

The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 26.

Justum et tenacem propositi virum, Non civium ardor prava jubentium, Non valuit instans tyranni, Mente quatit solida.

Mr. FENNO,

I wish to know the name of the patriotic member of Congress who wrote to General Collet, an agent of the French government, to the following effect, viz.

"I intend being, soon, in Philadelphia, and as I wish to have frequent communications with you, I request you will procure me lodgings as near you as possible, if we cannot be together under the same roof. I shall immediately on my arrival, want two thousand dollars, and hope you will be able to accommodate me."

I wish likewise to know the name of the patriotic member of Congress, who, on first hearing of the defensive measures adopted by Congress in 1798, declared that he "hoped in God that France would bring the United States to their senses in six months;" and whether the said patriotic member of Congress was, at the time of making the said declaration, a Governor, as has been alleged, of one of the States in the Union.

If you, Sir, or any of your correspondents can give the above information, you will render an important service to the public, and oblige

AN ENQUIRER.

MORAL REFLECTION.

It is an honorable characteristic of our country to spurn at oppression and persecution. Every body detests the malignant villain who, too mean and too cowardly to cope with antagonists on a footing with him, converts the gloomy and empty fabric of his gaudy popularity, into a prison-house for the young, "the amiable," the innocent and the defenceless. Such baseness, to the distinguished credit of our country, is here overtaken in every instance, with a signal and just vengeance. The conduct is that of a thief who robs a child or a lady; but feels when challenged by men who might expose him to exertion, and coil him in a scuffle.

We are told, that an action has been commenced at the suit of Doctor BENJAMIN RUSH, against young Mr. Dickens of this city, for selling some pamphlets and advertising upon sundry of his opinions, &c.

Senator Pinckney whom, (taking the word of his friend, the successor of Bache) people begin pretty generally to call The Orator of the Human Race, has, it seems, waxed wroth, at being put on a level with the Hon. Mr. Cocke. It would be an untoward circumstance if, in his zeal to repel this sarcasm, he should have recourse to such expressions concerning the Hon. member's talents, as to lead to a breach. The sword of Calligelli would effect an hideous hiatus in a Senatorian breast.

Mr. Jefferson, in his veracious declaration of Independence, tells us that ALL men are, by nature, EQUAL; and all good republicans do affect to receive this as fact. Yet how strenuously do the most eminent of republicans deny that Mr. Pinckney is equal to Mr. Cocke.

It is somewhere said, that "wit is a barrel" and the Democratic and True American Orators and writers of the present day, seem implicitly to believe the assertion. Certain it is, they do, in this regard, preserve a most inflexible obstinacy.

Old Priestley, we learn, contemplates the establishment of an Academy, after the model of that of Lagado; in this Academy, the modern doctrine of Airs will be exploded, and that of Phlogiston established. As a war with Great Britain will be one of the first steps of Mr. J's administration, young gentlemen will be particularly instructed in the best method of calculating Ice into Gunpowder. N. B. It is not precisely known whether this be the Academy alluded to by Governor McKean, in his message respecting "the benevolent Priestley."

"Let not the rustling of silks, nor the creaking of shoes betray thy poor heart to woman." This admonition of a wife man, was levelled at a danger probably more prevalent in the present day, than in those of old King Lear or good Queen Bess. The "rustling of silks," the "creaking of shoes," the display of bas de soie, des seins superbes, &c. &c.—all of which are dominant evils at present, do, it is feared, betray many a "poor heart."

When I heard an obscure Attorney, in pleading against a poor village newsman, who had been prosecuted for a libel, assert that "the Five Thousand Dollars verdict against Porcupine had not met with a single objection; I could not forbear remarking to my friend, "il ment ici comme un arracheur de dents. My friend was an Attorney, and rejoined, "he lays it cum privilegio."

The author of the publication which appeared in Fenno's Gazette of last evening, and which Mr. Fenno says was handed to him by Mary Burgefs (corner of Second and Almond street) is requested to leave his name with the printer.

JOHN RUSH.

L. U. S. Philadelphia.

March 26.

MISS BROADHURST

RESPECTFULLY informs her friends and the public, that she intends having a CONCERT at the City Tavern on Thursday evening the 3d April—Particulars of which will be mentioned in a future advertisement.

Tickets to be had as above, and at Chalk's Circulating Library, No. 75 North Third street. March 24.

PROPOSALS

For publishing in Weekly Numbers,

THE HISTORY

(CIVIL AND COMMERCIAL)

OF THE

British Colonies in the West Indies,

In two volumes.

By BRYAN EDWARDS, Esq.

Of the Island of Jamaica,

M. P. F. R. S. A. S.

And Member of the American Philosophical Society.

To which will be added,

(Published since the foregoing, by the same author) THE PROCEEDINGS

In regard to the Maroon Negroes in the

Island of Jamaica;

With Observations on the disposition, character, manners and habits of life of the Maroons; and a detail of the origin, progress, and termination of the late war between those people and the white inhabitants.

ALSO,

An Historical View of St. Domingo, or

Hispaniola;

Comprehending an account of the former government of the French part of that island, its political state, population, productions, and exports; a narrative of the calamities which defoliated the island ever since the year 1789; and a detail of the transactions of the British army in that island to the end of the year 1794. To be illustrated with a large two sheet general MAP of the WEST INDIES, and ten other Maps, all executed in the best manner, viz.—of Jamaica, Barbadoes, Grenada, St. Vincent, Dominica, St. Christopher's, Nevis, Antigua, the Virgin Islands, and a sheet Map of the Island of Hispaniola. And to be embellished with EIGHT COPPERPLATE PRINTS,

viz.

1st The Indian Cacique of the Island of Cuba, addressing Columbus concerning a future state.

Note.—This print, with the fourth and fifth, are particularly illustrated. In the illustration of the fourth is given a very curious description of Columbus's person and manners, with which the print is said accurately to correspond.

2d The Bread Fruit of Otahite as produced in the Botanical Garden at Jamaica.

3d A Family of the Red Charaibes in the Island of St. Vincent.

4th Columbus and his two sons Diego and Ferdinand, discoursing on their discoveries and prospects; from an ancient Spanish picture in the possession of Edward Home, Esq. of Bevis Mount, near Southampton.

5th The voyage of the fable Venus from Angola to the West Indies.

6th A Negro Festival in the Island of St. Vincent, from life, from an original picture drawn by Agostino Branyas, in the possession of Sir Wm. Young, Bart.

7th Plan and elevation of an improved Sugar Mill, designed by Edward Woollery, Esq. of Jamaica.

8th Leonard Parkinson, a Captain of Maroons, as taken from life.

It is proposed to print by subscription,

(To be published in weekly numbers)

THE FOREGOING VERY

Interesting and useful Work.

The subscriber therefore offers these proposals to the public, intending as soon as three hundred have subscribed, to publish the first number, commencing it with the General View of the Ancient State of the Inhabitants, their origin, manners, customs, &c. as well of Hispaniola, Cuba, Porto Rico, &c. as of all the British Islands; and he will continue publishing a number weekly, till the whole is finished—on the following terms, viz.

1st. It shall be printed on a handsome quarto, on a neat Type, and on the best Printing Paper.

2d. It shall be published in Numbers weekly, and is calculated to be completed in Fifty Numbers: Each Number to contain Twenty-four Pages of Letter Press. The Price for each Number to be One Quarter of a Dollar, to be Paid on Delivery. Should it exceed Fifty Numbers, the Remainder will be given gratis.

3d. The Maps and Prints will be delivered with the Numbers to which they particularly attach, free of any additional Price. And a Direction will be given against what particular Page each one is to be placed.

The subscribers Names, with the Title Pages, &c. will be given with the last Numbers.

Note. Such Subscribers as do not incline to receive the Numbers as they are published, will have them carefully reserved for them on paying Four Dollars at the Time of subscribing, and the Remainder when the Work is finished.

