The following paragraphs are felected, from Mr. Morgan's pamphlet on " the pre-fent alarming flate of the public finances."

"After a fruitlefs ftruggle of four years, which has been figualized by a greater defiruction of human life and property than ever before defolated the world in the fame length of time, and when every principle is abandoned which we were first excited to defend, we are now called upon to renew our exertions in a contell which holds forth our exertions in a content which holds forth no determinate object to be attained, and offers no other profpect of its conclution, than in the utter ruin of those resources by which it is supported. The extravagance and the difasters which so eminently diffinguilh this war, are not more furprifing than the torpid indifference with which they have been endured—an indifference which has not only injured but even difgraeed the nation."

"One of the pretended motives of this war, has been the defence and prefervation of property; and it must afford fome confolation to the friends of fuffering humanity, to be affured, that if it be continued a little longer on the prefent fyftem of expence, it will be the laft war we shall eve: have occafion to wage on that account. It is but feldom, I believe, that the real interests of a country derive much improvement or fup-port from war and taxation ; and if any attack on our property was ever ferioufly me-ditated in the prefent inflance, we feem fa-tally to have miftaken the quarter to which our defence should have been directed ; for our defence thould have been directed; for while our efforts have been employed with various fuccels against the ravages of our e-nemies abroad, they appear to have opposed a very feeble refistance to the depredations of our more formidable enemies at home." "The effects of the heavy inposts upon wine are already felt in the diminished con-fuguration of that article. By a comparison

fumption of that article. By a comparison of the imports of port wine in the half year ending the 5th of July, 1795, and the half year ending July 5, 1796, it appears that the value of the wine imported was reduced from 283,532l. to 136,229l. By having recourse to such methods of providing for the interest of the public debts, the minister feems to be more anxious about having a nominal than a real revenue.

PARIS, July 20. PARIS, July 20. COUNCIL OF FIVE HUNDRED. Sitting of July 19. Paftoret complained to the council of an article which had been published in the Re-dacteur, refpecting the legislative bodies. The article is as follows:----- A fort of anarchy in the deliberations which ought to be the most folemn ; unreafonable motions of order, the most shameful prejudices and superstitions defended and carefied from the tribune, when reafon ought to have wielded against the arms of perfuasion; a lawlefs infubordination excufed and encoulawlels inlubordination exculed and encou-raged, who would believe it? by the or-gain even of these laws; and the declarati-on of a refusal to obey them, recognized as a motive for yielding to rebellion; the faithful priefts delivered over to derifion and to vengeance, while the refractory are un-punified and protected by the formal acts of the legiflature; the emigrants returning with the banified, are preparing to arm the fectaries in favor of the foreign enemy who fupported them in their exile; the finances occupying lefs attention than bells; a re-port replete with errors, which feemed to have exaggerated the difpolable refources ofe of eluding the eftablishment

By this day's Mail.

NEW YORK, September 25. Copy of a letter from Capt. Sherry, of the fhip Oneida, to capt. Kemp, of the fhip Factor.

Nantes, June 16, 1797. SIR,

I take this opportunity of informing you of our capture, viz : On the 25th May, in lat. 49, 24, long. 12, 10, was brought to by the fhip Fawn, a French privateer, mounting 18 nine, and 2 twelve pounders, and men answerable. They took charge of us without looking at our papers-exchanged men and officers, and convoyed us into Nantz; but if fortune had favored us to have loft fight of her for one half hour, the had been our own again. The day after I arrived at this place, the fhip Brifeis, of New York, bound to Amfterdam, was brought in; and fix days after, the fhip Confedera-cy, from India bound to Hambro' was bro't in alfo, and feveral fhips from Philadelphia Charleston, and other ports in America are here ; and there is no prospect of either fhips or cargoes being cleared ; for, as fast as they try them they condemn them. Their orders are, to take every American they fall in with bound where they will, even if bound to France, and let the Americans be furnifhed with all and every paper that is requifite relative either to thip or cargo, it avails nothing. Therefore you are very fortunate not to fall in with any of those infamous French robbers; for fo fure as you had, fo fure France would have been your fate.— But fortune and good winds have favoured you, which I hope will always follow you, All my paffengers have got their paffports, and fet off this day for England, by way of St. Maloes. Ny doubt before this time you have heard of Capt. Haley's being a commiffioned officer in France, which is he news in this place. I am, &c. D. SHERRY.

Capt. Kemp, of the fhip Factor. Translated for the Daily Advertiser.

