

Such are the outlines of an association, yet exciting in idea only; the plan of which, however, will in a short time be submitted to the public for their more mature deliberation.

THE WIDOW'S FRIEND.

[Fed. Gaz.]

A decent looking young man, of the name of John Smith, jun. lately from N. York, was on Wednesday last detected in the act of picking a gentleman's pocket of his pocket-book in the court house! He was committed, to take his trial in May next.

Charleston Courier.

Report of deaths in this city, for the last week ending the 16th inst. viz.—Of consumption 5, small pox 3, apoplexy 2, casualties 2, convulsions 2, dropsy 2, in the head 2, old age 2, peripneumony 2, still born 2; of cold, child-bed, decay, drowned, intermittent fever, typhus fever, hives, and lincide by laudanum, each 1. Men 10, women 11, boys 6, girls 5—Total 32.

The casualties were—One a child aged one month, overlaid; the other a child of two years accidentally burnt.

Report of Births in this city, for the month of January 1845—

Males 157, females 148—Total 305.

The number of Deaths in this city during the same period was—Men 68, boys 43—111. Women 57, girls 49—106 Total 217.

Excess of births 88.

[N. Y. Gaz.]

The Ely amendment—has been rejected by:

- Vermont New York
Rhode Island New Jersey
New Hampshire Pennsylvania
Maryland Virginia
South Carolina North Carolina
Kentucky Tennessee
Georgia Ohio

The consideration of the subject was postponed, (a modest way of rejecting, not to wound the feelings of the Essex Junto) by

Connecticut and Delaware

So that this disorganizing scheme had been proposed by Massachusetts, and approved by no other state.

The proceedings of the legislatures of the several states on this subject, we have conceived it our duty to detail, as these resolutions of amending were unquestionably as the entering wedge for a complete separation of the Union.—When the subject was taken up in the legislature of the state of Ohio, the following resolutions were adopted—in the Senate ayes eleven, noes two—in the House of Representatives ayes twenty-nine, noes one.

STATE OF OHIO.

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Whereas the governor of this state hath transmitted to this assembly, a resolution of the legislature of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, instructing their Senators in the Congress of the United States, to take all proper and legal measures to obtain an amendment to the constitution of the United States, so that representatives may be appointed among their several states according to the number of their free inhabitants respectively, accompanied with a request that similar measures may be adopted by the legislature.

The General Assembly aforesaid, considering, that the constitution of the U States, in some of its leading features, is the result of compromise and mutual balancing of interests between the several states, particularly that clause which admits a partial representation of slaves that the inequality in point of representation complained of, when we consider that those states possessing the largest number of slaves, hold also the comparative ranks of large states, and are entitled only to an equal representation with the small states in the Senate, does not exist at present, and that to interfere with that part of the constitution which may be viewed as securing privileges to particular states, would excite state jealousies, and destroy that confidence and good understanding which now prevails, and endanger the Union of the states: therefore,

Resolved, That the said amendment to the constitution of the United States, is inexpedient, and does not meet the approbation of this legislature.

Resolved, That the governor of this state be requested to transmit to the governor of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, a certified copy of the above resolutions.

Memoirs of the Young Roscius.

William Henry West Betty, the Young Roscius, only son of William Henry Betty, was born on the 12th of September 1792, as appears from the parish register of the church of St. Chad, in Shrewsbury. Mr. Betty, the father, was the son of Dr. Betty, a physician of eminence at Lisbourn, not far from Belfast in the north of Ireland, at whose death he became possessed of a handsome independent fortune. His wife was Mrs. Mary Stanton, the daughter of a respectable gentleman in the county of Wofcester, a lady of good education and high accomplishments, who brought him a respectable fortune, part of which, is entailed on the young gentleman who is the subject of these memoirs. It has been frequently said that Miss Stanton had been formerly either a performer on a public stage, or in the frequent habit of acting in private theatres; neither of which reports have the smallest foundation in truth.

Mr. Betty, at the time of the birth of his son, lived within a small distance of Shrewsbury, from whence he removed a few years since, to the neighborhood of his native place, in the north of Ireland. He occupied a farm and also carried on some business relating to the linen manufactory, near Ballynahinch, in the county of Down.

