To this Mr. M assented. He then for some hours: they retired, and John- The principal sufferers are Messes left the house of Mr. P. and on the son said he was then impressed with Konecke, Borbridge and Crosthwaite evening of the same day removed his a desire to possess the money in the Greer and Sewell, with whom we sin trunk from the vessel to the house of trunk of Marray .-- He went into the cerely sympathize.

found dead in Cuyler's Alley, on Sat trank, and took out two bigs of dol found and interred. arday morning, although some of his lars, which he threw into a corner acquaintance were in pursuit of him Henow became uneasy, and alter a on Friday. Mr. M. was a sober in- laose of some time he says " the dea- about seventeen years of age, was cd a more minute search than had hatchet, and went to Murray, who was phrase by a comparison with "a drown-egant assortment of been made, in the boarding house of asleep on his right side, struck him ed rat." The young gentleman, it the above Johnson, where was found twice on the left temple, which com seems had a penchant for poultry, and Mr. Spence and his wife were also were, and in the course of the night, assisting him to the shore, conveyed

late last evening. Johnson was committed to Bridewell for further examination.

It appears from the examination, that the cook of the vessel also identi- that when Johnson was first commit- On Tuesday morning the body of a fied Mr. Murray, and went with the ted, he appeared very indifferent, pro- man named Jacob Keiser, was found officers to Johnson's house, and point- testing his innocence, and declaring on a small spot of ground, in the mid ed him out as the man who was in that his mind was quite at ease. Mr dle of Lost Creek ; about a mile and a LOUINERE LE LE LE LA L'A9 company with the deceased when he Thorp went into his room with blank- half from this place. The following RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE PUBLIC, THAT THEY HAVE took away his trunk.

was asleep when the deadly blow was whole. given. The wound is on the left temple, and the hole, which is the size of a dollar, appears to have been made with the back of an axe or stone hammer. It is also believed that the

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Mr. John Johnson, 65 Fiont street, bed room, found him asleep, took from A few of the bones of the persons and had not been seen afterwards, until the vest pocket the key, opened the who perished in the flames, have been

distrious man, and was desirous to it" suggested to him to kill Murray brought up a few mornings since, beincrease the amount of his hard earn to prevent a detection of the robbery, fore the Police magistrates, in N. Y ings .- The above disclosure occasion He went into the cellar, procured a in a condition, expressed in common

concealed, a bloody sheet, part of a pieted the borrid deed—Johnson his own yard did not furnish an ade-trass, and an axe. The suspicion in then bound around the head a pair of quate supply, he resorted to the deck consisting of daced our police officers to take John drawers and a bolster case, and took of a vessel lying at a neighboring dock. son, his wife, and children, and also him through a trap, door into the cellar. on which a number of coops were pla John Spence, shocmaker, and his wife, who reside under the same roof, all remained in the cellar until Friday Whilst he was eagerly engaged in to the police office, where the whole night; when he removed it to the place prosecuting the adventure to a suc were separately examined. Mrs. where it was found by the watchman, cessful termination, his foot accident Johnson being at Newburgh at the After he had committed the murder, ally slipped, and he was precipitated time, and not returning until after the he became most dreadfully agitated, into the dock, where he narrowly es murder, was discharged, and returned and could not sleep in his own room ; caped drowning. A watchman heard home with her daughter last evening he went into that where his daughters him struggling in the water, and after

discharged, and he, being in bad health, mentioned it to them, and the money him to the watch-house. had a fit shortly after he got home, was given to his daughter Mary, who The imminent peril of the unfortuand his death for some time was ap-gave it to her brother, an apprentice nate wight should operate as a warn-Messrs. Hammond & Page. prehended, but was somewhat better in Maiden Lane. The boy was this ing to those engaged in similar enter. morning sent for, and has confessed prizes, to be cautious in avoiding sim where he hid the money. An officer ilar accidents. N. Y. American.

has been sent with him to recover it. The keeper of the Bridewell states

ets, late in the evening, when he had information was collected from the It also appears, by evidence, that laid himself down-but said be could evidence adduced before the inquest on Thursday evening, two persons at not sleep in consequence of not lying held on the afternoon of that day. Af d'fferent times were inquired of in easy. Yesterday morning he also the streets the way to Johnson's to complained that he had been unable both of whom he said he was a stran-ger and had left his chest with four ly for the keeper, and appeared in al persons, sleeping on the little Island or five hundred dollars, and was great agitation. "The stings of a He was found in the morning, with afraid he should lose it-and that wounded conscience who can bear?" his flask empty, and the ice was bro-Johnson had been in company with He stated that he passed a horrible ken partly across the creek ;--from him, and left him suddenly. aight, and was resolved rather than die which it is supposed, that he awaken. The opinion is, that the deceased with a lie in his mouth, to confess the ed in the night, and after drinking the

Com. Adv. liquor, attempted to wade through the water but being benumbed by the cold, From the Pittsburg Statesman, and overcome by the effect of the li-November 25th. quor, was unable to proceed, and so

DREADFUL FIRE At a late hour of the night on Mon-returned a verdict of "death by cold By order of the Orphans

murder was committed on Thursday day the 17th instant, our citizens were and intoxication."-- Miffun Eagle. night, and the body concealed until alarmed by the cry of fire, which was Friday night, as his feet appeared to found to proceed from the frame Captain Farrin from Havanna, in-bave been geawed by rats. I house owned by Mr D. Greer, and forms that eighteen American sailors occupied by Mr Borbridge at the have been imprisoned at that place, on junction of Market and Liberty streets, suspicion of having murdered a Span-

