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Beine tur third after Leap-yEAR. The affronomical part (which is much more enpinus than ufual) is adopted to the latitude and meridian of PHILADELPHIA; but may, without material irror, be ufed in

Pennfylvania, New-Jerfey and Delaware.
The felected Pieces (of which there is a conjiderable variety in PROSE and VERSE)
Have been chofen with care; and nowitit inconfflent with the tenents of Friends, is admitted into any part of this work.

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EgMiANATION Of the BIrARACTERS. \&C, Ufed ing this AIMANAC.

## TEE PLANETS.

OThe Sun,
The Moon,
ठ Mercury,

| \& Venns, | If Jupiter, |
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| Fhe Earth, | F Saturn, |
| f Mars, | Eerchel. |

8. The Moon's, or any other plenet's Afcending Node. The Defcending Nude.
Conjunction, or planets fithated in the fame lengitude.
Quadratare, or panets fated in longitudes difering three hiyns from each other.
2 Oppofition, or plancts firy ed in oppafite longitudes, or differing iix figns from each other.
Pm. 11 10. A3. 22 A. fignifies that there is an emerfion of Jupiter's firt fitellite at 10 hours 43 m nutes 22 feconds afiernoon.
lin. $2 f=4.738 \mathrm{M}$. fignifies that there is an immertion of Jupiter's fint fritellte at 4 bours 7 minutes 38 feconds morning. * A fixed Aar, in general.

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\text { Ni. Worth, } & \text { Inf. Inferior, } & \text { M. ar Mo. Morning,: } \\
\text { S. Sonth, } & \text { Suk. Superior, } & \text { A. or Af. Afterioon. }
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## \$IGNS of the ZODIAC.

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s.
42 Lea,
5 頨 Virgo,
6 角 Libra,
7 ml Scorpie,

| \&. <br> 8 s Sagitta <br> 9 he Caprico <br> 10 m Aquar <br> II $\underset{\text { P Pilces. }}{ }$ |
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## CHRONOLOGICAL CYCIES.

Dominicalletlor, - - - F. Solar Cycle, - $\quad$ - 6. Lunar Gycle, or Golden Number, I4. Roman Indiction, 12. Epact, - - - - - - 23 .
N. B. g. is prefixed to thofe inmerfions and emerfions of Jupiter's firt Satellite which are vifible at Greenwich; and to thofe corinnetions of the Moon with fixed fars, or planets, which are occultations there.

Not eeng fupplied with Greek letters, the fixed fiars could not be expreffed by Bayer's charcsers; they are therefore, defigmated by the correfponding letters-thus:
For Alpha we have put a-Rata, b-Gamma, 5-Delta, dEpfolon, é-Zeta, z-Eta, ē-Treta, th-Iota, $i-1$ Kappa. $h$ -

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## PRERACE.

## The AU CHOR to the READER.

I
HAVE, for feveral years paif, in common, I believe, with the religions ficiety of which I ana meruber, felt mach difupponbation at many things which conflitute a part of moft, if not ail, the almanacs, in common we amongit as; thims. which, I conceive, have originated from the corrupt roots of idolatry and fieperfition. Ou: of the former, has arifen the names common'y given to the dyys of the week, and to many of the months; arit out of the buter, the pretence of foreknowing the particular kind of weather for the ficceeding year; the notion of the muns's gaverning fuccelfively twelve different potions of the human body, accordin: as the is fucceffively in the twelve figns of the Zodise, \&e.

I belicve I cenmot better exprefs my objection to the names lyy, which the davs of the week ard many of the months are commonly ra!led, than in the words of that faithful minilar of Chrit, fohaChurchman, in a dalogue with a perfon, who requelted join'o come to hin un Seturdays and Wedruplaj;s. "I afked him (fans $\mathrm{J}(\mathrm{hn}$ ) what dars of the week thofe were which he called Sem diay, and Wedneflay? he feemed to wonder at my ghoranca, but knew not how to tell me ohterwife; I fail, I do not read in the feriptures of any days fonaned; the replied, that is trae ; fir what reafne then, Isid I, dol thou call them fo? becaure it is a comation entinmaran he: fuppofe then, faid I, that we lived ia a heathen country dmong inctels who minimed iduls, houdwo follow their ciffoms becanfe common? he replicily rememit ! then faid, if I have underfood righty, the heathens gave itg days of the weck thofe naress: 'I never hearl that before, fand 10 , priy for what reafon? I anfwered, they worthipped the fon on the firit day of the week, and named it, afier their idol, Sunday ; the moon on the fecond day of the week, fo came Mondzy, and the other daye after oither idole, for they had many gods; thiel day they Titod fuefuzy after their idol Turfen; and after their idal Woden, forrh day they colied Wumeflay and fifih day, after their ido! Thor, they callod Thurday; fo- riven. Winday, arid after Saturii they colled the lesenth day Saturday; and as $\frac{1}{2}$ beliere in 'e only true God and Jefus Chrift, whon he baih fens,
and expet eternal life by ne other name or power, I dare not for confcience fake own the gods of the heathen, or name a day after them; but choofe the names which the days were called by, when the Mof High performed his fereral works of ereation, viz. firf, fecond, third, and fo on, which is fcriptural, and mon plain and cafly undertiood."
1 I object to the npinion that any man, as a mere natural philofopher, can foretell the weather, farther than (as our Saviour told the Pharifees) "When it is evening (he may fay) it will be fair weather, for the fley is red; and, in the morning, it will be foul weather to-day, for the fkey is red and lowering. When te fees a cloud rife out of the well (he may fay) there cometh a fhower; and when the foulh wind hows there will be heat." By carefully obferving the appearance of the amofpiere, a max any , fometimes. make a tolerable guc/s at the weather for a day or two beforehand; and any pretence of forcknowing more than this, without the fpirit of prophecy, as natural phitofophy fur3 ithes neither foudation roor roles, munf be fuperflitious.

The fath fcens to be pretty weli attefled that the mind of man, when affected with what is called lunacy, undergoes a periodical - hang", correfponding to the moon's poffition with refpect to the funt, that is, with refpett to her being new or full, increaling or decreafing. For aught I know, oher hings may be alfected by the fane canfe; as, by the power of gravity, he undoubtedly has forme influence upon our atmofphere, and as the quantity of light S.e affords us is conlantly increafing from her change to hor fall, and conllanly decreafing from her fuil to her change. Bui this hass no conneyion with the moon's being in any particular fign of the Zodiac; as fie is new and fuill, increafing and decreafing in the fome fign, at different times; natural philofophy furnithes :o foundation for believing that the moon has any appropriate influence on one fart of the animal frame at one cim:, and on another part acanotiner time. Preterdud predis: ons of the weather, the notion, juf mentionti, of the ligns, and any belief in craimores afpets of the planets and Qars, are the remains of that ancien fuperthious afirology, long fince exploded, by all men of real fcience. I believe there is not a man to be found, poffeffed Ot kiowledge cromg to calculate an almanac, with accuracy, who cives not know thai fuch notione are idie and fuperflitious. It may Le afked, why then do they consinue to publith them, from year 10 year, as an efferitial pari of ineir almanacs? - Their caimen uxcufe is, "People in general (fay thag) rely fo muet, on the ef things, that whour thatu, no almanac would fell-that almof the fivuc impretfion would lie upoat the gublifice's hands, leaving him his labor for his "ains."
$I$ believe otherwife, and an willing, as appears by the prefent intance, to rik confiderabty upon the illue, buning that the number of my fellow citizens, who are rivetted to firh frpeta Ations, is comparaticely fmait. When a man is accuftumed to regard the planets, their perpetally varied poiftions, and afpeet, as difpenfing good or evil so him, in resulating the weather, on which mav depend plenty, or faxine, in sovernsy heath or difeafe, bife or death, alfo his heahit, by influencins, the feveral part of his body in rotation; will not fuch a dif: pofition tend to weaken (to fay the leaf of it) that heart-tendering? Senfe of ronflant dependence, or graitude $: o$, and reverent ado. ration of his Saviour, which a chillian ought to feel?-Ought he not raber to confider the planets; as they really are, valt? bodies of matter, although works of the fame Almighty hand, as inanimare and tenfelefs as the earth on which he treads; and' fratefully to receive every blefing which he enjoys as coming inmediately from the only tree God, the fountain of life and light; humbly fubmitting alfo to every feeming evil whictay may befal him, as a judgment from the fame fource, merciftlly: intended for his correction and amendment.

I have adapted the apparent time of each phenomenon to the latitude and meridian fer which the Almanac is calculated; except the rranfi of Mercury; the frn eclipfe ; the immerfions. 2nd emertions of Jupiter's firl fatellite; and the conjunctions of. the Moon with fixed fars; of which, in all the Ahmanacs, the apparent time at Wafhington is fet down, it being intended to: reckon our longitude from thence, as the eftablifined feat of government.

Owing to a concurrence of many circumflances, which I hope will not commonly be the cafe with me, the feafon was fo $f_{d r}$ advanced before I could get this work ready for the prefs, that 1: fear it will be fonnds incomplete in many particulars. Mowever, if my friends approve of the general defign, and will kindly extufe the imperfetions incident to a fill attempt, and want of fufficient time, I mean to fpare so pains to make mys. future ones more complete and fatisfactory. There may be fome insccuracies in the lif Friends' meetings, but it was the belt $I$ could obtann. I propofe to take meafures for having that and a more extenfive account of courls quite correct in my next.


* FINDING my name ufurped, in one inflance, as the author of an Almanac which is :0, ne of it mine, except merely the aftronomical calculations, I think it neceffary to caution my friends, who wifh to have mine, againf impofition, by affuring them, that whatever the title may be, none is Briggs's Almanac but thofe which have bis name to the preface; and this he means to make a ftanding rule in all future impreflions.


## ISAAC BRIGCS.

Rule for finding the time of High Water at the following places.
Add to the Nioon's fowthing, the quantities of time annexed, and the fum, if it be under 12 hours, or its excels above 12 hours, if it be greater, wil! be the time at each place of high water refpectively.
Philadelphia, and Wilming H .
ton (Delaware) - - 2
Albany, - -

Amioy, Cape May, Main Ocean, Port Rofeway, Providonce, Rhode Hlans, and
Sandy Hook, - - 8
Annapolis (Mary.) Charlefton Lt. Houfe, and Puryf-
burg (South-Carolina)
Apnapolis (N. Scotia) Hack. enfack, Halifax, Penobfent, Polepels Ifland, and Queber, - - -
Botton, Cafco Bay, ReedyIlland, Saybrook, and Williamsburg (Virginia) -
Eridgetown, E. Jerley) Bruf. wick (N. Carolina) Burlington, Cape Henlopen, Cockfpur (Georgia) Eliza. heth Town Point, NewL.Dmbus, Nicw- Jork, Sand


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## ECLIPSES for the TEAR 1709.

THERE are but two eclipfes this year, both of the Sun, and a tranfit of Mercury over the Sun's difk, viz.

> Firll Eclipfe.

On the $4^{\text {th }}$ of the $5^{\text {th }}$ month, invifible in the United States. of at 7 h. 6 in . afternoon. The Sun will be centrally eclipfed on the merdian, at 7 h . m . afternon, in longitude $10 j^{\circ} 22 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~W}$. and latitude $8^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$.

In Mexico, this eclipe will begin a little before Sun-fet, which will be the neareft approach of its vilibility to us.

Second Eclipre.
On the 28 th of the 10th Month, vifible in the Southern and Weftern fates. A line, pafing foutheaftwardly through Lake superior and Lake Michigan, near the weft end of Lake Erie, near the fouthwent corner of Pennyy V ania, mear Clarkifurg and Stannon, and confiderably fouthweft of Peterflourg in Virgima, very near Edenton in NorthCarolina, and into the Atlantic Ocean at Cape Hatteras, will divide thofe parts northeaftward, where this erlipfe will not be vifible, from thoie fouthweft ward, where ir will be vifible.

