

MONDAY, MAY 26, 1866

The ambassador plenipotentiary from the regency of Tunis to the U. States, arrived in this city last evening, accompanied by J. L. Cathcart, Esq. our late consul general near the states of Barbary. The minister is on a tour he intends making through the eastern states. We learn he will remain in this city for a few days.

Captain Bartlett, arrived at Boston, from Bayona, informs, that Louis Bonaparte has been declared sovereign of Holland by a decree of the government.

There is no probability of a peace between England and France. "Indeed it is impossible, says the London Sun of the 8th of April, for any rational man, who considers the situation of Great Britain, of France, and of Europe to entertain very sanguine hopes of the restoration of peace at present. The language of Mr. Fox, on Thursday last, whose wish for peace cannot be doubted, is, we think, decisive on that subject."

The contest in Europe assumes a more important appearance, and threatens consequences which will be more extensively felt, than ever. Wherever French influence gains the ascendancy, and Russia is now almost the only exception, commerce with Britain is apparently to be interdicted.—This exercise of that power on the land, will be retaliated by the exercise of that power which Great Britain possesses on the ocean. This tremendous competition will be felt by every commercial nation. We contemplate it with an awful presentiment, for no policy can preserve our country from its effects. If that intercourse and those relations between nations, which have been forming for many centuries are at once to be dissolved or even suspended, we are soon to witness a scene of unparalleled distress, which will extend through the civilized world.

It is stated that HOLLAND has presumed, once more, to exhibit some symptoms of national spirit. That the States General have rejected the arrangement proposed by France, and claim, in the place of it, their treaty of alliance. Internal commotions were expected."

[Boston Advertiser.]

LONDON, April 8.

Report states, that the Hon. David Erskine, son of Lord Erskine, and member for Portsmouth, is shortly to proceed in a special diplomatic character, to America, to arrange the differences subsisting between us and the U. States.

The day captain Haynes left Trinidad, news was received there of the landing of Miranda on the Spanish Main, and his having been joined by a large proportion of the inhabitants, and was then on his way for the seat of government.

Alexandria Advertiser.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at St. Louis to his friend at Lexington, (Ken.) dated April 24th, 1866.

"There has been no news here for some time worth relating, until the express arrived from Fort Adams, with letters to the general, of this purport, that he must have all his troops in readiness to start from this place as soon as possible, as the Spaniards are commencing hostilities; they have already got possession of Fort Adams.—The Indians show a great disposition to war, they have killed four men on the Mississippi river. The troops will leave this on the 30th of this month."

[We are indebted to the gentleman who obligingly favored us with the foregoing extract, although we are confident the information it contains is incorrect. Our Natchez papers are to the 22d ultimo, and letters have been received in town to the same date, which make no mention of Fort Adams being taken, and we are confident an event of such importance could not have escaped notice at that place.]

Ed. Ken. Gazette.

The Celtic Academy at Paris, at one of its late meetings, submitted to the test an ingenious contrivance of one of its members which communicates the faculty of corresponding and conversing with persons of whose language you are entirely ignorant, without any preliminary study, without expense, embarrassment, or the least mental exertion. It was tried by 25 Academicians on the European languages, and this trial demonstrated, that by means of this discovery a person may travel wherever he pleases without an interpreter, that he may ask for every thing he wants, converse on every kind of subject interesting to a traveller, and even express metaphysical ideas. This process is intended to be made public.

A mob, chiefly women, sometime since collected at Basil, in Switzerland, carrying lanterns, broke into the gallery of the church, which contained that master piece of antiquity, HOLBEIN'S DANCE OF DEATH, tore it from the walls and completely destroyed it. Different motives are assigned for this singular outrage.

From the American Daily Advertiser.

REFLECTIONS.

