WASHINGTON CITY.

WEDNESDAY, October 5.

The committee of health of New-York report 9 deaths, and 17 new cases on the 30th ultimo.

Mr. Baldwin, the federal candidate, is elected a representative to Congress for the state of Connecticut; the majority is not stated.

The Committee of Health of Alexandria report 10 deaths for the 48 hours ending October 3d. 10 o'clock.

Mr. Ver Plank is elected a representative to Congress for the state of New-York, in the room of Mr. Bloom, resigned, by a majority of 208 over Mr. Akin. Both the candidates were republican,

MARYLAND ELECTION.

On Monday the election for Representatives in Congress and members of Assembly took place in the state of Maryland. We have only heard form two districts of the county of Prince George.

Bladensburg District.

Republican.	
Genl. Robt. Bowie,	137
A. Van Horne,	139
Peter Wood,	136
Col. W. Lyle,	156
Federal.	
T. Bowie,	111
T. Addison,	108
E. H. Calvert,	109
A. Magruder,	110

For Congress—W. Bowie 168 votes.

VANVILLE DISTRICT.

Republican.		*Federal.*	
Gen. Bowie,	239	T. Bowie,	83
A. Van Horne,	235	T. G. Addison,	80
P. Wood,	239	E. H. Calvert,	80
W. Lyles,	236	A. Macgruder,	80

For Congress.
Walter Bowie, 240.

Last year in Bladensburg, the republican majority was five—this year it is twenty eight.

Last year in Vanville, the republican majority was 141—this year it is 156.

To the re election of Walter Bowie, republican, as a representative to Congress, there is no opposition.

Baltimore City.

For Congress.

Nicholas R. Moore,	2335
William Mac Creery,	2048
George Buchanan,	208

For Assembly.

Thomas Dixon,	2077
Cumberland Dugan,	1525
James Purviance,	630
Edward Alsquith,	329

The United States brig Argus, Lieut. Decatur, from Boston for the Mediterranean, having lost her bow-sprit, has put into Newport.

On the 23d ult. Mr. Harding, an eminent printer and bookseller of Liverpool, possessed of 11,000l. in bank property, cut his throat, under hypochondriac terrors, as was asserted, of the threatened invasion of England.

The two Russian ships Nadeshda (Hope) and Neva, Which are to sail round the world, are ready to depart, and wait only for a good wind. Mr. Chamberlain Resanow, who goes on board them as Russian ambassador to Japan, has received from the emperor the diamond insignia of the Order of St. Anne, of the first Class.

The Republic of the Seven Islands has declared it will observe the strictest neutrality in the present war between France and England.

The French have demanded the toll duty, near Stade, of all Danish vessels coming up the Elbe, but the Danes have protested against this imposition, and are determined to resist it.

Rome has lost one of its most celebrated painters, in the person of M. Dominique Corni, who died lately at the age of 85, and who has left behind him a great number of very fine pictures.

The ex-bishop of Rochelle, Blois, and Arles, have been imprisoned in convents in Spain for *heretical doctrines.* Some of their episcopal publications were submitted to the consideration of a council of Theologians, who unanimously resolved that they were seditious, contrary to the true tenets of the Holy Roman Catholic Church, and to the security of the state. In consequence of this report of the Theologians, his most catholic majesty ordered the suppression of the publications and the imprisonment of their authors.

Intelligence was received at Vienna, on the 20th ult. from Constantinople, that the Porte has refused to shut her harbors against the English, which request is said to have been repeated with threats by the French Ambassador, Brune. It is added, that the splendor with which the new British ambassador was received there by the Grand Seignior, in his first audience on the 21st June, was unprecedented. The Porte had never before distributed such magnificent presents to any ambassador.

Extract of a letter from an American merchant in Bordeaux to a respectable commercial house in New-York dated August 10.

