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FOREIGN.

PARIS, Sept. 6.
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Smolensk, Aug. 23.

Smolensk may be considered as one of the finest cities of Russia. Without the circumstances of war which set it on fire, by which immense stores of colonial produce and every other kind of productions have been destroyed, his place would have afforded great resources to the army. Even in the state in which it now is, it will be of the greatest use in a military point of view. There remain spacious houses, whose fine situations are well calculated for hospitals. The province of Smolensk is very fertile and beautiful; it will afford great resources in articles of subsistence and forage.

Since the events of the war, the Russians have made an attempt to raise a militia of slave peasants, who were armed with bad pikes. There were already 5000 of them assembled here; they were objects of derision and laughter even to the Russian army itself. It had been made the order of the day that Smolensk was to be the grave of the French; and that if it had been thought proper to evacuate Poland, it was at Smolensk they were to fight in order not to suffer this bulwark of Russia to fall into our hands.

The Cathedral of Smolensk is one of the most famous Greek Churches in Russia. The Episcopal Palace forms a kind of separate city.

The heat is excessive. The thermometer rises as high as 20 degrees. It is hotter than in Italy.

BATTLE OF VALONTINA.

On the 12th at day break, the bridge being completed, the Marshal Duke of Elchingen moved in by the right bank of the Borysthene, and followed the enemy. At a league from the city, he met with the last division of the enemy's rear guard of from 5 to 6000 men, posted on commanding heights. He caused them to be attacked with the bayonet by the 4th regiment of infantry and the 72d of the line.

The position was carried, and our bayonets covered the field of battle with dead. From three to four hundred prisoners fell into our hands.

The flying enemy retreated upon the 2d division which was placed on the heights of Valontina. The first position was carried by the 18th of the line and at four P. M. the musketry commenced with the whole of the enemy's rear guard consisting of about 15,000 men. The duke of Abrantes crossed over the Borysthene two leagues on the right of Smolensk; he found himself in the rear of the enemy he could by marching with decision, intercept the retreat of this rear guard difficult. Meanwhile the other divisions of the enemy's army that were not far off, being informed of the success and rapidity of this first attack, traced back their steps.

Four divisions came forward in this manner to support their rear guard, especially the divisions of grenadiers which till now had not engaged—From five to six thousand cavalry formed their right, whilst the left was covered by woods lined with sharpshooters.

The enemy had the greatest interest in preserving that position as long as possible; it was a very fine one, and seemed impregnable. We attached no less importance in wresting it from him, in order to accelerate his retreat & cause all the waggons conveying the wounded and other train, of which the rear guard protected the evacuation, to fall into our hands. This is what gave rise to the combat of Valontina, one of the brightest achievements of our military career.

At six P. M. Gudin's division which had been dispatched to support the 3d corps, from the moment the powerful succours sent by the enemy to his rear guard had been perceived, defiled in column upon the centre of the enemy's position supported by Gen. Ledru's division, and after an hour's combat carried the position: Gen. Count Gudin coming up with his division, was at the very beginning of the action struck by a bullet which took off his thigh; he died gloriously. This loss is sensibly felt. Gen. Gudin was one of the most distinguished officers of the army; he was commendable for his moral qualities, as much as for his bravery and intrepidity. Gen. Gerard has taken the command of his division. It is stated that the enemy has had eight Generals killed or wounded; one gen. is made prisoner.

On the following day, at 3 P. M. the Emperor distributed on the field of battle rewards to all the regiments that had distinguished themselves, and as the 127th, which is a new regiment, had behaved well, H. M. has granted it the right of having an eagle; a privilege which that regiment had not yet received, having not till now been present at any battle. These rewards, given upon the field of battle amidst the dead & the dying, the ruins and trophies of victory, presented a spectacle truly military and imposing.

The enemy after this combat made so precipitate a retreat, that in the course of the 20th our troops advanced eight leagues without ever being able to find any Cossacks, and picking up in every direction some wounded and stragglers.

Our loss at the combat of Valontina has been 600 killed and 2600 wounded. That of the enemy (witness the field of battle) is treble. We made 1000 prisoners, the most part wounded.

Thus the only two Russian divisions which had not been participants in the former battles of Mohilow, Ostrowno, Krasnoi and Smolensk, have been routed in that of Valontina.

Every information we receive concurs in stating that the enemy is flying in all haste toward Moscow; that his army has suffered much in the preceding combats, and that it experiences besides a great desertion.

The Poles are deserting, saying, "you have forsaken us without fighting, what right, therefore, have you of requiring us to remain under your colours?" The Russian soldiers from the provinces of Mohilow and Smolensk, take advantage also of the proximity of their village to desert and take repose in their own country.

The attack made by Gudin's division was done with such intrepidity that the enemy had persuaded himself it was the imperial guard. It is with a single word, bestowing the handsomest eulogium on the 7th regiment of light infantry, 12th, 21st and 27th of the line which composed that division.

The combat of Valontina might also be called a battle, since 80,000 men were engaged in it. It is at least an affair of advanced guards of the first order.

Nevertheless amidst all the disasters, the Russians continue daily singing *Te Deum*; they turn every thing into victories; but, notwithstanding the ignorance and brutishness of these people that begins to appear to the ridiculous and too gross.

Combat of Polotsk.

After the combat of D... the Duke of Reggio being apprized that the enemy's general Wittgenstein, had reinforced himself with 12 third battalions of the garrison Danaburg, and being desirous of drawing him to a close engagement on this side of the defile under Pilotski, came on to place the 2d and 6th corps in battle array under Polotsk. Gen. Wittgenstein followed and attacked him on the 16th & 17th, & was vigorously repulsed. The Bavarian... of Wrede, of the 6th corps distinguished itself.

When the Duke of Reggio was making his disposition for taking proper advantage of the victory, and for driving the enemy to the defile,

he was struck on the shoulder by a biscaven. His wound which is serious, obliged him to be conveyed to Wilna; but it does not appear to be dangerous.

General Count Gouvion Saint Cyr, has taken the command of the 2d and 6th corps. On the 17th, P. M. the enemy retreated beyond the defile. Gen. Viradier has been wounded, and Gen. Maison has taken the command of his division. Our loss is reckoned at 1000 men killed and wounded; that of the Russians is treble, we have made 500 prisoners.

On the 13th, at four P. M. Gouvion Saint Cyr, commanding the 2d and 6th corps, marched to the enemy, by making the Bavarian division of Count Wrede attack his right. The combat became general on the whole line; the enemy was completely routed and pursued the space of two leagues, as far as day light would permit. Twenty pieces of cannon and 1000 prisoners remain in the power of the French army. The Bavarian general Deloy has been wounded.

Report to the Major General.

My Lord—I presume that M. the Duke of Reggio, will have given Y. H. an account of the transaction of the 17th at least up to the time his wound obliged him to quit the field of battle. The troops continued their successes the remainder of the day, and at 9 P. M. the Russians were repulsed in every direction, after experiencing the greatest losses, having attempted in the course of that day six or seven attacks which have been repulsed with a bravery superior to the exasperation with which they fought.

This affair reflects the greatest honor on Legrand's division which was posted at the fork of the roads of Sibbe and Nevil, and on the Bavarian corps stationed on the left bank of the Polotsk, in the rear of the village Spas on which the enemy made the utmost exertions to retake it, though driven off five or six times, and where the 20th division and gen. Wrede who commands it, covered themselves with glory. The Bavarian general Vincenti, who deserves much praise, for the manner in which he conducted himself, has been wounded.

In the evening of that day I felt the necessity of attacking the enemy; I made arrangements accordingly, and resolved to attack him on the 18th at 4 P. M. I have used every possible means to deceive the enemy as to my design; about 1 o'clock I caused the train of the army which was behind Polotsk, to file off by the left bank of the Dwina and the road of Oula; I made a feint to cover and protect that movement the Duke of Reggio had made to repossess on the left bank; during the night of the 16th to the 17th, they collected behind Polotsk in the rear of the train; the division of Cuiraissiers reached there also from Sementes; likewise the brigade of light cavalry of general Cassex, from Rondina.

At 3 P. M. the column of the train had defiled in sight of the enemy; and the above designated troops recrossed the Dwina with the greater part of the French artillery and had re-entered Polotsk. Towards five, all the troops and artillery were in position for marching to the enemy, without his having perceived any of our preparations. At five precise the whole artillery began its firing and our columns of infantry sallied forth under its protection to attack the left and centre of the enemy.

The division of Wrede marched by the right of Spas, and attacked with great bravery and skill, the left of the enemy; gen. Deroy's division marched from Spas itself; Legrand's division by the left of that village, having its left connected with Vendier's division one of whose brigades was observing the right of the enemy, placed on the road of Gebmzeleva. Merle's division covered the front of Polotsk.

The enemy, though quite surprised, relying with all confidence upon his fires and... received, at first our attacks with infinite calmness and sang

froid, but before night his left was entirely broke and his centre completely routed after having defended their positions with great bravery and eagerness. We might have made a considerable number of prisoners, had not the woods been so contiguous to their positions.

The enemy have abandoned the field of battle to us, strewed with an immense quantity of his dead, twenty pieces of cannon and one thousand prisoners.—On our side we have had numerous killed and wounded; amongst the latter are the general of division, Deroy, general Raciowitch and Col. Colonge, commander of the Bavarian artillery.

I cannot sufficiently praise to Y. H. Generals Legrand and de Wrede, Deroy, Raciowitch, and general of artillery Aubury who directed the artillery of the 2d corps with great distinction.

Gen. Merle has repulsed with great skill and with part of his division, an attack of the enemy upon our centre, with intention of protecting his retreat to the wood. The Croates distinguished themselves in this charge supported by part of Gen. Castex's cavalry. Generally, I claim the kindness of H. M. the troops have merited encouragements and rewards.

H. M. would do me a great pleasure if he would let fall one of his favours on Mr. de Marille, my Aid de camp, bearer of this letter, whose zeal is deserving much commendation. I have also nothing but praises to bestow on the chiefs of the staff of the 2d & 6th corps.

I have the honor to be, &c.
(Signed)
Count GOUVION SAINT CYR.

DOMESTIC.

MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE.

Answer of the House, to the Governor's Speech.

May it please your Excellency,

The House of Representatives have considered your Excellency's Address to both branches of the Legislature, with that attention which so important a communication is calculated to inspire; and will enter upon the discharge of those solemn duties which have devolved on them, with all that moderation & candor, which are consistent with the obligations they are under to their constituents and their country.

While freedom is driven from the Continent of Europe, and her Republics have successively fallen before that scourge of liberty, whose corruption or arms have spread desolation and slavery through the old world, the right of electing their own rulers, at stated periods, is still left to the people of the U. States; A right, upon the faithful, upright and vigilant exercise of which the continuance of our republic most essentially depends. The people of this Commonwealth have contemplated with anxious solicitude the return of that period when the state would be again required to appoint their proportion of the Electors of President and Vice-President of the U. S. They have considered it as an event, which by the independent exercise of the right of suffrage, would afford a peaceful and constitutional remedy for the multiplied evils they have so long experienced; and would restore to our unhappy country, the days of her former prosperity. As the immediate representatives of the people, therefore, your Excellency may rest assured, that this House will persevere in its efforts, to enable this great Commonwealth to discharge a duty imperiously required of them by the constitution, and to exercise a right at once so important to their interests and so consonant to their wishes.—A recurrence to the proceedings of the former session of the Legislature while it will evince the readiness of the House of Representatives to sacrifice their own favorite views to the attainment of this great object will bear testimony to the industry and zeal they have manifested in the discharge of their duty, and in the requisition of the Constitution.—And they now pledge themselves to your

While the troops of the U. S. are
 and our extensive sea coast is
 left, destitute of a maritime defence,
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SIR,—I have the honor to inform you that on the 17th of this month, the ship Alleghany, Ebenezer Eveleth master, arrived at Algiers from the U. States, with a cargo of naval & military stores for the Regency, in fulfilment of treaty stipulations, and, on the 20th inst. when they had begun to discharge the cargo, I received a message from the Dey, informing me that he would not receive the same, ~~as the articles were not such in quantity or quality as he expected,~~ and that the ship should leave the Regency, immediately, with myself and

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MARYLAND GAZETTE. ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, NOV. 5, 1812. LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.
MONDAY, NOV. 2, 1812.

This being the day appointed by the con-
stitution and form of government, for the
meeting of the General Assembly of this
State, the following members appeared: viz.