Where is to-morrow? in another world? For numbers this is certain, the reverse is sure to none.
It must be so good Young, thou reasonest well, Else whence the numerous unfor-seen events, The various disappointments, the experience, Whilst journeying o'er the rugged scenes of life. Ah! who can say, to-morrow is my own, And I'll do this, or that, or 'tother thing? Why can discern futurity, or scan Infinity? The great CREATOR of the world, Who form'd mankind in likeness to himself, And gave him rule as lord of the creation, Hath wisely prescribed bounds to human reason. Borne on the wings of eager curiosity, Our finite intellect attempts in vain To soar beyond the fixed limit:
The past we know—the present is before us, But all beyond it is uncertainty. Presume not on to-morrow—'tis a chimera— A phantom of the brain—an ignis fatuus, Full of airy nothings, dazzling and deceptive. Time flies with rapid haste, and often Unperceiv'd consigns past hours, to that Obvious pool where sleep the years Beyond the flood—then seize the precious Moments as they fly, and let no hour Pass unimprov'd away. Is it not madness To procrastinate? what mortal can foresee The length of human life, or tell its breadth? Or who so foolish as to think he knows? The life of man is fleeting and uncertain, We know not when we must depart, Or where, or how; sometimes with lingering hand

The palid messenger severs the soul From its frail tenement—sometimes he rushes Like a sudden whirlwind and hurries mortals To the silent grave—Boast not then of to-morrow.

For tho' prosperity's illuminating beam May shine to-day—to-morrow the clouds Of dark adversity may gather, and sudden All the scene—Vain are our hopes Of lasting happiness—the joys of life Are fleeting as the wind, and as precarious As the short liv'd show'rs of April. The best concrete plans which man can form To ensure bliss, one sad hour may frustrate. Mortality is stamp'd on nature's works, And all things here below are doom'd to perish. The world is a mere stage, upon which man, Actor-like, performs the motley characters of life;

Then silent, slips behind the dropping curtain, And is seen no more—some are immortal. Time moulders every substantial thing, And death's uncertain, tho' unerring, blow, Mankind, or soon, or late, are doom'd to feel. Our kindred friends and neighbours fall around us;

We wait their exit with abundant tears, But seldom think upon our own mortality. This is an error unreflecting minds Too oft commit—our race will soon be o'er, And as the longest life is but a span, It ceases bids us reflect upon ourselves.

"The proper knowledge of mankind is man" Says Pope, and wisely too—then let us oft Consider what we are, and what we should be, remembering that mortality is frail and fleeting, And that our joys and sorrows, hopes and prospects, All must vanish, and, "like the baseless Fabrick of a vision, leave not a wreck behind." H. S. R. I.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF BALTIMORE.

ENTERED.

Ship Stafford, Hancock, Bremen

New-York, May 23.

Arrived, ship Eagle, Duplex, noticed yesterday, in 49 days from Dublin. May 13, in lat. 37, 50, long. 65, 30, spoke ship Sally, of Newburyport, 3 days from Boston. Off the Hook, was brought to by the Busy.

Ship Rebecca, Eldridge, in 37 days from Dublin, and 27 from the lands end. April 17, in lat. 51, spoke the brig Edward, Allen, one day from Cork, for the Cape de Verdes; captain A. informed, that the ship Venus, arrived at Cork the day before he sailed, from New York. May 13, in lat. 44, spoke a brig from France, for Boston.

Brig Henry, Frefetsen, of Bath, in 21 days from St. Thomas. Left, brig Eliza, Connell, just arrived from New York. The brig Ocean, Dunlap, sailed in co. for Bath. Markets dull. Off the Hook was boarded by the Busy.

Schooner Splash, Ferguson, (noticed yesterday in 23 days from St. Jago de Cuba. Left, brig Fame, Thompson, for Philadelphia, sent in by a French privateer from Cape Francois; brig Jefferson, Lewis, for Philadelphia, in 2 weeks; brig Superior, for do. in a week; schooner Experiment, for do. in 2 weeks.