Some discoveries were made yes. The fire spread with rapidity to the ish sailor on the Mole. Among the terday relating to the murder of Mur- adjoining buildings, and soon consum- number confined are all the crew and

Baltimore Patriot.

is supposed he slept. The coat and saving any coosiderable part of the pantaloons of the deceased were also merchandize or household goods, and found in the yard behind a pile of consequently much was consumed. The proceedings of the Legislature Centre, aforesaid. It being the real HARRISBURG CHRONICLE, house, barn, and smith shop, and pantaloons of the deceased were also merchandize or household goods, and found in the yard behind a pile of consequently much was consumed. wood, having previously, by appear-ances, been thrown into the sink of the necessary The head board of the bed was found to be bloody, and a bed was found to be bloody, and a crack of blood was discovered from the bed to the cellar. Johnson's dirty clothes, and a female dress were also found with stains of blood on them.— The cartman was also found, who de-posed that he carried the chest to the timated at from 10 to 15,000 dollars.

posed that he carried the chest to the timated at from 10 to 15,000 dollars. house of Johnson on Thursday last, How the fire originated is unknown. and was paid for the cartage by We have thus stated an ordinary or the cartage by the fire originated an ordinary

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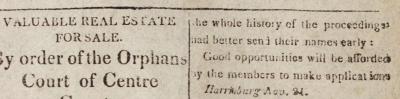
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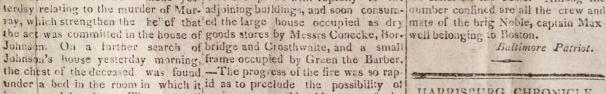
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Johnson. The coat and pantaloons, circumstance-the destruction of prop sheet, and the necessity that exists and chest, were known to have be erty by fire. Every one knows how of devoting a part of it to advertiselonged to the deceased, by the mate distressing it is to encounter the sud ments, are of themselves bars to the and steward of the sloop Fulton. In den bereavement of property and all publication of every thing that is said censequence of these discoveries, the the comforts of home by a midnigin and done in the legislative body .-wife and daughter of Johnson were fire. The hurry-the terror-the al- All, therefore, that we wish to be exarrested, and after examination, com- ternations of fear that will be lost, pected of us, is what we know we mitted for trial.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25 CONFESSION OF THE MUR- the loss is known, are things familiar matters agitated, with a condensed. The terms of subscription will be DERER.

We have just come from the Pol. ces excite a temporary sympathy subjects of a general nature, and oc-ice Office, where we learned that But how trifling seem such losses com-casionally, what we conceive to be, For the sersion only, John Johnson, who has been for some pared with the loss of human life ! days in custody on suspicion of having. The most painful circumstance murdered Mr. Murray, has made a connected with this fire is, that three Ways and Means, the Free Road, &c. No doubt the proceedings this ses-full and satisfactory confession of the persons, Miss Louisa Konecke, sister are topics that will claim much of the horrid deed. We have not been able to Mr Konecke, his son William aged attention of the Legislature, and of The mutant that proceedings that come to obtain a copy of his declaration; but 6 years, and iletty Latshaw, his little the people, and of the proceedings up. The matters that are expected to come we understand that he entirely acquits servant girl, perished in the flames ! every other person else, and states that This awful calamity has penetrated and accurate advice. he perpetrated the crime at midnight, with the most profound grief, an amiwhen his family and every other per- able family, and cast a gloom over son were asleep. His wife, as already our city. It is the first occurence of stated, was at Newburg, and did not the kind in Pitteburgh, and we most return till Saturday morning, John. fervently pray that it may never again son has also given information where be our painful task to register such a he concealed the money belonging to calamity.

giving a copy of the confession until house, while the flames were raging Bill from BERNARD DOUGHER. will be, we are happy to say, much the trial comes on, when it will be through it, by jumping out of a win- TY, for the sum of three hundred and talent and experience, in the legisla. laid before the court.

Eve. Post.

that Murray supped with the tamily; with smoke. Ske is recovering. sent he should sleep with him, and water than did many lazy fellows, who ctook him with the trunk into the bed stood with their arms folded, gazing toom. Johnson remained with the on the flames, without assisting to ar-equation buardes playing at cards rest their progress.

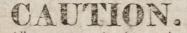
and the hope that something may yet have the ability to perform, and that be rescued, and the final caim dejec- is to furnish a brief sketch of the ortion when the certainty and extent of igin, progress and termination of all ings of the legislature, as usual.

to many of us, and such circumstan-view of the arguments advanced upon the same as heretofore.

the best of the arguments at length. For 6 months, session included, 2 of The re-chartering of the Banks, the For the year,

on them our patrons shall have early before the legislature are very important. The most prominent of these

November 13, 1823.



All persons are hereby cautioned ment; among which will probably b the decrased - The Police declined Mr Konecke escaped from the not to take an assignment of a Due the Potomac and Ohio canal. There

dow in the second story, with a child eleven dollars and seventy-seven cents ture; and we have no doubt that evein his arms ; his wife was carried out, apparently lifeless, having been se. on the Centre and Kishacoquillis'ry public question will receive a due It appears from Johnsons statement, verely burnt, and almost sufficated Turnpike Road Company. The said share of attention, deliberation and

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> MICHAEL M'CORMIC.K Spring township, Dec'r 11, 1823,

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