For Saint-Mary's county, Enoch Millard,
John R. Plater, Gerard N. Caufin and Tho-
mas Blackstone, Esqrs. For Kent county,
Frederick Boyer, William R. Stewart and
Cuthbert Hall, Esqrs. For Anne-Arundel
county, William H. Matriott, John S. Belt,
William Hall, 3d, and Zachariah Duvall,
Esqrs. For Calvert county, Thomas Rey-
nolds, Michael Taney and Peter Emerson,
Esqrs. For Charles county, Clement Dorsey,
John E. Ford and George D. Parnham, Esqrs.
For Baltimore county, George Warner and
Deall Randall, Esqrs. For Talbot county,
Edward N. Hambledon, Jabez Caldwell, Ro-
bert Banning and David Kerr, Esqrs. For
Somerset county, Thomas Bayly, Henry K.
Long, Arnold E. Jones and Elime M. Wal-
ter, Esqrs. For Dorchester county, John
Stewart, Benjamin Lecompte, Richard Too-
ell and Edward Griffith, Esqrs. For Cecil
county, William Lofby and Samuel Hogg,
Esqrs. For Prince-George's county, John
Herbert, Francis M. Hall, James Somer-
well and Henry A. Callis, Esqrs. For the
city of Annapolis, Dennis Claude and Le-
w. Duvall, Esqrs. For Worcester county,
Thomas N. Williams, Ephraim K. Wilson,
Robert I. H. Handy and Littleton Quinton,
Esqrs. For Frederick county, John Graham,
gnatius Davis, Richard Potts and Joshua
Delaplane, Esqrs. For Harford county, John
Forwood, of Wm. and John Forwood, of
Jacob, Esqrs. For Caroline county, Willi-
am Potter and William McDonald, Esqrs.
For the city of Baltimore, James L. Donald-
son, Esq. For Washington county, John
Bowles, Henry Lewis, William B. Williams
and William O. Sprigg, Esqrs. For Mont-
gomery county, Abraham Jones, Richard I.
Crabb and John H. Riggs, Esqrs. For Al-
legany county, George McCulloch, George
Robinet, of Nathan, and James D. Crelap,
Esqrs.

A sufficient number of delegates being con-
vened, they severally qualified in the presence
of each other, agreeably to law.

John C. Herbert, Esq. was appointed, by
ballot, Speaker—Upton Scott Reid, Clerk,
Gideon Pearce, Assistant Clerk, and Caleb
Stewart, Door-keeper.

Cornelius Mills was appointed Sergeant at
arms.

Samuel Turner, Esq. a delegate from Cal-
vert county, Nicholas Stonefreet, Esq. from
Charles, and John Young and Richard Hugh-
lett, Esqrs. from Caroline, appeared, qualifi-
ed, and took their seats.

On motion, Ordered, that Messrs. Quinton
and L. Duvall, inform the Revd. Mr. Wyatt,
the house request he will perform divine ser-
vice every morning at the meeting of the
house.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

TUESDAY, NOV. 3, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

William B. Barney, Esq. a delegate from
the city of Baltimore, John Sanders and Jo-
shua S. Bond, Esqrs. delegates from Harford
county, John Frey and John R. Evans, Es-
quires, delegates from Cecil county, and
Robert Stevens, Esquire, a delegate from
Queen-Anne's county, appeared, qualified,
and took their seats.

The following message was received from
the senate.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates.

The senate having formed a house of de-
legates to proceed with the business of the session.

We propose to fit for the dispatch of public
business, from 9 o'clock in the morning un-
til three in the afternoon.

Which was read.

The house proceeded to the appointment
of five committee clerks, on examination of
the ballots, it appeared that William Wicks,
Henry Nelson, Benjamin Gray, Louis Galla-
way and John Stevens, were elected.

Ordered, That Messrs. Young, Bowles &
Blackstone, be a committee to report such
rules as are proper to be observed during the
present session.

Ordered, That this house sit this session,
for the dispatch of public business, from 9
o'clock in the morning till 3 o'clock in the
evening.

A letter was received from Mr. Henry
Nelson, declining the appointment of com-
mittee clerk.

On motion of Mr. Randall, Leave given
to bring in a bill, entitled, An act for the va-
luation of real and personal property in this
state. Ordered, that Messrs. Randall, Plater,
Parnham, Griffith and Thomas N. Williams,
be a committee to prepare and bring in the
same.

Mr. Henry Scott was elected a committee
clerk in the place of Mr. Nelson, declined.

The following communication was received
from his excellency the Governor, accompa-
nied by the documents therein referred to.

In Council, Annapolis, Nov. 2, 1812.

Gentlemen,

Since the last session of the legislature four
companies of infantry and one of artillery of
the quota of militia of this state, have been
called into the public service at this place,
for its defence and security against the pub-
lic enemy. No other call of a similar nature
has yet been made by the president of the
United States upon the executive of this
state. The arsenals at Frederick-town and
Eaflon have been finished, and two thousand
stand of new arms deposited in each. In
pursuance of the provisions of an act of as-
sembly passed at Nov. session, eighteen hun-
dred and eight, two hundred stand of arms,
and two iron six pound field pieces, have
been purchased and received; one hundred
brace of pistols, and one hundred horseman's
swords, have been contracted for. All the
swords and pistols that were in the arsenals of
the state have been distributed among the dif-
ferent troops of cavalry. A contract has al-
so been made for the purchase of two hundred
and fifty rifles, one thousand knapfacks, and
one thousand canteens. These last mention-
ed articles are to be paid for out of the twenty
thousand dollars, appropriated at the June
session for the equipment of the quota of mi-
litia of this state.

A correspondence has been opened with the
Secretary at War of the United States upon
the subject of the arms and accoutrements
loaned for the use of the United States; and
by his answer, which will be found in the
document marked A, the views of the general
government upon that subject will be ascer-
tained.

Conformably to a Resolution passed at the
June session, the Executive have adopted the
necessary steps, with a view to ascertain the
state and condition of the public arms now
in the hands of the militia, but have not yet
received such information as is deemed of suf-
ficient importance to be communicated to the
Legislature. 1398 stand of arms have been
distributed among the militia of the most ex-
posed parts of the state, in virtue of the au-
thority of the act of assembly passed at the
session of June last. Several communications
from our sister states are herewith transmitted
relative to the ratification of the proposed
amendment of the Constitution of the U. S.
inhibiting the citizens thereof from accepting
any title of honor or nobility from any foreign
Prince or Power; and also a letter from the
Secretary of the state of Connecticut to the
Clerk of this Department, proposing an ex-
change of laws.

The Executive have thought proper to fur-
nish out of their contingent fund, fifty blau-
kets to the troops stationed at this place for the
defence of the capital of the state, and take
the liberty to suggest to the legislature, that
it would be of considerable importance to the
stability and efficiency of such defence, if a
sufficient sum of money were appropriated
to supply the troops now engaged in that
service, with winter clothing sufficient to
protect them from the inclemencies of the
approaching season.

We have the honor to be, with high con-
sideration and respect, your most obedient
servants,

ROBERT BOWIE.

Read and referred to Messrs. Dorsey, Potts,
Wilson, Donaldson and Sanders.

The house proceeded to ballot for a com-
mittee of claims. Upon an examination of
the ballots it appeared that Messrs. Young,
Graham, Evans, Thomas N. Williams, Em-
erson, McCulloch and Bowles, were elected.

The following message was read and assent-
ed to.

Gentlemen of the senate,

Your message of this morning we have re-
ceived. A quorum of the house of delegates
being also assembled, we are ready to proceed
to business. The time of sitting appointed
by us is from 9 o'clock in the morning, until
three in the afternoon.

The house proceeded to ballot for a com-
mittee of elections—upon an examination of
the ballots it appeared that Messrs. Wilson,
Potter, Plater, Taney and Sprigg, were e-
lected.

On motion, Ordered, that Messrs. Plater
and Donaldson wait upon his excellency the
governor, and inform him that this house hav-
ing met, are ready to proceed to public busi-
ness, and to receive any communication he
may think proper to lay before them.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from
William Merryman, praying he may be au-
thorized to complete his collection. Read
and referred.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, Leave given to
bring in a bill, entitled, An act for the pro-
motion of literature in this state, and for the
renewal of the charters of the several banks
therein mentioned.

On motion the house proceeded to ballot
for a committee of grievances and complaints
of justice—upon an examination of the ballots
it appeared Messrs. Dorsey, Potts, Hamble-
don, Crabb, Caufin, Bayly and Donaldson,
were elected—Ordered, That they have power
to send for persons, papers and records.

Mr. Hambleton delivers a memorial from
John Seth, of Talbot county, stating that
he ought to have been returned as one of the
delegates to the general assembly instead of
David Kerr, Esq. and praying that the seat
of Mr. Kerr may be vacated. Referred to
the committee of elections.

On motion of Mr. Lecompte, Leave
given to bring in a bill, entitled, A Supple-
ment to the act of seventeen hundred and
eighty-five, and the supplementary acts there-
to, which provide for the poor of Dorchester
county, and to repeal the act of assembly
therein mentioned.

Mr. Randall delivers a petition from Con-
rad Kerlinger of Baltimore county, praying
that a law may pass to correct an error in a
deed in the petition mentioned. Read and
referred.

The speaker laid before the house reports
of the clerks of St. Mary's, Queen-Anne's,
Anne-Arundel, Harford and Somerset coun-
ties, relative to the attendance of the judges.
Read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, Leave given
to bring in a bill, entitled, An additional
Supplement to an act, entitled, An act respect-
ing the equity jurisdiction of the county
courts.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

HYMENEAL.

Married, on Tuesday evening, by the
Revd. Mr. Addison, Dr. John Ridgely to the
amiable Miss Harriet Callahan.

NEW-LONDON, Oct. 28.

Sunday, the 25th inst. closed the day of
his EXCELLENCY ROGER GRISWOLD,
Esq. Governor of this State, in the 51st year
of his age. His remains were the day fol-
lowing removed from Norwich (where he
had been detained by sickness,) to his late
residence in Lyme. The corpse was met at
the north end of this town, by a large con-
course of citizens, who walked in procession
to the town adjoining. The ships were all
shut—business suspended—minute guns fired
from fort Trumbull, and the vessels in the
harbor displayed their flags half-mast, as a
testimonial of respect to the deceased.

As a man, a neighbor and a friend, those
who most intimately knew Gov. Griswold,
were those who most affectionately loved him.
Warm in his attachments, he was not hasty
in forming them, but once formed, they were
as lasting as their object was deserving. No
little jealousy—no small cunning, no petty
intrigue, infligated by envy or malice, ever
dared solicit his countenance or support. To
meanness and the artful expedients of low
minds, he was constitutionally and irreconcil-
ably an enemy; a fast friend to frank, liberal,
and high minded men.

While at the Bar as an advocate, he was
distinguished by merit peculiarly his own.—
The brilliancy and dazzled ornaments of most
popular orators, were beneath him—his mind
aspired to nobler fame. Possessed of uncon-
mon logical powers, he intuitively saw, and
boldly seized the prominent and leading points
of controversy, and disdaining to amuse if he
could not persuade, his whole force was ir-
reflexibly and successfully applied to ensure
conviction. While others expended their
strength in skirmishing with the out posts, he
marched with a uniform pace, and steady eye,
to the citadel, from which no fear could ap-
pal and no danger deter him.

In this crisis of our political affairs, the
death of this eminently great man has oc-
casioned a loss, to supply which we look with
solicitude and in vain for his successor. Of
his talents as a statesman, both when in Con-
gress, and since his election as chief magis-
trate of Connecticut, he has left the world a
most faithful and imperishable Record. With
a mind clear and discriminating and which
law the consequences and effects of measures
with the accuracy of prescience, with Integ-
rity and Independence, flexible at no time
and yielding to no circumstances, with liberal
and comprehensive views of general policy,
and superior to the ambition of being popu-
lar by the sacrifice of a single sentiment, he
united the unbounded confidence and attach-
ment of his political friends, with the respect
and esteem even of his political enemies. No
man has given such illustrious proof of hav-
ing been taught in the school and guided by
the principles of Washington, the father of
his country.

From the Buffalo Gazette of Oct. 20,

The cargo of the Caledonia, which has
been estimated at the eastward at \$150,000
is not now rated higher than \$8 or 10,000\$.
The immense packs of beaver, muskrat, &c.
with which it is said the Caledonia was laden,
proves to be nothing more than deer, bear &
buffalo skins. This property we understand,
is now liable to seizure by the officers of the
customs, in consequence of not having been
reported to that department. At any rate
it must be labelled and sold by the marshal of
the district of the state of New-York, be-
fore any distribution of the price can be
made.

On Friday last an express arrived from Lew-
istown, bringing the account of an armistice,
concluded at Lewistown on Tuesday last,
which expired on the Monday succeeding at
4 o'clock P. M. This armistice, we under-
stand, was requested by the British, in order
to bury the troops killed on the 13th.
It has been ascertained, that maj. Ormbee
late commandant at Fort Erie, together with
20 or 30 British, were killed on board the brig
Adams after the grounded on the day of her
capture.

George & John Barber,

At their Store on the Dock, have on hand,
and offer for Sale, a General
Assortment of Goods,
AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES,
VIZ.