In the summer of 1802, the play of Pizarro was brought out by the Belfast manager with much splendour, and Mrs. Siddons was the Elvira. As Mr. Betty and his son happened to be in town, they were induced to go to the theatre, being the first time that Master Betty had ever seen a play. From this moment his fate was decided. When he came home he told his father with looks of such enthusiasm and a voice so pathetic, that those who heard him will never forget the expression, "that he was certainly die, if he must not be a player." The wonderful acting of Mrs. Siddons in Elvira, not easily to be forgotten by the most philogotatist, had left an impression on his glowing mind, when no thing could ever erase. Every thing was neglected for his favorite object, and every thing not connected with it became tiresome and insipid. His propensity grew visibly more pointed by time; his importunities were irresistible; and his parents at length, finding all opposition unavailing, were compelled to think seriously of the practicability of indulging him. The happy moment at length arrived, which was to realize our hero's hopes and wishes. Mr. Atkins the manager of the Belfast company, induced by the reports he had received, and solicitous to bring forward some extraordinary novelty on account of the extraordinary depression of the times, offered him an engagement to play a Belfast, for four months. Accordingly about the middle of August in the year 1803, he announced the tragedy of Zara, the part of Osman to be undertaken by a young gentleman only eleven years of age. The singularity of the exhibition drew together a great crowd of people, who were equally astonished and enraptured at the performance of the young actor.

He afterwards performed with increased celebrity on a stage, and the characters of Douglas, Rollo, and Romeo. With his success in other parts of Ireland, in Scotland, and several towns in England, particularly Birmingham and Liverpool, the public are perfectly acquainted through the medium of the daily prints, and his only remaining London audience to witness the rare display of his talents, to confirm the tributes of praise previously conferred upon his different performances. In his private department he exhibits the manner and feelings of boys of his own age. He is fond of, and participates in the usual games and sports of youth. His disposition is remarkably docile and benevolent, and he is free from all pride and vanity, but possesses a just confidence in his genius and powers.

[London paper.]

From the Federal Gazette.

Messrs. Yound & Brown.

The high price of eggs induce me to offer for public trial, another article, which is an excellent substitute for eggs in clearing of coffee; it is Isinglass, which, though often used for that purpose is yet never used to advantage, for want of knowing the proper method, which I shall here describe;— Take one staple of short Isinglass, clip it into small pieces, and pour on it one cup of boiling water; let this stand by the fire one hour or more, till the Isinglass is dissolved; when cold, it becomes a perfect jelly; Take one heaping tea spoonful of this jelly, and pour a little hot water on it, and mix it up with the ground coffee, as you would eggs; this quantity is enough for a gallon of coffee, which will be clearer than any egg will make it.—The short staple Isinglass answers best for coffee.

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The report of the mail stage having been lost in the Delaware, and all the passengers drowned, has been proved incorrect. It appears to have originated in an accident that occurred to the pilot stage, which broke through the ice, in crossing Mill Stone Creek, and was in the water above an hour. We learn that there were five passengers in the stage, one of whom had the misfortune of a broken leg by the accident. The mail stage had passed a short time previous.

[N. Y. Alarm; Chron.]

From the (Richmond) Enquirer.

UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT.—On Saturday last, the proprietor of the mail stage from Williamsburg to Richmond, inconsiderately furnished an impudent passenger to enter a barrel of flour for conveyance.—The carriage had not proceeded three miles when the wheels of one side ascended a hillock, over which it would have passed in perfect safety had not the flour fallen to its lower side, which immediately upset the carriage. The writer of this is sorry to state, that the jolly celebrated Dr. Beynham, of Caroline, one of the passengers (all of whom received a very trifling shock) suffered a dislocation of the right shoulder joint; which has hitherto proved irreducible. It is to be wished that, as well the sufferings of our fellow-citizen as the loss society sustains in him as a skillful surgical operator, will deter others from the commission of similar improprieties.

From the Political Observatory.

RECONCILIATION WANTED.

The papers of opposition have published and re-published in all the varieties of type, a letter (whether real or pretended is of no consequence at present) purporting to have been written by general Washington to president Adams. The rest of the letter is contained in the following words, for the sake of which it was made public.