English schooner Two Sisters, Rudolf, in 3 days from Lunenburg, N. S. Wed-day, 50 miles east of the Highlands, spoke a schooner from Grenada, for an eastern port.

Philadelphia, May 23.

Arrived, ship Orozembo, Brewster, Montevideo; brig Mercury, Gardner, St. Croix; schooner Milford, Hendy, P. Petre; Guad. Elizabeth, Kenney, Port au Prince.

Cleared, ships Jane, Bliss, Amsterdam; Dispatch, Ramadell, Bremen; Maysville, Saunders; St. Kitts; brig Polly and Betsy, Midlin, Havana.

Two ships, three brigs and several schooners are below.

Yesterday arrived, the schooner Milford, Hendy, 22 days from Point Petre, (Guad.) Left there the 31st ult. ships Commerce, Webb, for New York in 12 days; Moses, Leaman, for Wilmington; Polly, Lidetts, for New York in 8 days; brig Generous Friend, Chamminga, for New York; Ann, Moony, for Baltimore; Ellen, Miller, for Portland; Minerva, Seart, for Salem in 27 days; Brilliant, Montserrat, for Baltimore 6th May; Friends Adventure, Dodge, for New York, uncertain; schooners Sally, Nichols, for Newburyport; John Adams, Lewis, for Wilmington; Hannah, Hubbard, for Middletown in 16 or 18 days; Nancy,

Nash, for Boston, in 14 days; Aphia, Chapman, for Salem in 15 days; Dolphin, Demis, for Boston in 15 days; brigs Rockingia, Shawder, for Portsmouth; Susannah, Maccormick, for New York; Katy, Covell, for Wilmington, N. C.; Foster, for Newburyport; sloops Lavina, Munro, for Rhode Island; Lark, Smith, just arrived, from Wilmington, N. C. May 8, lat. 23, long. 68, spoke brig Mary Torrens, from Isle of May, to Philadelphia—no salt.

Same day arrived ship Oroz mbo, capt. Brewster, from Monte Viedo, and left there, February 23, ships Clothier, Dandelot, to sail in 20 days; New Adventure, in 21 days, both for Philadelphia, and the Resolution, Ham, of Philadelphia for Europe, in 30 days, with several others, not recollected.

Captain Brewster spoke April 8, in lat. 4, S. long. 36, ship Hanover, Brightman, of and for New Bedford, from the Coast of Patagonia, with 700 casks of Elephant Oil.

Same day, schr. Elizabeth, Kenney, from Port au Prince. Left there, April 30, ships Three Sisters, Ross, of Philadelphia; Louisa, of do. put in in distress; schooner Wilmington, Miller, of do. ready.

The Elizabeth, sailed under convoy of the ship Hindostan, captain Taylor, in company with the schooner Squirrel, and Pelican, for Baltimore. Parted co. off Watling's Island. Saw several sail in lat. 29, and spoke a brig from Jamaica bound to Salem. In lat. 31, 20, saw the wreck of a small schooner, her foremast standing and mainmast gone, full of water, no person on board and appeared that she had been for some time in that situation.

The brig Angel, Smith, from Cayenne to Philadelphia, sent into Antigua, cleared, paying heavy costs.

STOPPED

ON the 17th inst. a Silver Table SPOON, marked I. W. M. The owner may have it by paying for this advertisement. Apply at Robert Gorsuch's office, or at No. 4, Centre-market. may 26 dt*

Baltimore Spring Races.

ON MONDAY,

The 26th of May, will be run for over a handsome mile course near the City of Baltimore. A purse of 300 dollars, free for every horse, mare or gelding the four mile heats.

ON TUESDAY,

A purse of 100 dollars, three mile heats, the winning horse the preceding day excepted.

