



## LAWRENCEBURGH.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1827.

**Contrast.**—The Boston Patriot, of the 3d inst., says, "there was in our market yesterday a plentiful supply of peaches of an excellent quality, at from \$1 50 to \$2 the bushel." An abundance have been offered in our market for some time past at 12 1-2 cents per bushel. This delicious fruit dried can be had here at from 62 1-2 to 75 cents the bushel. Who that loves peaches or peach brandy would live in Boston?

**Squirrels.**—For about a week past the country in the neighborhood of this place, has been literally overrun with black and grey squirrels emigrating to Kentucky. They are constantly crossing the Ohio river above and below this town in vast numbers, earnestly pursuing their course east, with very little delay, save what is necessary to satisfy the demands of nature. Great havoc is daily made among them by boys and men, as they pass, with guns and clubs; some killing 40 or 50 in a few hours. Various conjectures are afloat as to the object of their Journey—Some suppose that they are repairing to Washington City, to enter complaint against the whites for encroachments on their territory in the west, and cutting down their beach and hickory trees; others, that they are only on a visiting tour to their friends in Kentucky, to congratulate them on the result of the late elections:—Be the cause what it may they, will have great reason to be sorry, upon a numerical review of their numbers, that so many of them have fallen into the hands of their enemy, who seem to "look on blood and carnage with composure."

**Large Apples.**—The editor of the Raleigh (N. C.) Star, says that he has been presented with two fine Apples, by Mr. Green Hill of that county: which measured in circumference, one 12 1-2 and the other 12 inches.—Although we are not in the habit of boasting, we can assure the editor that we can beat him all hollow.—We have just measured an apple, taken from the orchard of Mr. Ferris of this place, which measures full 14 inches in circumference, and weighs 18 ounces.—Such apples as these however are not considered here in the west as any thing extraordinary; as we have no doubt we could find a great number in this county, that would far exceed the specimen here given.

### COMMUNICATION. TO THE EDITORS.

As to the beneficial effects of internal improvements of all kinds, there seems to be in our country but one voice; the correctness of the general principles, and the utility of practising it, has been ably enforced by some writers in your paper. The pieces signed Fenelon deserve the most serious attention of every individual that feels the smallest interest in the prosperity and happiness of his fellow citizens.

We find that in every part of the United States the people seem to be alive in promoting, as far as in their power, not only the general interest of the community, but also the local interest of every section of the country. The state of Indiana seems to be behind her sister states in this laudable object; I am pleased however to find that there are some hopes of her citizens getting out of this stupor and lethargy, as a society has been formed in this county for the purpose of promoting its agricultural and mechanical interests. Its objects are to take into consideration the resources of the county with the sole view of drawing them into complete effect; to consider what mechanical branches can wholly or in part supply its demands; and what part of the raw materials can be produced by the farmer. One particular object of the society is to elucidate and inculcate the propriety of following this first of principles:—that it is ruinous policy to go abroad for such articles as can be supplied at home.

There is no doubt but this, like every other praise worthy institution, will have its enemies. The speculators who enrich themselves by impoverishing the most industrious part of the community will raise the hue and cry against it, although they cannot with any solid argument attack its principles; they will with an unsparring hand declaim about

its futility. It is however to be hoped that the society will go on without fearing the frowns of this class, or even deigning to court their favor. That the beneficial effects of this exertion to promote the public weal may be felt by every part of the country, is the sincere wish of the

#### Recluse of the Valley.

**The Storm.**—Much damage was done by the late storm in almost every section of the country from which we have received information. At and near Wilmington, on our coast, its effects were severely felt. Most of the salt works were greatly injured and a considerable quantity of salt was lost. Crops generally have suffered severely, and many horses and cattle lost. There were but few vessels in the river, and therefore but little injury was sustained by the shipping. Avery's Wharf at Smithville, is considerably injured; and the inlet opposite Masonborough Sound, is widened at least half a mile. A letter from Elizabeth City, situate near our more northerly coast, states that the gale was very destructive, not only to the corn crops and bridges, but also to the shipping along the coast. Five vessels were driven ashore at Teache's Hole and one was drifted into the sound; her fate not known. There were but six vessels in Wallace's Channel, and all of them were driven ashore. The William and Frederick, and another schooner, were driven ashore at the Marshes. A large schooner, from Boston, with a full cargo, principally barrels was driven ashore a little to the northward of Cape Hatteras. The packet ship Louisa Matilda, from New-York, with a full cargo bound to Savannah, was driven ashore on Boddy's Island, and has gone to pieces. Five small coasting vessels, in ballast, are ashore between Cape Hatteras & Currituck Inlet. The Norfolk papers say that the gale was nearly equal in violence to the memorable tempest which swept over that town in Sept. 1821; but owing to the excellence of their harbour, the shipping was not much injured. Accounts from Danville, Petersburg and Richmond, Va. give painful intelligence of the extensive injury done to the crops of corn and tobacco.

