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The opinion of a gentleman, just before his going is... SOFT Babe! how an image of a harlequin's mind! How calm that peace which innocence enjoys!

A LOVE LETTER, Sent by a LADY to her LOVER, upon some slight difference. CURST be the Villain, whose presumptions had Breaks open this letter...

EXTRAORDINARY ACT OF JUSTICE. An Historical Piece. A Grocer of the city of Smyrna had a son, who with the help of the little leavening the country could afford...

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of blaming me, pity my being reduced to so cruel necessity. This done he mounted his horse again, and continued his journey, amidst the acclamations of the whole city...

A FRAGMENT. DOES nature refuse to plead for me, (said MIRANDA, kneeling before him) or does the plead in vain? You broke the sacred bond of nature, said the old man...

They are none of mine, said the stern parent, I will never press them in my arms, they will never sit upon my knees, I will suffer no more ingratitude, let him who knows them take the spade and ax and get them bread.

From a late LONDON PAPER. S U I C I D E. A FEW days since a poor man, a native of Ireland, having had some words with his wife, threw himself into the river, and was drowned.

THE Creditors and Debtors to the Estate of TIMOTHY DWIGHT, Esq. are hereby notified that the settlement of his accounts is postponed to some future season, as the administration of Theodore Dwight is at present suspended.

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TICKETS. In the third Class of the STATE LOTTERY, To be sold by Ebenezer Hunt

Daniel Butler, Has just received a supply of GOODS, Which he is determined to sell for Cash at a small advantage from the cost, viz.

WANTED. A Large quantity of yard wide TOW CLOTH and BUTTER, and a generous price given.

APPREHENDED BY AUTHORITY. AND committed to the Goal in this town, on the 29th ult. a transient person, who calls his name BENJER COOLE, alias COON...

WANTED. A LIKELY active LAD, about 14 years of age, as an apprentice to the Sadding business.

JOSEPH HENRY. WE the Subscribers being appointed Commissioners by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Hampshire to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of NATHANIEL MIGHKILLS...

LAND. In the State of Vermont, for sale.

CONGRESS. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. MONDAY, May 24. The bill for the relief of Thomas Jenkins, was read the 3d time, and passed the house; as did likewise the bill for giving effect to an act for the establishment of the judiciary of North-Carolina.

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which they conceive were unjustly exacted from them under the operation of a law of the said State. The petition was referred to the Secretary of the Treasury. Several other petitions were then read.

The several reports of the Secretary at War on the petitions of invalid prisoners were referred to a select committee. A message was received from the President of the United States, notifying the house that he approved of the following acts, and had affixed his signature to the same, viz. An act to prescribe the mode in which the public acts, records, and judicial proceedings in each State shall be authenticated so as to take effect in every other State.

An act to provide for mitigating the forfeitures and penalties accruing under the revenue laws, in certain cases. The house took up the report of the committee of the whole on the funding bill. The first question to be decided on was the report of the committee from further proceeding on the said bill. This was agreed to.

The amendments proposed by the committee to the said bill were next taken into consideration, and agreed to. The clause for funding the contingent money being first amended, by altering the rate of receiving the same from 100 dollars of the said money for one dollar in specie, to 75 for 100. This proposition produced some debate and was decided by yeas and nays.

Yeas—Medin, Ames, Benson, Boudinot, Burke, Cadwallader, Fitzsimons, Floyd, Foster, Gale, Gerry, Gilman, Goodhue, Griffin, Grout, Hathorn, Hugger, Huntington, Leonard, Livermore, Partridge, Renfeller, Sherman, Sedgwick, Sherman, Smith (M.), Silvester, Surges, Sumner, Thatcher, Tucker, Wyalcott. Noes—Medin, Amos, Baldwin, Bloodworth, Carroll, Coles, Conter, Hanley, Heister, Jackson, Lawrence, Lee, Madsding, Mathews, Moore, P. Mulhern, Page, Scott, Seney, Smittinck, Smith (S. C.), Steel, Stones, Trumbull, White, Williamson. Yeas and nays were counted on this day.

This also caused some debate and was decided by yeas and nays. Yeas—Medin, Ames, Foster, Gerry, Gilman, Goodhue, Grout, Hathorn, Hugger, Leonard, Livermore, Partridge, Sedgwick, Sumner, Thatcher, Tucker. Noes—Medin, Amos, Baldwin, Benson, Bloodworth, Boudinot, Burke, Cadwallader, Carroll, Coles, Conter, Fitzsimons, Floyd, Foster, Gale, Griffin, Hartley, Huntington, Heister, Jackson, Lawrence, Lee, Madsding, Mathews, Moore, Mulhern, Page, Parker, Renfeller, Sinnamon, Sherman, Sylvester, Smith, (S. C.) Smith, (M.) Steel, Stone, Surges, Trumbull, White, Williamson, Wyalcott. A motion was made by Mr. Carroll, that the several reports from the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary at War, and the Commissioners for funding the accounts between the United States and individual States, should be printed. This motion gave rise to much debate; and on the question to agree to the same it was negatived—yeas 27—noes 29. The house then proceeded in the further consideration of the bill for funding the debt of the United States. A motion was made and contended for to strike out that part of the bill which places indents issued for interest now due on the same footing as the principal; appeal was made to the chair whether it was in order; the chairman gave it his opinion that it was; an appeal from the judgment of the chairman was made to the committee, who confirmed the declaration—yeas members sitting in favor of the affirmative; some further debate ensued on the idea which had been suggested of taking up the business of assumption in a separate bill—Mr. Smith (S. C.) moved an amendment to the amendment proposed by Mr. Gale—which was to strike out what relates to discharging the committee—this motion the chairman declared was not in order. The question being put on Mr. Gale's amendment, it was carried in the affirmative. The committee then rose, and the chairman reported that they had gone through the discussion of the twelve first sections of the bill making provision for the public debt of the United States. The question whether the committee should be discharged was presented from being taken, by an adjournment being called for.—Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow.