and serve the only living and true God. Some of them are seriously enquiring the way to heaven. I presume you have heard before this time, that Mr. and Mrs. P. have taken charge of the school. It has been under their care more than two months. I had charge of the girls school for only a few months, and was much delighted in teaching my dear sisters to read. I am now attending school—hope the Lord will prepare me to do some good among my people. For what should we live but to do good. My love to all the ladies and children who assisted to fill the box, with a request that I may be remembered in your prayers.

I subscribe myself your sister in Christ,
CATHARINE BROWN.

To Mrs. Catharine Darby, Secretary to the Missionary Society of Taneytown, Frederick county, Md.

WESTERN VIEWS.

The Western Herald noticing the growth and improvement of the City of Washington, appends to the account the following note:

"St. Louis, Missouri, being the geographical centre of our territory, it cannot be rationally supposed that Washington City will remain the seat of government for many years. Power is travelling west—the seat of government must travel the same road.

LATE FROM SPAIN.

By the arrival of the brig Cuba, at Boston, in 36 days from Gibraltar, advices have been received from that place to the 11th ultimo.

"The intelligence from Madrid is to July 4th Disturbances of a serious aspect had taken place in Madrid. The populace had been fired upon by the King's guards, and in consequence had evinced a disposition to attack him in his palace, but by the intervention of the Cortes any more serious affray was prevented. . .

"On the following day a report having prevailed that the guards would be disarmed, a large portion of them, 4000, marched out of Madrid, and bent their course towards a province, where the malcontents were reported to have gained some considerable success. Most of their officers deserted them, when this smeasure was resolved upon.

"Another account of the mutiny among the King's guards, states, that they had proceeded to one of the King's palaces in the vicinity of Madrid, where they had an interview with the King, who in vain endeavoured to persuade them to return to Madrid.

"A private letter of the 5th ult. mentions that some strange reports were abroad, that a Regency was talked, of that an extraordinary Cortes would be convoked, and that the King might be considered in a state of captivity.—The same letter adds that the accounts from the provinces were unfavourable, the malcontents increasing in strength, and Catalonia represented as having large forces on foot.

"A plan has been had before the Cortes for an entire new division of the kingdom of Portugal into circles, districts and parishes.

"Another account represents that four battalions of the guards, comprising about 1800 men marched out of Madrid on the 1st, and on the 4th were at the Prado. Their object was to enforce the royal authority in Navarre, &c. The government had sent Gen. Morillo to prevail upon them to return and submit to the constituted authorities. He had made several offers to them to come back, but without success.

"The town council of Cadiz made known to the inhabitants on the 6th, that a committee had been appointed to inspect the fortifications of their island, in order to render that 'strong hold of liberty' impregnable under any circumstances."

Precautionary measures had been adopted in Gibraltar, to guard against the plague that has made its appearance at Algiers.

THE DROUGHT.

From the Baltimore Chronicle of Saturday.

Remarkable accounts, confirming the distressing reports of the privations produced by the great drought now prevailing all through the upper counties of Maryland, and that part of Pennsylvania, contiguous, are daily received.

Yesterday a wagon arrived in town, consigned to Messrs. Elder and Taylor, which left Carlisle, (Pennsylvania,) with 20 barrels flour for Baltimore. The wagoner states, that he could not get to town with flour; such was the distress for bread on the road (occasioned by the mills stopping to grind for want of water,) that he in charity, sold it out at 7 dollars a barrel, to relieve the immediate wants of the public on the road.

Another fact, to show the distress created by this unprecedented drought, is, that a house in this town, who owns mills on the Susquehanna, on the appearance of a rise of the water, (occasioned from a fall of rain higher up,) started some arks from York Haven, which could not get down on account of the water leaving them. This flour was stored on the river, and has since been sold at $6 1-2 per barrel in the neighbourhood, to supply their immediate wants. Such an occurrence we trust and hope, may not happen again. But fifty wagons coming in, not one of which carried town with a full load of flour.

A letter from Augusta, Georgia, dated August 10, after mentioning the report that Mess. M'Duffie and Cumming were to have another fight in the course of next week, says that nothing certain is known, save that a second challenge has been given and accepted. The writer adds, "they are to fight sitting on stools, as M'Duffie is unable to stand any length of time from his former wound having affected his hip."
Union.

Mr. Jukes, surgeon, Westminster, recommends, in cases where laudanum has been taken in dangerous quantity, that copious draughts of warm water should be given as an anti-lethargic. Should it be impossible to rouse the patient, he recommends the injection of water of the temperature of 150 degrees, into the stomach by means of a tube made of elastic gum, heat being the most powerful stimulus to rouse the suspended functions, and the action of the poison being moreover weakened by dilution.—London paper.