To prevent Disappointment or Complaint, it is now premised, that as there will be but a very few Copies struck off more than may be subscribed for, the Price of them will be considerably raised after the Publication of the Numbers which are to compose the first Volume.

JAMES HUMPHREYS.

PHILADELPHIA, March 11, 1800.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received by said Humphreys, at No. 106, the South Side of Market Street, Messrs. Pritchard and Davidson, at Richmond, Virginia. Mr. G. Hill, Baltimore, Maryland. Messrs. Thomas and James Swords, New-York, Mr. James White, Boston; and Mr. T. C. Cushing, Salem, Massachusetts.

March 18, eTu4w

MUNGO PARK'S TRAVELS,

IN THE INTERIOR OF AFRICA,

Is now in the Press of James Humphreys,

PRINTING BY SUBSCRIPTION,

And will be finished with all the expedition possible;

THE CONDITIONS ARE,

It is in large 8avo, on a beautiful vellum paper, a neat type, and will be illustrated with a large elegant MAP of the route of Mr. Park thro' Africa.

The price to subscribers will be two dollars and an half for it neatly bound and lettered.

The Subscribers names to be printed in the beginning of the book.

Note.—It will be necessary for those who wish to be possessed of the above celebrated work on the superior paper to subscribe for it soon, as there will be but a few copies printed more than what is imagined will be subscribed for.

Subscriptions are received by said Humphreys, at No. 106, south side of market street.

March 8. 15.

NOW LANDING,

(FOR SALE)

From the ship George Barclay, at Latimer's wharf,

Java Coffee,

Java Sugar.

From the schooner Fanny, at Latimer's wharf,

100 hds. clayed Sugar.

From the brig Betsey, lying at South Street wharf,

40,000 feet Bay Mahogany,

17 tons Logwood,

6 tons Fustic.

ALSO,

White Havana Sugar,

Brown Sugar,

Old Red Port Wine,

Sherry Wine,

Claret in casks,

Capers in barrels,

Madras and Pulicat Handkerchiefs.

Apply to PHILIPS, CRAMOND & Co.

March 21. d6t

Just Arrived,

AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,

THE CARGO

OF THE SHIP PHILADELPHIA,

Theodore Blifs, Commander, from Bengal.

CONSISTING OF

An assortment of Piece Goods.

Sugars of the first quality,

And 200 qr. chests of superior quality Hyson Teas.

Willings & Francis, and

Thomas & John Clifford.

March 17. d.

FOR ST. THOMAS'S,

THE SHIP

Thomas Chalkley,

Thomas Kenny, Master.

Sails fast and expected to depart

in six or eight days, 3 or 400

barrels will be received on freight, if speedy application be made.

For which or passage apply to

MOORE WHARTON,

No. 111 South Water street.

March 22. dft

NOTICE.

THE Creditors of the late house of Irwin & Bryson, of Lexington, Kentucky, are hereby informed, that a dividend of such monies of that firm, as have been received by the subscriber, will be made on the twentieth day of April next, among those creditors who shall have before that time furnished their accounts properly attested to

WILSON HUNT,

Acting assignee.

March 25. d120

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE SUBSCRIBERS OFFER FOR SALE,

Two very valuable Farms,

SITUATED

IN the township of Springfield, and county of Burlington, containing about two hundred acres each. The Woodland and Meadow, of which there is a sufficient quantity, is not inferior to any in the State.

To attract the notice of persons residing within the county of Burlington, desirous of purchasing good land, 'tis only necessary to mention that these farms are parts of that excellent tract of 1200 acres lately owned by Samuel Bullus.

The terms of sale will be made convenient to the purchaser and may be known by applying to the subscribers. Those who may wish to view the land, will please to call on William or Israel Shinn, the present occupants.

SAMUEL HOUGH,

JOSEPH McILWAINE,

Attorneys in fact for John Bullus and Ruth Bullus.

Burlington, New Jersey,

March 12, 1800. d1m

For Sale,

The Cargo of the ship Molly, captain Swain,

from Batavia,

CONSISTING OF

SUGAR in whole and half casks,

Ceribon Coffee,

Black Pepper,

Sapan Dye Wood,

Ehony, and

Thirty two bales of Cotton Yarn.