"Tobacco has experienced little or no benefit here yet. At Havre, Dunkirk, St. Malo's, Nantz, and L'Orient, it has risen very considerably, and no doubt will get up here soon. Cotton, Sugar, Coffee, Cocoa, and East-India Goods generally, will be benefited by it, and, from the present aspect of affairs, our Commerce will be much extended and our flag become very valuable, since it is likely to be the only neutral of any importance.

"The crops of grain are uncommonly abundant in France, and promise well in England. Spain may want a supply, but not enough to raise the markets in the United States. Flour is lower here now than at New-York,

The vintage promises to be very great this season, and of course must reduce the price of Brandy and Wines, both of which will probably go very low.

"Tobacco sold a few days ago at Havre for 78 livres, free of any duty; and is as high at other markets.

The most active and vigorous measures are making to invade England. I cannot form any opinion on the result. The French are very sanguine of success and much united,"

Copy of a letter of instructions given by *John M. Forbes*, esq. consul of the United States at Hamburg, to capt. Elliot, of the brig Debby.

Hamburgh, July 13, 1803.

Captain D. Elliot,

Sir—By the protest which you have made before me, it appears that you have been ordered to return to this port by the blockading squadron at the mouth of the Elbe. During the most vigorous blockade of the last war, the most extreme cases decided in the English courts of admiralty, admitted, "that a neutral vessel entering even an enemy's port and fairly and innocently taking on board a cargo prior to any knowledge of a blockade, might be allowed to proceed home with a cargo thus loaded. On this head sir William Scott's opinion on the case of the prow Judith, Volkers, master," (Robinson's admiralty reports, vol. 1. page 150,) will leave no doubt on any mind. This was a case of a vessel coming out of Havre de Grace, August 21, 1798. This being the case as it respects a trade with enemies, I conceive that all precedent must be extremely forced to extend the doctrine of blockade to a vessel under similar circumstances coming out of a port avowedly neutral. My opinion, therefore is, that you should lose no time in proceeding again to sea—should you be visited by any naval force, I would recommend to you to observe the greatest moderation and firmness; to do or say nothing that shall be calculated to irritate those who may have a power over your person or property; to submit to, or even to seek a legal adjudication. On your arrival in a port in England, you will immediately enter your protest, and write to the consul of the United States of America at London, G. W. Erving, Esq. to whom I shall also write, by mail. Your case is so much the stronger, as you not only had loaded, but sailed prior to any knowledge of the existing blockade. On a further perusal of Robinson's admiralty reports, I find that there is not a case in which the subject of blockade is touched, where sir William Scott does not fully and unequivocally declare the same sentiments. In the case of the Juno, Beard, master, page 113, vol II. part III. he used these words—"A ship that has entered previous to a blockade, may retire in ballast, or taking a cargo that had been put on board before the blockade: This is the distinction which I have held, and shall hold, till I am corrected by a superior court."

Besides your protest, you have a certificate from the Secretary of this city, that the blockade was notified by the British Charge d'Affairs, on the 9th inst. With such documents, and under such circumstances, I cannot believe, that a commanding officer of the blockading squadron, will be disposed to give you any unnecessary trouble or insist on a detention, which will fall very heavily on you or him; but I am quite confident you will be allowed to proceed on your voyage. Sincerely wishing this may be the case, I remain with due respect, Sir, your obedient humble servant,

(Signed) JOHN M. FORBES.

New-York, Oct. 1.

By the brig Thetis, from Bordeaux, in the short passage of 27 days, we have received our regular files of the *Moniteur*, (the official paper of the French Government) to the 18th August, inclusive, and Bordeaux papers to the 23d. After an attentive perusal we find in these papers no political movement of consequence that has not been anticipated in the Mercantile Advertiser by the late arrivals from England. From Bordeaux we have obtained a small addition to our marine list. The Moniteur is occupied principally with adulatory addresses to the first consul, notices of captures from the British, and minute details of the preparations making in all the seaports for the intended invasion.

In the Thetis came passenger, Mr. Soult, commissary of commercial relations from the French Republic at Charleston.

A LIST of LETTERS

Remaining in the Post office at Washington city, on the first day of October, 1803.—

A.

Samuel Anderson, William Alison, Thomas Adams.

B.

Richard Butler, 3. Bon Blount Esq. Mrs. Sabinah Bonnau, Isaac Briggs, Esq. Col. Thomas Butler, Richard Bradshaw, Alexander Baxter, care of Robert Spedo, Mrs. Blount, Aaron C. Brumley, John Bride, John Biggs, Richard Bardon, Daniel Bancroft, Geo. Stewart Bull, Mary Baker, Saml. Beal, Patrick Beall, Hannah Bond, Captain Bishop, Lieut. John B. Barnes.

C.

James Colquhown, Esq. 2. Newton Cannon, Lewis Ciplox, Caroline Clagott, care of Mr. Hanson, Zachariah Cox, 2. Abraham Cobett, Charles Constable, Benjamin Cuthbert, William Clingan, Eliza Chandler, William Crane, Thos. M. Collins, William Custard, Russell Canfield, care of Mr. Duane, Nathaniel M. Curless, 2.

D.

Samuel B. Davis, John D. Dickenson, Esq. Messrs. William Duncanson & Co. J. B. Dumoutet, John Dinsy, Daniel Delana, John Dunbare, George Delany, Elinor Davies, William Davidson.

E.

Daniel Eldridge, Matthew L. Edwards, Mrs. Mary Ellicott.

F.

John Fowler, Esq. M'Carty Fitzhugh, Esq. Solomon Forbes, Joseph Faudray, care of John Cherry.

G.

Col. Henry Gaither, 2. William Gray, Mr. Gird, James Gorham, Doctor Robert Grantt.

H.

George S. Hackley, 2. Mr. Henfrey, John Harrison, Abijah Hunt, Colonel Wade Hampton, Mr. George Herring, Caty Hevener, Edward G. Handy, Charles Howel, John Harring, Ann Hand, James Harper, Joseph Higgins, Nathan Holmes, David Hutchings, James Holland, 3, Jeremiah Hunt, David Hagan.

I.

Judges of the Circuit Court, Mr. Jonnson, Thomas Jameson, General William Irvine, Waitor Irvine, Waitor Irvine, William Johnston, William Jester.

K.

Asa King, Timothy Kelly,

L.

Doctor William Latimore, 4. Jacob Lewis, 3. Capt. Merriwether Lewis, 2. Benjamin H. Latrobe, Esq. 2. Colonel Tobias Lear, John Lewis, Christian Lantz, Hillary Lannam, Samuel Lane.

M.

Anthony Merry, Esq. 3. M'Cara & Aridge, Paul Marych, Esq. Capt. Daniel M'Neill, James M'Colley, Joseph Maxwell, Joseph M'Nemara, Thomas Mounger, Smallwood Middleton, Geo. Morrow, James Maines, John M'Cann, care of Mr. Charles M'Nance, Lieut. John M'Rea, Affinity M'Geeuth, Samuel Miler, 2.

N.

Samuel Nicholson, Esq. I. Nicholls, Increase Newhall, Haner Neall, Frederick Nash, Esq.

O.

Capt. John Osborn, Mr. John Otton.

P.

Dr. Ignatius Perez, Henry Peterson, David Phipps, Oliver H. Perry, Robert Plunkett, Mr. Joseph Parsons, George Powers, George Perkins, Ralph Potts, George Parker, Eleanor Pickerell, Jeremiah Plumer, Nathaniel Porter.

Q.

John Quinn.

R.

James Rannie, David Roberts, William A. Rind, 2. Daniel P. Ramsey, Doctor John Ridgely, Messrs. Ross, & Simpson.

S.

Jacob Sohunk, Siah Symson, Captain Cambell Smith, Major Simeon Smith, Thomas Stansberry, Richard Stevens, Charles Shoemaker, Sacurusa and Longboard, (Indians.)

T.