It is said, that Dr. Physick has discovered that a species of consumption, and in many instances of a very formidable character, is produced by the irritation from an elongated uvula, and which is relieved by simply cutting off a portion of it.
Lancaster Journal.

LIVER COMPLAINT.

A gentleman of Lexington, Kentucky, states that he was cured of what the Doctor had called a liver complaint, by taking a large table spoonful of pulverized charcoal night and morning, in half a tea cup of sweet milk. He thought himself benefited by the first dose; but 5 or 6 days use of the charcoal restored him to tolerable health. He has since taken two or three doses a week, feels no symptoms of bile, and enjoys better health than he had for ten years previous to the use of this medicine. Lancaster Journal.

A DISAPPOINTMENT.

Wheeling, (Va.) Aug. 17.

On Monday last, a commission merchant in this place delivered a trunk to a waggoner, to take it to Baltimore with particular injunctions to be careful of it, as it was of great value. The next morning the wagoner was not a little alarmed to find that it was missing but was soon relieved from his disagreeable feelings by discovering it at no great distance. The probability is, that some thief had carried it off, imagining, no doubt, that he had a very great prize. At a convenient place he carefully opened the trunk by taking off the hinges, and emptied it of its contents, when instead of finding something to gratify his avarice, he beheld a human form!

—"What may this mean,
That thou, dead corse, again, in complete shape,
Revisit'st thus the glimpses of the moon,
Making night hideous."

It was the mummy of one of the female aborigines of this country, that had remained for ages in a cavern in Kentucky, and was on her way to the eastward to be exhibited for the gratification of the curious.

It was reported at Gibraltar July 12, that 30,000 French troops had marched into Spain.

Our naval service has in a time of profound peace and in the short space of seven months, (since the first of January last) as the rolls of the navy will testify, lost no less than fifty-two officers, from death or resignation, A state of the most active hostility could have scarcely produced a like result, and yielded fairer prospects of promotion.—
Boston D. Adv.

SINGULAR.

A remarkable Vegetable Production may be seen at G. Thornburn & Sons seed store, No. 20, Nassau-street. It was raised in the garden of Mr. Isaacs, of this city, from a vine, the seed of which was supposed to be a Cantelope Melon, and resembling in shape size and appearance a rattlesnake, lying in coil ready to spring. It measures three feet nine inches long, head 6 inches in circumference, and tail three inches.
N. York Gaz.

A PRIZE.

A pot, containing several thousand dollars in gold and silver, has been dug up in the vicinity of Hancocksville, N. C. by a young man while at work on his plantation. No one in the neighbourhood could say any thing about this treasure, which, it is supposed, was deposited during the Revolutionary war, and its owner might have fallen a martyr in that struggle before he could disclose the deposit.

The Gettysburg Compiler of August 21st says, "We understand that, in consequence of the sickness and mortality, and the great drought which have prevailed in this county for some weeks past, the clergymen of this borough and its vicinity, with the advice and approbation of other pious persons, have recommended to their several congregations to observe Thursday the 29th instant, as a day of Fasting and Prayer."

INLAND NAVIGATION—HOLLAND.

Above 30,000 men are now employed upon the Grand Canal from the Texel through North Holland to Amsterdam. The marshy soil under the water is removed by means of nets, and above 1000 small vessels are daily employed in carrying it away. The depth of the canal is fixed at twenty five feet, that the largest East and West Indiamen may be able to reach Amsterdam without unloading any part of their cargo in the Texel. The canal will be above ten German (fifty English) miles in length; and, including the great sluices, will probably cost nearly 100 millions of Dutch florins.

From the National Gazette.

Extract from a letter of an American gentleman to a friend in this city, dated

Smyrna, 27th May, 1822.

"You will probably have a variety of accounts of the murders committed upon the Greeks here, after the insurrection at Scio. As far as I can ascertain, about one hundred have been killed in the streets, all in cold blood, without the least provocation or shadow of resistance, & (although the government pretend to discourage it) with impunity to the assassins. The reports which may reach you of the disturbances here may possibly be exaggerated; but from the information we have from Scio, and from what I have been told by persons of veracity who have witnessed the transactions there, an exaggeration of the barbarities committed by the Turks on the population of that island—is almost beyond human ingenuity, the males have been destroyed, (many by the most cruel torments) and the females and children made slaves to the barbarians. Great numbers have been brought to this place, and upon an attempt of the Franks to rescue some of them, a crier was sent round the town forbidding any sales of them to Christians, and many who were formerly in affluence remain slaves to the worst of the human race. I have seen such sights during my stay here, that make humanity recoil at the idea."

Lancaster, August 19.

We have had little or no rain for some months past. The corn, potatoes and pasture, are nearly burnt up. Many of the springs and wells of water in the city and neighbourhood, and almost all the cisterns are dry.

Private letters from New York state, that the Banks and the Custom-House had come to the determination of removing, in consequence of the increased number of cases of fever. Phil. Gaz.