"Believe me, sir, no one more cordially approves of your administration."

The above has been said to demonstrate Washington's perfect approbation of Mr. Adams's measures, and "Washington and Adams" has headed the letters and been woven into the essays and declamatory addresses of the party.

Now in a printed book, which was written and published by general Hamilton near the close of Mr. Adams's administration, when it was said to be forwarded Mr. Pinckney as a candidate for the presidency, we find the following passages:

"The considerations which reconciled me to the success of Mr. Pinckney, were of a nature exclusively public.— They resulted from the disgusting egotism, the distempered jealousy and the ungovernable indiscretion of Mr. Adams's impetuous and unscrupulous conduct, and the correctness of his maxims of administration."

Occurrences, which have either happened or come to light since the election of Mr. Adams to the presidency, confirming my unfavorable forebodings of his character, have given me new and decisive reasons, to my mind, for the settlement of my affections for the election."

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Speaking of Mr. Adams while vice-president general Hamilton says:

"Can we be surprised that such a torrent of slander was poured out against (gen. Washington's administration) when a man the second in rank in the army should become himself one of the calumniators?"

Once more.— "The remaining causes of dissatisfaction with him (Mr. A.) respects his conduct in the office of president, and, in my opinion, has been a series of errors compounded of right and wrong, wisdom and error."

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General Washington, then approved as a "heterogeneous compound of light and darkness, of wisdom and folly?" and did he "cordially approve" of it? Weigh and in your own quietest closet upon the mind in contrasting the opinions of these two great men, we also Washington and Hamilton, in the same subject, viz Mr. Adams's administration. To doubt of the sincerity of general Washington would be treasonable. And to say that he a general Hamilton did not think alike, would be contrary to all the assertions of federalists. O the whole it is a perplexed affair, and we must leave it to the agency of our political opponents to unarm and reconcile it.

Married last Thursday evening, by the Rev. Dr. Bend, Mr. HARLES WINGMAN, merchant, of this city, to Miss SARAH STEWART BOWLY daughter of Daniel Bowly, esq. of Furley, Baltimore county.

Married, on the 21st inst. near Winchester, by the rev. Mr. B. Neilson, Mr. Jacob Irwin hatter, to the amiable and truly accomplished Miss Sarah Lane, both of laid place.

Male Free School

IN LIGHT-STREET.

There will be appropriate sermons preached, and collections made for the benefit of the MALE FREE SCHOOL in Light Street, at the Methodist Church, on the ensuing sabbath, the 24th inst. The scholars will be at Light street, at 11 o'clock and at Old Town at 3 o'clock collections will be made at both places throughout the day and night. February 23.



Port of Baltimore.

From Bryden's Marine List.

The brig Polly, Bird, from Amsterdam has arrived in Patuxent.

New-York, February 18.

Arrived since our last,

The brig Ann Maria, captain C. fin. The Ann Maria, about a month since, was sent out to cruise on the coast for vessels which might be in distress during the late severe weather, to afford them relief in provisions, water and men; and has been as far as the lat. of 38. 15, S. long. 72, 32. She has spoke 28 vessels, and afforded relief to several of them—the most of those spoken, bound to this port have arrived. Capt. Coffin spoke, on the 21st Jan. in lat 39, 48, long. 73, the ship Eliza, 5 days from Charleston for Rhode Island.—24th, in lat. 40, 30 long. 73, 23, the schr. Nancy, Turner, of Philadelphia, 25 days from Turk Island for New York.—Same day, the sloop Commerce, 5 days from North Carolina for

New York—27th, in sight of the Highlands, brig Steinson, of Boston, 26 days from St. Domingo, for N. Y. short of provisions.—Same day, a brig from Norfolk for New York—February 6, in lat 38. 15, long. 73 the schr. Commerce, Stuges, of Fauquier 12 days from Newbern for New York, in great distress for provisions; had been out of bread 4 days. Captain C. supplied her with provisions and one seaman, and assisted in repairing her sails, &c. 14th, in sight of Long Island, the schr. Richard, 2 days from Virginia for Boston. Saw a ship off the Hook on Saturday morning.