N. C. Star.

We learn from the "News," published at Washington, Georgia, that a most violent fever rages at that place and the surrounding country; and that the number of deaths is almost without parallel. In many families, there is not a single person in sufficient health to administer to the sick. The grand jury had requested an adjournment of the Court, in consequence of the general bad health of the citizens of the county; but the Judge did not comply with the request.

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**YORK, (U. C.) AUGUST 16.**  
**Fever.**—A fever of the typhoid type has got into this town,—the emigrants have brought it:—two or three men are now lying in the general Brock tavern. **Dreadful Mortality at the Deep Cut.**—A person from Niagara district inform us that the same sickness which prevailed so much last year, is this season thinning the ranks of the laborers and workmen on the Welland canal at an alarming rate. Not less than thirty died in one day. So great is the panic that upwards of 200 men have quit the canal and are going away.

**DOYLESTOWN, (PA.) AUGUST 23.**  
**Shocking Accident.**—On Thursday morning last about 10 o'clock, while Abraham Delp, of Buckingham township, was engaged in drawing out a blast of powder which had filled into an auger hole for the purpose of blowing a limestone rock; it unexpectedly went off, and mangled him in a dreadful manner. In the afternoon both his hands were amputated above the wrists, but he was so severely bruised in other parts of his body, that he expired the same evening. We understand the hole was 52 inches deep and contained one and a half pounds of powder; there were other persons in the quarry, but they received no injury. Mr. Delp was sober and industrious,—a good citizen, and has left a widow and six children to bemoan the loss of a kind husband and an affectionate parent.

**Accidents.**—Chauncey Lewis, a powder pedlar, was blown up with a blacksmith's apprentice named Rufus McIntire, who was repairing his waggon in Suffield, Conn. and had unfortunately laid a hot iron to near a keg of powder, when four or five kegs instantly exploded. The apprentice died in a few hours, and the recovery of the pedlar is doubtful.—Mr. John Hitchcock, of Sandy Hill, N. Y. aged 74 years, was precipitated into his cellar on the 20th ult. in consequence of having mistaken the cellar door for that of his bed-room. He died immediately.—Mr. Walter Folger, Jr. of Nantucket, while on a sporting excursion a few days since, had his right hand dreadfully mangled by the discharge of a double barreled fowling piece which he was loading. The thumb was entirely shot away, and several fingers rendered useless.

Com. Porter, in a letter to the editor

of the Louisiana Advertiser, explicitly denies having violated the neutrality of this country during his stay at Key West, as the Spanish Admiral has asserted; and in a letter to Com. Ridgely, he assures him, that if the United States' government should think otherwise, and notify him thereof, he will withdraw his fleet at once, provided the blockading squadron is not too strong.

Boston Patriot.

**The London Advertiser** is stated to be "the largest sheet ever printed." We have measured it. The length is four feet, breadth two feet ten inches. The largest paper printed in this country is the National Intelligencer. It is in length, three feet four and three-fourths inches; breadth 28 inches. Dem. Press.

Mr. Carter Beverly has instituted a suit against the editor of the Wheeling (Va.) Gazette, for a libel in charging the defendant with falsehood and misrepresentation in his letter to the editor of the U. S. Telegraph.

Two deaths by yellow fever occurred in New Orleans, on the 2d inst.

Two men says the Lawrenceburgh Advertiser, were yesterday, apprehended and taken into custody at the Lake, on suspicion of being utterers of counterfeit money. Forged notes of the United States to a large amount were found on their persons. They have since been committed to prison.

About 70 men, suspected of an intention to join a Mexican vessel of war off the Belize, were captured at Poverty Point, and taken to New Orleans, on the 8th inst; 10 of which, on their arrival in that city, were discharged without a recognition; 24 were admitted to bail, and 36 lodged in prison.

### Notice.

THE subscriber having removed his Store, requests all persons indebted to him, to call and settle with DANIEL BAGERMAN Esq; who has my books and notes in possession.

ERASMIUS FOUSEY

Sept. 21, 1827. 37-1f.

### NOTICE.

I AM in need of money to pay my debts. All persons indebted to me, will do well to damage the same, the first week in October. After that time, you may expect to find in your accounts in the hands of proper officers for collection.

JOSEPH ST. TIER

Sept. 22. 8-7. 37-1f.

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