THE MALIGNANT FEVER,

Which occasions the present alarm in this city, appears to have commenced and progressed thus far in a very similar manner to that which visited Philadelphia, in 1820. The first case reported there in that year occurred in Water-st. on the 24th of July. From that time to the 2d of August, there appeared in that immediate neighbourhood 14 cases of malignant disease, of which 9 died. On the first appearance of the disease, the inhabitants of the neighbourhood were removed, and the place fenced in. These measures appear to have arrested the disease until the 9th of August, when it reappeared in the vicinity of Walnut st. wharf, and in the course of eight days 20 cases were reported. The same measures were taken to clear the inhabitants from this district. Between that time and the 1st of Sept. the daily report of cases were similar in number to the present reports here, the highest being, on one day, 13. They were all traced to the neighbourhood of the two spots where the disease originated. From the 1st of Sept. the disease gradually subsided, and on the 23d of that month the board of health announced its entire extinction, and furnished vessels with bills of health.

The intercourse with this city was prohibited from the 18th of August to the 21st of September.
N. Y. Mer. Adv.

It is said by manufactures and millers in and near this town, that the springs are lower now, than they have been at any time past for 40 years. Many factories find it difficult and some impossible to prosecute their business with the little water that runs in their streams.
Prov. Gaz.

OBITUARY.

COMMUNICATED

"When faith is strong, & conscience clear,
And words of peace the spirit cheer,
And vision'd glories half appear,
'Tis joy, 'tis triumph then to die."

Departed this life, on Sunday the 18th instant, at his Farm on West-River, JOHN JOHNS, Esq. in the 64th year of his age.

He served his country faithfully as a soldier during her arduous struggle for independence, and throughout life sustained the character of an honest man.

——, At Lexington, Kentucky, THOMAS DOUGHERTY, Esquire, of Washington, and for the last eight years clerk of the House of Representatives of the United States.

POSTSCRIPT.

From the Baltimore American.

FROM HAVANA.

By the Spanish brig Orestes, Capt. Garcia, we are favoured with Havana papers, including the 14th inst. We can only glean the following from them:

On the 13th arrived from Palma in 30 days the American brig Factor. The Canaries remained in the utmost tranquility, and firmly devoted to the Constitutional System. The rumours of their independence were given from the vague report of a contrabandist of tobacco, at Gibraltar, who had fled.

Tarragona, 27th June.

On the 24th June, the political chief of the province of Gerona, issued an address to the inhabitants, announcing a victory, gained over the rebels, on the day before, at Blanes, by a column under the command of Colobi, in which they were beaten and completely dispersed, leaving on the field a considerable number killed, and among them Bessieres, a great many wounded, including the apostate Curate Carominolas, called Chaplain of the first regiment of the faith. On the part of Colobi, the loss consisted of but two or three killed and one wounded. He remained in pursuit of the fugitives.

Under date of the 2d July, is published a despatch of the 30th June, from Don A. Baiges, detailing a skirmish he had with the rebels. He proceeded with a detachment from Villa Franca, to protect the route of the Diligences, and restrain the rovings of the factious. In the town of Llorens he attacked a body of at least 300 with the bayonet.—They left 19 killed, besides a number wounded. His own loss was two killed. The names of the permanent deputation of the Cortes are D. Cayetano, Valdes, Quintones, Castejon, Romero, Benito, Florez Calderon and D. Toribio Nunez; and of the supernumeraries, Mess. Soria and Casas.

THUNDER STORM.

In a storm of thunder and lightning, which occurred in Scituate (R. I.) on the 15th inst. a house was struck by the electric fluid and part of it laid open, some cotton yarn set fire to, the pewter dishes melted, the crockery broken to pieces, &c. but although there were nineteen persons within the walls, all of whom were struck down, yet none of them received any material injury. N. Y. Com. Adv.

Boston, August 22.

A gentleman who arrived yesterday in the barque Garland from St. Petersburgh, which place he left June 28, informs that it was the general opinion that there was not the most remote prospect of war between Russia and the Turks. Most of the Imperial Guards had arrived near there, and many of the officers were already in the city.
Boston Daily Adv.

M'DUFFIE AND CUMMING.

A friend of ours, says the Norfolk Herald, has conversed with a gentleman recently from Savannah, who informed him, that no appointment had as yet been made by Col. C. and Mr. McD. for a second meeting, as stated so confidently by a Philadelphia editor, and that it was the general belief that there would be none.

THE MACEDONIAN'S CREW.

On Friday last, there were 43 on the sick report—and only one death had taken place during the week. Several new cases of a high grade of billious fever had been added to the sick on the island, but of a much milder character than the original cases.

WONDERFUL.