French Brandy, Spirit,
each & Apple Brandy,
W. Frand N. E. Rum,
Gin, Cherry Brandy,
1st & 2d qual Whiskey
Old Sherry Wine,
1st qual. Cyder & Cyder
Vinegar,
Molasses,
Best Alex. Loaf Sugar,
1st & 2d qual. Balt. do.
1st 2d & 3d. Brown do.
Chocolate, Coffee,
Imperial,
Hyson,
Young Hyson, }
Hyson Skin, }
Souchong. }
A few boxes of Raisins
and Currants,
Mace, Cloves, Nutmegs,
Alspice, Cinnamon,
Pepper, Ginger,
Pearl barley, Rice,
Mustard, Fig Blir,
Starch, Allom, Salt Pe-
tre, Brimstone,
Perfumed Soap & Wash
Balls,
1st and 2d qual. Spanish
and Amer Segars,
First chop James River
small twist, pig tail
and smoking tobacco
Rappee & Scotch Snuff
Mould & Dipped Can-
dles,
White & Brown Soap,
Mess Pork, new & old
Hams, Shoulders and
Middlings,
Salmon, Mackerel, He-
rings and Cod Fish,
Cheese, Butter, Lard,
Sallad Oil, Basket Salt
Jamieson's Crackers,
Pilot Bread.

All the above Articles are offered for sale on
the most reasonable terms for cash, or to those
who have been punctual on the usual credit. To
persons who reside in the country they will barter
for different kinds of grain, &c.

THE PACKETS FOR BALTIMORE
Are now running regularly, and will continue to
do so until the 25th December.—The utmost at-
tention will be paid to the delivery of letters, but they
will not be responsible for the loss of any.

N. B. The subscribers earnestly request all those
who have accounts of long standing to come for-
ward and discharge the same, or pass their Notes
for the amount. In order to accommodate such,
a small part of their accounts will be received and
credit given for the same.

We forewarn all persons from trusting the
hands with small bundles, as in case they should
be lost we will not be answerable for the same.—
All those who have claims against us are requested
to bring them in for settlement.

Geo. & Jno. Barber.

Annapolis, Nov. 5, 1812.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Baltimore county, hath
obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel
county, in the state of Maryland, letters of ad-
ministration on the personal estate of William
Mollison, late of the city of London, deceased.
All persons having claims against said estate are
requested to bring them in legally authenticated,
and those in any manner indebted to said estate to
make payment to

James Jeffray, Adm'r.

October 29.

Notice is hereby given,

That a petition will be presented to the
Legislature, at their next session, for a
law to open a road from some place near
to Cragg's Ferry, to Mr. Pumfrey's mills,
and from thence to the mountain-road,
where there are two branches, one of
which leads to Mr. Waters's mill, and the
other to the Annapolis road leading from
Baltimore.

2. County. Oct. 29, 1812. 6w.

For Sale

A Negro Woman, aged 32, with four
Children, three girls and a boy, the eldest
daughter nine years of age, the second
four, the boy's age seven. Enquire at the
Gazette Office.

October 29. tf.

To the Voters

Of Anne-Arundel County and the City of
Annapolis.

GENTLEMEN, Having become a Candidate

for the Office of Sheriff at the next Elec-
torial period, have thought proper to give
this early notice of my intention to do so.
On this occasion I earnestly solicit the
support of my fellow-citizens: Should my
efforts be crowned with success, it would
be the object of my care to discharge the
duties that would devolve on me with jus-
tice and humanity.

REZN SPURRIER.

Annapolis, October 8, 1812. 3m

LEMUEL TAYLOR, Esq. of the city of
Baltimore, and THOMAS B. DORSEY, Esq.
late of the city of Baltimore, but now of
Anne-Arundel county, both decided Re-
publicans, will be supported as electors of
President and Vice-President of the United
States by many Republicans, and if
elected will vote for

of the state of New-York, as President.
A DEMOCRAT.

WASHINGTON CITY, OCT. 29.
Copies of letters from maj. gen. Van Rensselaer, of the New York militia, to major gen. Henry Dearborn, transmitted by the latter to the Department of War.

Head Quarters, Lewistown,
October 14, 1812.

SIR,

As the movements of the army under my command, since I had last the honour to address you on the 8th inst. have been of a very important character, producing consequences serious to many individuals; establishing facts actually connected with the interest of the service and the safety of the army; and as I stand prominently responsible for some of these consequences, I beg leave to explain to you, sir, and through you to my country, the situation and circumstances in which I have had to act, and the reasons and motives which governed me; and if the result is not all that might have been wished, it is such, that when the whole ground shall be viewed, I shall cheerfully submit myself to the judgment of my country.

In my letter of the 8th inst. I apprised you that a crisis in this campaign was rapidly advancing; and that (to repeat the same words) "the blow must be soon struck, or all the toil and expense of the campaign go for nothing; and worse than nothing, for the whole will be tinged with dishonour."

Under such impressions, I had on the 5th inst. written to brigadier gen. Smyth, of the U. S. forces, requesting an interview with him, maj. gen. Hall, and the commandants of the U. S. regiments, for the purpose of conferring upon the subject of future operations. I wrote maj. gen. Hall to the same purport. On the 11th, I had received no answer from gen. Smyth; but in a note to me of the 10th, gen. Hall mentioned that gen. Smyth had not yet then agreed upon any day for the consultation.

In the meantime, the partial success of lieutenant Elliott, at Black Rock, (of which however I have received no official information) began to excite a strong disposition in the troops to act. This was expressed to me through various channels in the shape of an alternative; that they must have orders to act; or at all hazards they would go home. I forbore here commenting upon the obvious consequences to me, personally, of longer withholding my orders under such circumstances.

I had a conference with — as to the possibility of getting some person to pass over to Canada and obtain correct information. On the morning of the 4th he wrote to me that he had procured the man who bore his letter to go over. Instructions were given him; he passed over—obtained such information as was warranted an immediate attack. This was confidentially communicated to several of my first officers, and produced great zeal to act; more especially as it might have a controlling effect upon the movements at Detroit, where it was supposed gen. Brock had gone with all the force he dare spare from the Niagara frontier. The best preparations in my power, were therefore made to dislodge the enemy from the heights at Queenstown, and possess ourselves of the village, where the troops might be sheltered from the distressing inclemency of the weather.

Lt. col. Fenwick's flying artillery, and a detachment of regular troops under his command, were ordered to be up in season from Fort Niagara. Orders were also sent to gen. Smyth to send down from Buffalo such detachment of his brigade as existing circumstances in that vicinity might warrant. The attack was to have been made at 4 o'clock in the morning of the 11th, by crossing over in boats from the Old Ferry opposite the heights. To avoid any embarrassment in crossing the river (which is here a sheet of violent eddies) experienced boatmen were procured to take the boats from the landing below to the place of embarkation. Lieutenant Sim was considered the man of greatest skill for this service. He went ahead, and in the extreme darkness, passed the intended place far up the river, and there in a most extraordinary manner, fastened his boat to the shore, and abandoned the detachment. In this front boat he had carried nearly every arm which was prepared for all the boats. In this agonizing dilemma, flood officers and men, whose ardour had not been cooled by exposure through the night to one of the most tremendous north-east storms, which continued unabated for 28 hours, and deluged the whole camp. The approach of daylight extinguished every prospect of success, and the detachment returned to camp. Col. Van Rensselaer was to have commanded the detachment.

After this result I had hoped the patience of the troops would have continued until I could submit the plan suggested in my letter of the 8th, that I might act later and in conformity to the opinion which might be then expressed. But my hope was idle; the previously excited ardour seemed to have gained new heat from the late miscarriage; the brave were mortified to stop short of their object, and the timid thought laurels half won by the attempt.

On the morning of the 12th, such was the pressure upon me from all quarters, that my refusal to act might involve me in suspicion and the service in disgrace.

Viewing affairs at Buffalo as yet unsettled I had immediately countermanded the march of gen. Smyth's brigade, upon the failure of the first expedition; but having now determined to attack Queenstown, I sent new orders to gen. Smyth to march; not with the view of his aid in the attack, for I considered the force detached sufficient, but to support the detachment should the conflict be obstinate and long continued.

Lieut. Col. Christie, who had just arrived at the Four Mile Creek, had late in the night of the first contemplated attack, gallantly offered me his own and his men's service; but he got my permission too late. He now again came forward, had a conference with col. Van Rensselaer, and begged that he might have the honour of a command in the expedition. The arrangement was made. Col. Van Rensselaer was to command one column of 300 militia, and lieutenant colonel Christie a column of the same number of regular troops.

Every precaution was now adopted as to boats, and the most confidential and experienced men to manage them. At an early hour in the night, lieutenant col. Christie marched his detachment by the rear road, from Niagara to camp. At 7, in the evening, lieutenant col. Stranahan's regiment from Niagara Falls—at 8 o'clock, Mead's—and at 9, Lt. col. Blau's regiment marched from the same place. All were in camp in good season. Agreeably to my orders issued upon this occasion, the two columns were to pass over together, and soon as the heights should be carried, lieutenant colonel Fenwick's flying artillery was to pass over; then major Mullany's detachment of regulars, & the other troops to follow in order.

At dawn of day, the boats were in readiness, and the troops commenced embarking under cover of a commanding battery mounting two eighteen pounders and 2 sixes. The movement was soon discovered, & a brisk fire of musketry was poured from the whole line of the Canada shore. Our battery then opened to sweep the shore; but it was for some minutes, too dark to direct much fire with safety. A brisk cannonade was now opened upon the boats from three different quarters; our battery returned their fire, and occasionally threw grape upon the shore, and was itself served with shells from a small mortar of the enemy's. Col. Scott, of the artillery by halting his march from Niagara Falls in the night, arrived in season to return the enemy's fire with 2 six pounders.

The boats were somewhat embarrassed with the eddies, as well as with a shower of shot; but col. Van Rensselaer, with about 100 men, soon effected his landing amidst a tremendous fire directed upon him from every point; but to the astonishment of all who witnessed the scene, this van of the column advanced slowly against the fire. It was a serious misfortune to the van, and indeed to the whole expedition, that in a few minutes after landing, col. Van Rensselaer received four wounds—a ball passed through his right thigh, entering just below the hip bone—another shot passed through the same thigh, a little below—the third through the calf of his left leg—and a fourth contused his heel. This was quite a crisis in the expedition. Under so severe a fire it was difficult to form raw troops. By some mismanagement of the boatmen, lieutenant col. Christie did not arrive until some time after this, and was wounded in the hand in passing the river. Col. Van Rensselaer was still able to stand; and with great presence of mind ordered his officers to proceed with rapidity and storm the fort. This service was gallantly performed, and the enemy driven down the hill in every direction. Soon after this, both parties were considerably reinforced, and the conflict was renewed in various places—many of the enemy took shelter behind a stone guard-house, where a piece of ordnance was now briskly served. I ordered the fire of our battery direct upon the guard-house; and it was so effectually done, that with 8 or 10 shot the fire was silenced. The enemy then retreated behind a large store-house; but in a short time the route became general, and the enemy's fire was silenced except from a one gun battery, so far down the river as to be out of the reach of the heavy ordnance, and our light pieces could not silence it. A number of boats passed over unannoyed except from the one silenced gun. For sometime after I had passed over, the victory appeared complete; but in the expectation of further attacks, I was taking measures for fortifying my camp immediately, the direction of this service I committed to Lt. Totten of the engineers. But very soon the enemy were reinforced by a detachment of several hundred Indians from Chippawa—they commenced a furious attack; but were promptly met and routed by the rifle and bayonet. By this time I perceived my troops were embarking but slowly. I passed over immediately to accelerate their movements; but to my utter astonishment, I found that at the very moment when complete victory was in our hands, the ardour of the unengaged troops had entirely subsided. I rode in all directions—urged men by every consideration to pass over—but in vain. Lt. col. Bloom, who had been wounded in action returned, mounted his horse and rode through the camp, as did also judge Peck, who happened to be here, exhorting the companies to proceed—but all in vain.

At this time a large reinforcement from Fort George were discovered coming up the river. As the battery on the hill was considered an important check against their ascending the heights, measures were immediately taken to send them a fresh supply of ammunition, as I had learnt there were only left 20 shot for the 18 pounders. The reinforcements, however, obliqued to the right from the road, and formed a junction with the Indians in the rear of the heights. Finding to my infinite mortification, that no reinforcement would pass over; seeing that another severe conflict must soon commence; and knowing that the brave men on the heights were quite exhausted and nearly out of ammunition, all I could do was to send them a fresh supply of cartridges. At this critical moment I dispatched a note to gen. Wadsworth, acquainting him with our situation—leaving the course to be pursued much to his own judgment—with assurance if he thought best to retreat, I would endeavour to send him as many boats as I could command, and cover his retreat by every fire I could safely make. But the boats were dispersed—many of the boatmen had fled, panic struck—and but few got off. But my note could but little more than have reached gen. Wadsworth, about 4 o'clock, when a most severe and obstinate conflict commenced and continued about half an hour, with a tremendous fire of cannon, flying artillery and musketry. The enemy succeeded in re-possessing their battery and gaining advantage on every side, the brave men who had gained the victory, exhausted of strength and ammunition, and grieved at the unpardonable neglect of their fellow-soldiers, gave up the conflict.

I can only add that the victory was really won; but lost for the want of a small reinforcement. One third part of the idle men might have saved all.