The following is a lift of the principal places in the United States, where this eciiple will be vilible, with the time of its heginnine, middle, and end, and its quantity, or the number of digits eclipfed, at each place. The firit impreffion will be on the right hand of the sun's fouchern limb.

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| North-Carolina, | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Salifiury } \\ \text { Einctevil }\end{array}\right.$ | $10 \leq 3$ | $\begin{array}{ll}11 & 19 \\ 11 \\ 18\end{array}$ | II 145 |  |
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| Georgia. | Savanna | 1143 | YI 22 | $\bigcirc 19$ att | $1 \frac{1}{2}$ |
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## The TRANSIT or MERCURY

Happens on the $7^{\text {th }}$ of the $5^{\text {th }}$ monih, partly vifible, as reprefented in the following firure.


THE circle, $V O S G$, reprefents the The curve, $\bigvee m$ c $E$, is Mercary's

Sun's di0.
$\boldsymbol{V}$, his vertex, or highcit point.
Vbs, a vertical circie, or perpen- The poinis Vh, Vih, VIIh, \&-c. redicular, paffing through the Sun's center.
HbO, a line parallel to the horizon, or level, paffing alfo through the Sun's center.
The curve, a bd, is the part (with refpect to the perpendicular, $V$ $b$ S) of the point in the ecliptic, anlwering to Mercury's geocensric longitude.
path, withrefpect to the perpendicular, V i S. prefents Mercury's place at the 5 th. 6th, 7 , ac. hour-the point m , his place at the middle of the trinfit or his neareft appreach in the Sna's center-the point $c$, his place at the momeni of the eciiptical conjunction; and $F$, his egrel's, or the end of the tranfit.


This mode (although a troublefrome one io the calculator) of reprefenting Mercury's path, by making a vertical circle, inftead of the ecliptic, the bafis of the pinjection, is preferred, in a publication addrefled to the commanity at large, becatife, to thofe ur acquainted with afronomy, it is a nuch beiter direction where io look for Mercury on the Sun's difh, or face, at any parisular time during his paflure. No one, but an allronomer, can judge whith any precifion, of the pofition of the ecliptic, as it is, every moment, dhanging with refject to an obferver on the earth's furface : butam one can judge what would be the direcion of a piamb-line, pafling through the Sun's center.

Mercury's path, in the above figure, is adapted to the city of Waftington. It was thought unnecelfary to make a projetion for each place where this almanac may be ufed, as the dillerence between this prath and one adapted to any other place, within the United States, will be not at all material. In all places northeaffuard of Waflington, Mercury will appear a little higher on the Sus's face before the middle of the tranfit, and a litie jower afterwards: An' lia piaces fouthwettward ol.
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To avoid the trouble of calculating parallaxes, all the circumfances of this tranfit are fet down fuch as they would be if viewed from the earth's center; as the greatelt difference that could occur between an obfervation made tbere, and a correfponding one, in any place on its firface, would not amount to tho minutes of luse.
A. E. Nirnough I have carefully calculated this tranfit, trice over, from the tables in the therd edition of De la Lande's atironomy (the moft approved, I believe, of any alronomical tables now extaut) yet my calculation difers, in time, more than an hour, from that in the Nautical almanac. We mult leave it 10 Dercury himfolf to ciesmine which is neareft to the truth.

FIRST MONTH—MDCEXCIX,
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af. Cenre Fox (for whole hirth Mand parentage, fee Seweil's hit lory, page $6,8 \% c$ ) was the firfl I of thefe people. He was of a grave fate turn from his in. 7. 15 3: af fancy : always averfe to the fol10 2 af. lies of youth, and defirous of notbing fo minch as to be preCerved in innocence and fimpliaf ciry. He was early remarked as an example in tnefe refpects, m. If 9 Irrgarand of inflexible integrity. Rezulus s. 06 M When a yoith, he was defirous b. VI I25 Y 550 M , bave all thenes th pieare Gon, Spica 顺ris. $94{ }^{5}$ ar. and cutiouly avoided every M thing that either foripture, or af the diezates of his cwn confcilence, taught him io believe was foftenf:e. As he grew up, this difooftion increarod; it coll him much difrefs. But at length he M was fatisfe?, in refpect to many Mdoubts he had adroitted; and a tainel mucil experience by the mines he had fuffers. This enthled him to initruz others: Mind about the year I647 $_{47}$, we The frut of the fpirit is love, ioy, peace, !ong-fufering, sentleneis, goodnels, faith, meeknels, iemperance : againit fuch there is no !aw.

Add to your fatin virtue, and to virtue knowledse, and to -knowledge te nperance, and to temperance patience, and to patience godlinefs, and to godlinefs brotherly kindnefs, and to broherly kindne?s charity.

But he that lacketh thefe things is lind, and cannot fee afar off, and haih forgotten that he was purged from his old fins.

\& For if thofe thess he in you, and abound, thov make arnm that ye flatil neither be horen nor unfiuifful in th. Wh Knowled ae of our Lord Jefus Chrill.
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- Wherefore the rather, brethren, give diligence to make your calling and election lure; fur if ye do the te things, ye hall never tall.

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Pure religion and undefiled kefore God the Father is this, to vifit the tabierlefs and widows in their affiction, and to kerp himitif unipotted from the world.

## Contaning 30 Days.

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BLESSED are the meek, for they thall inherit th earih.

Yet a little while, and the wicked thall not be: yea, thou halt diligenty confider his place, and it fhall not be fuend : out the meek ीall isherit the earth, and that delight themelves in the abundance of peace.
The ornament of a meak and quiet fpirit is in the fight or ${ }^{*}$ God of great price.

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## Containing gi Days.



The Iord taketh pleafure in his people; he will beaunify the meek with falvation.

A foft anfwer turneth away wrath, but, grievous words frir up anger.

Learn of me, for 1 am meek and lowly in heart, and $y \mathrm{e}$, fhall find reflusto your fouls.

SIXTH MONTH——muccexcix,
Moon's Phafes. 1 Planers places, \&c.


$I T$ is appointed unto men once to die, and after death the judgment.

formed under the moving of the Holy Spirit in our hearts, yet without derogatingofrom the neceflity amd utility of public united worfhip, in which their con$M$ ftancy and fufferings have been f remarked.

A11. That haptifm is a pure and fpiritual thing: the bapum of the fpirit and of fre.

AIII. That the communion. of the body and blood of Chritt is inw ard and piritual.
XIV.- hat it is not lawful for any human authority, to furce the contcienees of others on account of difference of worthip or opinior, exce t fuch oprions tend to the prejudice of one's af rielistbour, in his ine or eflate, or are imconfflent wilh human feciesy.
$X V$.-That as the end of religion is to redtem man from the M fpirit of this world, and to lead into inward commurion with God; therefore all vain cutlons

So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts to widdom.

Lord make me to know mine end, and the meafure of $m y$ days, what it is, that I may know how frail I am.

Behold thou haft made my dags as an banc-breadth, and mine age is as nothing before thee; verily evary man at his beft enate is altogether vanity.

Surely every man walketh in a vain thew, furely they are difquieted in vain: he heapeth up riches, and knoweth not who fhall gather them. And now, Lord, what wait I for ? My hope is in thee.

SEVEN1H MUN:IFI—MDCCxCIx,

Noon's Phafes. Planets Places, \&s.

 All fleflit is as grafs, and all the giory of man as the flower of the grafs: the grafo withereth, and the flower thereof farcth, but the word of the Lord endureth fur ever.

Containing 31 [Jays.

and habis are to be ejected, which tend to divert the mind trom a fenfe of the fear of God, and that evangelical pirit wherewith chrinlians ought to be leventd.

## On WAR.

## By ANTHONY BENEZET.

 FRIENDS declare againft being conceraed in the defrution of their fellow men, who equally with themfelves are the objects of faving grace ; hence they can take no pert in war, bein perfunded that all wars fland in oppofition to the intent and nature of the gofpel: War being the fad effect of the fall of man; a fall from meetnefs, purity and love, into fenfuality, pride revenge a d wrath. The apofle James, Chap. 4th, hath fated the queftion with refpect to the caufe of war, fo as to prealude all difficulty and doubt about it: "Frow whenee co ne wars and "fightings anong you, cone :s they not heace, even of yo: -The time is thort; it remainoth, that both they that have wives, be as though they had none: and they that weep, as though they wept not; and they that rejoice, as thoigh they rejoieed not; and they that buv, as thoigh shey on. Ted not: and they that ufe this world, as not abuftay for the fathion of this world paffeth anav.Alrheugh a llition comeh nor forth of the 4 ? , neither dath tro sble fpring out of the wround ; yet rasin is born untu rouble, as the foarlis fll upward.
EIGHTH MONTH——mDccxcix,





"lufts." James iv. I The evident fruits of a fpirit contrary to the fpirit of Chrif, op. pofite both in its nature and et. fotts to the pure religion ho hath called men to the practice of: wherefore they are convinced that the followers of the meek and peaceable Jefus, ought to, take no part io war; but rather to labour in the ability received from the bleffed Mediator, to reconcile men unto God and one unto another. "Eleffed " (faith our merciful Saviour) "are the meek for they thall " inherit the earth: Eleffed are " the peace makers for they "Thatl be called the children of "Gol," Mat. v. 5. 90 They will eajoy that peace of God which paffeth all humsin underfanding. And the Aponle Speak. ing of the believers adds, "Tho" "we walk in the flefh, we do "not war afier the fleh, for "the weaposes of our warfare "are not carnal." 2 Cor. $x$. 3. 4. They lonis upen the gofpcl of Jefus Chrit to be an eminent difplay of divine be-

Then I looked on all the works that $m y$ hands had wrought, and on the labour that I had laboured to do, and belold, all was vanity and rexation of fpirit,- and there was no profit under the fun! But,

Blefed are the dead which die in the Lord, from henceforth; yea, faith the fpirit, thatothey may rel from their labours; and their works do follow them.

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nignity and love to mandind； that the fon of Cod tcok upon him flefin and fuifered，and died to deitroy that enmity which thró fin had prevalied over the whole auman race，and to re－ fore unto fallen man the firf life of purity and love ；＂o leav． ＂ing us（laith the apofile）an ＂example that ye flould fol－ot ＂low his fepe．I Peter ii．\＆i．盆 They believe the wars natn－ tionced in the ofr Teltament aft ios ford no，argimint for its con－缶 tinuance under tbe golpel，n inch is declared to te＂the brirring ＂in of a better hore；by the ＂which we（iraw nirh unio Goi，Heb．vii． 59 a dipenfa－ tion of peculiar love and mex－ cy to manisid，which oux Sa－ viour hisalelf iainguithes from， the former difpeniation，when he Gags：＂Yie haveheared dluat＂3 ＂it hath been faid，An eje for for ＂s an eye and a toorh for a ＂ ＂ooih；but fing unto yeu． ＂That ye rein not evil；adoin． ＂Ye have heared that it hath ＂been faid，Thou fiait love w ＂ihy weighbour anti hate thine ＂enemy ：But I fay unto you， ＂Lcve your enemics，blets

Mark the perfegt uan，and behold the uplight，for the end of that mar is peace．




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them that curle you, do good to them tbat hate you and - pray for ilem which cefplte- ? " fully ufe you and periecute f you, that ye may be the " children of your father which for " is in heaven." Mat. v. 38 , $39,43,41,55$

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And however threatesing the maintenance of this peaceable tefimony may appear，of tring－ ing deep fuffering upon thofe who are faithful thercin ；yet they believe that Cbrif the blef－ fed Shepherd of his flock，will ever upholu thofe who fainfally

Happy is the man that findetli wifdom，and the man that getteth uaderfanding．For the merchandife of it is better than the merchandife of filver，and the gain thereof than fire gold．



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Honour the Lord with thy flublance, and with the firffruits of all thise increafe ; fo thall thy baras be filied with plenty, and thy preffes fhall burfiout with new wine.