There were no arrivals at this port yesterday, the wind being very fresh from N. W. This however afforded a favorable opportunity for several ships, brigs, schooners and sloops to go to sea.—They passed the Battery about 1 o'clock in a fleet, and must have got clear of Sandy Hook in 2 hours after, having the wind and tide in their favor. The tide having nearly half run out, a considerable quantity of ice come down the north, and entered the mouth of the east river, which prevented the ships Accushnet, Ann, Magistrate, and several others from getting out. They will sail this morning. The Ann for Jamaica, owing to her steering badly, grounded opposite the White Hall, but she most probably floated off at high water last night, without damage. Cleared, ships Friendship, Little, St. Croix; Mohawk, Peck, West-Indies; Archer, Crosthwaite, Greenock; brigs Hunter, Whipple, Berbee; Experiment, Rbins, Jamaica; schrs. Sukey and Peggy Morris, Barbadoes; Elza, Mortime, Martinique; Antelope, Pittman, St. Thomas.

February 19.

There were no arrivals at this port yesterday.

Below, the schr. Delaware, of Philadelphia. We learn from Mr. Schenck, who keeps the light house at Sandy Hook, that several articles of the cargo of the ship Shepherdess, have been found on the beach, which are reserved for the benefit of the owners or underwriters; amongst which are several articles of Jewellery, silk, shoes, &c.

The ships Ann, Accushnet, and Magistrate, which attempted to get out on Saturday, went to sea yesterday.

Cleared, the ship Grace, Edwards, Mohawk; Betsey Miller, Amsterdam; Savage, D laro, Liverpool; brig Josephine, Wison, Charles on; schr. Harriot, Dackson, Antigua; sloops Semiramis, Slocum, Newport; Julie, Stevens, Edenton, N. C.

Philadelphia, Feb. 21, 1805.

Yesterday morning, the brig Experiment, Beckus and five other vessels detained by the ice, at Fort Island, made sail and stood down the river, it being perfectly clear from there.

Schr. Letitia, Tice, from New-Orleans, to this port, has put into New-York.

Our harbour is still covered with ice, though so tender, it will in many places not bear the weight of a man, for yesterday evening one of the inhabitants of the tavern on Wind-Mill Island, returning home from the lower end of the town, broke through, three sailors from the ship Connecticut pushed off to save him, when they all one after the other broke in; but a boat from the Connecticut being pushed off, they were all taken up without further damage than a cold bathing.

An Assistant Wanted

Wanted an English School, in this city. He must be a single man of good morals, good reading, as idious, and capable of making a good pen. Enquire of the printers. February 23 d4t

For Sale,

A LIKELY and healthy Negro Lad, about 15 years of age. Enquire of James Griggs, No. 4 Chisanna-street, Fell's Point. February 3 d4t

A Wet Nurse

WANTS a situation—Enquire of the printers February 22 d4t

A smart Negro Girl,

ABOUT 12 years of age, for Sale. Apply at No. 30 Queen-street, Fell's Point. February 22 d8t

ROMAN

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL CHURCH

Lottery Tickets,

NOW ON SALE AT

John Rice's Book-Store,

No. 182, Baltimore street, corner of north Charles-street.

Where the ticket, 11490, drawn a prize of 500 dollars, was sold and registered.

A correct numerical check-book kept of each day's drawing.

Prizes taken in Exchange. February 5 d

ROMAN

Catholic Cathedral Church

LOTTERY TICKETS.

GEORGE DOBBIN respectfully informs the public, that TICKETS and SHARES in the above Lottery, may be had of him at No. 6, Baltimore-street, at the following Prices, viz:

WHOLE TICKETS 12 00 Dolls.

HALF Do. 6 50

QUARTER Do. 3 50

A Regular Numerical Check Book of each day's drawing is kept as above, where tickets are examined and registered, and every information given on reasonable terms. February 13 d

Disappointment.

The first alarm fire in West-creek night, necessarily caused an immense accumulation of our sales.

THIS EVENING

February 23, we shall offer A very general assortment of valuable NEW BOOKS, chiefly London editions, in which will be included part of the unsold books contained in West-creek evening's catalogue.

Gentlemen are invited to call at the auction room, next door to Hyden's coffee house and examine the books any time during the day, when catalogues may be had.

Sale to commence at half past 6 o'clock.