PARIS. COUNCIL OF FIVE HUNDRED. Sitting of the 14th Meffidor (July 12.) Several merchants of Nantes, denounced he fcandalous conduct of the Americans

ince the beginning of the war. I have not read the whole document, an extract of which you have just now heard, faid Villiers, but I feel confident that it is

fuch as to fix your opinion on the pretend-ed motion of order made fome time fince by your colleague Paftoret : This is not the ime to enter into a discussion on its merits ; but it will be eafy to prove that the directo-ry had not only the right, but that it was n duty bound to act as it has done. You cannot conceive how France has fuffered fince the war. The tribunals do not dare decide upon a multitude of cafes now beforethem.

What cannot be contested by any one, that the 25 or 30,000 veffels formerly em-ployed in the trade of Great-Britain, are fuddenly metamorpofed through the moft in-famous machievalifm, into American yeffels. I requeft that the denunciation be referred to a commission which shall report within three days.

that nothing would tend more to obstruct

700 tons, mounting about 20 guns, and 70 In men, from Batavia, but laft from the Ifle of France, which he left a 110 days ago.—Iaden with Sugar, Coffee, Arrack, and Spi-

"On the 12 of April, off Java-Head, Capt. Coles, fpoke the flip Eliza, Captain Barnard, from Boston, out 4 months and 2 days, bound from Baravia."

Monday, Sept. 20. "We are forry to fay, that the contagi ous diforder here, is by no means abated it its malignant fymptoms. — Three people de-ceafed yefterday, and whole families, in the cealed yefferday, and whole families, in the quarter of the town where its rages, have felt its effects. Several fhops are fhut, and many people are removing. It is faid to have been brought by a veffel from the W. Indies, the Captain of which, having fome cattle die on board, unwifely took off their fkins, and, by negleet, they became a mais of putridity. This is another proof that the yellow fever may be generated in warm clim-ates, by local caufes; for, when the air becomes tainted, it is wnfit for refpiration, and progreffively infects the whole mafs of blood. We derive, however, fome confolation, from its not rapidly fpreading to different parts of the town, though few efcape an attack, in the houfes contiguous to that were it was first communicated. The Theatre was open for the laft time, on Monday, when about a dozen only attended, the Manager thought it high time to close the fcene, for the featon. The inhabicants of Newport, begin to fear a communicatiou with this devoted town."

RICHMOND, September 20. The following paragraph is the only printed information we have received relative to

information we have received relative to the difeafe prevail win Norfolk. " Meffrs. Prints, " DEATH, from the prevailing difeafe, fometimes comes on without much fever-the patient walks about, and even eats with his utual appetite, till the day before he dies.— This fhould teach the chizens to ne-rled no judifaction, however triffing it glect no indipolition, however trifling it may be, at the prefert mortal featon, but to apply for medical aid as foon as pollible. " CAUTION."

Many circumftances combine to fhew that the complaint which unhappily exifts in Norfolk, is fimilar, in all respects, to that which rages in Philadelphia.—Baltimore is alfo faid to be infected with the yellow fever. -We fee no late accounts in confirmation of that published a week or two ago, announcing the death of ten or twelve perfons, daily, by this diforder, in Charlefton, S. C. and we are now inclined to hope the information was groundlefs.

mation was groundlefs. While we lament the calamities which have lately vifited many fea-port towns up-on the continent, we are happy in having it in our power to congratulate the inhabitants of Richmond, upon the flate of health, which they at prefent enjoy, in fo eminent a degree—and may it pleafe the Supreme Ra-ler of the univerfe, long to extend to us, this greateft of earthly bleffings.

SAVANNAH, September 8. On the 6th inft. arrived from New-York in 9 days, the floop Betfey, (a Staten Island difpatch boat) captain Jones, on bufinels of a private nature. Various are the reports And I, faid Bergevin, move the order of and conjectures, refpecting her arrival, as the day on the commitment for this reason, the is faid to have brought but one letter.