I have been so pressed with the various duties of burying the dead, providing for the wounded, collecting the public property, negotiating an exchange of prisoners, and all the concerns consequent of such a battle, that I have not been able to forward this dispatch as early an hour as I could have wished. I shall soon forward you another dispatch in which I shall endeavour to point out to you the conduct of some most gallant deserving officers. But I cannot in justice close this without expressing the very great obligation I am under to brigadier gen. Wadsworth, col. Van Rensselaer, col. Scott, Lt. cols. Christie and Fenwick, and captain Gibson. Many others have also behaved most gallantly. As I have reason to believe many of our troops fled to the woods, with the hope of crossing the river, I have not been able to learn the probable number, killed, wounded or prisoners. The slaughter of our troops must have been very considerable. And the enemy have suffered severely.

Gen. Brock, is among their slain, and his aid-de-camp mortally wounded.

I have, &c.
(Signed) ST'N VAN RENSSELAER,
Major General.

Maj. Gen. Dearborn.

HEAD QUARTERS,
Lewistown, Oct. 15, 1812.

SIR,

For any further particulars respecting the action; the present situation and movement of our troops; the appearance of the enemy's situation; and our future prospects, generally, I beg leave to refer you to captain Dox, who will have the honour to deliver you this dispatch. Capt. Dox is an intelligent officer, and much reliance may be placed on his information and judgment.

I am, with great respect, &c.
(Signed) ST'N VAN RENSSELAER.
Maj. Gen. Dearborn.

Seasonable Goods.

H. G. MUNROE

Has just received, a general assortment of
Dry Goods & Groceries,
Ironmongery and Stationary, which will be disposed of on accommodating terms.

ALSO,

Loaf & Lump Sugar

At the Factory prices.
October 15.

Childs & Shaw,

Have just received, a complete Assortment of

Fall & Winter Goods,

which they offer for sale on the most accommodating terms.
October 8.

B. CURRAN,

Has received a good supply of Cloths, Coatings, Casimeres, Flannels, Blankets, Stuffs, Irish Linens, and various other Articles in use.

Dry Good Line,

which he will sell low for Cash, and as usual to his Punctual Customers.
October's.

Land for Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the High Court of Chancery the subscriber will offer to Public Sale, at the Tavern in Queen-Anne, Prince George's county, on Saturday the 14th November next,

That Valuable Farm

On which Zachariah Baldwin formerly resided, situate in that rich and highly improved country known by the name of The Forest of Prince George's. This Farm contains about 200 acres of land of the first quality, has a comfortable brick dwelling-house on it, with a Kitchen, Quarter, &c. attached to it; excellent Apple and Peach Orchards; plenty of fire-wood, and much valuable Timber. It is level, fertile and well watered; the situation remarkably healthy, and the soil adapted to clover and plaster. It contains besides about 15 acres of fine meadow, and the enclosures of the whole are in good repair. In addition to these inducements, it may be stated, that much adjacent lands may be added to it at a price far below its value, so as to form a most desirable establishment for a monied man, on the most reasonable terms. The distance from Queen-Anne, the nearest town, is about seven miles, and from Annapolis and the City of Washington about fourteen.

The Terms of Sale, as prescribed by the decree of the Chancellor under which the land is offered to sale, are, that the purchaser or purchasers shall give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, with interest thereon, within twelve months from the day of sale, on the receipt of which, and the ratification of the sale by the Chancellor, the land shall be conveyed to the purchaser or purchasers, and his or their heirs, by a good and sufficient deed. Sales commence at 12 o'clock.

James Shaw, Trustee.

October 8.

Wanted,

TO HIRE OR PURCHASE,

A good plain Cook—Apply at the Office of the Maryland Gazette.

September 10.

Wanted

TO HIRE, BY THE YEAR,

A NEGRO WOMAN,

who understands House Work, for which a liberal price will be given. Inquire at the Office.

Sept. 17.

To be Rented,

That elegant situation, opposite to the city of Annapolis, adjoining Fort Madison. It contains upwards of 300 acres of excellent land, with oyster shell banks of manure in each field; with three Negro Men. The convenience to one of the best markets, (for the seller,) in the state, is very great. Any person wishing to rent, may apply to Mr. Clements, at Annapolis, or the subscriber at Easton.

September 10, 1812.

David Kerr.

EXCHANGE OF OLD SIX PER CENT AND DEFERRED STOCKS

Pursuant to the act of Congress, entitled, "An act authorising a subscription for the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same," passed on the 6th day of July, 1812, books will be opened on the first day of October next, at the Treasury, and at the several loan offices, and will continue open till the 17th day of March next, for receiving subscriptions of the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, in the manner prescribed by the said act. New certificates, bearing interest from the first day of the quarter in which the subscription shall be made, at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly-yearly, for the unredemmed amount of principal of the old six per cent. and deferred stocks which may be subscribed, will be issued at the Treasury or at the Loan Offices respectively where the old stock subscribed may at the time stand credited. The new stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the 31st day of December, 1824; but no reimbursement will be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of the proprietor, on the books of the Treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.

Albert Gallatin.
Treasury Department, Sept. 10, 1812.

Land for Sale.

I will sell the plantation on which I now reside, containing about six hundred and fifty acres of valuable land, adapted to farming, &c. healthy situation: There is the greatest plenty of wood, such as oak, chestnut, walnut and poplar; it is well watered; a plenty of meadow, and about four acres in clover. This land lies within two miles of Herring Creek Church, five miles from Pig Point, and about the same distance from Herring Bay. It will be divided to suit purchasers, if desired. For terms apply to the subscriber.

Sept. 24, 1812.

Samuel Harrison.

Augustus Uz,

Respectfully informs the Citizens of Annapolis, that at the earnest solicitations of some of the most respectable inhabitants he has made arrangements, and is now enabled, to devote his leisure hours to their benefit and gratification, with his new and elegant mode of

Colouring and Ornamenting Walls, either in imitation of paper hangings, or otherwise. This so eminently useful invention is too generally known throughout the Union to need any further illustration. He is situated at the corner of Mr. Jarvis's, on Hill Point, or at Mr. Isaac Parker's Tavern, (where a rough specimen of the work may be seen,) will be strictly attended to, and all necessary information respecting expenses and durability given.
October 8.

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Price—Two Dollars

WASHINGTON CITY

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WASHINGTON CITY, NOV. 4.

The President of the United States this day communicated by Mr. Coles his private Secretary, the following message to Congress:—

Fellow-citizens of the Senate

and House of Representatives,

On our present meeting, it is my first duty to invite your attention to the Providential favours which our country has experienced, in the unusual degree of health dispensed to its inhabitants, and in the rich abundance with which the earth has rewarded the labors bestowed on it. In the successful cultivation of other branches of industry, and in the progress of general improvement favourable to the national prosperity, there is just occasion, also, for our mutual congratulations & thankfulness.

With these blessings are necessarily mingled, the pressures and vicissitudes incident to the state of war, into which the U. S. have been forced, by the perseverance of a foreign power, in its system of injustice and aggression.

Previous to its declaration, it was deemed proper, as a measure of precaution and forecast, that a considerable force should be placed in the Michigan Territory, with a general view to its security, and, in the event of war, to such operations in the Uppermost Canada as would intercept the hostile influence of G. Britain over the savages, obtain the command of the lake on which that part of Canada borders, and maintain co-operating relations with such forces as might be most conveniently employed against other parts. Brig. Gen. Hull was charged with this provisional service; having under his command a body of troops composed of regulars and of volunteers from the State of Ohio. Having reached his destination after his knowledge of the war, and possessing discretionary authority to act offensively, he passed into the neighbouring territory of the enemy with a prospect of easy and victorious progress. The expedition nevertheless terminated unfortunately, not only in a retreat to the town and fort of Detroit, but in the surrender of both, and of the gallant corps commanded by that officer. The causes of this painful reverse will be investigated by a military tribunal.

A distinguishing feature in the operations which preceded and followed this adverse event, is the use made by the enemy, of the merciless savages under their influence. Whilst the benevolent policy of the U. S. invariably recommended peace and promoted civilization among that wretched portion of the human race; and was making exertions to dissuade them from taking either side in the war, the enemy has not scrupled to call to his aid their ruthless ferocity, armed with the horrors of those instruments of carnage and torture, which are known to spare neither age nor sex. In this outrage against the laws of honourable war, and against the feelings sacred to humanity, the British commanders cannot resort to a plea of retaliation; for it is committed in the face of our example. They cannot mitigate it, by calling it a self-defence against men in arms; for it embraces the most shocking butcheries of defenceless females. Nor can it be pretended that they are not answerable for the atrocities perpetrated; since the savages are employed with a knowledge and even with menaces, that their fury could not be controlled. Such is the spectacle which the deputed authorities of a nation, boasting its religion and morality, have not been restrained, from presenting to an enlightened age.

The misfortune at Detroit was not, however, without a consoling effect. It was followed by signal proofs, that the national spirit rises according to the pressure on it. The loss of an important post, and of the brave men surrendered with it, inspired every where new ardour and determination. In the States and districts least remote, it was no sooner known, than every citizen was ready to fly with his arms, at once to protect his brethren against the blood-thirsty savages let loose by the enemy on an extensive frontier; and to convert a partial calamity into a source of invigorated efforts. This patriotic zeal, which it was necessary rather to limit than to excite, has embodied an ample force from the States of Kentucky and Ohio, and from parts of Pennsylvania and Virginia. It is placed with the addition of a few regulars, under the command of brig. gen. Harrison, who possesses the entire confidence of his fellow-citizens, among whom are citizens, some of them volunteers in the ranks, not less distinguished by their political station, than by

their personal merit. The greater portion of this force is proceeding on its destination, towards the Michigan Territory, having succeeded in relieving an important frontier post, and in several incidental operations against hostile tribes of savages, rendered indispensable by the subservency into which they had been seduced by the enemy, a seduction the more cruel, as it could not fail to impose a necessity of precautionary severities against those who yielded to it.

At a recent date an attack was made on a post of the enemy near Niagara by a detachment of the regular and other forces under the command of major-general Van Rensselaer of the militia of the State of New-York. The attack, it appears, was ordered in compliance with the ardor of the troops, who executed it with distinguished gallantry, and were for a time victorious; but not receiving the expected support, they were compelled to yield to reinforcements of British regulars and savages. Our loss has been considerable and is deeply to be lamented. That of the enemy less ascertained, will be the more felt, as it includes among the killed, the commanding general, who was also the Governor of the province; and was sustained by veteran troops from inexperienced soldiers, who must daily improve in the duties of the field.

Our expectation of gaining command of the lakes, by the invasion of Canada from Detroit, having been disappointed, measures were instantly taken to provide on them a naval force superior to that of the enemy. From the talents and activity of the officer charged with this object, every thing that can be done, may be expected. Should the present season not admit of complete success the progress made will ensure for the next a naval ascendancy, where it is essential to our permanent peace with, and control over the savages.

Among the incidents to the measures of the war, I am constrained to advert to the refusal of the Governors of Massachusetts and Connecticut, to furnish their respective detachments of militia towards the defence of the maritime frontier. The refusal was founded on a novel and unfortunate exposition of the provisions of the constitution relating to the militia. The correspondences which will be before you, contain the requisite information on the subject. It is obvious, that if the authority of the United States to call into service and command the militia for the public defence, can be thus frustrated, even in a state of declared war, and of course under apprehensions of invasion preceding war; they are not one nation for the purpose most of all requiring it; and that the public safety may have no other resource, than in those large and permanent military establishments which are forbidden by the principles of our free government, and against the necessity of which the militia were meant to be a constitutional bulwark.

On the coast, and on the ocean, the war has been as successful as circumstances inseparable from its early stages could promise. Our public ships and private cruisers by their activity, and, where there was occasion, by their intrepidity, have made the enemy sensible of the difference between a reciprocity of captures, and the long confinement of them to their side. Our trade, with little exception, has safely reached our ports; having been much favored in it by the course pursued by a squadron of our frigates, under the command of commodore Rodgers. And in the instance in which skill and bravery were more particularly tried with those of the enemy, the American flag had an auspicious triumph. The frigate Constitution, commanded by capt. Hull, after a close and short engagement, completely disabled and captured a British frigate; gaining for that officer and all on board a praise which cannot be too liberally bestowed; not merely for the victory actually achieved, but for that prompt and cool exertion of commanding talents, which giving to courage its highest character, and to the force applied its full effect, proved that more could have been done in a contest requiring more.

Anxious to abridge the evils from which a state of war cannot be exempt, I lost no time after it was declared, in conveying to the British government the terms on which its progress might be arrested, without awaiting the delays of a formal and final pacification. And our charge d'affaires at London was, at the same time, authorized to agree to an armistice founded upon them. These terms required that the orders in council should be repealed as they affected the United States, without a revival of blockades violating acknowledged rules; that there should be an immediate discharge of American seamen from British ships, and a stop to impressments from American ships, with an exclusion of the seamen of each nation from the ships of the other, should be stipulated; and that the armistice should be improved into a definitive and comprehensive adjustment of depending controversies. Although

a repeal of the orders susceptible of explanations meeting the views of this government, had taken place before this pacific advance was communicated to that of G. Britain, the advance was declined, from an avowed repugnance to a suspension of the practice of impressments, during the armistice, and without any intimation that the arrangement proposed with respect to seamen would be accepted.