ON WEDNESDAY,

A purse of 100 dollars, two mile heats, the winning horses the preceding days excepted—And at 3 o'clock same day, a handsome Silver Cup, six subscribers to run two miles and repeat, play or pay. The racing to be conducted agreeably to the rules of the late Baltimore Jockey Club, and to be entered with the subscriber the day previous to running, paying one shilling in the pound entrance or double at the post; four horses to be entered each day or no race.

—JOSEPH CLARK.

N. B. For the better encouragement of booth keepers and others, that may be interested in the above races, the proprietor has procured three handsome Saddles, to be run for at four o'clock in the afternoon of each day race, one mile and repeat. J. C. may 26 dt*

REMOVAL.

Mercantile and Mechanical Academy. FULFORD BROWN returns sincere and grateful acknowledgments to the inhabitants of Fell's Point and its vicinity, for the liberal encouragement he received in Georgetown, and solicits a continuance of their support at 22, Ann-street, where every pains will be taken to complete those pupils intrusted to his care, in an English education, and qualify them either for the counting-house, or Mechanical business. Young Gentlemen boarded and educated at \$30 per quarter.

N. B. A lady attends the female department and teaches sewing without any advance of price. may 26 dt*

5 Dollars Reward.

WAS lost on Saturday evening, in or near the Theatre, a small MOROCCO POKK-ET BOOK, with a number of other papers—among which is a ticket in the Precincts Market House Lottery; the other papers are of no use to any one but the owner. The above reward shall be paid to any one on leaving it at this office. may 26 dt*

Thos. W. & Jos. Griffith,

HAVE removed to No. 26, Calvert-street, the south-west corner of Bank & Calvert streets, where they have for sale cheap, an assortment of WOOLEN, LINEN, and COTTON GOODS.

To Let,

A BRICK WAREHOUSE on Cheapside Apply as above. April 16. eo

Jno. H. Browning & Co.

No 35, Fell's-street, Fell's-Point,

HAVE imported in the Diana and Fame, from Liverpool, their entire spring assortment of

Hardware, Cutlery, &c.

In Store,

6d to 30d Wrought Nails
3d to 30d Cut do.
4 to 7 inch Spikes
Flooring Brads and Sprigs of various sizes
Together with almost every article in the Hardware and Grocery business, too tedious to mention.

They beg leave to tender their most grateful acknowledgments to their friends and fellow-citizens, for their very liberal support since the commencement of their business, and hope by their unremitting attention, to merit a continuance of the same. may 23 dt*-2aw4w

Dr. Warner

HAS removed from the corner of Calvert and Bank-streets, to Conway-street, next door to the corner of Hanover-street, opposite the Rev Mr. Otterbine's Church.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY.

At 12 o'clock, will commence the sale on O'Donnell's wharf, near the head of Frederick-street, of, on a liberal credit, 138 lbs. of the very first quality St Croix SUGAR. may 26

Sale by Auction.

TO-MORROW MORNING,

The 26th inst. at 10 o'clock, at the auction room at the head of Frederick-street dock, will commence the sale of

A Variety of DRY GOODS:

Consisting of
4 trunks Cambrie Muslin
1 case Cam ric Dimities
1 do. Dimities
1 do. Craydrells
1 do. Chintz
1 do. Printed Calicoes
2 cases Cotton Hose
1 bale Aliabac Emerties
1 do. do. Cossas
1 do. Jalapore Sawns
1 do. Baltas
A quantity of Crewet Stands, Plated Candle Sticks, Buttons and Pocket Books.

And for account of the underwriters, 11 boxes Platillas
10 do. Bretagnes
6 do Irish Linen, and
A quantity of Hardware.

After which at 12 o'clock,
80 hds. Muscovado Sugar
116 barrels first quality do.
40 puncheons Jamaica Rum
39 puncheons high proof and well flavored Antigua Rum
50 chests Young Hyson Tea
3 boxes first quality East India Indigo
29 tons Nicharagua Wood, &c.

And at private sale,
370,000 wt. Coffee in hds. and bags
50 casks Catalonia Wine
2 large Anchors, and a few boxes excellent old Port Wine, &c.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs. N. B. The sale will commence precisely at 10 o'clock, with the damaged goods. may 26

For Sale,

275 boxes white Clayed Sugar, 5000 wt Ginseng, well-cleansed, in barrels, 1000 lbs Bottle Corks, 6 pipes Port Wine, and A few bags first quality Green Coffee. ROBERT BARRY. d may 26

PORK.

180 barrels 2d quality Southern PORK. For sale by HENRY THOMPSON. No. 53, South-Gay street. may 26 dt*

NOTICE.

THE Commissioners of the Tax for the city of Baltimore, have adjourned to Thursday next, the 29th day of May, when they will meet again at David Fulton's Inn, sign of the Globe, at 10 A. M. and sit for three days, for the purpose of making transfers, and hearing appeals. By order of the board, THEO. F. OUGHERTY, Clerk. may 26 dt*

For Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale, a few boxes IRISH LINEN, imported in the ship Eliza, of a superior quality, purchased under his inspection, for cash.—A bargain will be given if immediate application be made. Enquire of John Heslop, No. 44, Baltimore street, or to the subscriber. ROBERT BOUCHANAN. ddt* may 26

Notice.

THE subscriber being appointed by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, holder of the standards for Dry and Long Measures, is now ready to inspect such measures, at No. 38, Fayette-street; and has on hand, a quantity of ready made Yard Measures, at twenty-five cents per piece. MICHAEL GRUB. ddt* may 26

Sale by Auction.

ON MONDAY,

The 21 day of June next, at 12 o'clock, will be offered at Public Auction, on the premises, THAT valuable LOT of GROUND, with all the improvements thereon, in fee-simple, No. 16, on South-street and Lovely-Lane; near 35 feet front on South-street, and about 150 feet on Lovely-lane, opposite to the bank of Maryland, the office of the Maryland Insurance company, and next door to the dwelling house of William Patterson, Esq. This property is clear of all incumbrance, and needs no further recommendation. The terms of payment, which will be liberal, will be made known at the time and place of sale. VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs. may 14

Sale by Auction postponed.

THE sale of the cargo of very choice St. Croix SUGAR, advertised for This Day, on O'Donnell's wharf, is, on account of the wet weather, postponed to MONDAY, the 26th at 12 o'clock on the said wharf. THOMAS CHASE, Auct'r. May 24

Sale by Auction postponed.

The sale of the three story Brick House, in Calvert-street, which was to have taken place yesterday, is, in consequence of the weather, postponed to WEDNESDAY NEXT, The 28th inst. at 12 o'clock, on the premises. Terms of sale, 6 and 12 months credit. VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs. may 24

William Wilson & sons

HAVE for sale, received by the Diana, from Liverpool,

IRISH LINENS,

4-4 and 7-8 wide, Sheathing Copper and Nails, Copper in light sheets, Tin-plates, Shot and Milled Lead, in sheets, Alum. may 7

Baltimore Theatre.

Mr. & Mrs. JEFFERSON'S BENEFIT.

THIS EVENING, MAY 26, Will be presented, a favorite New Comedy, 5 acts, called

The Honey Moon.

(Written by the late John Tobin, Esq.) Duke of Aranza, John Wood, Count Montalban, Mr. Rutherford, Roland, Mr. Jefferson, Balhazar, Mr. Warren, Lampido, Mr. Francis, Campillo, Mr. Taylor, Lopez, Mr. Durang, Jaques, Mr. Bray

Servants, Rustics, &c. Messrs. Seymour, Saur- nerson, Masters Harris, Cunningham, &c. Juliana, (with a song) Mrs. Wignall, Volante, Mrs. Woodham, Zamora, Mrs. Wood, Hostess, Mrs. Cunningham, Female Rustics, Mrs. Durang, Miss Hunt, Mulien, Scriven, &c.