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sin, ON the first instant, we commenced the duties affigned us by law, of giving relief and employ-ment to the indigent, occasioned by the sxifting calamity; and from the above date to the 16th inclusive, in profecating the trust reposed in us, expended Dolls. Ctr. 3659 23 From the 16th to the 23d, relieved 855 perfons, generally with families Paid for bread 1 798 90 Do, to 639 men, for labor on the road, &c. 1133 40 Do. for provision for those in the tents 200 42 Do. for Clerks', Meffengers' wages and flationary 46 54 Dells. 5871 49

Delli. 5871 49 Befides there are fundry accounts not yet fettled. By the above flatement you will perceive, that our expenditures at prefent amount to upwards of two thouland dollars per week; and confequently the fum granted by the Legiflature, will be expen-ded by the laft of next week: We are anxious that means may be provided that the poor and diffreffed fhall not be left deflitute, when the fund under our care fhall be expended, and particularly we feel for the probable lituation of these men, who are now at work on the roads under our direction, moft of whom have families to provide for, fhould that fource be cut off, be-fore the return of our fellow-citizens to find them other employment.

bre and remployment, For the early information of our fellow-citizens, we fhall take the liberty to transmit a copy of this communication to the printer. By order of the Board. ROBERT WHARTON, Chairman.

made on our coaft-This fame capt. Barry, we are affured, has a wife in New Jerfey 1 Boston, September 19.

Arrived, fehr. Thomas, Drew, Trinidad, 25 days.

September 20, fchr. Washington, Chace, Grenada, 35 days-nothing new. A ship was seen in the outer harbour, on

Tuefday, and again yefterday ; but owing to head winds, could not make up.

Lift of veffels, prizes at Algeziras-viz. Ship Eliza, Turner, of Bofton, from London, veffel and cargo libelled; brig Nancy, Brown. of do. veffel and cargo con-Nancy, Brown of do. vetler and cargo coh-demned by the French conful; brig Ma-ry, Burnham, of Bofton, cargo condemned, veffel libelled; brig Byfield, Kinfman, Bof-ton, veffel and cargo libelled, brig Hack, Hall, of New-York, veffel and cargo con-demned; fnow South Carolina, Andrews, ibelled by the French conful. The Aftrea, Tinkham, from Liverpool.

for New-York, is put into Charleston, difnafted.

The fhip Wifcaffet, was fpoke, 16 days out, for Greenock, in lat. 43, all well. The Caledonia; Hodge, was to fail from Liverpool, for New-York, Aug. 22; the Liverpool, for New-York, Aug. 26; Aligator, Harris, for Bofton, Aug. 26; the Packet, Trott, for do. fooner. Baltimore, Sept. 25.

Arrived, brig Chance, Turner, 32 days om Cape François.

Schooner Governor Clinton, Patter, (o Schooner Governor Chuiton, Patter, (o^{*} Philadelphia) 23 days from St. Thomas's-Left fhips Maryland, of Baltimore; Ann and Mary, Superb, and Commerce, of Phi-ladelphia; and a number of other Ameri-

Addiping 5, and a number of other Ameri-cans, whole names are not recollected. Artiv:d yeffords, febr. Hotnet, capt Sanger, 16 days from Port-de-Paix Capt. Sanger has obligingly favored us with the fol-lowing lift of prizes taken into Port-de-Paix, from the ift of June to the 5th Setpt. '97. Belonging to

ip Two Sifters,	Philadelphia
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Prefident, Hughes,	do.
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Nancy, Dalton,	Charlefton
Yetman, Crape,	Philadelphia
Perseverance, Forrester,	do.
Ardent, Lee,	do.
Lucy, Cheney,	Bofton
Eliza, Poulfon,	Baltimore
Eagle, Denton,	do.
Eliza, Deverys,	New-York
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 By order of the Board.
 Norfolk, Sept. 18.

 ROBERT WHARTON, Chairman.
 Yefferday arrived in Hampton-reads the fchoo-ner Peggy, eapt, W. Cowper, from Cape Fran-cois, which he left the 1ft September. Capt.

 TWO CHARITY SERMONS
 Will be preached on Sunday next at the Calvinift Church, Germantown, for the re-cited of the paper and different citizens of Phila.

of new resources, &c.

" Who will be furprifed that we conceive unfavorable omens ? Ah ! though vo-Jumes have been written in recounting the tragical history of the calamities of the revolution, it will be no lefs terrible a tafk to trace in perfpective those which they are preparing for us. Tacitus used to fay, when fpeaking of the fenators in the time of Tiberius, "tempora illa adeo infecta, ut omnes fenatores quicunque certatim ex furgerent fædaque et nimia conferent." These times were so infected with corrup-tion, that all the senators were feized with a defire of delivering opinions as ridiculous as they were vile. Thus, adds the hifto-rian, Tiberius ufed to cry every time that he went out of the fenate, O homines ad fervitutem paratos ? Let us take care that the times of Tiberius do not return." " I hall make no remarks upon the fore-

going," faid Paftoret, " but move that a meffage be fent to the directory to require of it an account of the meafures which have been taken to profecute the author of this article."-Decreed.