Whether the subsequent communications from this government, affording an occasion for reconsidering the subject on the part of G. Britain, will be viewed in a more favorable light, or received in a more accommodating spirit remains to be known. It would be unwise to relax our measures, in any respect, on a presumption of such a result.

The documents from the Department of State, which relate to this subject, will give a view also of the propositions for an armistice, which have been received here, one of them from the authorities at Halifax and in Canada, the other from the British government itself, through admiral Warren; and of the grounds upon which neither of them could be accepted.

Our affairs with France retain the posture which they held at my last communications to you. Notwithstanding the authorized expectation of an early as well as favourable issue to the discussions on foot, these have been procrastinated to the latest date. The only intervening occurrence meriting attention, is the promulgation of a French decree, purporting to be a definitive repeal of the Berlin and Milan decrees. This proceeding, although made the ground of the repeal of the British orders in council, is rendered, by the time and manner of it, liable to many objections.

The final communications from our special Minister to Denmark, afford further proofs of the good effects of his mission, and of the amicable disposition of the Danish government. From Russia we have the satisfaction to receive assurances of continued friendship, & that it will not be affected by the rupture between the United States and Great Britain. Sweden also professes sentiments favourable to the subsisting harmony.

With the Barbary powers, excepting that of Algiers, our affairs remain on the ordinary footing. The Consul General, residing with that Regency, has suddenly and without cause been banished, together with all the American citizens found there. Whether this was the transitory effect of capricious despotism, or the first act of predetermined hostility, is not ascertained. Precautions were taken by the Consul, on the latter supposition.

The Indian tribes, not under foreign instigations, remain at peace, and receive the civilizing attentions, which have proved so beneficial to them.

With a view to that vigorous prosecution of the war, to which our national faculties are adequate, the attention of Congress will be particularly drawn to the insufficiency of the existing provisions for filling up the military establishment. Such is the happy condition of our country, arising from the facility of subsistence and the high wages for every species of occupation, that notwithstanding the augmented inducements provided at the last session, a partial success only has attended the recruiting service. The deficiency has been necessarily supplied, during the campaign, by other than regular troops, with all the inconveniences and expenses incident to them. The remedy lies in establishing, more favourably for the private soldier, the proportion between his recompense and the term of his enlistment. And it is a subject which cannot too soon or too seriously be taken into consideration.

The same insufficiency has been experienced in the provisions for volunteers made by an act of the last session. The recompense for the service required in this case, is still less attractive than in the other. And although patriotism alone has sent into the field some valuable corps of that description, these alone who can afford the sacrifice can be expected to yield to that impulse.

It will merit consideration also, whether, as auxiliary to the security of our frontier, corps may not be advantageously organized, with a restriction of their services to particular districts convenient to them. And whether the local and occasional services of mariners and others in the sea-port towns under a similar organization, would not be a provident addition to the means of their defence.

I recommend a provision for an increase of the general officers of the army, the deficiency of which has been illustrated by the number and distance of separate commands, which the course of the war and the advantage of the service have required.

And I cannot press too strongly on the earliest attention of the legislature the importance of the re-organization of the staff establishment; with a view to render more distinct and definitive the relations and responsibilities of its several departments. That there is room for improvements which will materially promote both economy and success, in what appertains to the army and the war, is equally inculcated by the examples of other countries and by the experience of our own.

A revision of the militia laws for the purpose of rendering them more systematic, and better adapting them to emergencies of the war, is at this time particularly desirable.

Of the additional ships authorized to be fitted for service, two will be shortly ready to sail; a third is under repair; and delay will be avoided in the repair of the residue. Of the appropriations for the purchase of materials for ship-building, the greater part has been applied to that object, and the purchases will be continued with the balance.

The enterprising spirit which has characterized our naval force, and its success both in restraining insults and depredations on our coasts, and in reprisals on the enemy, will not fail to recommend an enlargement of it.

There being reason to believe that the act prohibiting the acceptance of British licenses, is not a sufficient guard against the use of them for purposes favourable to the interests and views of the enemy; further provisions on that subject are

highly important. Nor is it less so, that penal enactments should be provided for cases of corrupt and perfidious intercourse with the enemy, not amounting to treason, nor yet embraced by any statutory provisions.

A considerable number of American vessels, which were in England when the revocation of the orders in council took place, were laden with British manufactures, under an erroneous impression that the non-importation act would immediately cease to operate, and have arrived in the U. States. It did not appear proper to exercise, on unforeseen causes of such magnitude, the ordinary powers vested in the treasury department to mitigate forfeitures, without previously affording to congress an opportunity of making on the subject such provision as they may think proper. In their decision they will doubtless equally consult what is due to equitable considerations and to the public interest.

The receipts into the treasury, during the year ending on the 30th of September last, have exceeded sixteen millions and a half of dollars; which have been sufficient to defray all the demands on the treasury to that day, including a necessary reimbursement of near three millions of the principal of the public debt. In these receipts is included a sum of near 5,850,000 dollars, received on account of the loans authorized by the acts of the last session: the whole sum actually obtained on loan amounts to eleven millions of dollars, the residue of which being receivable subsequent to the 30th of September last, will, together with the current revenue, enable us to defray all the expenses of this year.

The duties on the late unexpected importations of British manufactures, will render the revenue of the ensuing year more productive than could have been anticipated.

The situation of our country, fellow-citizens, is not without its difficulties, though it abounds in animating considerations, of which the view here presented of our pecuniary resources is an example. With more than one nation we have serious and unsettled controversies; and with one, powerful in the means and habits of war, we are at war. The spirit and strength of this nation are, nevertheless, equal to the support of all its rights, and to carry it through all its trials. They can be met in that confidence. Above all, we have the inestimable consolation of knowing that the war in which we are actually engaged, is a war neither of ambition nor of vain glory; that it is waged, not in violation of the rights of others, but in the maintenance of our own; that it was preceded by a patience without example, under wrongs accumulating without end; and that it was finally not declared until every hope of averting it was extinguished, by the transfer of the British sceptre into new hands clinging to former councils; and until declarations were reiterated to the last hour, through the British envoy here, that the hostile edicts against our commercial rights and our maritime independence, would not be revoked; nay, that they could not be revoked without violating the obligations of Great Britain to other powers, as well as to her own interests. To have shrunk, under such circumstances, from manly resistance, would have been a degradation blasting our best and proudest hopes: it would have struck us from the high rank, where the virtuous struggles of our fathers had placed us, and have betrayed the magnificent legacy which we hold in trust for future generations. It would have acknowledged that on the element which forms three-fourths of the globe we inhabit, and where all independent nations have equal and common rights, the American people were not an independent people, but colonists and vassals. It was at this moment, and with such an alternative, that war was chosen. The nation felt the necessity of it and called for it. The appeal was accordingly made, in a just cause, to the just and All-powerful Being who holds in his hand the chain of events and the destiny of nations. It remains only, that, faithful to ourselves, entangled in no connections with the views of other powers, and ever ready to accept peace from the hand of justice, we prosecute the war with united councils, and with the ample facilities of the nation, until peace be so obtained, and as the only means, under the divine blessing, of speedily obtaining it.

JAMES MADISON.

November 4, 1812.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.
ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, NOV. 12, 1812.
LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Griffith delivers a petition from John Farcharson, an alien, residing in Dorchester county, praying that a law may pass enabling him to purchase and hold real property in this State. Mr. Potts a petition from the Moravian Society of Graceham, in Frederick county, praying that a law may pass to confirm their title to certain lands. Mr. Lewis a petition from John Shaik, of Washington county, praying that a certain road may be opened. Mr. Sprigg a petition from Thomas McCordle, counter to the petition of John Shaik. Mr. Randall a petition from Hugh Lynch, of Baltimore county, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Mr. Warner a petition from Charles L. Snyder, of Baltimore county, praying that he may be permitted to bring certain negroes from Virginia into this State. Mr. F. Hall a petition from Richard Dave, of Prince-George's county, praying that the levy Court may be authorized to levy a sum of money for his support. Mr. Forwood, of Wm. a petition from sundry inhabitants of Harford county, praying that a road therein mentioned may be made public. Mr. Delaplane a petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick county to change the location of a road therein mentioned. Mr. Lecompte a petition from John Burns, of Dorchester county, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Mr. Banning a petition from Henry Banning and Anthony Banning, of Talbot county, praying that a law may pass to confirm their title to certain property devised to them by a certain Elizabeth Peacock. Severally read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Bowles, Ordered, that the committee of claims procure twelve copies of the votes and proceedings of the two last sessions, and also twelve copies of the laws of the June and November sessions, for the use of the House of Delegates.

Mr. Potts delivers a petition from Mary Crane, of Frederick county, praying a divorce; also, a petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick county, praying for a public road from New Town (Trap) to Buckey's Town. Read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, Ordered, that the committee of grievances and courts of justice be instructed to inquire and report to this house, whether the usual number of the votes and proceedings of the two last sessions of the general assembly of Maryland have been deposited in the council chamber for distribution in the usual manner, and when, and if not, to what cause the failure is to be attributed.

On motion of Mr. Young, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council for the ensuing year.

Mr. Long delivers a petition from Charles Richardson, of Somerset county, a revolutionary soldier. Read and referred.

Mr. Dorsey from the committee of grievances and courts of justice delivers to the speaker the following report:

The committee of grievances & courts of justice, to whom the order relating to the votes and proceedings was this morning referred, beg leave to report.—That they find from information derived from the clerk of the council, that Jehu Chandler delivered in his office on the 13th day of last October, eighteen packages of the votes and proceedings, which he on the same day, tendered to Solomon Grover, the then Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, for distribution, who declined taking the same, unless the printer would pay him the expense of transmitting them, or would make himself responsible to pay the same, in the event of the general assembly refusing to pay his account. All which is submitted.

Mr. Dorsey moved the following order: Ordered, that the committee of claims be instructed to have printed, all papers ordered by this house to be printed during the present session.

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, that this house will on to-morrow proceed to the appointment of an Auditor to the State in the room of Robert Denny, Esquire, deceased.

The Speaker laid before the house a report of the clerk of Kent county, relative to the attendance of Judges. Read and referred.

Mr. Randall from the committee on the petition of Hugh Lynch, delivers to the Speaker a report in favor of the petitioner.—Read.

The Speaker laid before the house a letter from Benjamin Harwood, Trustee, for the State of Maryland, covering an account current of funded stock to the 31st of October, 1812, inclusive; also an account current of principal and interest received on said stock to the same period. Read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Young, from the committee of claims, delivers to the Speaker a report; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Young from the committee appointed to report the rules to be observed during the session delivers a report. Read.

Mr. Young, from the committee, delivers to the Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to settle and ascertain the salary of members of the council for the ensuing year.

Mr. Griffith, from the committee, delivers to the Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of John Farcharson, of Dorchester county. Read.

Mr. Wilson, from the committee of elections and privileges, delivers to the Speaker a report. Read, and ordered to a second reading on Friday next.

Adjourned until to-morrow.

THURSDAY, NOV. 5.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Marriott delivers a petition from Keziah Hughes of Anne-Arundel county, praying to be supported by said county. Referred.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to authorize the levy court of Washington county to appoint commissioners to alter, straighten, open and amend, a road therein mentioned.

On motion by Mr. Caulin, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to a supplement to the act, entitled, An act to regulate and discipline the militia this State.

On motion by Mr. Porter, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to repeal a supplement to an act, entitled, An act to ascertain the allowance of the members of the general assembly, electors of the senate, and electors of president and vice-president of the United States, passed at November session, 1811.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, the house proceeded to ballot for an auditor to the State, in the room of Robert Denny, Esq. deceased. Upon examination of the ballots it appeared that Thomas Harrison, Esq. was unanimously elected.

Mr. Plater delivers a report and memorial of the trustees of Charlotte Hall School. Read and referred.

On motion by Mr. Bayly, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to provide for the election of the justices of the levy courts in the several counties of this State, by the people.

Mr. Lecompte moved the following order: Ordered, That the committee of claims furnish to each member of the legislature, during this session, such one of the papers published in this city as the members may respectively direct.

On motion by Mr. Emerson, that the order be amended so as to read as follows: Ordered, That the committee of claims furnish to each member of the legislature, during this session, the two papers published in this city: The question was put, That the house agree to the amendment? Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the house assent to the order as amended? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, Ordered, That the committee to whom the leave was given to bring in a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act respecting the equity jurisdiction of the county courts, be instructed to inquire into, and report to this house, the condition of the records in the office of the court of chancery, and whether the papers required by law to be recorded therein have been so recorded.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, the house proceeded to the second reading of the order relative to the printing of such papers as this house may order to be printed during the present session.

On motion by Mr. L. Duval, the question was put, That the following words be added to the order, viz. "And that they be and are hereby instructed and directed to employ Jehu Chandler, the now printer to the State?" Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the said order be adopted? Resolved in the affirmative, yeas 48, nays 20.