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follow him, in the meek, forgiving, fuffering fpirit. They cannot confider vietories obtained by the deflrution of men, as occafions of rejoicing; much lefs as frbjects of thenkfgiving to the creator of mankind; a God of lore, of peace and geodnefs, "God is love g and he that dwelleth in love, dwellerh in God and Ged in him." John iv. 16. but regard them as occafions of lamentotion, and mourning, toth on account of thofe who, irflamed with rage, and defiled with blood, are precipitued into an awful eternity, and of thofe who are leff to 量are and deplore the defolations of war; alfo in the confideration, that the underftandin of any, who bear the Chriftian name, fhould be fo exceedingly blind to the nature of the gofpel, as to inmgine its Divine Author, who declases "f He came not to defirny mens lives; but to fave them," Luke ix. $5^{6}$, ran look with favour on fuch addreffes, as arife from a condiet toialiy repugnant to the great end of Lis coming.

## HYMN, from PSALM 148.

EEGIN, my foul, the exalied lay!
Let each eriraptur'd thought otey,
And praife th' Almighty's name,
Lo! Heaven end L arth and leas and flies,
To fwell th' Inf piriug theme.
Ye fierds of light, celeflial plains,
Where gay tranfporting beauty reigns, Ye fcenes divincly fan?
Your Maker's wond'rous poner proclain;
Tell how he form'd our fhining frame,
And breath'd the thuid air.
Yt angels, catch the thrilling found!
While all th' adoring throtes around His bounblefs mercy fing:
Let every liftring fint above
Wake all the tuneful foul of love. And touch the a weetell fring.
Join, ye load fpheres, the mufic bright;
And thau great orb of dazing light, The mighty chorus aid:
Soon as grey ev'ning gilds the plain, Thou Moon prorract the welling firin, And praife him in the thade.
Thou Heav'n of Heav'ns, his vall abode, Ye clouds, proclaim your forming God, Who call'd yon vicrids from ripht:
" Let there be light!" th' Eternal fuid, At once th' involving darknets ficd, And nature fprung to liegt.
Whate'er a blooming wor'd contains, That wings the air, that fims the plaing, United praife bettow :
Ye dragons found his awful name Tolleav'in aloud! and roar acciaimr Ye fwelling deeps beluw.
Let ev'ry element rejoice:
Y'e thunders, burf with awful voiee To him who bids you roll ; His praife in fofter notes declare, Each whifyering breeze of yielding ain And beeathe it to the foul.

To him, ye graceful cedars bow;
Ye tow'ring mountains, bending low,
Your great Creator own;
Tell when affrighted nature fhook,!
How Sinai kindles at his look,
And trembled at his frown.
Ye fiocks that haunt the humble vale,
Ye isfens luttering on the gale,
In mutual concourfe rife :
Crop the gay rofes vermeil bloom, And waft its fpoils, a fweet perfume,

In incenfe to the fkies.
Wake all ye mounting tribes and fing;
Ye plumy warblers of the fipring,
Harmonious autheons raile
To him who fhap'd your finer mould,
Who tipp'd your glittering wings winh gold,
Ad turn'd your voice to praic.
Let man, by nobler paffions fway'd, The feeling heart the judring head, In heavonly praife employ;
Spread his tremendous name around,
Till keav'n's broad arch riugs back the found,
The gen'ral burt of joy.
Fe whom the charros of grandeur pleafe,
Nurs'd on the downy lap of eafe,
Fall proitrate at his throne:
Ye priacss, rulers, all adore;
Praife hiny, ye lings, who make your pow'r
An image of his own.
Ye fair by nature, formed to mow
O praife th' eternal fource of love
With youth's enlivening fire:
Lot age take up the tuneful lays
sigh his blefs'd name-then for asay,
And alk an ansel's lyre.

## On SLAVERY and the SLAVE TRADs.

Eut ah! what wifh can profper, or what Pray'r, 1
For merchants rich in cargues of difpair,
Who drive a loathfume trainc, gage asd faak, Anj buy the mufcles and the bores of man?
The tsuler ties' of father, hafband, fricad,

All bonds of nature at that moment eat. Ane each endures, while yet he draws his breath,
A flroke as fatal, as the feythe of death.
The fable warrier, frantic with regret
Ot her he loves, and never can forget.
Lofes in tears the far receding thore,
But not the thought that they muft meet no nore?
Depriv'd of her and freedom at a blow,
What has fre left that he can yet forego?
Wes, to deep fadnefs fullenly refignid,
He feels his budy's bondage in his mind:
Puts off his gea'roue nature, and to fuit
His manners $\begin{gathered}\text { ith } \\ \text { his fate, } \\ \text { puts on the brute. }\end{gathered}$
Oh mof degrading of all ills that wait.
On man, a mourner in his beft ellate!
All wher forrows virtue may endure,
And fird fubmifion more than half a cure;
Grief is itielf a medicine, ard beftow'd
To improve the fertiude that bears the load,
To teach the wand'rer, as his woes increale,
The path of virdom, all whole pathe are peace.
But lav'ry!-Virtue dreads it as her grave ;
Patience itfelf is meacefs in flave:
$O_{i}$, if the will and fovereiguty of God wid fuffer it a while and lifs the rod, Wait for the dawning of $=$ brighter day, And frap the chain the ment when you may.
Nature imprints upon whateer we fee
That has a heart and life in it, be free!
The beaths are charterd; - neither age nor force
Can quall the love of freedom in 2 horle: He breaks the eord that held him at the rack, And contcious of an unincumber'd back, Snuffs up the morang ais, forgets the rein, Loofe fly lis torelock and his ample mane; Refponfive to the diftant reigh he neighs, Nor fops till overleaping all delays, He findo the pature where his fellows graze. $\}$

## 4n TPISTLE to COSMELA.

If whea the Alaighty bade creation rife,
Farth to emerge and lisht guld the Eies, At the vall feheme, wrapt in divine amaze!
The marsing tars byinn'd the Creator's praife;

If nn redemption's banks good Jacob's feed
When from the heavy yoke of Pharoah freed,
Glad hearts dil: ating to the obedient tongue, Pour'd in melodious ftrains falvation's fong;
If that infpired bard the fhepherd kine,
Wi:h fill feraphis touch'd the tuneful Arima,
(Po w'riul alize in fong his fpirit glows,
Or pours a torrent on Philifias fues,
The voice of woe or the triumphal lay
Alike his ardent piety difplay ;)
If when immorta! love appeasid on earth,
Incarnate, foopinr to a mertal tirth,
The angelic choir acclainn'd the dulcit ftrain,
"Glory to God! peave and goodwill to mea !"
If by divine effect our nature sulde,
Refines to pure harmonious rectitude;
If true devotio genial war:nh impart,
A wakening melody in human heart,
Is it forbid, belov'd Cofmela, fay,
To chant the humble inoffenfive lay?
Why muft be laid anide thy modeft pen?
Why from foft numbers nut: my friend refrai
Is fong rejected as a guilded fnare ?
Does thy example bid thy friend beware?
Or may I fill indulge the pleafing vein
Nor mifs the prize Co frscla hapes to gain
Siace my ambition afks no Poets name,
Nor fand I anxious candidate for fame;
My humbler hope is when my race is run,
A father's fentiments may warm a ton,
Or mingled haply with aftictions bo $\%$,
Miniler comfort to a daughter's foul;
Thy friend perhaps may leave a wilowel mate,
For life uncertain is, and fhort of date,
Endearments paft fometimes her mind may move,
To filent converie wich her abfent love;
0 ! for her comfart give $m y$ verfe to thine, Truth's langsaze living in each full fraught line. Source of true wiflom! may thy fpirit deign,
To snimate my thought and guive my per,
To texch my heart fublime? truths to know,
And give the heav'rn-born fentiment to flow,
Loos'd from attachments to mere earthly things,
My firit riting $2 s$ on Eaple's wings;
The wental harp attaining ia her fifght,

To the blef centre of eternal lisht; Heaven's gifts to man muft be defignt for ufe,
Nor interdicted but for their abufe:
Cormela, tell me, is the reafoning fair?
let candor Ipeak, and honeft tiuch appear,
Or is't the ppecious arguments of pride,
To uphold the thing that ihould be crucify'd ?
Which lives obnoxious tu divine command,
Be it the precious eye, or dexter hand;
Ne'er will the fparing hand, or pitying eye,
Of mercy fave, what ju, tice dooms to dic;
Oh! may thy friend frum judgment never fart,
But learn of him who's meek and low of heart;
Docile and patient let me ever Itand,
Faffive as clay beneach the Potters hand;
That heights, nor depths, things preitent, nor to come,
Profperity's falle glye, or adveríe glom,
Miay never from my fleady purpofe move,
Ne'er feparate me from the farhors love;
That whether foon the eternal thoure I tread,
Or flay till hoary honors crown my hasd,
That peace and hope in Death the riphowes bnow
May guild my eve, and thine my fiter, too.
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AN Affectionate ADDRESS to the Youth of Norwhick Manthly -Meeting.
And thou, Solomon, my fon, know thou the Cod of thy father. I Chron. XXVllf. 9 .

## My dear Friends, fellow Minbers <br> of the fame Meeting.

II is not that fuitable advice has ont been armitiflered to eve ryffaie and condition, that induces me to make this sadrefs; but as the concection between us may occation this to be read, * hite advices more uortby may efrape rotice, I truft it vill fufciently if if ymr in thus attempting to impart fome thinge, wherein 1 appelen! your prefent and future villare is mucha

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fate of mind, that we may be enabled fo to live and conduct ourfelves in this world, as that all our actions may tend to render us fit companions tor men here, aod for purified ard birfed fpirits hereafter : our exifletice willelfe be of tho value, mothe: purfuit being worthy our attention. The filemn period, that will reduce every flate, condition, and thing, to one level, is eertain to us all ; profperty and adverfity, riches and poverty, health and ficknels, however diferenty ellimated now, whli then, in fact, admit of no choice or difference, or affind any comfort, other wife than as fuch proper ules have been made of them as may have promoted this great end: for if we were pofferfed in the highef degree of this worid's good, or what is moll fought aiter, vi?. heal h, power, aflluence, and plafure, and had nut a better hope, we thould be mon miferable; that F. hich we fearel to lofe, and knew we mutt lofe, woull take away the true enjoyment of every bleling afforied by Divine Providence. On the contrary, did we but experience our minds redeened irom ranimry thingt, and fixed on the beter hore, we thould, as was seft fiod of the meek, enjoy even the sath is a right and true manner ; receiving with thankfui hoarts the mercics of th: Al nighew, wing thie corld as not abufing it, ard not be afraid, whow ver thould pleafe him inc ti us beace, frecty oc r figh up all. Havog faid th:s, I hallnow proceed, and hope to he erabled to convince vos, thas the proferion of your education, becomiug that of your jus, दaen and pratice, will, hroug't divine atilance, bring you into this tappy futwetion, which boith your geatefenteref a.d mon incumberi duty demand yon earnefly to feek after. I need hardly afic you the quefion, "Your fa ber: where are they, and the prophots, elo they live frever?", Zoch. i. 5. You will geadily aniver, They are gone. What then? aee the words they taught, and the flatues they were commancel by the A'mighty, buried with them? I hope not, By whom thea fhuld the knowledze of the $n$ be priferved? Sure! by fu $h$ as are left behind. And I pray that we, who are the nathal branchar, may not (through cur difiegatd thereto) Iofenue birheright sor a mere mefs of portage: (a phor temiporiry gratification) bu, likz the fons of Jonadab, keep all ther piecepts : that the Lord of hofs, the God of Ifracl, may tut want a man of their yofierity to flard before him forev r.