Sitting of July 22. On the motion of Gilbert Defmolieres, a project of a refolution respecting finance was adopted.

The executive directory wrote that it was ignorant who marked out the march of the troops, and that they hitherto trufted citizen Lefage, commiffary of war, of Charleville, to inform the municipal officers of La Ferre, of the arrival of these troops.

It invited the council to caufe the circle or diffance to be traced, that no error may take place for the future. It adds that fome reckon La Ferte 11, others 12, and others 13 leagues from Paris.

This meffage was referred to the com-miffion, and likewife the other, which was not read, refpecting the flate of the troops in Paris, and which have paffed within the limits fince the 1ft Meffidor. The difcuffion upon political affociations

was refumed.

PARMA, June 21. Yefterday morning we witneffed a corious fcene—about 200 republicans from Milan prefented themfelves before our gates, bring-lag with them a car in which was an enormous branch of a tree crowned with a red bonnet. The guards at the gate refuled this party entrance; but fortunately a republican officer put an end to the tumult, by removing the tree of liberty, under the authority of Buouaparte's proclamation of the 10th of this month, to prevent any French or Italians diffurbing the fubjects of

the duke of Parma.

with the utmost activity, than fuch a meaure.

Lenormant feconds the motion for the commitment but wishes it to be a special commission.

The commission to which was referred the motion of order of Pastoret, faid Camillus Jourdan, endeavours by every means in its power to procure all the information it can relative to the important duty with which it is charged. The document in queftion may be of great ufe, and I move it be referred to it. Adopted.

BOSTON, September 21.

THE FRIGATE CONSTITUTION. Public notice having been given of the intended launch of this frigate, yelterday, an immenfe crowd of people affembled, to view a scene, which promised, greatly, to interest their pride and feelings:-Much credit is due to the Agent, and others, in the Navy-Yard, for the arrangements made; they were certainly judicious, and difcover ed an anxiety to accommodate; although nnumerable spectators were disappointed, as to the launch, yet there is no fault to be attributed to any one-the prudent precau-tion used by the Confirudior, to PRESERVE THE CONSTITUTION ENTIRE, and fend her lafely to her deftined element, while it has etarded the completion of the launching, for a day or two, is by no means difhonorable to him.—The public expect, on Friday, to be gratified in beholding a handfome aunch.

We are authorifed to affure the public, that preparations are making at the Navy-Yard for completing the launching of the United States thip of war, constitution, To-Morrow, at one o'clock.

THE THEATRE. Was completely filled laft Evening, and, as was expected, the After-Piece of the LAUNCH, received with the most enthusiaftic tokens of public approbation, ever echo-ed in a Theatre;—it was indeed a new species of national drama, which has not been furpafied in dialogue, mufic, or fcenery.-Mr. Hedgkinfon, ever industrious and judici-ous, has, in the inftance of producing this temporary piece, witneffed the liberality of a community who are not unmindful of his talents as an author, and who have long known and admired his fpirit as an Actor and Manager.

FROM OUR PROVIDENCE CORRESPONDENT.

" Tuefday, Sept. 19. " Laft evening arrived in our river, the copper-bottomed thip Providence, owned by Meff. Clarke and Nightingale, and commanded by Capt. Thomas Celes, burthen about Five of whom are dangerous.

Phelan, of the brig Abigail, of Philadelphia, (a native of Ireland) after a fhort illnefs of g days.

Laft Saturday evening, a man by the name of Smith, belonging to the fhip Age-noria, as he was ftepping into the pilot boat, that lay along fide, fell into the river and was drowned.

The Gazette. PHILADELPHIA. TUESDAY EVENING, September 26.

CITY HOSPITAL REPORT. From the25th to 26th Sept. in themorning,

Admitted, fince last report, Richard Jones-No.38, Plumb freet. Mary Queen-No. 26, Shippen ftreet. Guy Blakily-John McLaughlins, Penningtons Alley, between 4th and 5th flr. Edward Reilly-184, South Water freet. Tabitha Walton-47, Union freet. Robert McCauley-McCleod's Frontifreet, near the Rope Walks. Wm. McCrevey-196, South 2d freet. Francis Ward-5th below Walnut freet. Theobald McMechin-fign Rattlefnake, Walnut street.

Difcharged fince last Report. ames Field, admitted 14th inft. Rachael M'Intofh, 14th Elizabeth Adams, TIth - Andre, a Spaniard, 2d Ifaac Hoffman, 7th

Eloped. Michael M'Faden, admitted 24th inft. Died fince laft report. how long fick pre-vious to admiffion. when admitted

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hef of the poor and distreffed citizens of Phila-delphia; one in the morning at 11 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. BLAIR, the other in the afternoon, at 4 o'clock by the Rev. Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

SURPRISING MORTALITY.

DILD-Laft evening, at the houfe of Job Whitall at Red Bank, his wife, fon, grand-fon, and grandaughter, Sarah Whitall. Al fo at the Farm adjoining, Rebecca Whitall, and a young woman who is faid lately to have left the city.

In the fame neighbourhood, Benjamir Whitall, another fon of the first named Jol Whitall; and feveral other perfons are yet ick in those families.

Upwards of twenty phyficians have fied the city fince the beginning of the prefent epidemic.

COMMUNICATION. If to abandon the fick couch and the bed of death be the extreme of inhumanity ; and If a generous facrifice of all the comforts of life, a magnanimous contempt of danger, and a noble perfeverance, to the last extremi-ty, in administering relief to distressed ob-jects of difease and despair; can give exalted claims to the confideration and gratitude of the community, then is Dr. DOBEL, as well as Drs. Cox, CHURCH and PLEASANTS, (composing the wifiting committee of phyficians) most eminently entitled to the dif tinguished confideration of the citizens of Philadelphia.

Henry William Defauffure, Efq. was lately elected Intendant of the city of Charleston, for the year enfuing.

CT " PLAIN TRUTH" To-morrow.

GAZETTE MARINE LIST.

NEW-YORK, September 25.

ARRIVED. Days Brig Sally, Hatton, Liverpool 70 Bermuda 12 Schr. Lucy, Bailey, Sloop Riling Sun, Brooks,

St. Bartholomew. 22 Arrived fehooner Lucy, capt. Bailey' from Bermuda, which he left September roth-brought in the crew of the thip Andromache, from New York bound to Jamaica, which was taken the day after leaving the port, by the French fchooner Lefpeigle, capt. Le Barron or Barry, from Porto Rico, and fent to that port. The fame fchooner had taken three prizes in this cruife, which is the third fhe has

cled. Raimond and Leblanc have the chief civil authority. A prize Englifh fchomer was fitting out at the Cape to carry another deputa-tion to France, and was to fail in a few days. Capt. Cowper further informs, that about

40 fail of Americans were laying at St. Ja-go, 17 fail at Port-au-Paix, and 4 fail at Monte Chriftie, all of whom were waiting for trial.

The brig Abigail, Anderfon, of this port, was taken hetween the Mole and Cape May, outward bound to Jamaica, and earried to St. Jago.

Sailed in company—Brig Cleopatra,— of Philadelphia bound to the Havanna. Left there—Brig Hannah, Haynes, from

Jorfolk.

Schr. Sally, Moffet, from do. Schr. Eagle, Dolton, do.

Brig Maria, Holmes, of Fredericksburg: and a number of northern veffels.

Spoke-On the 14th September, in lat. 34, 30, long. 74, the brig Chance, capt. Turner, from the cape bound to Baltimore; he drig had been ashore on the Caico's, out got off with the lofs of two anchors, able, and 300 bags of coffee.

* * A fpecial Meeting of the elect and common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, is to be held at the Pennfylvanis Holderpair, is to be need at the remaining which Holpital on Tuefday the 26th inft. at 9 o'clock in the morning on bufine's of Importance, at which place it is hoped the members will at-tend—the Holpital being clear of the prevailing ever.

FRANCIS GURNEY, Prefideut of the felect council. SAMUEL HODGDON, Prefident of the common council.

Sept. 22 dst Bank of North America,

Dank Of North America, September 8th, 1797. O'Bills payable at this Bank, which fall due on that and the emiuing 6 days, will be ferved on the Pay-ers? And the like Notices on every Monday, till the further orders of the Directors. Perfons with-ing to depofit Nates or Bills for Collection, which are to fall due within the week, mult themfolwes andertake to give notice to the Payers. dt

Thomas Armat and Son,

Thomas Armat and Son, OF PHILADELPHIA, INFORM their cuftomers and the public, they have removed a part of their merchandize to Wilmington : Alfo, they have their fiore open in the city. At either place their friends can be fup-plied; and their orders carefully attended to. By the Cumberland, from Hull, they have re-ceived a handfoms affortment of atticles, friesble to the approaching featon ; and expect to add to it by other fall flips. Should the ficknefs prevail in the central part of the eivy, that branch of their bufinefs will be re-uoved to Germantown.

gular as ufual Sept. 18.