Act 4th, concludes with a NEW COUNTRY DANCE, by the characters.—With the Original Music.—The Dance composed by Mr Francis.

After which a Pantomimic Dance, called Harlequin in the MOON;

OR, WHITSUNTIDE VAGARIE. Harlequin, with the various attitudes, and A LEAP SEVEN FEET HIGH—Master F Durang; Old Stump, (the farmer) Mr. Francis—Bemkin, (the clown) Mr. Durang—Maggie, Mr. Saunderson—Columbine, Miss Hunt—Villagers, Mr. Seymour, Masters Durang, Harris, Cunningham, Miss Scriven, Miss Mulien, Mrs. Durang, &c.

In the course of the Pantomime, Mr. Jefferson will sing,

The Cosmetic Doctor;

OR, SPLASH'S RAMBLES, At Acton and Ealing, and Ilchester and Dorchester, and Chichester, and Porchester, at Woolwich and High-gate, and Dulwich and Ryegate—at Beckington, and Ockington, and Buckingham and Rockingham, at Brummingen, at Deptford, and Hampton, and Bedford and Bampton, at Harlow, and Clarnmouth, and Marlrow and Yarmouth, At Dartford and Darking and Hartford and Barking, at Worcester and Chester, and Gloucester and Leicester, at Teddington and Amersham, and Paddington and Feaversham, at Hollyhead and Riverhead, and Maidenhead and Leatherhead.—Where there were some smoking, some jerking, some crummy, some grummy, eyes awoke, noses blue, yellow checks, &c.

To which will be added, a Musical Drama, in 2 acts, called

The Children in the Wood.

Sir Rowland, Mr. Rutherford, Lord Alford, Mr. Robbins, Walter, Mr. Jefferson, Apathy, Mr. Francis, Gabriel, Mr. Blisset, Oliver, Mr. Durang, Servant, Mr. Saunderson, Helen, Mrs. Jefferson, Josephine, Mrs. Woodham, Winifred, Mrs. Cunningham, Day, Master G. Durang, Girl, Master A. Durang

On Wednesday, the Tragedy of the SICILIAN DAUGHTER—the interlude of SYLVESTER DAGGERWOOD, or the Mad Dunstable Actor—and the Musical entertainment of the POOR SOLDIER—for the benefit of Mr. Blisset and Mr. Robbins.

Mr. Cain and Mr. McKensie's benefit will be on Friday.

May 26

NOTICE.

IN doing business with a certain gentleman of the bar, the undersigned was instructed to sign several papers, which were represented to be necessary for the prosecution of the business; said gentleman has since said the papers were notes; but as they were not given as such, they will not be paid, nor any others, inasmuch as the undersigned never knowingly issued any. Though the undersigned is ignorant of the English tongue, he has friends who will protect him from imposition WILLIAM MILLER.

The public are cautioned against receiving any notes bearing his name. ddt* may 23

LOGWOOD.

THIRTY tons of LOGWOOD for sale.—Apply to FRANCIS JOHNNOT. ddt* May 17.

Jno. Campbell White & Sons,

Are landing for sale, Imperial Young Hyson, Hyson Skin, Soucheong and Bohea April 22. TEAS of the latest importations. d

C. S. Konig

HAS on hand and offers for sale, on very moderate terms, and liberal credit for approved paper, or in barter against Coffee or good Maryland Tobacco, 200 pieces Platillas 1000 Bretagnes 250 Cholets 100 Listados 50 Dowlas 14 boxes fine Hempen and Flaxen Umburgs 4 bales bleached Hessians 10 bales two bushel Bags. Also, 6 pipes 1st proof French Brandy. may 12 dt*-2aw9t

Campbell & Ritchie,

Have received by the United States, from London A PART OF THEIR SPRING GOODS;

And expect the remainder by the next arrivals from London and Liverpool. April 11 dt*-2aw12w