wright, Cuthbert and Robertson-and as scoundrels that form the royal army. The both sexes. The chief the expedition is Col. | moment of vengeance approaches. The Maj. D. Jose San Martin, who served seve tields are already covered with numerous

parties to oppose all who belong to the royal December, with an imposing enthusiasm, under the protection of the Argentine legions. Emigrants are constantly arriving at Mendoza, begging protection from their cruet oppressions. Its re-conquest has been prevented by a little squadrou of four ships inder the orders of general Brown, so well lisposed as to destroy the commerce of Lima, shut up its privateers, and secure them from the use of Osorio, if he should attempt to retreat. We hope 'that the approaching summer will commiplete the purification of

Buenos-Ayres, Nov. 1815.

#### CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Friday, Feb. 16. After the presentation and reference of

sion ran to join the soldiers of liberty. The Mr. Jewett moved the following resolusupreme Director has recently sent col. ma- tion which, on his motion, was at present

thought that Peznela intends to retreat States be requested to cause to be laid bethrough Cusco; but every province is in fore this House, a statement of all expences complete insurrection against the royalists .- which have been incurred in the city of The chief of the Cusuquen insurrection was Washington, under the authority of the U

UNITED PROVINCES OF LA PLATA. a casique called Pomacagan, descended from | States, for erecting edifices of any kind, | willing for one to agree to the consideration Incas, who held the rank of field marshal and for repairing and ornamenting buildings of the resolution, but did not desire to make

sed and returned to the Senate.

mendment to the second section of the bill: "That if any non-commissioned officer, musician or private of the regular army, hall have died while in the service of the United States, leaving a widow, or, if no years of age, such widows, or, if no widow, such child or children shall be entitled to re-This rising state yielded to the royal forces | ceive half the monthly pay to which the deceased was entitled at the time of his decease, for and during the term of five years, upon the same terms and conditions, and country, were at the head of the govern- under the same rules, restrictions and conditions as are provided by law for the widows and children of non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates of the regular army, who have been killed or died of wounds received in battle."

After a few remarks from Mr. Bradbury a little before arrived at Linn from the Pen + in support of his motion, and by Mr. Desha

Mr. Johnson moved to add the following to the 2d section to the bill:

. And be it further enacted, That in case of ed, 300 leagues in the interior, a village call. | duct of the governor of Valparaiso, the tri- | the death of a soldier of the regular army, umph of capturing the Essex, he presented | the widow shall in all cases he considered as himself to the capital with instructions from one of the heirs, with the child or children Abascal as a mediator in the capitulation of said regular soldier, and in all such cases, which was proposed, for the purpose of giv: the said widow shall have her election to ing time for the arrival of the reinforce take for herse'f and child or children the sperificed by the Spanish commanders in ment.—Hillyar succeeded in deceiving the five years half pay, in ficu of the land boun-

army clothed in robes of the nuns. [There is | Before this proposition was decided on, a

The committee proceeded to the consideration of the bill for the relief of certain Canadian refugees who entered the American service during the late war-A motion made by Mr. Webster, when the bill was last under consideration, to strike out the first section, being the first question for de-

On this motion a very animated, and, from the arguments introduced, a very in teresting debate took place, which we shall attempt to give hereafter. The bill was advocated with much zeal by Messrs. Claswarmly opposed by Messrs, Hulbert, Gros-

venor, Hopkinson and Webster. Before the question was taken on the motion to strike out the section, the usual hour ade. The emigrants crossed the Andes in of adjournment had arrived; when the committee rose, reported progress, and obtained

leave to sit again. Mr. Huger then rose, and after a short but impressive introduction, submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to examine into the proceedings of a former Congress, on the lamented death of the late George Washington, and to take into consideration what further measures it may be expedient to adopt at the present time in relation to that sacred and interesting sub

Before the resolution was disposed of, a notion was made to adjourn and carried;

The house adjourned.