Mr. Potter delivers a bill, entitled, An act to repeal a supplement to an act, entitled, An act to ascertain the allowance of members of the general assembly, electors of the senate, and electors of president and vice-president of the United States.

On motion of Mr. Bowles, Ordered, That the said bill be made the order of the day for Wednesday week.

On motion by Mr. Potts, Leave given to bring in a further additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act for amending and reducing into system, the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, and the duties of executors, administrators and guardians, and the rights of orphans, and other representatives of deceased persons.

Mr. Bowles delivers a supplement to the act, entitled, An act to authorize the levy court of Washington county, to appoint commissioners to alter, straighten, open and amend, a road therein mentioned; and Mr. Potts a bill, entitled, An act to open a road from New-town to Buckey's-town, and thence into the turnpike-road at New-Market. Severally twice read and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following communication from the clerk of the council.

Council Chamber, Nov. 5, 1812.

Gentlemen,

The enclosed resolutions of the legislature of Virginia would have accompanied the communication of the executive, but by some accident was mislaid on Monday last. I now have the honour to transmit it to you, for the purpose of being disposed of in such way as to you may seem best.

I am with much respect,

Your most obedient servant,

NINIAN PINKNEY, Clk. of the Council.

Read and referred.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

FRIDAY, NOV. 6, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

William Graves, Esq. a delegate from Kent county, appeared, qualified, and took his seat.

Mr. Caulin delivers a petition from Jesse Thompson, of St. Mary's county, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Read and referred.

Mr. Warner delivers a bill authorizing Charles L. Snyder to remove his negroes from the State of Virginia into this State. Read.

The speaker laid before the house a report of the clerk of Frederick county, relative to the attendance of the judges. Read and referred.

Mr. Sanders delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Harford county, praying that the levy court may be authorized to levy a sum of money for the purpose of building an addition to the gaol. Read and referred.

The bill for opening a road from New-town to Buckey's-town and thence to New-Market; and the bill supplementary to the act authorizing the levy court of Washington county to open and amend a road therein mentioned, were sent to the senate.

The house according to the order of the day, proceeded to the second reading of the report of the committee of elections and privileges.

Mr. Wilson moved the following order. Ordered, That the speaker upon application, issue subpoenas with a duces tecum for any witnesses which David Kerr or John Seth, Esqrs. may consider necessary in the case of the contested election of Talbot county, and that such subpoenas be made returnable on the day of —.

After some debate Mr. Wilson withdrew his motion.

On motion by Mr. Bayly, the question was put, That the report of the committee of elections and privileges have a second reading? Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the house concur in the first part of the report? Resolved in the affirmative.

On reading the said report, Mr. Young moved the following order:

Ordered, That the question on the report of the committee of elections and privileges, so far as appertains to the contested election of Talbot county, be postponed until the 16th inst. and that the speaker issue subpoenas with a duces tecum, directed to the sheriff of Talbot county, for any witnesses which David Kerr or John Seth, Esqrs. may consider necessary in the case of the contested election of Talbot county, and that such subpoenas be made returnable on the said 16th inst.

The question was put upon the adoption of the said order, and determined in the negative, yeas 21, nays 47.

The question was then put, That the house concur in the remainder of the report of the committee of elections and privileges and assent to the resolution therein contained. The yeas and nays being required appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Caulin, Graves, Boyer, Reynolds, Taney, Turner, Emerson, Stonestreet, Dorsey, Parnham, Ford, Hambleton, Banning, Bayly, Long, Arnold E. Jones, Waller, Jno. Stewart, Lecompte, Toottell, Griffith, Evans, Lufby, F. Hall, Hogg, Somervell, Callis, T. N. Williams, Wilson, Handy, Quinton, Grahame, Davis, Potts, Delaplane, Potter, Bowles, W. B. Williams, Sprigg, Abram. Jones, Riggs, McCulloch, Robinett, Cresap. 47.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. W. Stuart, C. Hall, Marriott, Belt, William Hall, Warner, Randall, Claude, L. Duval, Wright, Stevens, Sanders, Forwood, of Wm. Forwood of Jac. Bond, Young, Hughlett, McDonald, Barney, Lewis. 20.

So it was resolved in the affirmative. Whereupon David Kerr, Esq. retired from the house, and John Seth, Esq. appeared, qualified, and took his seat.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a bill, entitled, An act, entitled, A supplement to the act of 1785, and the supplementary acts thereto, which provide for the poor of Dorchester county, and to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned. Twice read and passed.

The bill to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council, was read the second time and passed.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

SATURDAY, NOV. 7.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Samuel Burgett, Esquire, a delegate from Queen-Anne's county, appeared, qualified, and took his seat.

Mr. Belt delivers a petition from Rezin Simpson, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Mr. Davis a petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick county, counter to the petition for a road from Peter's tavern to intersect the great road leading to Baltimore. Mr. Millard a petition from John B. Branton, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Referred.

The bill relative to the poor of Dorchester county, and the bill to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council, were sent to the senate.

The report of the committee appointed to prepare rules to be observed by the house was read the second time and assented to.

Mr. Thos. N. Williams delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Worcester county, praying a law may pass to confirm a certain road; also a petition from John Pointer, praying the levy court of Worcester county may be authorized to levy money for his support. Referred.

On motion by Mr. Stonestreet, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to repeal all such parts of the acts of assembly of this State as require payment of twenty-five shillings for a marriage license.

The clerk of the senate delivers a bill to confirm an act passed at November session 1811, entitled, An act to alter the time of the meeting of the General Assembly, and for other purposes. Read.

The bill for the relief of John Farcharson, was passed and sent to the senate.

The resolution in favor of John Lynch was assented to and sent to the senate.

Mr. Marriott delivers a bill to authorize and empower the levy court of A. A. county to levy a sum of money for the support of Keziah Hughes. Mr. Lewis a bill authorizing the levy court of Washington county to open a road. Mr. Randall a bill to correct a mistake in a deed therein mentioned. Read.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, Ordered, That the honorable the Executive council be requested to lay before this house a journal of their proceedings to this date.

Mr. Quinton delivers a petition from Moses Green and John Forsette, revolutionary soldiers, praying relief. Referred.

On motion by Mr. Blackstone, Leave given to bring in a bill making an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war.

On motion by Mr. Parnham, Ordered, That John Brewer, late chief clerk of the house of delegates of this State, be requested to lay before this house a statement of the number of copies of chancellor Kilty's compilation of English and British Statutes sold by him in virtue of a resolution of the Legislature of this State, passed at their November session, 1811, and of the prices for which they were sold; and also to inform this house whether or not he has sold the copy right of the said compilation and for what sum.

Mr. Handy delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Snow Hill, praying for an act of incorporation. Referred.

Adjourned till Monday.

MONDAY, NOV. 9, 1812.

The house met. Present as on Saturday.

The proceedings of Saturday were read. George Harryman, Esq. a delegate from Baltimore county, appeared, qualified and took his seat.

The bill to authorize the levy court of Washington county, to open a road in said county, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Roger Perry, Esq. a delegate from Allegany county, appeared, qualified and took his seat.

Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a bill for the benefit of John Pointer, of Worcester county. Read.

Mr. Belt delivers a favourable report on the petition of Rezin Simpson. Read.

On motion of Mr. Bayly, the following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

This being the day prescribed by the constitution for the choice of a governor, we propose, with the concurrence of your house, to proceed to that appointment at 1 o'clock. We have appointed Mr. Bayly and Mr. Bowles to join such gentlemen as may be chosen by your house to examine the ballots. General Levin Winder and Robert Bowie, Esquire, are nominated by this house.

Mr. Randall delivers a bill for the valuation of real and personal property within this State; and Mr. Stonestreet a bill to repeal all such parts of the acts of assembly of this State as require the payment of 25 shillings for a marriage license. Read.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following message:

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The senate are prepared to proceed at the time mentioned in your message, to ballot for a governor for the ensuing year. No nomination is put in nomination by the senate in addition to those mentioned in your message.

We have appointed Messrs. Brown and Holbrook, to join the gentlemen of your house to examine the ballot boxes.

Which was read.

Also the bill to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council for the ensuing year; and the bill to confirm a certain road from Peter's tavern to intersect the great road leading to Baltimore. New-Market, endorsed, "The proposed amendment;" which was read, agreed to, and the bill engrossed.

Also a letter from John B. Branton, of the house of delegates relative to the chancellor Kilty's Report on Statutes; which with the act therein was read.

On motion by Mr. Plater, Leave given to bring in a bill to regulate the fees of the court of Chancery.

Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a petition from Levin Carey, of Worcester county, praying a law may pass to confirm a law passed in his favour a certain road. Read and referred.

Mr. Long delivers a report on Charles Richardson. Read.

The house having qualified the choice of a governor, upon the choice of the ballots it appeared that Mr. Brown was elected. Whereupon Mr. Brown was declared to be Governor of Maryland.

On motion by Mr. Donaldson, Leave given to bring in a bill concerning the clerk of the senate.

The clerk of the senate authorizing the levy court of Worcester county, to appoint commissioners to alter a road therein mentioned. Read.

Ordered to be the following message: Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

Levin Winder, Esq. have Governor of this State, we propose to be written by the president and speaker of the house, and immediately forwarded to him in his election, and attendance in order to qualify constitution and laws of this State.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the following message was read and assented to by the Senate.

We assent to the proposition signed by the president of the house of delegates, and immediately forwarded by Levin Winder, Esq. that he may, and so request his attendance according to the constitution of this State.

Mr. Delaplane delivers a supplement to an act, to amend an act, passed at November session, 1809; and Mr. Lecompte a bill making an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war.

Adjourned till Tuesday.

TUESDAY, NOV. 10.

The house met. Present as on Monday.

Mr. L. Duval delivers a petition from Thomas King, praying relief. Read by the last assembly.

Mr. King, may be made a Dauidson petition. Walter Simpson, Henry Simpson, jun. of the city of Baltimore, petitioners for special acts of incorporation and referred.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from William Merryman, of Baltimore county, to amend and for other purposes, a bill, entitled, An additional act, entitled, An act to amend the jurisdiction of the court of chancery.

Mr. Plater delivers a petition from William Merryman, of St. Mary's county, a revolutionary soldier; Mr. Sprigg a petition from sundry inhabitants of Grace, in Harford county, praying relief.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from Henry Croft, of Read.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to bring in a bill to amend an act, passed at November session, 1809; and Mr. Lecompte a bill making an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war.

Adjourned till Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11.

The house met. Present as on Tuesday.

Mr. L. Duval delivers a petition from Thomas King, praying relief. Read by the last assembly.

Mr. King, may be made a Dauidson petition. Walter Simpson, Henry Simpson, jun. of the city of Baltimore, petitioners for special acts of incorporation and referred.

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On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to bring in a bill to amend an act, passed at November session, 1809; and Mr. Lecompte a bill making an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war.

Adjourned till Thursday.

THURSDAY, NOV. 12.

The house met. Present as on Wednesday.

Mr. L. Duval delivers a petition from Thomas King, praying relief. Read by the last assembly.

Mr. King, may be made a Dauidson petition. Walter Simpson, Henry Simpson, jun. of the city of Baltimore, petitioners for special acts of incorporation and referred.

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Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from Henry Croft, of Read.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to bring in a bill to amend an act, passed at November session, 1809; and Mr. Lecompte a bill making an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war.

Adjourned till Friday.

FRIDAY, NOV. 13.

The house met. Present as on Thursday.

Mr. L. Duval delivers a petition from Thomas King, praying relief. Read by the last assembly.

Mr. King, may be made a Dauidson petition. Walter Simpson, Henry Simpson, jun. of the city of Baltimore, petitioners for special acts of incorporation and referred.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from William Merryman, of Baltimore county, to amend and for other purposes, a bill, entitled, An additional act, entitled, An act to amend the jurisdiction of the court of chancery.

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ur message, to ballot for
ing year. No. 10
by the senate in addi-
d in your message.
Messrs. Brown and Hol-
entlemen of your house
boxes.

Also the bill to settle and ascertain the fa-
vour of the members of the council, endorsed,
will pass; and the bill to open a road
from New-Market, endorsed, "will pass with
the proposed amendment;" which amendment
was read, agreed to, and the bills ordered to
be engrossed.
A letter from John Brewer late clerk
of the house of delegates relative to the sale
of Chancellor Kilty's Report of the British
Statutes; which with the account enclosed
therein was read.
On motion by Mr. Plater, Leave given to
bring in a bill to regulate the fees of the re-
gister of the court of Chancery.
Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a petition
from Levin Carey, of Worcester county,
praying a law may pass to correct a mistake
in a law passed in his favour at the last ses-
sion. Read and referred.
Mr. Long delivers a report in favour of
Charles Richardson. Read.
The house having qualified, proceeded to
the choice of a governor, upon examination
of the ballots it appeared that Levin Winder,
Esq. was elected. Whereupon,
Resolved, That Levin Winder, Esquire, be
and he is hereby declared to be governor of the
State of Maryland.
On motion by Mr. Donaldson, Leave given
to bring in a bill concerning insolvent debtors.
The clerk of the senate delivers the bill
authorizing the levy court of Washington
county, to appoint commissioners to open and
amend a road therein mentioned, endorsed,
"will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. And
the following message:
Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,
Levin Winder, Esq. having been elected
Governor of this State, we propose that a joint
letter be written by the president of the sen-
ate and speaker of the house of delegates,
and immediately forwarded by express, to no-
tify him of his election, and request his at-
tendance in order to qualify, according to the
constitution and laws of this State.
On motion by Mr. Lecompte the follow-
ing message was read and agreed to.
Gentlemen of the Senate,
We assent to the proposal that a joint let-
ter signed by the president of the senate and
speaker of the house of delegates, should be
immediately forwarded by express to inform
Levin Winder, Esq. that he is elected gover-
nor, and to request his attendance to be qual-
ified according to the constitution and laws
of this State.
Mr. Delaplane delivers a bill, entitled, A
supplement to an act to lay out and open a
road in Frederick county, passed at November
session, 1809; and Mr. Blackstone a bill
making an uniform provision for the surviv-
ing officers and foldiers of the late Maryland
line, in the revolutionary war. Read.
Adjourned till to-morrow.

