

ELEGIACK LINES.

To the Memory of Mrs. ABIGAIL JONES.

BY A LADY.

AH! what avails, that round her polish'd form
The modest Graces lent each varied charm!

That Mind, where Virtue rais'd her spotless throne;
Where Bounty whirl'd, and beaming Genius throne;

Bright as the Rose, which sinks beneath the storm,
Fair as the gather'd Lilly's silver form,

Great God of Wisdom! On thy just decree,
What impious mortal dares to question thee!

(Massachusetts Centinel.)

FOR THE GAZETTE OF THE UNITED STATES.

MR. FENNO,

IN your paper, or in some other, I have lately seen strictures, on
the funding of the domestic continental debt, I mean that branch

The object of those strictures if I rightly recollect, amounted
to a complaint against the expected rate of assumption.

He supported his objection by saying that those bills had come
to the possession of many of the present holders at the rate of 75,

And Sir, I imagine that many are sensible that this single ratio
of 40 for 1, cannot be considered as forming in any degree, a just

But many say, that this mode is highly calculated to wound Public
Faith; to injure private property, and deeply to wound some

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These friends to Government were supported in their faith by an
order of Congress of July 29th, 1775. "That each Colony pay

But how shall it be prevented is the question. For the mode in
particular I shall not pretend to debate, by saying that a scale

GYPSUM, OR PLASTER OF PARIS.

Experiments by Doctor LOGAN, of Pennsylvania.

EXPERIMENT, No. I.

IN the year 1785, I sowed three acres of a light
ifinglass soil, containing a little clay, with barley
and clover. In the month of April the following year, I divided the field into three parts,

nure. Early in October in 1787, the clover lay
was ploughed once about four inches deep, was
sowed. The rye was of a superior quality, and
double the quantity, on No. 1 and No. 2, than on

EXPERIMENT, No. II.

In April 1787, I sowed three acres of potatoe
ground (a light loam) with barley and clover.
Just as the barley was above ground, some of the
gypsum was strewed diagonally across the field

EXPERIMENT, No. III.

In April 1786, six acres of a poor ifinglass soil,
situated on Farmantown hill, were sowed with
oats, the ground not having been manured for
20 years; it produced a crop not paying expen-

EXPERIMENT, No. IV.

A field of 15 acres, a light loam, was, in April
1784, sowed with barley and clover; the pro-
duce only twenty bushels to the acre, the ground
not having been sufficiently manured. In 1785,

EXPERIMENT, No. V.

I put a quantity of gypsum three years ago on
several small patches of a tough sod; it produ-
ced a difference in the strength of vegetation,

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THAT at the regular quarterly meeting on the second Tuesday in
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College, elect a Principal of the said College; that it be the duty

That at the next quarterly meeting, on the second Tuesday in
May next, the College elect a master of writing and arithmetic in
said St. John's College; and that he receive for his services, an

That Mr. Wallace, Mr. Carroll, of Carrollton, and Mr. Han-
son, be a committee to write a letter in behalf of this board, to
Doctor Price, Doctor Reese, and Doctor Kippis, of the kingdom

That the several Resolves for electing a Principal and master of
writing and arithmetic, be published in such newspapers as the

Test, NICHOLAS BRICE, Secy.
The public are requested to take notice that if a proper
character in America shall offer, the Visitors are free to appoint

Any person desirous of offering himself either as a Principal of
St. John's College, or master of writing and arithmetic, will be
pleas'd by writing to inform any one, or the whole of the com-

The printers of America are requested to insert in their respec-
tive newspapers the foregoing Resolves and notifications; and to
inform their fellow-citizens, that St. John's College, after a varie-

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