John Thompson, William Tripp, Joseph Talleat, Edward Tonge, Esquire. Michael Thomas, Robert Tamfauit, Nelly Thomas.

U.

William Usher.

W.

Thomas West, 2. George Willis, James Wilson, Thomas Winn, Humphrey Waterman, William Wayne, Joseph Watson, Abraham Werten, Joseph Wilson.

FIVE DOLLARS REWARD.

LOST on the 26th ult between the President's house and the Department of State.

A gold Watch Chain,

Of a single branch, platted and narrow, with a suspended key.

L. A. PICHON.

October 5. 3t

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber an apprentice to the Sail Making business, named

John M'Cleo,

about sixteen years old, of a very youthful appearance, and stammers a little in his speech I will make a generous allowances for any trouble occasioned by the Distance he may be brought from.

DANIEL M'DOUGAL.

Navy Yard, Oct. 5. 3t

A CARD

H. O. HEBERT (from Philadelphia) solicits the attention of the citizens of Baltimore in general, and invalids in particular, to his "Air Pump Vapour Bath," a machine constructed on true philosophical principles, the efficacy of which in gout, rheumatism, palsy, contractions and enlargements of the joints, withered and enlarged limbs, cutaneous and many other diseases, both chronic and acute, can be testified by many respectable persons who have had recourse to it.

This machine comprehends, and combines the application of fomentation and the cupping glass, two of the most powerful external applications for the removal of disease, and that on a plan more extensive than was ever before known.

As many persons who have never seen the apparatus might be deterred from using it either from the reports of prejudiced persons, or fear, they are respectfully assured that its application is not attended with either pain or inconvenience.—It possesses all the good effects of warm bathing, without its attendant consequences, debility and relaxation; on the contrary, it invigorates and strengthens the whole system, but particularly the part to which the machine is applied. Persons desirous of further information respecting the nature and effects of this machine, will please to apply to the proprietor, at No. 3, East street, near the assembly room.

N. B. "The Air Pump Vapour Bath" is particularly adapted for the removal of all obstructions occasioned by violent colds, which are the forerunners of consumptions, &c.

Complaints peculiarly incident to females, which too generally baffle the remedies hitherto applied, and to which they frequently fall victims in the prime of life, are readily and effectually removed by the application of this machine.

May 31.

THOMAS CARPENTER, Taylor

HAS Just received by recent arrivals at Philadelphia, from England, and the East Indies, a handsome assortment of Spring and Summer Goods, of the best quality, also Patent water proof Cloth's and Cassimere's, superior Navy Blue and other colours; handsome Navy & fashionable Buttons, &c,

Gentlemen of Army, Navy and Fashion served with expedition and taste.

New Jersey Avenue, seventh house from Capitol Square and Pennsylvania Avenue near the President's square.

April 13 180 tf

Ten Dollars Reward.

ELOPED from my service on the night of the 3d inst. JAMES STONE an apprentice to the house carpenter business, by birth an Irishman, 19 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high or upwards, of a very yellow complection, short black hair, chews tobacco—Had on and took with him, one white nankeen waistcoat with sleeves, striped, do one pair buskin trowsers, one pair of Russia sheeting, do one pair of thicksett breeches, new shoes lined and bound, a real beaver hat about half worn—He is stout made and walks very upright—Any person that will secure said apprentice in any jail so that I get him again shall receive five dollars if within the District, and ten if without I forewarn any person harboring or employing said apprentice, and all masters and skippers of vessels from taking said apprentice away, as I am determined to prosecute any person that will act contrary to law.

PETER LENOX.

september 9. tawf.

Conveyancer's Office.

THOMAS HERTY,

Grateful for past favors, informs his friends and the public, that he continues to prepare Conveyances of Land, and every other species of Deed or Instrument in the line of his profession, with legal precision, and on moderate terms, Titles investigated, &c.

*** A choice selection of lots on the Pennsylvania avenue and in other desirable situations in the City to lease or sell.