TUESDAY, NOV. 10, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.
The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. L. Duvall delivers a petition from
Thomas King, praying that the pension dis-
tributed by the last assembly to be paid to Ma-
ry King, may be made payable to him; Mr.
Donaldson petitions from John Hagerty,
Walter Simpson, Henry Bond and Walter
Simpson, jun. of the city of Baltimore, pray-
ing special acts of insolvency. Severally read
and referred.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill authorizing
William Merryman late sheriff and collector
of Baltimore county to complete his collec-
tion and for other purposes; Mr. Dorsey a
bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the
act, entitled, An act respecting the equity
jurisdiction of the county courts. Read.

Mr. Plater delivers a petition from John
Williams, of St. Mary's county, a revolution-
ary foldier; Mr. Sanders a petition from
fundry inhabitants of the town of Havre-de-
Grace, in Harford county. Read and re-
ferred.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill for the relief
of Henry Crofs, of the city of Baltimore.
Read.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, the following
was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate.
Gentlemen of the Senate,

This house is now ready, in conformity to
the constitution of the State, to proceed to the
appointment, by joint ballot of both houses,
of five persons as a council to the governor
for the ensuing year. Messrs. Benjamin
Stoddert, Alexander C. Magruder, William
H. Ward, William Bond Martin, Walter
Dorsey, John Stephen, General James Lloyd,
Thomas W. Hall, James Butcher, Reverdy
Ghiselin and James Nabb, are put in nomina-
tion by this house; and Messrs. Dorsey and
Sprigg are appointed a committee on the part
of this house to join such gentlemen as shall
be nominated by the honourable the senate,
to count the ballots.

Mr. Plater delivers a petition from Josias
Alvey, of St. Mary's county, a revolutionary
foldier. Read and referred.

The bill authorizing Charles L. Snyder to
remove certain lands in this State, was read
the second time and passed.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte the following
preamble and order were read.

Whereas the laws faithfully executed, ought
to be equal to the protection of every man.

in any pursuit or occupation not prohibited
by the laws and constitution of the State: And
whereas certain riotous proceedings in Balti-
more were outrageous profligations of the secu-
rity guaranteed by our constitution to the
rights and property of our fellow-citizens;
therefore, Ordered, That the committee of
grievances and courts of justice be and they
are hereby instructed to inquire into the late
riots and mobs in the city of Baltimore,
with a view to ascertain whether there has
been any culpable inaction or neglect of du-
ty on the part of the civil or military officers
of the State, or whether the defect in the
law, in order that the proper remedy in either
case may be applied.

The bill for the relief of Keziah Hughes of
Anne-Arundel county, was read the second
time and passed.

The bill for the relief of Conrad Kerlinger,
of Baltimore county, was postponed indefi-
nitely.

Mr. Parnham delivers a petition from Tho-
mas Cahoy, a revolutionary foldier. Read and
referred.

On motion of Mr. Perry, Leave given to
bring in a bill, entitled, An act to incorpo-
rate a company to make a turnpike road lead-
ing to Cumberland in Allegany county, and
for the extension of the charters of the sev-
eral banks in the city of Baltimore.

The clerk of the senate delivers the fol-
lowing message:
Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The Senate are prepared to go immediately
into the appointment of a Council to the Gov-
ernor; no one is put into nomination in ad-
dition to the persons named in your message.
Messieurs Davis and Hollingsworth are ap-
pointed on the part of the Senate to join the
gentlemen named by your house to count the
ballots.

Read.
The house having qualified, proceeded to
the choice of a council to the governor, the
ballots being deposited in the ballot box, on
examination it appeared that Benjamin Stod-
dert, Alexander C. Magruder, William H.
Ward, William Bond Martin, and Walter
Dorsey, were elected.

Whereupon, Resolved, That Benjamin
Stoddert, Alexander C. Magruder, William
H. Ward, William Bond Martin and Walter
Dorsey, be and they are hereby declared to be
the council to the Governor.

Mr. Potts delivers a bill, entitled, A fur-
ther additional supplement to the act, entitled,
An act for amending, and reducing into sys-
tem, the laws and regulations concerning last
wills and testaments, &c. Read.

On motion of Mr. Randall, Leave given
to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to confirm
the Liberty road as now opened through Bal-
timore county.

Mr. Plater delivers a petition from Antho-
ny Davis, of St. Mary's county, a revolution-
ary foldier; and Mr. Evans a petition from
fundry inhabitants of Cecil county, praying
that a road therein mentioned may be opened
and straightened. Read and referred.

Mr. Thomas N. Williams delivers a bill,
entitled, An act to correct a mistake in the
act of assembly therein mentioned. Which
was read.

On motion by Mr. Young, the following
message was read and agreed to.
Gentlemen of the Senate,

Benjamin Stoddert, Alexander C. Magru-
der, William H. Ward, William Bond Mar-
tin and Walter Dorsey, Esquires, being elect-
ed Council to the Governor of this State,
we propose that a joint letter be written by
the President of the Senate and Speaker of
the House of Delegates, and immediately
forwarded by express to each of the gentlemen
elected, to notify them of their election, and re-
quest their immediate attendance at the seat
of government.

Mr. Perry delivers a bill, entitled, An act to
incorporate a company to make a turnpike road
leading to Cumberland and for the extension
of the charters of the several banks in the
city of Baltimore. Which was read.

On motion by Mr. Perry, Leave given to
bring in a bill, entitled, An act to pay the
civil list and other expenses of civil govern-
ment.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Ordered, That
the committee of claims be requested to pur-
chase two maps of the United States for the
use of the House of Delegates and the Sen-
ate.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, Leave given to
bring in a bill, entitled, An act authoriz-
ing the governor and council to cause the
future laws and votes and proceedings of the
general assembly to be printed upon terms the
most beneficial to the State.
Adjourned till to-morrow.

Electors of President & Vice-President.

The Madisonian Ticket has succeeded
in this District, composed of Annapolis,
A. A. County, City of Baltimore, and part
of Montgomery.

Anne-Arundel, including Annapolis.	
Madison.	Clinton.
Stephen, 733	Dorsey, 533
Johnson, 733	Taylor, 531

City of Baltimore.	
Dorsey, 841	Taylor, 841
Johnson & Stephen,	

MASSACHUSETTS.

It appears from the Boston papers, that
probably not one War Candidate will be e-
lected, either to Congress or as Elector of
President, in all Massachusetts.

CONGRESSIONAL. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Thursday, Nov. 5.

On motion of Mr. Marshall, it was order-
ed that the usual standing committees be ap-
pointed.

Mr. Dawson offered the following:—
Resolved, by the Senate and House of Re-
presentatives of the U. States of America in
Congress assembled, That the President of
the U. States be, and he is hereby requested
to present, in the name of Congress, to Capt.
Isaac Hull, a Gold Medal with suitable em-
blems and devices; and that the sum of

thousand dollars be and the same is
hereby appropriated, to be distributed as prize
money to the officers and crew of the United
States' frigate the Constitution of 44 guns,
according to the provisions of "the act for
the better government of the navy of the U.
States," in testimony of the high sense enter-
tained by Congress of the gallantry, good con-
duct and services of Capt. Hull, the officers
and crew of the said frigate Constitution, in
attacking vanquishing & capturing the B.
frigate Guerriere, mounting 54 carriage guns,
thereby exhibiting an example highly hono-
rable to the American character, and instruc-
tive to our rising navy.

Mr. Seybert after some observations moved
to amend this resolution by inserting after
"devices," and that a silver impression of the
frigate be presented to each officer, seaman and
marine, who composed the crew of the frigate
Constitution in the gallant victory alluded
to.

Mr. Wright thought it would be better
to refer the resolution to a special commit-
tee.

Mr. Cheves coincided with Mr. Wright,
and moved that it lie on the table, till the
President's message had been received, for
the purpose of referring it to the committee
to whom that part of the message which al-
ludes to that event should be referred.

Adjourned half past 12 o'clock.

BOSTON, NOV. 3.

CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION.

Yesterday the inhabitants of Massachusetts
assembled in their towns in the twenty Con-
gressional Districts, and gave their votes for
persons to represent them in the National Le-
gislature. In this town, the meeting was opened
with prayer by the Rev. Dr. Baldwin.

The honbl. ARTEMAS WARD had
1527 votes, and there were 20 scattering.

Mr. Ward has therefore been chosen with
great unanimity, to succeed Mr. Quincy,
who declined a re-election.

In Essex North District the hon. Mr.
Pickering is undoubtedly elected. In the
Worcester and Hampshire Districts, the peace
candidates are unquestionably chosen.

The election of seven federalists may
be considered as ascertained; but not of a
single friend of war.

The Congressional Districts were formed on
Gerrymander principle by a democratic Legis-
lature!

Valuable Lands for Sale.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, (on the pre-
mises of the late Doctor John Gassaway, of
Rhode River, in Anne-Arundel county) on the
fourth Monday in December next, on a credit
of one, two and three years, with interest on
the purchase money from the day of sale.

THAT MOST VALUABLE FARM
On which the Doctor resided, containing about
four hundred and ninety-three acres; the situation
is high and healthy, and commands a beautiful
prospect of the Chesapeake Bay. The improve-
ments on the said farm are, a comfortable dwell-
ing house, a quarter, Tobacco Houses and Barn.

Also, on the same day, will be sold, his Lower
Farm, distant about two miles from the place he
resided, called Cotter's Desire, containing about
two hundred and fifty-one acres. Both farms are
well wooded, and convenient to the water, and a
bounty in wild fowl, fish and oysters. It is
necessary to go into a detail of the value of the
above property, as those who are inclined to pur-
chase will take a view of the premises previous to
the day of sale. The lands will be shown by Mr.
Thomas & Mr. Carnes, who are now living on the
property. The sale will commence at 11 o'clock on
said day, if fair, if not, the next fair day there-
after.

Alexander Stuart.
George C. White.

November 12.

Public Sale.

Pursuant to the testament and last will of Helen
Weedon, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceas-
ed, the subscribers will expose to public sale, on
Monday the 14th day of December next, if fair,
if not, on the next fair day thereafter.

ALL THE FARM OR PLANTATION
On which the said Helen Weedon lately resided,
containing about ninety-seven acres of land. Al-
so all the residue of the personal estate of the
said deceased, not heretofore disposed of, consist-
ing of Negroes, Horses, Cows, Corn, and Feed-
ing of Negroes, Household and kitchen furniture,
the titles of household and kitchen furniture. The
sale to commence at 10 o'clock on the premises,
when attendance will be given, and the terms
made known by

Horatio Weedon & Executors.
Henry Duvall, S.

November 12.

The Subscribers

Being informed that it has been circulated in this
city that they were not willing to receive on freight,
Bricks, Stone, Coal, or any other articles of a si-
milar nature; they therefore declare, that such a
report is without foundation, and that they will
carry any article offered on freight, either to or
from Baltimore, at the usual prices.

To those who give their more valuable business
to Craft, not being in the Packet line, they would
observe, that if they continue the practice, their
letters and small commissions will not be attended
to. To those who continue their business to them
they assure a ready and punctual attention, and
every reasonable exertion to please.

To their punctual customers they return their
sincere thanks, with an assurance that their future
exertions shall be equal to their former to render
general satisfaction to those who employ them.

Geo. & Jno. Barber.

November 12.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY ROBERT BOWIE, ESQUIRE

GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of
Maryland did by an act passed at November session
eighteen hundred and five, entitled, "An act to
reduce into one the several acts of Assembly re-
specting elections, and to regulate said elections,"
direct that the governor and council after having
received the returns of elections of the members to
represent the state in the Congress of the U. S.
should enumerate and ascertain the number of
votes given for each and every person voted for as
a member for Congress aforesaid respectively, and
shall thereupon declare, by proclamation, signed
by the Governor, the name of the person or per-
sons duly elected in each respective district. We
in pursuance of the directions of the said act, do
by this our proclamation, declare that by the re-
turns made to us, it appears that Philip Stewart,
Esq. was elected for the first district; Joseph Kent,
Esq. was elected for the second district; Alexander
Comtee Hanson, Esq. was elected for the third dis-
trict; Samuel Ringgold, Esq. was elected for the
fourth district; Alexander McKim, and Nicholas
Ruxton Moore, Esqs. were elected for the fifth dis-
trict; Stevenson Archer, Esq. was elected for the
sixth district; Robert Wright, Esq. was elected for
the seventh district, and Charles Goldsborough,
Esq. was elected for the eighth district.