SOWER & S. COLE, aud'rs.

Sale of second-hand Books, as usual, on Monday evening

February 3

Sale by Auction.

THIS MORNING,

The 22d inst at 11 o'clock, at the vendue-warehouse at the corner of Second and Friesch streets, will be sold for cash,

A variety of handsome Furniture, &c among are,

An elegant mahogany secretary and book-case, a side board, sofa, a set of dining tables, a large chest drawers, breakfast and dining tables, a handsome eight day clock, looking glasses, fancy and other chairs, writing desks, 3 pair silver candle-sticks, a number of tea caddies, several lamps, a large steam boiler, one quadrant, and a variety of other articles.

THOS. CHASE, aud'r.

February 23

Sale by Auction.

ON MONDAY,

The 25th inst at 11 o'clock, at the auction room at the head of Gay street dock, will commence the sale of

A VARIETY OF DRY GOODS.

After which at 12 o'clock,

21 hhls sugar 18 pipes Bordeaux brandy 4 hhls Madeira wine 10 puncheon 4th proof Jamaica rum 30 bags coffee 5 sermons indigo A few crates of hardware, &c.

LEMMON & CAMPBELL, aud'rs.

February 3

Sale by Auction.

ON MONDAY,

The 25th inst at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold on the premises,

A vacant LOT, on the west side of Commerce-street, below Pratt street, subject to \$35, per annum rent—54 feet on Comm'ce street, and running back to the water—elonging to the estate of Alexander W. Davy, deceased

LEMMON & CAMPBELL, aud'rs.

February 23

Fire Buckets.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has commenced making Fire Buckets, at 9 Chesapeake, where a general supply may be had at the shortest notice. He flatters himself, from his experience in the business, for ten years past, to render general satisfaction.

PHILIP UHLER,

Who has on hand,

An extensive assortment of Saddles, Bridles, Harness, &c &c which he offers for sale on pleasing terms, for cash or approved paper.

February 3

For sale,

BILLS of Exchange on Holland 3000 bushels Turks Island Salt From 1 to 2000 bushels Yellow Corn, from the back country

New-York prime Pork and Beef 1st quality Hogs Lard, in small kegs 3d ds. Butter, in do. in good shipping order.

Red Clover Seed, of the last year's growth. By ISAAC P. HILPS & Co. Corner of Howard and Franklin streets. February 23 aud'r

Alexander Coulter, Saddler,

No. 114, Market street.

GRATEFUL for the support he has experienced since he has re-commenced his business, returns his most unfeigned thanks to his old customers and the public, and takes leave to assure them he will make it his constant study to merit their further encouragement.

He has now on hand, a good assortment of Saddles, Bridles, Saddle-Bags, Portmanteaus, Leather Travelling Trunks, Valices, Fire Buckets, and a variety of articles in his line of business, which will be sold on moderate terms, for cash.

Also,

A few sets plated and brass-mounted Coach, Gig and Chaise Harness, and a quantity of country made Lion Traces and Halter Chains

February 23 d3t e. 3t

The subscriber

WISHING to close that part of his business, wherein George Adrian was concerned—therefore informs his creditors, generally, to bring forward their claims immediately, in order to receive payment; and those indebted, are earnestly requested to make speedy payment to him, at No. 22, Albarmarie street.

Wm H. FUDGE.

TOLRT,

A neat two-story brick "ement, suitable for the reception of a small genteel family, situated No. 14, Albarmarie street. Possession to be had immediately. Apply on the premises.

February 21 d4t

Cheap Cut-Nail Warehouse.

SLATER & ROY,

84, Market-street, Have now on hand, and will be constantly supplied with,

A large and complete assortment of CUT-NAILS & FLOORING BRADS, in quality equal to any ever sold in the city—in cases that may suit the purchasers, and at one cent a pound cheaper than any manufacturer or vender sells at.

3d Nails 16 cents

4d 12

6d 10 1-2

7d 10 1-2

8d 9 1-2

10, 12 and 20d 9

10, 12 and 20d Brads 9 cents.

The above sizes of nails and brads are put up in cases from 100 to 2000 but if a smaller quantity should be wanted, they will be sold at a low advance.

December 11

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