

larly remarkable for? You must be very little acquainted with the republic of letters, says the other, to ask such a question; Brandellius has written a most sublime panegyric on Mogusius. And, pray what has Mogusius done to deserve so great an honor? Why, he has written an excellent poem in praise of Brandellius.

EPIGRAMS.

'Twixt woman and wine,
Man's lot is to amaze;
For one makes his head ache,
And t'other his heart.

Cries Hodge in a pet, O Jove, befriend me,
And quick another helpmate send me;
O let, cries Kate, his prayers prevail,
But let that helpmate be a male.

A person of the name of Millot wrote a treatise which he called *Megantropogenésie*, or the art of procreating wise children. 'Tis a pity, said Retif de la Bretonne, that the author's father did not understand that art.

Fuller in his "worthies of England," calls a negro, "the image of God cut in ebony."

Lieut. Santena, who had obstinately defended a small fortress against the army of Marshal Catinat, when he invaded Piedmont, was, upon his final surrender, invited to dine with the marshal. At table some French officers upbraided Santena on account of the Duke of Savoy's having formed a league with heretics against the most Christian king. Santena remained silent for some time, till he at last asked the marshal whether he would allow him the freedom of speech? Catinat assuring him he might freely express his sentiments, he replied, that his master had indeed for self-defence, taken up arms against the king.