You need not be fold, that they were very fregulir ard different from others in their drefs and addrefs ; and, however light fore may now effeem thefe thing, they fufferd gieatly for the fane, both in body and in geods ard their fufferings have optaed to uns a door of great liberty. hut we do not, 1 fear fufficienty pize it ; if we did, there wou'd be no rimmita back again into bondagas If the Hobrew who might have bean free and would not, ciciea ved

- bave hisear bored through with an awl, and be fixad in Avery for ever, fuch backniters cerainly do. There is fuch a dignily in the truth, and fuch a ncbility in appearing ! ke friends agreable to ourknown principlee, that it keeqs even tranfgreffors in awe, and liberincs at a diflauce. A deviation opens a docr to every hurfful thing, and inteduces en acquaintance that oftentimes leads to unin in therld, aid, which is much worfe, (though far be it from me to limit the mercies of the Almighy) urfits us, I fear, for happincis in the woid to ceme. My beloved young frietde, do rot plead for this er hat, as feeing tro harth in it : at flacedly confider, it may be indifferent, but as it is conneted, of the $\mathbf{a}$ meft importarce. A cocked-up bat, fafhionalle cloath, or wing the plural number inflead of the fingular, may be called by ycu wdifferent thirgs ; you may fay that fipech is so convey idia: and what religicn can there be in having a hat a livle luwer or higher? Ard in the fame maner flead for cvery nher liberty; but indeed the fe are very far from teing id dficrent things to us. Thefe fingularitis, as you may cill them are the the locks of Sasopfon's hair, wherein if we fuffir unfelees by any Delibib to be deceived, abd depart from the plainefs and fiepiciey of our profeffion, we thall lofe -ur ftrengh, and become wak as other exen : who, feong us in their fine, will foon errite us into thole thina I have hined a. Id not, homover, by this meari to be urderflood, that we are to lay fuck a frefs os an exteraal appaarance, as in any wifs to neglect what is internal. Mate the iufies cicon, and the cuffec will be clean alfo. Oue gredecefion it truth, *e ksow, from wel-grounded objections, faid afide grealy the exteriors men bad added to religion, and recemmended to us an inward purity of heartand fuul. If therefore, we become dead to the power of isuh, baving nather form nor poaer, we are fo far from exceeciug other profeficris, bat, in my opinion, we fall grealy florr. I pray it may nor be fo with us ; but, as our fafters tefore us walked in truth that wo may likewite fo wails; and have to fay to thein that fucrsed us, follow as as we have followed thein, who followed ihe Lond Jefus in truth and rightecusnegs. Why you alfo be examples to the youth in other meetings ; that thes, beholding your sircumipection, ani the feas of Godimpreffed on your mirds, may be encouraged to tiead in the famepath. Never be ahamed of being religious. I lave thought ncihing ever atranced the charafter of David more, than that zealous joyful felfabalenent which appeared in his dancing before, the aik : and though, by the fpirit of the world, fuch may be defpifed, as abling tooman a $\mid$ art for the dignity of huran pride; yei ty the upright hearted they will be had in hocour, and their fouls thall be fatisfie' as with narrow and fatnefs, and now 2
growine in that which is truly food; when 'ennefs and barres-
 fefs, Wird. v. 4. 5. WWe fools accourted their life sratinefy, and their end to be without bonour. How are the rumbered amony the children of $G d$, and beir let is among the faines? What hath pricie prefied us, or what good hath riches ard vasinting brought us? All the fe thing are peifid away like a haclow and as a pelt that hatl th by, and we are now confured in our own wichednefs. Bur the rightenus live for evermore, eventhey whom we had fometimes in derifien, and a proverb of repreach: their revard is with the Lord, and the care of the Mof High is orer them." 'Thus by acting in character, agreable ts your profelfon, you will gain all things; and ost of it, lofe al!, For what advantage can the whole word afford, or ary thi:g therein, when the tine comes, which is mof fure, that we fhat have but one defire, even to die the death of the righ:cous, ant our latter end to be liice unto theirs, fo emphadically fer furition the foreguing pofiafes.

I would now fer before you fome outward advanisges yon eñ joy fuperior, $t 0$ many of your brehren; and prefs that proper wec to be mode of them which may further this great purpaie of life-To inifa well. Our mertings have been favcured witha living acceptable minifry: manv watering feifons we have had, here a litule and there a iule. Thafe tlifings are not tobs light ly efteemed; nor are we fs to de end on them, as tor negledt in any wife our attention so itat geat Mi iner, to whom both thofe that edify and thofe that are edified arefervanis. If we do, we thall futter geat lufs; and as, en a certain ocesfior, $x$ the Almighty faid to $M$ fes, "They are thy prople, not mine" may it not be applicable in us ? A lamentable exchange or dife ferense, to becnme the children of mer, from being chitdren taught by the Mof Iligh, and in bis ruth efablithed. The end of all twe minmry is to direct to this ; and he fofienins flaners of the gefpl are to water the heriage, that be gond ground reing opened thereby, he mue fred may take root at d grow up, bing ingfortin as ircreafe propertionste to the talert icceived: is fore thily, fome fix'v, and fome an hand:ed. fold. The frequent oppertumbs iffurded us to mee: toneiber, ate alfo giedt advat trges; I do inteat you, by no means nestect ther. lt is greal encouragement to fee a me:ting well and bimety forc. 1 reniember tó have heard a friend orce fay in fifimory, ": Ihot fuch as were indiffent abrat coming to msellogs, were moft indiferent when there." This is a tru h o whrlh I beheve our experience will readily = feom. Le us therefore in arefperial manner g ard :gam? his ind fference ; and theugh we to ay tate a.tended many useetige, and fem to be neverineicfs is a sitione
fod fate, and hordly tokniw whas good is, yet if we mifs but one, tharone might have been to bs as the appearance of Jefus was :o the difciples when they wese very low in their minds. He then flond in the midn of them, and faid, "Pease be unto you;" he flewed them his hards and his lide, and they were glad; be alfobreathed on them, and they received the Holy Ghoft. Obferve from this menorable meting one difciple vas adient, and the rejurt from others coald not make him believe; and though our l,ord, in condefcelifion, afferded him ano:her op. poitunity, when he could only cry out, "My Lord, and my God!" yet-2 re we uot to frefume upon that, but cry earnefly to be endued with ability to perform the prefent duty in the prefert time.

Be exceeding choice of your company; for true it is, th t evil communications corrupt gocd manners. Be as careful what books you read; ane avcid thofe in the leaft tending to libertin. ifm and deifm, as you would an infectious difemper. Man, by all his earthly wifdom, cannot find eut God; finite cenret cemprehend infinite. In his unregeceraie flate, man may puzzle and perplex himfelf with matrers too high for him. Medde not therevith, but ever bere in rememberance, "The man that walketh uprightly, walketh fecurely ;" and that fuch as "walk not a frer the flefh, tut after the fpiris, there is no condemnation." This is enough for us to believe arid practife; les us leave the reft to the all wife Difpofer of all things, and fav with David, " He that planted the ear, thallte not hear? And he that formed the eye, fhall be not fee? And he that ieacheth men knowledge fhall he not know ?'

After requefling your frequent perufal of the boly feriptures, I would in a particular manner recommend to your reading the feveral volumes, intitled, Piety Promoted. What can more excise is plety, then ioview men in their expirirg moments jayfully leaving this wi rid, from a contionfincfs of a life ipent in the fear of God? a time in which no dazaling chjea car deceive, or any irorldly enjoyment flater. Wiiliam Penn's Rife and Ircgrefs, wrote by way of preface to Geurge Fox's journal, Dr. Ruty's Libery of the Fiefh and spitit diftionuithad aid John Ery' Secious and Aff tienate Addrefs, I would alfo wifh you all ofien to read, and ferinully to confler. The mary journals lefi by worty deceafed friends will afford boch deliget and profit ; the experiences of great and good men being by the wifs sluays had nefleem. I am oo fenfible, whilf I thus reconmene the examples of others, that great hurs hath been occafimed by toe falling sway of fome men, from whom batrer chings mignt have beea ex celed, and sbas by heir fil mony have been wounded. I coafefs this is a lsmeniable cucumhance; but thould
thoufands fall on the right, and ten thoufands on the left-lamf, trush is truth; and may the failures of rithers tead to make us more circumfpet and careful of ourlel es, and quicken our endeavours, to the utmoft of the ab lity afforded us, and io be fedfaft, immoveable, aiways abourding in the w: $k$ of the Lord: ever bearing in reaemberance, tbat tha beft of men a10 no longer fafe than whill on their uard; that the higher the attainment, the greater the fall; and that if the light that was once in us becumes darknefs, thas darknefs is gleat indeed! And as in the outward, when a man becomes blind, after having once feen, the lofs of hight is more feverely fels by tom than by a perfon born blind ; fo when thofe who have once fpintualiy feen afierwards fall into blinduefs, it is no marvel that the flate of fuch mould be worfethan that of thofe who have not been fo enlightened. I have feen fo much hurt fuftained by fome who have begun right, by not keeping to the fiemplicity and innocency they once knew and began in, that I cannot fut greasly defire our prefervation and perfeverarce: and that wih Jalma we may refolve. That, le others do what they will, we will to the utmoft of our power follow on to know and fe ve the Lord.

It is a fhort time we have to be bere, even the yourg:ft: is will foon pafs over, and flee as a fhadow, o: as a poft that hafo eth by. How many ftrong perfons do we fee unexpeEtedly cal. led away? Have we not had in our meeirg very recent infan= ces ? By the records of our burials, 1 fird in one month buried four youring men, aged $28,20,18$, ard 17 years, and two in the 37 th yar. Were we conftantly to confider cur latter end, it might lend much to make us wife, and fuppreis cuery inordinate defire. As I have dwelt pre:ty largely on this fubject in the bee ginning of :his adrefs, I thall so: add much; wr end in refurning it being rather 10 fet befure us the uncerainty whens than the certainty of our defolution: be:ng fenfible of our aptnefs to Fut fuch condideration afar off, effectally in the young, the healthy, and the ftong. But although the aged m'ft he, the young may, and we lee they do. How grea:ly bow effrnatily then deih it behove as to walk circumfectily, not as focls, bat like wife mer, redsemir:g our cune. It was nobly refolved by one of oid, who fard, "All the days of my appointed time I will wai, until ny change come." May y*u ail belike mi-dod: it will tend, I believe, to make your life comfortable, axy your latier end peace.

As to your demeanor in your outwaid affice, nothicg con fo ferfectly direet you therein, as keeping to the iruch; fors ent any thing elfe enable you to bear difepointments, bish w .t uilavoidebly happen. Sume prints, however, it hay nots be amifs to mentior. Treat all, with whom ypu have to dib, wita meckaefs and calmacels: a fuft whew 113
avay anger, and a prong is fooner redreffed and acknowledged thruagh a mild corduct tha reproach. Linitate not thofe in an higher fohere oflif. Endeavour to live sather below than abse your fituntiom: $\quad$ Hhave ofien leen ex eading hurt to individuals in tis panticular, who might have been very confortable, had they colfmed their way of life to the r fruation in it; bnt, by looking and aming at an higher, lave, to to fupport it, gone inio hazardous urdertekinga, bronght every great jncunvesiency on thenfelves; and then have bien ready to compiain, and witk heir iut lard. Another thing I would obferve to hofe in friall circumfanees, w! o may be in trades and bolinefs, that they do not trult theit aftairs in the haods of fuch as are likewife but of emall circumftances. Men of greater may runhards qot juflifat le in them: if they have lefs bufin nels on account of thir caution, it is 10 bepeferred, rather then to rifque the hule they hive, where there may be a danger.

And fuchof rou as may earn your bread with the fweat of your brow, repise not at $i$. Remember, that godlinefs wibcentenment is great gain. Provdence, in the all-wife difpofal of thing, has irne equally beflowed his gifis than men percine. The pog- are erempt from many wnchings, toils, and fatigues, Which he ioch ex eilince; their fool is pieafent, and their reft fwec: The reffethon of the trath will make all conditions happy: and ruthout is all is coufufion. The peor in this world, poffefing thefegreater riches, will not lepine for want of the lefles: their brad will be fure, and their water never fail, and shy fhall or evan wast outward bread. If will be a blefling to have to admir, th. r to fuch; ard alibough at sines their difficul les may appeas great, fuch will ramenber what the apolte faith, "That thetime is fhoit, that they that weep be as though they wep not; ond they that rejoice as theogh they rejored not ; and thej that buy as though they poffend not:" ated fusther, what he wote in Timothy. "We Lroughe nothirg sino this worh, a d it is centain we can carry notheg 0 ; ; and hasing foud and ritient, let us be th riwit content." Thus is velifod what he fre a; olle wore 10 his fame beloved I monho, os Goulions is tifi able unto all things, havtrg the jromife of the lite tha; now it, (hrouga conionament) and of that which is to come" (y its eff ets)

I holl notenlorge; a few hort binte may be better remember. ed than louger dilcopifes; nombavel any defice to appear in the $p$ blic manner: for could 1 buve onvey:d thefe idvires asf fromananom mous wrier, it worid tave furted my onn inchation buter: bas I conla not fex how lat ragt: be done, fo as to a Per tle caú pronofed. finetly, thene re lot ire recommed to you, my diar young fromeds in the words of bhe
apcile, "that ye be kindily-affectioned one to another in brotherly love, in honzur prefersing one acother, and the God of love and peace be wich you all. Anen.

Fron your affetionate Well-wifing friend J. G.

Norwich, the $21 / t$ of the $4^{\text {th }}$ Month, 17 б́z.

## EXTRACT

## From Coreper on Rotirement.

HAPPY if full of days-but happier fap If e'er we vet difcern life's evening fiar, Sick of the fervice of a world that feeds. Its palient drudges with dry cha? and weeds, We can efcape from cultom's iniot fway, To ferve the fur'reig we were boin t', beg',秀
The filent decp recefs of gnfyy groves, Or foref where the deer feckiely roves; The fall of waters and the fong of birds, And hills that echo to the dhant herds, Are luxuries excelling all the ghare, The world can boaf, and her chief fav'rite thare: Compar'd with fo fublime a life below, Se kings and rulers, what have courts to fhow?

## THE HUSBANDMAN.

AGREEABLE to the fenfe of the author of the above lisen, the felicity to be experienced in retirement, depends on the mind's being religioully attentive to that fecret voice of wifdom, the language whercof is intelligibly adapted to the various capacities, conditions, and circumflances of individuals throughout the rational creation. This common benefit, though unconfined ta my particular flation in life, being tenignly afforded by the benificent Creator and omniprefent Father of fpirits, to thofe expofed amidft the bafling throng of cities, as well as to thofe remote from the croud ; yet the tranquil refidence of the latter is, or feems to be, mere favourable to contemplation and the exersife of the diftinguifhing faculties in formizg a right eftimate of
things. Surrounding feenes of rural fimplicity throughout the vand feafons, olfur to the view of the thonghiful hufbandman thofe rich and extenfive bounties of the Yrtierver and Mancfactor of inen, which, through the influence of that voice or law within hin, excitiag gratefil fenfations, lead to the acknowledyment of Godin ull his ways, and to truft in him with all his heart. Thas refigned to bett direction, he will avoid the flavin burthen of many unneceffary cares, which are in themfeives vanity, and altended with much vexation of foirit: Whith his dicfires fo reIricted, his proper wants and real comforts will be beiter fupplied, be beller enabled to mamtain that cignity which is the high cawing of hamanity, by doing juftly, living in the excrcife of browacrly kindinefs tuwards fellow men, and thewirg mercy to the dwa, dumals within his power; a fet-denying frugality, hammonieg whith unauftentations liberality, affording noble proofs of an enlarrad and juit way of thinhods, througirall tem:porai ociarences his riches sill be fure: in thus humbly a alking his miat being enovaled and becoming the hatitation of innocence andiutegrity. witdon will make her abode there! fo temperng his duligent life, as to exempt it from opprelfive toil, as well is from the derrading effeets of indulence, thewing furta moderation in all thuns.

He that runs may read, fo plain is this path of happinels and peace; ytt is a a hide? myltery to thule whore ninds the God of $t$ is worid hath blivded, to the doune minded who are void of ftalility. and know not, or very imperfelly difeern whin or whence good coneth; calidering their welibeing dependant on what is ailogether falac:ous, if not directly deftructive; lightly ellceming what is of real worth, muly ufefil and truifinl of lubhantia! benefit ad comfurt: hence offertanoms intemperate living, profane or itle converfation, infircere compliments uith niany other ling vanitice, are accounted polier ritiements, making no fmall part of the bointed elegancis of life, abd not to hunger and thrif afier them detmed want of undertanding firit and tafe; *ithout thefe drufly deciiful $\mathrm{m}: \mathrm{r}^{2}$ s of what is called wood lreeding, the plain unaflected grool ferfe and radical politerds proceeding from the law of kindnefs in the unmedith man of inteurity, is regaded as clownif rulticity and a derratation of the human character: in this unequal fcale, how is the fne gold counterpaifed by mere retrobat? filver! yet who has a more incontellable claim to honour and clleem than the rultic Hufbandman, whole keart is the feat of benevolence, the immicent fimplicity of whofe manners, fpeaking the unambiguous lapeuage of truth; remote from popularity and adulation, he louks for applaule or ceafure the valattering tribunal in his own breafl
coveting eo expenfiye nenments, but, without affeging fingulerity, is content with a clean, cunverient and ufeful raib, having learaed that the boty is more than riment; ai a neil uncerfanding that this life is more than meat. Niv dear be ught foreiva luxuries or colly y etfemenating delicacies are confidered as duing h nour to his tible, at which he chcers his houlholl and welcome's his suest's with a temperate plenty provided to gratify the palate and maintain the vigour of health, without burry or anxiery, by judicions exercife, pure air and the wholfome effluvia of the new turned fod is excited the unvitiated apperite; renuering fweet and delectable the capacious luaf, the mellow taleful cheefe, the butter and fkim curd; the falubrious defert of milk and fruic is enjoyed with a pleafurable relifn unknown to the pamperid epicure, that felfopprefing llave, who is no leis a flranger to the tranquil flumber and real reft of the wife and virtuous Hufbandman; whe finds in a calm and patient induftry amulement truly pleafing, knowing that crofs occurerices and dilappontments are to be looked for in huma purfuits, he is guarded agnat fuprize and difcoaragement, perfevering in his avocations with equanimity and diligence; of the product whereof he is frugal-and fraring, not that he may boan abu dance, but that he may be jut and horpiable : that; gratefally fenfible of the b!efings received, he may be a bleffing to his faasily, his neighbours, the weary traveller, and the Granger that comes within his gate; thus fuling the dignifife hation of a goed feabard of tho maizjoid grace of Ged.

Ln Account of the Tearly, 2uarterly, Monthly, end particular Aleetings of Friends on the Continazt of America.

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in 2d，3d，4th，sth，and 9th months，the 1t Yarmouth 6th day in each except in 3 d month．It is the 6th day before the quarterly meeting．
At Falmouth the firt 6th day in Ift and 8 th monts，Aguifinet the 2 d terly meeting．
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Salem the 4 th day after ift fixth day，in fixth month． Falmonth the 7 th day before 4th $^{\text {thift day in ninth month．}}$ Dover the fame day in tenth month．

> Is compofed of fur Mentbly Meetings, viz.

Salem monthly meeting the 2 d fifth day in each month except the $6: h$ ．and then it is the 5 th｜Salem day following the 2d 6th day．Held at Salem $\}$ Lynn in iff， 4 th， 7 th，and roth menths；at Lynn Bofton in all the others．
Dover monthly neeting the reventh day after $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Dever } \\ \text { Kittery } \\ \text { Bereic }\end{array}\right.$ 3d ffth day，held at Berwick in itt， 4 th， $\boldsymbol{y}$ th， 9th，and 11th months．At Dover in all the others．

Berwick
Meaderfborough
Rechefter
Lee
New－Sandwich
Hampton monthly meeting is held at Almfbury the third fifth day in $1 f t, 3 \mathrm{~d}, 5$ th， 9 th，and 1sth month．
Seahroox fame day in 4 th；6th，reth and 12th mon＇hs．
Wear the $4^{\text {th }}$ day tefore third 5 ta day in 2d， 7th，and 8th month.

Seabrook or Hamp．
Newtown
Almbury
Hai＇stown
Newhary
Pitsfitld
J Epping
Falmouth monthly meeting the $4^{\text {th }}$ day before $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Falmouth } \\ \text { Windham }\end{array}\right.$ fousth sth day．

Pcrtland

Vaflalberough monthly meeting the 4th day be fore fourth 5 th day.
Durham monthly meeting the 6th day afte $4^{\text {th }}$ fifth day.
Vaffalborough
Fainfitld
Durham
Saath
Lewis-Town

The Yearly Meeting for the Government of New York, is beld at New Tork the fourth $\mathrm{I} / \mathrm{t}$ day in the $5^{\text {th }}$ wonth.
Compofed of four Qiarterly Mieetings, viz.
Wentury quarterly meeting held there the 5 th day pteceeding the 1 l n If day in the if 2 nd 7 th montles; and at New. York the fame day in the 4 th and 10 th months.

Confifts of three monthly meetings.
New-York monthly meet:ng held at New-Ycrk the iff fourth day in the ift, $3 \mathrm{~d}, 4$ th, 6 th, 7 th $9{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{h}$, 10th and 12 th months.
And at Flufhing the if fifth day in the $2 \mathrm{~d}, 5$ th 8th, and with months,
Wefbury monthly meeting the $4^{\text {th }}$ day before third sth day.

Jericho monthly meeting the third 5 th day.


Oblong quarterly meeting beld there tbe fourth day freceding the ift frif day ind the $5^{\text {th }}$ and 11 th montbs; und at Purcbafe the Jame day in the $2 d$ and 8 tb ventbs.

Confifis of three Monthly Meetings.
rurchafe monthly meetirg held there and at $\}$ Purchafe Mamaroneck alternately the 2d fith day. Mamaroneck
(2) Oblang
Pe en Pond
Villey Oblong mionthly meeting the fecond day following ad fifth day.

New. Milford Barch A prquague Gohen Shapaqua monithly meeting held there and at Amawalk alternately the 6th day after fecond 5th day.
$\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Ehapaqua } \\ \text { mawalk } \\ \text { North Canle } \\ \text { Andrew Meritt's } \\ \text { or Bedford }\end{array}\right\}$

Nine Pariners Quatierly Meeting the fourth day preceding the two lof fiv, days in the $2 d, 5$, ${ }^{t h}, 8$ sh, and 1 ith montbs.
Is compofed of four Monthly Meetings.
Nine Partners monthly meeting the ath day
following and fith dag. $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Nine Partner: } \\ \text { Ofnego } \\ \text { Chefnut Ridge } \\ \text { Weft Branch }\end{array}\right.$

Creek monthly meecing the 6th day following
fecond 5th day. $\int \begin{aligned} & \text { Creak } \\ & \text { Cramelbow } \\ & \text { Little Ning Partners } \\ & \text { Tiliman Hall's. }\end{aligned}$
Hudfon monthly meeting the fourth day follow. ing Creek monthly meeting.

Cornwall monthly merting the 2 d day following
Creek monthly mecting; heta at Cornwail If, $3^{\text {t, }} 4^{\text {th, }} 7^{\mathrm{ch}}$, gth, 10th; and 12 th , and at Malborough 2d, 5 th, $8 t h$, and 1 itil month.

Queman's patent
New-Britain
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Marlborough
Newburgh Valley Sinith's Clover Havre Straw Litule Erfpus Rockland

Saratora Qusrteriy Wheeting is bell tóe fourto day preceling the third $1 \rho$ day in the $2^{1} \frac{1}{5 t h}, 8 t h$, ant 11 th montls.

Is conpored of four monthiy meetings.
Ean Hufech moatiny meetiog the fecond 5th $\}$ daj.

Saratoga monthiy meeting the third 5 th day.

Wet-Saratogs morthiy meeting the

Daniy monthly meeting the

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| Saratoga |
| Pitis-town |
| Whitc Creek |
| J Queenfleurgh |
| Weft Saratoga |
| Galloway |
| Ball-town |
| Daiby |
| Ferriburgh |
| Pera |
| Stafford |
| Sharon |

The Yearly Meeting for Pennfylvania, New Yerfey, Delazvare, and tbe e.ffern parts of Maryland, is beld at Pbiladelpbia the ath firf day in the ainth month; and the General Spring Meeting the 4 th frrp day in the third montb.

Confifting of ten Quarter:y Meetinge, viz.
Philadelphiz Quarterly Neeting the if fecond day in the 2d, 5 th, 8 th and is h month.
Is compofed of Seven Mantùly Meetings.


Beter monthly meeting the laf fourth day is held at Maiden Creck in ift month, Exeter in 2d month.
Exeter
Maiden Creek
Reacing
Potis town, on firfi
days a a d a mee ing
on 4th day at Jacob
Thomar's

Bucks-county 2uartorly Mecting is hed ut Wrigbt's town the liff $5^{\text {th }}$ day in tbe fecond month; at 'uc'ingbum the laft fift'l day in the fifth month: at Falls the laft $5^{\text {th }}$ day in ibe eigbt monti : at Msdiliceron the laft $5^{\text {it }}$ day in the eleventh monib.
Bucki gham monthly meating the if fecond $\}$ Enkingh m day $\}$ il mbltead
Wribht's town monthly meeting the third day
Falls monthly meeting the fourth day following ? Fils
If fecond day.

Middletown monthly meeting the fifth day fol- $\}$ siddictown lowing ift fe.ond day. $\}$ zrifol

Cbefer Qxarterly Meeting beld at Concort the 2d fecont day in the 2d, 5 th, $8 t b$, and 1 itb monts.
Is compofed of fix monthly mee:ings.
Concord monthly meeting the 4 th day afier an $\}$ Birmingham fecens day.
Uwchland monthly mee ing the 5 th day after in $\}$ Uwchiand ifecond day. $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Pikeland } \\ \text { Nantmil }\end{array}\right.$
Goften monthly meeing the 6:h day after if: Gothe: fecond day.
Gwynedd month'y meeting the laft $3 d$ day,
Richland monthly meeting the third $5^{\text {th }} \mathrm{dzy}$.
\} New-town
Willis-town



Wefiern 2uarterly INating beld at London. Groec the third ad day in the $2 d$. $5 t h, 8 t h$, and 1 ith months.
Is conpofed of fiz monthly meetings.
Kennet monthly meeting is held the $5^{\text {th }}$ day af. 7 Kernet ter foond ad day, at Kennet in the ift monh छc. Centre in the 2d month, ซc. JHockeffon
Bradford monthly uncetizg the fixth day after? Bradford fecond 2d day, at Eaft Caln in firft month. Eant Car Bradford in fecond month. $\quad$ Weft Caln
Sadfury monthly meeting the $4^{\text {th }}$ day after $\left.3^{\text {t. }}\right\}^{\text {Sadibury }}$ fecond day, at Lampeter in the ift month. SLampeter Sa:ifbury in 2d ranonth.

Lancafter
New Garden manthiy meeting the if feventh day at Weft Grove in ift month. New-Garden in 2 d month.

New-Garden
Weft Grove
London-Grove monthly meeting the 4 th day $\}$ London Crove beto: $1_{1}$ f ferenth day.
Nothingham monthly meeting the laft 7th day, At Little Britain in If month. Nothingham in ad month.

Eaft-Fal:ow-Field
Ear Nathinghem Weft Nottiggham Little Biitain

Soutbern Quarterly Meating beld tbe fourth $2 d$ day at Third Haven, in tbe 2d and 8 th months. At Litt'e Creek in the 5 th and 11 th morths.

Is compofed of four monthly meetings.
Duck-Creck monthly meeting the 7 th day aftes $\}$ Appoqui-iminck
ift fecond day.
Mctherkill monthiy meeting the 3 d day after $\}$ fecond 2d day. .

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Li:ile Creck Motherkill. Milford Cold spring Thired Havea
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> Fuckato

Baydice
Mirfuy Creek
Gieenforough
Cecil monthly meeting the ferenth day after
Cecil fecond $2 d$ day.

Burtington Quarterly Meeting beld there tbe laft fecond day in the fecond and sight months, and at Cheferjeld ( Crofswicks) in the 5 th and 1 ith months.

Is compofed of five monthly meetings, viz.
Burlingion monthly meeting the frif fecona? Burlington day.

Chefterfield monthly meeting held at Crofswicks the third day after firf ad day.

Upper Springfield monthly meeting the 4th $^{\text {day }}$ following firft fecond day.
Mount.Holly monthiy meeting the $5^{\text {th }}$ day after $\}$ ount Holly $y / f$ fecond day.

Vincent Town
Egg. Harbor monthly meeting the fecond fifth \} day.

Ey-Harbor
\} Barnegat
Haddonfield ©narterly Meeting is held at Haddonfeld the 6:b day before 4 tb firf day in 3 and 9tb montbs. At Evefbam the $1 /$ fesond day in tbe 6itb and 12 th wzonths.

Compofed of four monthly meetings, viz.
Evetham monthly meeting the fixth day after $\}$ Chefter, (Moore'sif fecond day. $\quad\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { ionn.) } \\ \text { avelhan }\end{array}\right.$
Upper Eveflam monthly meeting the 9 th day $\}$ Upper Evifham after $y f$ fecond day.
Haddonfeld monthly meeting the fecond ad Hadzonfield day.
Great Egg-Harbor and Cape-May monthy ${ }^{y}$ 保 Uprer Great Eggmeeting $1 / \mathrm{f}$ fecond day at Great Egg. Harbor Harbor in $1 A$ month: at Cape May in 2d month. $\} \begin{gathered}\text { Lower Creat } \mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{gg}}- \\ \text { Harbor. }\end{gathered}$

Salenn Quarterly Mecting the third 2 d day is beld at Salem in the $5^{\text {th }}$ and $\mathrm{I} t \mathrm{tb}$ montbs. At Woodbury in the $2 d$ and $8 i b$ montbs.

Compored of four monthiy meetings, viz
Woodbury monthly meeting the third day after $\}$ Woodbury fecond 2 A day.
\} Upper Greenwich
Piles-Grove monthly meeting the $5^{\text {th }}$ day before? kiff fecond lay.
Salem monthly meeting the iast fecond day. -ialem
Greenwich monthly meeting the 4 th day aftcr $G$ eenwich last fecond day, at Lower Aloways Creek in tf month. At Greenaich in ad month. Creek.

Brevfoury and Rabway Quarterly Meeting is beld ai Fais－i suay the $7^{\text {th }}$ diny sreceding the $4^{\text {th }}$ forft day in the fref month end the 3 ＇firit day in eight month．And at Sbrewijbury ile $4^{t h}$ frifl day in eight and tenth msulbs．

Three monthly meetings compofe the quarter． Shrewfoury monthly meeting the ift $\mathrm{fe}-\mathcal{\text {－}}$＝quan cond dav．$\{$ squancum
Rahway and Plainfie＇d monthly meeting a Rahway the $3^{d}$ fifth $d$ ay in ift month： at Plainifeld 3．fourth day in 20 month．

Kingwoed monthly meeting is held the 2d sahway ilainfield yendam $\}$ singwood Hardwick Paulen＇s Kiln I Browned Lands fifth day at King wood in Ift month ：at \}on firft Monday Hardwick in 2d monti．

Rabway particular meeting on firft days is belat the ！$f$ f fr $f$ day in 4 th month to laf firfl day in 10 month，at $120^{\circ} \mathrm{clock}$ in the morning and 3 is the afternoon．The $1 / \mathrm{f}$ figt day is 11 ith month to laft firft day in $3 d$ month at is in the morsing and 3 in the afternoon：

Marylard Yearly Mesting，which takes in the Weftern bore of Maryland and part of Virginia and Pean＇yleania；is keld at Baltimore the frcond $1 / 2$ day in the 10 th month．

And is compofed of four Quar erly＊eetings，viz．
Balimore Quarterly Meeting the fecond day following the Ift ferenth day in the $2 \mathrm{~d} .5 \mathrm{ih}, 8$ th and isth months．

Confifts of four Monthly Meetings，viz．
Baltimore monthly meeting the $2 \mathrm{~d} 5^{\text {th }}$ day $\}$ Galtimore． Indian Spring

Indian Spring monthly meeting the third 6th day．
sandy spring
Elk Ridge
C．lifts
Deer Creek
Deer Creek monthly meeting the fifth day Buif River before laft $7^{\text {th }}$ day．

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Gunporver monthly meeting the laf 7h?
day is held at Gunpowder in ift, 8th, Gurpow ler gth, 1oth, It th and Izth months. Lit. (Litlefills


Warrington 2uarterly Meeting is beld at Warrington the 4 th fecond day in zd and 8 th months. At Pipe Creek the fame days in 5 th and I Itb wionths.

Compofed of four monthly meetings, viz.
Warrington monthly meeting the 7 h day $\}$ Warrington
before 2 d firf day. $\quad$ Nowbury
York monthly meating the ath day before $\}$ York
Warlington.

Monallin moathly meeting the fecond day after. Warrington.

Pipe Creek monihly meeting the feventh day before 3 d firt day, at Pipe Creek the Ift month, Bufh Creek the ad month

Monallia Huntingdon. and 11 allowed meeting at Lunning' 5 Creek, near Bedford.

Pipe Creek Bull Creek

Fairfax Quarterly Meeing is beld there on the 3d jecond day in the third month, and on fecond day proceding the Yea in Meeting at Baitimore. And at Hopeweil the 3a Second dy in the $61 b$ and $12 t / 5$ montbs.

Is compofed of four monthly meetings.
Fairfax monthly meeting the $4^{\text {th }}$ ph $^{\text {day }}$ d. $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Fairfaz } \\ \text { lexandria } \\ \text { lhe Gap }\end{array}\right.$
Goofe Creek monthly meeting the fecond $\}$ (ioofe Creek day after Fairfax.

Hopewell monthly meeting the Ift 2d day. $>$ Bark Creek ear Garden
Bullkin
J. Iunkarorah

Crooked Run monthly meeting the feventh day before ift fecond day.
And another monthly meeting lately eftablifhed at South Land.


Redflone Quarterly Kaeting is be'd at Redflone the $1 / 2$ fecond day in 3 d and 9 th montbs : at. Weflland the fane day in 6 th and 12 lb months.

Is compofed of two monthly meetinge, viz. Weftand monthly meeting the fourth; th $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Wefland } \\ \text { Fanflow fid }\end{array}\right.$ day.

Redane monthiy meating the fixth day followigg Weltiand.


Csis I am not certin whet ber there ure meatings at the two laf paces, or whesiner it is but one place.

The $\hat{Y}_{\text {tarly }}$ Meeting for Virginin is beld alternate's at Wain Ock and Blackwatar, the $3 d$ feventh day in 5 th moath, at the latter in 1798.

Being comporec of two Quarierly Meetiug.
Cedar-Creek Quirtenly Meeting is held at Cedar Creek the 2 d day atrer qua feve ith way ia 2 dand 8 th month. At wain Oak the 2 d day atter 4 th leventh day in 1 Ith montin: and ill the fifih month when the yearly meting is heht at Wain Cak on the bunday preceding taid me oting, and on sth day when the yearly meting $i$ at Blackwater.

Is compofed of three inonthly meetings.


Cedar Creek monthly meting the fecond 7 th day, except when the quaterly meeting is held at thit place, then on Th day preceding faid meeting.

South River monthly meeting the thind gith day.

Black Water शuarterly Meating is beld at Black Water the fecond day after 2 df:venib day, in $2 d$ and 8 th months. At Wefiern Eranch fame day in $5^{\text {th }}$ and 11 th mombs.

Compofed of two monthly meetings.
Blackwater mon thly meeting held thete 3 d feventh day in 2d month, and at Burleigh the fame day in ift month, \&c.

Weftern Branch monthly meeting the $4^{\text {th }}$ feventh day.
W'ack Water
Curleigh
Ianton's
Grarelly Run
Sea Conck
Weftern Branch
Sunmerton
Black Creek
Sennet's Creek
Iick's
Johnfon's

The Yearly Meeting for Nouth and South Carolinn, and Georgia is lefd the jeventh day preceding the four $t h 6$ 6th doy in the $10 t b$ month At Symomis's Creek and New Garden alteinately. At the former in 1798.
(Being compofed of five Quaterly Meetings. viz.)
Th Eaften Quarterly Mieting is held the laft $\quad$ th day. At Little River in the $f$ cond month Symonds's Creak in the fifth month. Wells's in the 8th month. Piney Woods in the 1 ith month

Compofed of fise Montbly Meetings. viz.
Pincy Woods montaly mecting the If fe-? Pincy Woods venth day. $\}$ Beach Spring


3ymonds's Creek monthly meeting the 3 d deventh diy. $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { Little River } \\ \text { iymandys Creek }\end{array}\right\} \begin{aligned} & \text { ind } \\ & \text { inew begun Creek } \\ & \text { Narrows }\end{aligned}$
Richfquare monthly meeting the $\left.3^{d} \mathrm{fe}-\right\}$ Richfquare
venth day.
Jack Swamp $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { monthly mesting the } 2 \mathrm{~d} \text { fe- } \\ \text { venth day. }\end{array}\right\}$ Jack S vamp
Contentney Quarterly Meeting is beld the $3 d$ feventh day in the $1 / \mathrm{l}, 4^{\text {th, }} 7^{\text {th }}$ and $\mathbf{I}$ th months.

Confifts of two monthly meeting, viz.
Contentney monthly meeting the 2d fe- $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { Cund entney } \\ & \text { Tar } \downarrow \text { iver }\end{aligned}$ venth day .

Corefound monthly meeting the if feventh $\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} & \text { Corefound } \\ & \text { Clut foot Crzek }\end{aligned}$ day. $\quad\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Upper Trent } \\ \text { Lower Trent }\end{array}\right.$
Wefiern 2uarterly Meeting is bel. 1 the $2 d$ feventh day at Center in 2d and 8th month, and at Cans Creek in 5th and 1 ith montbs.

Compored of four monthly meetings.
New Garden Quarterly Meeting is beld the fecond day following the fecond 7 th day, at Deep River in the $3 d$ and 9 th month. At New Garden iit Gth and 12 th menti.js.

Being compofed of fixth monthly meetings, viz.
Cane Creek monthly meeting the ift feventh day.
Cane Creek
H Holly Spring
Hocky River
I yfon's
Peedee

Epring monthly meeting the fecond day be- $\}$ :pring Meeting fore ift 7tis day.
Center monthly meeting the $3 d \int$-venth day Cen er
Back Creek monthly meeting the laft $7^{\text {th }}$ Marlbo ouzh day.

Provićcnce
Back Creck monthly meeting the laft fe- $\}$ Back Creck ventl day.
\} Euwary

New Garden monthly meeting the lan 7 th day. 1

Deap River monthly meating the firf 2 d day.
Deep Creek monthly meeting the firf $7^{\text {th }}$ day.
\&pringfield monthly meeting the feventh day.

Weftield, or Tom's Creek monthly moeting the gth day before New Garden.

Now Hope monthly meeting the feventh day.

New Garden Reedy Fork, or Hopewell Upper Reedy-fork or Dover. 5 Bull Run, or ${ }^{5}$
$3 \mathrm{~B} / \mathrm{h}$ River Quarterly Meeting in South Carolina, is beld the 2 d $7^{\text {th }}$ day in the $\mathrm{I} / \mathrm{f}, 4^{t h}, 7^{\text {th }}$ and 10 th months.
Compofed of three monthly meetings, viz.

Büh River monthly meeting the laft 7th day.
$\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Bufh River } \\ \text { Mud Lick } \\ \text { Henderfon's, or }\end{array}\right.$

Charlefton Edifton
$\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Cane Creek monthly meeting the yth day } \\ \text { before Bufh River. }\end{array}\right\} \begin{aligned} & \text { Cane Creek } \\ & \text { Padgett's Creek }\end{aligned}$
7 Wrightboroligh 4
Wrightborough. in Genrgia, munthly miecting the ift 7 th day.
and two meetings held by permiffion at William Farmer's on third day, t William's creeld
$\int 5$ th day.

## Times and Phaes of holding the Courts of the United States, as establishedey Law.

Supreme Court. - At the feat of government, on the filf fecond days in the fecond and eighth months.

Circuit Conrt-E゙aftern Circuit.
In New. Hamphire diftrif, at Portfmouth on the 27th day of the 5 th month, and at Exeter, on the 24th day of the roth moith. In Vermont, at Windfor and Beanington alternately, on the 12 th day of the 5 th month; at Winefor this year. In Maffachufetts, at Bonim, on the 7 th day of the 6th meith, and 12th of the roth month. In Rhode Ifland, at Newport, on the 19 th day of the 6th montin; and at Providence, on the 7 th of the rath month. In Conne Cicut, at New Haver, on the 25 th day of the $4^{\text {th }}$ month ; and :t Hartford on the 25 th of the 9 th month. In New York, at New York, on the 5 th days of the $4^{\text {th }}$ ard gth moniths.

Midale Circu:t.
In Ne:y Jerfey, at Trenton, on the 2nd days of the 4 th and toth months. In Pennfylvania, at Philadelphia, on the ith dav of the 4th month; and at York Town, on the 1 ith of the roik month. In Delaware, at New Caft -, on the 27th day of the 4 h month; and at Dover, on the 27th of the 10th month. In Maryland, at Aonapolis, on the $7^{\text {th }}$ diy of the $5^{\text {th }}$ month; and at EaRon, on the 7 th of the 1 ith month. In Virginia, at Richmond, on the 22 nd days of the 5 th and 12 th montis.

Southern Citcut.
In North Carolina, at Wake Court beufe, till there be conve nient accommodations in the city of Ralcigh, and thence at faid city, on the if day of the 6th momh, and the goth of the rith month. In South Carolina, at Columbia, on the izth day of the 5th month; and at Charlefion, on the 2 jth of the 10 th month. In Georgia, at Savannah, on the $35^{\text {th }}$ day of the $4^{\text {th }}$ month ; and at Augula, on the 8th of the 1 ith month.

But when any of the foregoing limited days happens on the firf day of the week, the day next following is the comemencement of the cours.

District Court.
In Maine diftrit, at Poriland, on the $3^{d}$ third day in the Gth, and 1 it . in the 12 th months; and at Pownalborough, on the ift in the $3^{f}$ and $g^{t h}$ mooths. In New Hamphire, on the 3 d third days, at Porifmouth in the $3^{\text {d }}$ and 9 :h ; and at Execer, in the 6 ih and 12 th months. In Vermont, on the if fecond days, at Wind for, in the $2 d$ and $\delta$ sh; and at Rutland, in the gth and ith months. In Maffachufets, on the if third days, at Salem, in the gd and gith ; and at Bofion, in the 6th and 12 th monihs. In

Rhode Iीand, on the it lecond day?, at Newport, in the 2nd and 8 th ; and at Providence, in the 5 th and with months. In Conneeficut, on the 3 d third days, at New Haven, in the 2nd and 8th -and at Hartford, in the 5 th and 1 thth months. In New York. at the city of Nem York, on the if third days in the 2 nd, 5 th , 8th and ath monthe. In New Jerfey, on the ift third days, at Burlington, in the 2nd and 81 h ; and at New Brunfoick, in the 5 th and 1sth months. In Pennfylvania, at Philatelphia, on the 2nd third days in the znd, 5th, 8th, and 1ath months. In Delaware, on the $4^{\text {th }}$ third days, at Dover, in the and and 8tt; and at New Cafle, in the $5^{\text {th }}$ and with months. In Mayland, on the 1 A third days, at Eafton, in the $3^{\mathrm{d}}$ and $\mathrm{g}^{\text {th }}$; and at Baitimore, in the 6th and 12 th months. In Virginia, on the $3^{\text {rd }}$ third days, at Williamburg, in the $3^{\mathrm{d}}$ and 9 h ; and at Richmond, in the 6rh and 12 th months. In Kentucky, at Harrodffurg, on the 3 d third days, in the $3 \mathrm{~d}, 6 \mathrm{~h}, \mathrm{~g}$ th, and 12 th months. In North Carolina, at Newbern, Wilmington, and Edenton in rotation, on the af fecond days, in the 1 ff , 4 th, 7 th, and ioth months : at Edenton in the 1 if month 1799. In South Carolina, at Ciar-lefton, on the 3 d fecond days, in the 3 and gth, the in in the 7 th, and $2 d$ in the 12thmonths. In Georgia, on the 2d thind dajs, at Augufa, in the $3^{d}$ and 9 th ; and at Savannah, in the 6th and 12 th months.

## In the State of Maryiand,

Court of Appeals is held-At Annapolis, on the fecond thirdday in the fixth and eleventh months.

Chancery courts are held-At Annapolis, on the fecond thirdday in the fecond month, on the firlt in the fifih and tenth months. and on the third, in the twelfih month.
General courts are held-For the Wefiern-Shore; at Annapolis, on the fecond thirdday in the fifth and tenth months.

For the Eafiern-Shore-At Talbot court-houfe, on the fecond third day in the fourth and ninch months.

County courts are held-In St. Mary's, on the firif, and Calvert, on the third feconddays in the third and eighth months. in Prince George's, on the Grill, and Charles on the third fecondday :n the fourth and nipth months.-In Wallington on the fecond fecondday in the fourth monit, and firt in the twelfih month. In Frederick, on the fourth fecondday in the third month, and on the third in the eleventh month. In Montgomery, on the fecond fecondday in the third month, and on the firft in the eleventh month. In Alegheny, on the fourth fecondday in the fourth momb, and on the third in the twelfth month. In Ann Arusdel, on the third fecondday in the fourth and ninth monihs. In Harfurd on the feeond and Batimore, on the fourth feconddays in the tmard and eightremonths. In Cecil, on the firft feconday in the wherenth and ou the fecond in the ienth month. In kent, on
the third fecondday in the third month, and on the fourth in the tenth month. In Queen Ann, on the third fecondday in the fifth, and on the fecond in the eleventh months. In Talbot, on the fecond fecondday in the fixth month, and on the fourth in the eleventh month. In Caroline, on the firll fecondday in the third month, and on the fecond in the teuthmonth. in Dorchefter, on the third fecondday in the third monh and on the fourt! in the tenth month. In Somerfet, on the third fecoudday in the fifth month, and on the fecond in the eleventh month. In Worcefter, on the fecoad fecond day in the fixth monilh, and on the fourth in the elerenth month.

O'phans' courts, in each county, are helli-On die feconil. thirdday in the fecond, fuith, lixth, eighth, towh and iwelfth. montlis.

> In the State of Virginia, Superier Courts; are heid at Rechmond, viz.
Court of appeals, On the tenih of the fourth and ninth: Months, without limitation.

High Court of Chasery, - On the firf of the third Munth, twelith of the fith, and tenth of nixth Months, fiting in the fifits and ninth Months, 24 juridicial daps, and in the third Month 18.

General Court,-On the ninth of the fixth, and eleventh, Months, fiting 16 juridicial days.

Quarterly Courts are held - In Montgomery, Wafhington, and Wythe; in the fourth, fixth, niath, and eleventh Mowths. In Weflmoreland; in the fecond, feventh, and tenit Momhe. In Cumberlaid and Henry; in the fecond, fourth, feventh, and tenth Months. In Frederick, Fairfax, King Geurge, Loudon, Northampton, Naniemond, Norfolle, Stafford, and Ppotfylvania in the fixth Month. In Hamphire; in the third, fifth, niath, and elevench Monhs. And in Perdleton, in the tweltich, Monh.

Diffritt courts are held, - In Richmond, Northumberland, Stanton, and Prince Edward, refpeciively; os the fitt of the fourth and ninth Months. In Williamíburg, Frederickfourg, and Bruafuick, on the twenty-ninth of the fourth and niath Months. In King and Queea, Charlottefviile, Peterfbure, and New-London; on the fifteenth of the fourth and ninth Months. In Wincheller, on the Effenth of the fourth and firft of the ninth Months. In Dumfries and Suffolk, on the twelfih of the fifth and tenth Month. In Mononvalia, on the third of the $\boldsymbol{S}_{\text {fith }}$ Month and twentieth of the simth Month. In Wafhington; on the fecond of the fitth and tenth Months. In Accomack, on the fourteenth of the fifth and tenth Months. In Lewifturg, Greenbriar, and Botetourt, alternately, on the eighteenth of the fifin. and tenth Months. Each Court fits, if necefary, twelve days...

Gounty couts are heid monthly, viz. - Firit fecondday, in Charlote, Gloucefler, Menrico, ille of Wight, Ohio, Prince William, Peterfburg, Princefs-Ann, Richmord and Williamskurg. S.c.nd fecond day, in Buckingham, James Ciy, King and Queen, Leuifa, Mathews, Meckienburg, Monongalia, Nanfeu.und, Northumberland, Patrick, Staford, and Richmond.Third fecond day, in Amhurf, Culpepper, Dinwiddie, Eflex, Fairfax, Goochland, Harrifon, Lancaf̂er, Prince Edward, and York. Fourth fecond day, in Bedford, Brunfwick, Buckingbam, Cumberland, Fauquair, Halifax, King William, Loudon, Middlefex, Norfoth, and Orange. Lafl fecoud day, in HenryFint third day, in Frederich, Miontgomery, and Roch bridge. Sccond third day, in Northamptor, Prince George. and Wythe. Third third day, in Augufla, Berkley, and Wafhingten. Fourththird day, in Kulfel and Surry. Lan third day, in Aecemack, Crcenbriar, Pinfylvania, and Welmoreland. Firll ffith day, in Flavannah, Ha ouer, King Ceorge, Notaway, and Suffex. sciond foth d6j, in Albemarit, Botetourt, Caroline, Cheflerfict, Lunenberg, New Kent, Southampten, and Warwicis. Third fifth day, in Pawhatan, Charles city, and Spotfylvania. Furth fifit day, in Amelia, and Elizabeth city. Lall fifth day, in Shenandualt. The fecond day afser the inf trixediday, in Hardy.

## In the State of DELAWARE.

High Court of Errors and Appeals is held, at Dover,
On the firt thirdday in the eiginth Month, annually.
Supreme courts are held.- In Newcalle county, on the fecond; in Kent, on the fourth; and in Suffex; on the fecond aficer the fourth thirddays in the fourth and tenth Months.

Courts of Common Pleas are held,-In Sufiex county, on the fecond thindday after each term of the Supreme Court commence 3 in faid county ; In Kent, on the fecond thirdday after each term of the Common Pleas commences in Suffex; and in Newcaftle, on the fecond thirdday after the commencement of the fand terms in Kent county.

Court of Chancery, in cach county, is held, - On the thirdday immediately following that whereun the common Fleas areref peciively held.

The Author las not been furnified with any lif of the Courts of law in North or South Carolina, but hopes to obtain an accurate Hatement to be inferted in his Almanac for 1800, and thofe following; if this firit attempt meets with fuflicient eincouragenent to induce him to go on; as he alio bopes to improve his annual production in other ref peets, for which purpule he refpectully foliciss information wherein it is thoughatia, tedefective.

## Courts of La?v in Pennfylvania.

## The High Courts of Errors and Appeals is held,

At Philadelphia, on the ad fecond day in the $7^{\text {th }}$ month 2 mm aually, and may adjourn from time to time. .

## The Supreme Court is keld,

At Philadelphia, the 1 if fecond day in the gth month, the? ad fecond day in the 12 th month, and the 3 d fecond day in the 3 rd month. The terms continue only wo weeks, except that in the isth menth, which continues three weeks. Tree laft as well as the firf day of each term of the Supreme court is made a retura day, provided the procefs is fued out under the fame regulations of time as in cafe of ibe firf return day.. And fpecial days -f return may be afligned by the court.

Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and Nifi Prius, are gencral. ly held once a year, in erery county, at. fuch times as the Judg. es appoint.

The courts of Common Pleas, and general Quarter fofions of: the peace are beld, in ths
First district. In Philadelphiacounty, on the fira fecondday in the $3^{d}$ and $6 t 2$; the $3^{d}$ in the gth; \& 1 it ia the 12 th months. In Delaware, on the laft feeordday in the $1 \mathrm{fi}, 4^{\text {th }} 7^{\text {th }}$ and 1oth menths. In Bucks, or the 1月, and in Montgomeryon the 2 d feconddays in the $2 \mathrm{~d}, 5 \mathrm{th}, 8$ th and 11 th months.

Second district. In Chefer, onthe 3 d, and in Lancafo ter, on the laf, fecondelays, in the $2 \mathrm{~d}, 5 \mathrm{th}, 8 \mathrm{th}$ and I ith wonths. In York, on the 1ff; and in Dauphin, on the ad fecondays, in the 3d, 6 th, 9 th and 12 th meonths.

Third District. In Berks, on the ift: in Northampton on the 2nd ; in Luzerce on the 3 rd; and in Northumberland on the $4^{\text {th }}$ fecond days in the $1 \mathrm{f}, 4: \mathrm{h}$ 8th and 11 th montits: And in Lyeomin.t on the fecond day; next after the court in Northumberland county.

Fouru District. In Cumberland, on the if fecond day in the firf, fourth and eighth; and on the lall in the tenth months. In Mifllin, on the 2nd fecond day in the firf, 4 th aud eighth; and on the firt in the eleventh morths. In Huating-. don, on the 3 rd Tocond day, in the frff, fourth and eighth; and on the ad is the eleventh months. In Bedfurd, on the ath fecond day in the Grtt, fourth and eighth; and on the 3rd in the elcventh months. In Franklin, on the lat fecoad day in the twelfih, third and $7^{\text {th }}$; and on the next befure the lag in the tenthi nonth:.
 Fand on the $g^{d}$ feconddays, in the $g^{d}$, $6 i b$, 9 th and $2,2 i h$ months. In Somerfet, on the fecondday next afier Weflmoreland court: in Fayette, on the fecondday next after Sumerfet; in Greene, on the fecondday next after Fayette; and in Wafington, on Whe facondday next ater Greene conrt.

## Mayor's courts in Philadelphia; are held,



## In the State of New-Jerfey.

The Supreine Courts are held,

- At Trenton, on the in thirdday, is the fth and gin; and on the $2 d$, in the $5^{\text {th }}$ and 11 th months, annually:
Coutts of Nî2 Prius are held,

At fuch times and placer, in the refpective counties, as the Juficts of the Supreme Court direct.

> The courts of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Seflons of the peace are held,

In Middlefex county on the $3^{d}$ thirdday, in the ift and 7 th: $\%$ on the firt in the $4^{\text {th }}$; and on tine $2 d$ in the temth months. In Ellex, on the $2 d$ in the 1 ff; and $4^{\text {th }}$; on the 4 th in the 6 th; $\&$ the $3^{d}$ in the 9 h ron.hs. In Bergen, on the $4^{\text {th }}$ in the 1 it, $3^{d}$, \& roth; and oa the 2 d , in the 6 th munths. In Somerfet, on the ith, in the If and 10 th; and on the 3 d in the 4 th and 6 th months. In Monnouth, on the 4 ih in the 10 , 4 itr, and 7 th ; and on the $3^{d}$ in the 10 th Months. In Morris, on the $3^{d}$, in the 3 d and $2 t^{2}$; on the $t$ it in the 9 th ; and on the 4 h in the 9 th months. In Suffex, on the 3 d in the $2 \mathrm{~d}:$ and 8 rh ; and on the $4^{\text {th }}$ in the sih and isth months. In Hunterdon, or the ift in the 2 d , 5 th, and 8 th ; and on the $4^{\text {th }}$ in the roth mostes. In Burlington-, on the $2 d$ in the 2 d and 8 th; on the 3 d ia the 5 th ; and on the Ift in the 11 th months. In Glouceller, on the 3 d in the $3^{d}$ and Ein; on the 1 ft in the roth; \& on the ad in the izthmonti.s. In Salem, on the 1 A in the $3^{d}$ and 13 th ; on the fecond in the 6 th ; and en we $3^{d}$ in the 9 th months. In Cumberland, on the laf in the ad and Inth ; on the firit in the 6th; and on the 4 th in the gth months. In Cape May, on the if in the 2d and 8ih; and on the


> Orphans courts, in each county are helds,

In the fame week in which the Common Pleas are held; anat a such olwer times as the judges appoirts.

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| Skinner's | 3 | 150 | Greenfburg | 10 | 264 |
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From Philadelphia to the Falls of Ohio, by land.

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| York 13 | 89 | Woodfisck | 12 | 226 |
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| Stonehoufe tavern 2.5 | 149 | James river | 18 | 340 |
| Wadk. ferry, Peto. 14 | 163 | Botetourt C. W. | 12 | $35^{2}$ |
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| Fort Chipel | 28 | 430 | Hazel pateh | 15 | 681 |
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| Holsein | 13 | 454 | Englifh flation | 25 | 716 |
| Wamington C. H | 45 | 499 | Craborchard | 3 | 719 |
| Blockhoufe | 35 | 534 | Whitely's flation | 5 | 724 |
| Powel's Mountain | 33 | 567 | Logan's | 5 | 729 |
| 'valden's ridge |  | 570 | Clark's | 7 | 736 |
| Valley-ration | 4 | 574 | Crow's | 4 | 740 |
| Martin's Cabbins | 25 | 599 | Harrod's |  | 743 |
| Cumberland Mo. | 20 | 619 | Harlands | 4 | 747 |
| Cumberland River | 13 | 632 | Harbifor's | 10 | 757 |
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| Richland creek | 7 | 650 | Falls of Onio | 20 |  |

From Baltimore to Knoxville.

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