ALSO, THE SAID

SHIP

MOLLY,

BURTHEN four thousand three

hundred barrels of Flour, mounts 18

nine pounds, with shot and small arms complete

and is newly coppered to the bends with patent

copper. Apply to

NICKLIN & GRIFFITH.

March 15. tu.ch&fa.tf.

FOR SALE,

A VALUABLE TRACT OF

LAND,

LYING on the Potomac River, county of Northumberland, state of Virginia; containing

about 1400 acres—its situation is equal to any other

in the Northern Neck, remarkable for every kind

of wild fowl, oysters, fish and crab, and none better

for health. It is about the same distance from

Baltimore, Alexandria and Norfolk, and not more

than one days sail from either. There are three

improved plantations with dwelling houses, the

one known by the name of Exeter Lodge, formerly

the residence of Col. John Gordon, is an elegant

two story brick house, with four rooms on a floor,

and a passage fifteen feet wide.

The other two are commodious and conveniently

fitted, with good and suitable but houses, at one

of which John Murphy, Esq. (now of Westmoreland

county) lived several years; on this farm there is

a good grist mill, with water sufficient to turn

any number of stones; also convenient horse

houses and granaries on a public road, well situated

for a country store. On each of those places there

are fine apple and peach orchards. The greater

proportion of the land is of the first quality, and

near the half of the whole heavily timbered. The

terms may be known by applying to Wm. P. Tebb,

Baltimore, Fouché G. Tebb, Esq. of Richmond

county, Virginia, or to Thomas Murgatroyd and

Sons, Philadelphia.

Feb. 5—14. 314w

MR. FRANCIS'S

Last Public Ball for the present Season.

MR. FRANCIS

RESPECTFULLY informs his Scholars and the Public in general, that his last PUBLIC BALL will be on Tuesday, April 1st, at the Room in South Fourth Street. In which will be introduced an entire new set of Cotillions, composed by Mr. Francis, called

Les Delices D'Amerique.

1st. The Fashion,

2d. The Military,

3d. The Bath (Strathspey

4th. The Rage (Reel

Composed entirely of the favourite Scotch

steps. Also,

Two New Country Dances

For the present Season, called

The First of April,

AND

The Philadelphia Medley.

The Music of the Medley is selected from the

most admired Country Dances.

An additional Band is engaged to play

the New Dances.

Children that are not Pupils cannot be

admitted.

Mr. F. informs his Pupils that a Practising

will take place on Saturday evening, at which

he requests their punctual attendance, in order

to be perfect in the new dances for the Ball.

N. B.—Mr. F. begs leave to remind his

Scholars and the public in general, that after

the 1st of April he will remove his Academy to

Harmony Court where he will attend to give

instruction in the art of dancing, at his usual

rate of 5 dollars per month.

March 25. d6t.

No. III.

OF THE

RUSH-LIGHT

Will be published next Wednesday morning.

As a most tyrannical attempt has been made to suppress the sale and put a stop to the circulation of this work, in Philadelphia; and, as it is apprehended that those, in the city, who "have the lights, because their deeds are evil," will succeed in intimidating the bookellers so far as to prevent them from selling; this is to give notice, that any Philadelphian, who still wishes to see the truth, shall be supplied with the RUSH LIGHT regularly by post, and that I will pay the postage.

The money must be paid in advance; but this may be very easily managed. Five gentlemen, for instance, may join together, and send on a five dollar note, upon the receipt of which credit will be given to each of them for four Numbers which will be regularly sent on, the moment they are published.

This puts one in mind of the means formerly made use of to steal books from free states into despotic ones. What strange things come about in his world!

March 24. 3t

AUTHENTIC LIFE OF SUWOROW.

JUST PUBLISHED,

AND

FOR SALE,

AT THIS OFFICE,

A SKETCH OF THE

Life and Character

OF

PRINCE ALEXANDER SUWOROW RY-

NIKSKI,

Field-Marshal General in the service of His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of all the Russias,

WITH