Saturday, February 12. On motion of Mr. Huger, the House pro-

ceeded to consider the resolution submitted

by him yesterday Mr. Huger made a few remarks in support of the resolution; and called the attenwhich took place long since between Congress and Mrs. Washington; and the pledge

The Editor of the WERKLY REGISTER from the king. Ramirez, general of the distribution, and for improving the streets any remarks against it. He knew, he said, gount of any 20,000 men that Europe can talona, have already joined Rondeau with of the funds derived from the sale of lots his fame fills the four quarters of the globe, their respectable divisions, which have ren- and other public property within the city of and will survive long after your marble has dered many important services. Abascal Washington, and of the public value of the crumbled to dust. Ere perenius -- his fame is more durable than brass or marble. Let The bill from the Senate for the relief of his remains slumber on their native planta-Robert White, Jacob Wrighter and John tion; for my part, said Mr. R. I would ra-Crampersey, with the amendment thereto | ther his name should live in history than in by this House was read a third time, pas- | marble. Erect a monument to him, and it

may at some future time begexposed to the The House then resolved itself into a linsuits of an enemy. We have had one eneommittee of the whole, Mr. Condit in the my who would not respect an edifice erected chair, on the order of the day; and the come to him, nor could his name protect it from mittee proceeded to consider the bill further | destruction; but they cannot reach his fame to provide for military services during the | -can never touch it. By this resolution too, some may be deprived of the exercise Mr. Bradbury offered the following a- of their political devotion. We know that professing devotees who now come here, must make a pilgrimage to Mount Vernon to shew their devotion .- The expence likewise said Mr. R. forms a serious objection to such a scheme, and every good and great widow, a child or children under fourteen | man hereafter, will have a claim to similar honor.-Let us not establish the precedent. Mr. Hugen said in reply, that in one respect the gentleman was in an error; no ex-

pence was now proposed. He had endeavored so to word the resolution as to escape objection. He could not, he said, reconcile it to his mind, as a citizen of this country, longer to neglect those sacred remains. Whether that neglect was right or wrong, he had not said, nor did he intend now to pronounce; but this he could with propriety assert, that the United States are bound to act on the subject in some shape or other, and the object of the resolution was simply to call on them to say what they are willing to do. He was a member of that Congress which gave to the nation a solemn pledge on this subject, and he wished them now to decide whether that pledge was to be redeemed or relinquished. He had not thought of a mausouteum, nor indeed had he contemplated any particular object of that kind. But because there may be some expence attending it, are Congress to do nothing in a case where they are so sacredly pledged. Sir, said Mr. H. we are all called on to act on this subject-a great state has most solemnly calevery part of the colonies. This notice will be very convenient to the Editor of the Ha
be very convenient to the Editor of the Ha
commanders in the weak Director of Chili, and other ignorant by and the three months pay now allowed by led on us. The majority may say, "our father is dead; we are satisfied; let his remains rest"-but if such be the case, let Virginia at once have the honor and giory of providing for them .- Unwilling as I am, hat any state should possess the venerated remains of Washington; yet if we decline it, let his native state do them honor. Nothing has been said by me about a mausoleum or a monument. All I ask is a decision in one way or other; to reasem or reject the pleage

given-in that I surely ask nothing wrong, The resolution was t. en modified and agreed to by the House as follows, and a committee of seven appointed on the part of

this House: Resolved, That a committée le appointed o join such committee as may be appointed by the Senate, to examine into the proceedngs of a former Congress on the lamented leath of the late George Washington, and to take into consideration what further measures it may be" expedient to adopt at the present time in relation to that solemn and

iteresting subject. After some remarks by Mr. Pitkin, exdanatory of his views, he offered the folowing resolution, which was agreed to:

Resolved, That the President of the U. S. e requested to cause to be laid before this ouse, information relative to the duties, aid on articles imported from the U. States into the British provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick, and the duties on articles exported to the United States from the said provinces, also relative to duties laid on goods, wares and merchandise, imported into the British West India Islands, or any of them, from the U. States, or from Colonies in America, owned by other foreign European powers: and information likewise as to the duties on imports and exports, to which vessels of the U. S. are subject in the ports of the British East

Indies, The House then resolved itself into a committee of the whole; Mr. Condit in the chair, on the bill for the relief of the Canadian volunteers-Mr. Webster's motion to tion of the House to the correspondence | strike out the first section (to reject the bill) still under consideration.

The debate on this question was resumed then given to the nation on this interesting | and continued with unabated warmth, until near sun-set. In this debate the bill was ad-Mr. Root of New-York, said he was un- vocated by Messrs. Throop, Comstack,