N. B. Herty's Abridgment of the laws of Maryland in 1 vol. and Herty's Digest of the laws of the United States in a vol. for sale at the above office.

City of Washington, April 1st 1803. 2wtf

AN ACT

Supplementary to the act to establish and regulate markets.

Be it enacted by the first and second chambers of the City Council of Washington, That the Mayor may, whenever he shall think proper, allow a market to be held at the East and West Markets on Sundays, under the same regulations and restrictions that are provided in the case of the Center Market, any provision to the contrary notwithstanding.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That every person using or occupying a stall in the capacity of a Butcher in any of the markets in the City, shall pay therefor sixteen cents for each market day he so occupies a stall, or the sum of ten dollars per annum in quarterly payments in advance, to the clerk of the market, who shall pay over the same to the Treasurer.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor be authorised to cause to be provided as many stalls and benches for the markets, and such other improvements in or addition thereto, as may, in his opinion, be necessary; for which purposes the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars is hereby appropriated.

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That a sum not exceeding sixty dollars be paid to the committee constituted for superintending the erection of the West Market for expenses attending the same that remain due.

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the clerks of the Markets to sweep and clean them every market day immediately after holding the same.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That any person who shall wilfully injure the markets, or any part thereof, shall forfeit the sum of Ten dollars for every offence, one half whereof shall be for the use of the city and the other half shall go to the informer.

JOHN P. VAN NESS,
President of the first chamber of the city council of Washington.
DANL. CARROLL of Dn.
President of the second chamber of the city council of Washington.
Approved, September 12th, 1803,
ROBERT BRENT, Mayor.
Copy from the original deposited in my office,
THOMAS HERTY, Reg.
of the city of Washington.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscribers, either in arrears, or whose subscriptions soon become due, are respectfully requested to forward the sums due, should no earlier opportunity occur, by the representatives to Congress who will agree to undertake the agency.

It will be understood that a year's payment in advance is always required; and that papers not paid for will be discontinued.

This notice is given to prevent the unpleasant necessity of discontinuing papers at the present interesting period, when a Session of Congress, of, perhaps, unprecedented importance, is about commencing.

NOTICE.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber of Washington city and county in the District of Columbia, hath obtained from the Orphan's court of said county, letters of administration with the will annexed, on the estate of of James R. Dermott late of said city deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the fifteenth day of April next, they may otherwise be excluded all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 3d day of October, 1803.

ALICE DERMOTT, Administrator,
cum test annex.

October, 3. 1w4w

DANCING.

MR. NUGENT, heretofore a principal dancer at the Theatres of Philadelphia and Charleston, respectfully informs the public that he intends to teach the art of dancing in the city of Washington and George Town. He was regularly bred to that art in France, and has been assistant to Mr. Second the most eminent dancing master in the city of Bath. He is recommended by Mr. Francis, ballet master of the Philadelphia Theatre and dancing master, and by Mr. Quesnet, dancing master in Philadelphia. He thinks it necessary thus to insist on his qualifications, from having seen in various parts of these states men pretend to teach dancing who, he believes, never received a lesson from a dancing master. He will commence school in George Town, on Monday the 12th inst. at Mr. Ritchie's in High street, where further particulars may be known. Commands from the city of Washington directed to him at Mr. Ritchie's George Town, will be punctually attended to.

Mr. Nugent wishes to hire a room convenient for a Dancing School, in the city of Washington.

Sept. 9. 3t—1awif

WAS committed to the goal of Baltimore county as a run away on the 3d inst a negro man by the name of GEORGE FAIRFAX—he is about 17 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, dark complection, bow legged, has a scar over his right eye, and has lost two of his upper foreteeth; he has on a country made cotton shirt and nankeen trowsers—he says he belongs to Mr. Priestly Wright, living in Westmoreland county Virginia, near Cole Carter's mill. If his owner does not release him he will be sold for his goal fees, according to law.

James Wilson, Sheriff.

September 12. 1awtf