On the 27th July, there was killed in the town of Ogden, a large snake, which, upon examination was found to contain one hundred and six live snakes! One of the snakes had two complete heads and necks, with one body; another had two heads with one neck and body; and a third had one and a half heads, with one neck and two bodies! what is more singular still, these deformed reptiles were as active and sprightly as the others. They are now in the possession of one of the canal engineers, where they may be seen by the curious.—Rochester Telegraph.

THE COURT OF INQUIRY.

From the Boston Patriot of Aug. 22.

The Court of Inquiry were engaged on Monday and Tuesday last in the examination of Lieut. Abbot. His examination was conducted, with great particularity. The whole of Monday was occupied with his answers to the first interrogation proposed to him by the Court.

SPAIN.

Extract of a letter from Gibraltar, July 11, received at Boston.

We have very serious accounts from Madrid. The Anti Constitutional party are taking measures to reinstate the old order of things—an unlimited Monarchy, privileged Clergy, &c.

The country is in a state of anxious disquietude, and much blood is about to be shed in civil strife.—Spain is in a wretchedly forlorn condition; and her capitalists are getting their property out of jeopardy. Nearly a million of dollars have been remitted to this place within a fortnight.

Lynchburg, Aug. 20.

On the 12th inst. the house of Mr. David Price, on Singing Creek, Giles county, was consumed by fire, together with all of its contents, and, dreadful to relate, four of his children perished in the flames.

REMOVAL.

FDK. SHAFFER LITTIG,

Has removed his store from opposite the City Tavern to the store kept as a vendue opposite the Market; where he respectfully invites the attention of the public to a very large and well selected assortment of

Dry Goods,
Groceries,
Hardware and
Stationary,

purchased for cash at auction, which he will sell lower than the Baltimore retail prices, for cash. Also an invoice of Men's, Women's, Boys, Girls and Children's SHOES.

Annapolis, Aug 29. 3w.

A TEACHER

Who can produce satisfactory testimonials of his moral character, and capability to take charge of an English school, will find an advantageous situation by applying at this Office, or to W. Wilson in Annapolis.

August 29.

Public Sale

Will be exposed at public sale on the premises of Seley Kelly, in the Swamp, on Saturday the 21st day of September, 1822, a valuable young Negro, about 26 or 30 years of age, Horses, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Household and Kitchen Furniture, also about two hogsheads of Tobacco, already packed. The above property will be sold for cash, or a short credit to suit purchasers. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock.

JACOB WITWRIGHT.

Aug 29.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias from the county court, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on Friday the 20th day of September next, on the premises,

Fifty Acres of Land,

lying on the west side of Stockett's Run, and two Negro Boys. Taken as the property of George C. Steuart, and will be sold to satisfy a debt due Claytor & Randall, for the use of James Cox and Richard G. Cox, Ex'rs. of James Cox, Jr. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, for Cash.

BENJ. GAITHER, Late Shff.
A. A. County.

Aug. 29.

NOTICE.

The subscriber has obtained from the orphans court of St. Mary's county, letters of administration on the personal estate of William J. Brooke, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are respectfully notified to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement; those indebted are earnestly requested to make immediate payment to

John A. Millard, Adm'r.

August 29 3w.

To Land Buyers.

Agreeable to former notice, the subscriber will sell at public sale, on Wednesday the fourth day of September next, on the premises, if fair, if not, on the next fair day, the land advertised as before mentioned. Those wishing to purchase will find it much to their advantage to attend. The terms which will be very accommodating, will be made known on the day of sale.

JOSEPH MAYO.

Aug. 29. tn.

The Levy Court

Of Anne-Arundel County, is requested to meet in the city of Annapolis, on the third Monday in September next.

By order,
W. S. Green, Clk.

Aug. 29.

NEGROES.

A liberal price in cash will be given for a few

Likely Young Negroes.

Persons wishing to dispose of such, will please give me a call at Mr. Williamson's Tavern, or apply to Mr. William Caton, Annapolis.

Aug. 29.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, August 24th, 1822.

On application by petition of Nicholas Brewer, jun administrator of William Kilty, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Maryland Republican.

Thomas H. Hall,
Reg. of Wills A. A. County.

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Md. letters of administration on the personal estate of William Kilty, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 28th day of February next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 24th day of August 1822.

Nicholas Brewer, jun. Adm'r.

Aug. 29. 6w.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel County Orphans Court, Aug 24th, 1822.

On application by petition of George Mackubin, administrator of Richard Mackubin, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Maryland Republican.

THOMAS H. HALL,
Reg. Wills. A. A. County

Notice is hereby Given,

That the subscriber of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of A. A. county, in Md. letters of administration on the personal estate of Richard Mackubin, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 28th day of February next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate Given under my hand this 24th day of August, 1822

George Mackubin, Adm'r.

Aug 29 6w.

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Aug. 15.