Given in Council, at the city of Annapolis, un-
der the great seal of the State of Mary-
land, this twenty-third day of Octo-
ber, in the year of our Lord one thou-
sand eight hundred and twelve, and of
the Independence of the United States
of America, the thirty seventh.

Robert Bowie.

By the Governor,

Ninian Pinkney,

Clerk of the Council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation
be published twice in each week, for the space of
four weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Mary-
land Republican, of Annapolis; in the Whig,
Sun, American and Federal Gazette, of Balti-
more, in the National Intelligencer, at Washing-
ton; in Barlog's paper at Frederick-Town; in the
Maryland Herald, at Hagers-town; and in the
Star at Boston.

By Order,

Ninian Pinkney,

Clerk of the Council

Et.

November 12.

60 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber living in
South River Neck, on Monday the 2d inst a ne-
gro fellow who calls himself Thomas Brown, a-
bout forty three years of age, five feet eight or
nine inches high, has a bald place on the back part
of his head; when spoken to has an impatient
look on his face; and is much given to intoxication
—Had on when he made his escape, a kersey-
round about jacket and trousers, a saburg shirt,
old hat and shoes—This fellow was originally from
Benedict, Charles county and it is probable may
have gone thither as he has some connections in
that neighborhood. If taken twenty miles from
home twenty dollars will be given, if thirty miles,
thirty dollars, if forty miles, forty dollars, and if
out of the State the above reward, if secured in
any goal so that I get him again. All persons are
forwarned harbouring said fellow, as the law will
be enforced against all such offenders.

11/27/12 Joseph N. Brewer.
A. A. County, Nov. 12. 3w.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice,
that he intends to apply to Calvert county
court, or some one of the Judges there-
of in the recess of said court, for the be-
nefit of the act for the relief of sundry in-
solvent debtors, passed at November ses-
sion, 1803, and the several supplements
thereto.

11/22/12 WILLIAM JAMES.
Nov. 12. 1812. 8w*

NOTICE.

I will Rent, or Sell, my FARM, near
South River Church. For terms apply
to Nicholas Brewer, of the City of An-
napolis. FRANCES YATES.
November 12.

To be Rented,

That elegant situation, opposite to the city of
Annapolis, adjoining Fort Madison. It contains
upwards of 300 acres of excellent land, with
oyster shell banks of manure in each field; with
three Negro Men. The convenience to one of
the best markets, (for the seller,) to the state, is
very great. Any person wishing to rent may apply
to Mr. Clements, at Annapolis, or the subscriber,
at Easton.

September 10, 1812. David Kerr.

Wanted,

TO HIRE OR PURCHASE,
A good plain Cook—Apply at the Office
of the Maryland Gazette.
September 10. 10

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31.
The honor of our little Navy.
We always expect, when our brave seamen come in contact with an enemy, that a harvest of laurels will be the uniform result. The following letter from Lieut. Biddle, first lieutenant of the Wasp, to his father in this city, will not fail to be gratifying to those who have been the steady friends of a system of naval defence for this country. Though the affair in which the Wasp has been engaged is of no great moment in a national point of view, and has actually been followed by the loss of that ship, it reflects great honor upon the bravery and skill of the officers and men, and furnishes one more proof of the facility with which our rights would be vindicated upon our maritime frontier, and the government provided any thing like competent means for the object. We feel a pride and satisfaction in stating, that this honorable exploit has been achieved by Americans, by our neighbours and friends; not by the outcasts of other countries, such as those who valiantly carry our elections. Capt. Jones, who commanded the Wasp, is a native of Delaware, and has always been considered a brave and skillful officer. The first lieutenant is one of our own fellow-citizens, well known to us all and as universally esteemed as he is known, not less for his amiable character, than for his ability in his profession. The second lieutenant is a brother of Commodore Rodgers, of the navy, a native of Maryland, and from the character which we have heard given of him is every way a worthy associate of the others. From such men we always expect such things and are in no danger of being disappointed.

M. M. SHIP POETTERS.
October 21, 1812—at Sea, lat. 33.
My Dear Father,
The torture of war has placed us in the hands of the enemy. We were captured by this ship on Sunday evening last, after having ourselves captured H. B. M. brig Frolick, [18 guns, capt. Whinyates.] The Frolick was of superior force to us. She mounted 18 thirty-two pound carronades and 2 long nines. The Wasp you know had only 16 carronades. The action lasted 43 minutes. We had 5 killed. The slaughter on board the Frolick was dreadful. We are bound into Bermuda—I am quite unhurt.
In great haste, yours, &c. J. BIDDLE.
P. S. Although our cruise was short, I consider ourselves as very fortunate.

From the National Intelligencer.
ARMY OF THE U. STATES.
The following Officers of the Old Army have received brevet commissions of one grade in advance of their present rank, under an act passed at the last session, authorizing the issuing of brevet commissions to all officers who shall have served for ten years in any one grade in the army:
Brig. Gen. James Wilkinson,
Col. Henry Burbeck,
Lt. Col. Constant Freeman,
Major William M'Kear,
Captain Nehemiah Freeman,
Captain Lloyd Beall,
Major Zebulon Pike,
Captain John Whittier,
Captain Hugh M'Call.
Gen. Wilkinson of course now ranks as Major-General by virtue of this promotion.

The following extract is from the Quebec Mercury.
"In our columns is captain Hull's official account of his action with the Guerriere. What can we say of this unfortunate rencontre further than that we had to contend, on this occasion, with men who were bone of bone, and flesh of our flesh. From it the inference may be drawn that a contest with the Americans is more worthy of our arms than was first imagined. How often have we heard our military officers deplore their being obliged to vanquish men whose conquest would do them no credit. The behaviour of the capt. and crew of the Constitution may serve to convince them of their error. Of captain Hull we may say, with Zanga—
"Great let me call him, for he conquered me."
He will, therefore, with all, in future occasion, be found worthy of being conquered."

Stephen Chase, Esq. a respectable citizen of Northfield, who has heretofore been a supporter of the administration and for several years represented that town in the legislature, has now determined to give his vote at the ensuing election for the peace tickets. This circumstance giving umbrage to some of the war hawks of that vicinity, they came to his house and began abusing him with the usual slang of Federalist old tory. &c. He requested them to leave the house, and was actually obliged to turn one of the company out by force, who persisted in his abuse. Immediately part of the company returned, burst open the doors, had Mr. Chase out of doors, kicked, beat and abused him in the most shameful manner; at the same time exclaimed, kill the damn'd tory! beat him, kill him!! What is a man's liberty worth if we are not to defend it?—that such conduct will not be countenanced by the more candid part of the democrats in Northfield. [Concord Gazette.]

B. CURRAN,
Has received a good supply of Cloths, Coatings, Casimeres, Flannels, Blankets, Stuffs, Irish Linens, and various other Articles in the
Dry Good Line,
which he will sell low for Cash, and as usual to his Punctual Customers.
October 8.
Seasonable Goods.

H. G. MUNROE
Has just received, a general assortment of
Dry Goods & Groceries,
Ironmongery and Stationary, which will be disposed of on accommodating terms.
ALSO,
Loaf & Lump Sugar
At the Factory prices.
October 15.

Childs & Shaw,
Have just received, a complete Assortment of
Fall & Winter Goods,
which they offer for sale on the most accommodating terms.
October 8.

Land for Sale.
I will sell the plantation on which I now reside, containing about six hundred and sixty acres of valuable land, adapted to farming, in a healthy situation: There is the greatest plenty of wood, such as oak, chestnut, walnut and poplar; it is well watered; a plenty of meadow, and about four acres in clover. This land lies within two miles of Herring Creek Church, five miles from Pig Point, and about the same distance from Herring Bay. It will be divided to suit purchasers, if desired. For terms apply to the subscriber.
Sept. 24, 1812. **Samuel Harrison.**

Augustus Uz,
Respectfully informs the Citizens of Annapolis, that at the earnest solicitations of some of the most respectable inhabitants he has made arrangements, and is now enabled, to devote his leisure hours to their benefit and gratification, with his new and elegant mode of
Colouring and Ornamenting Walls,
either in imitation of paper hangings, or otherwise. This so eminently useful invention is too generally known throughout the Union to need any further illustration. Directions, in writing, left at Mr. Jarvis's, on Hill Point, or at Mr. Isaac Parker's Tavern, (where a rough specimen of the work may be seen,) will be strictly attended to, and all necessary information respecting expenses and durability given.
October 8.

EXCHANGE OF OLD SIX PER CENT AND DEFERRED STOCKS.
Pursuant to the act of Congress, entitled, "An act authorizing a subscription for the old six per cent and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same," passed on the 6th day of July, 1812, books will be opened on the first day of October next, at the Treasury, and at the several loan offices, and will continue open till the 17th day of March next, for receiving subscriptions of the old six per cent and deferred stocks, in the manner prescribed by the said act. New certificates, bearing interest from the first day of the quarter in which the subscription shall be made, at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly, for the unredeemed amount of principal of the old six per cent and deferred stocks which may be subscribed, will be issued at the Treasury or at the Loan Offices respectively where the old stock subscribed may at the time stand credited. The new stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the 31st day of December, 1824; but no reimbursement will be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of any proprietor, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.
Albert Gallatin,
Treasury Department, Sept. 10, 1812.

Anne Arundel County Court, September Term, 1812.
On application to the judges of the said county court, by petition in writing of Samuel Hopkins, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November Session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied by competent testimony, that the said Samuel Hopkins has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland, and the said Samuel Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition, it is therefore adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Samuel Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, once a week for three successive months, before the third Monday of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, to be held at the City of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday of April, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Samuel Hopkins then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.
Test. **Wm. S. Green, clk.**
October 1.

GIDEON WHITE,
Has received an Extensive Assortment of Goods, amongst which are,
EXTRA SUPERFINE
American Broad Cloths,
From Shepherd & Co. Manufactory, Massachusetts, equal if not superior to any imported Cloths.
ALSO
London Superfine and Second Cloths, Casimeres, Bedford Cord, Fashionable Stockings, Fashionable Vestings, &c. &c. All which he will sell low.
November 5.

Livery Stables.
THE subscriber having his Stables in good order for the reception of Horses respectfully solicits the favors of the Public. The utmost attention will be paid to horses entrusted to his care.
NEHEMIAH HOLLAND.
N. B. He is likewise prepared to carry expresses to any part of the state at the shortest notice, with despatch.
N. H.

By the Committee of Claims.
The Committee of Claims will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.
By order,
BENJAMIN GREY, Clk.
November 5.

By the Committee of Grievances & Courts of Justice.
The Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.
By order,
LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.
November 5.

Public Sale.
Will be sold on Tuesday the eighth day of December next, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the dwelling of James Moss on Hackett's Point,
3 Negro Men & a Woman,
The oldest of the men 23 years.—Terms of sale Cash.
November 5.

NOTICE.
THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Calvert County Court, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of said court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1803, and the several supplements thereto.
Nov. 3, 1812. **RICHARD KENT.**

State of Maryland, sc.
On application, by petition, of Thomas Woodfield, administrator de bonis non of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered that he give the notice required by law, for the creditors to bring in their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette.
John Gassaway, Reg. Wills,
for A. A. County.

This is to give Notice,
That the subscriber, of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphan's court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non on the personal estate of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the seventeenth day of December next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 27th day of October, 1812.
Thomas Woodfield, Administrator
de bonis non.

State of Maryland, sc.
On application, by petition, of Caleb Mockabee and Joseph Marriott, executors of the last will and testament of Stephen Mockabee, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered, that they give the notice required by law for the creditors to bring in their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette.
John Gassaway, Reg. Wills,
for A. A. County.

This is to give notice,
That the subscribers of Anne Arundel county hath obtained from the orphan's court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Stephen Mockabee, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, on or before the 17th day of December next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands this 27th day of September, 1812.
Caleb Mockabee,
and
Joseph Marriott,
Exrs.

George & John Barber,
At their Store on the Dock, have on hand and offer for Sale, a General Assortment of Goods,
AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES:
French Brandy, Spirit, Peach & Apple Brandy, W. I. and N. E. Rum, Gin, Cherry Brandy, 1st & 2d qual Whiskey, Old Sherry Wine, 1st qual. Cyder & Cyder Vinegar, Melasses, Best Alex. Leaf Sugar, 1st & 2d qual. Salt do. 1st & 2d & 3d. Brown do. Chocolate, Coffee, Imperial, Hyon, Young Hyon, Hyon Skin, & Souchong, A few boxes of Raisins and Currants, Mace, Cloves, Nutmegs, Alspice, Cinnamon, Pepper, Ginger, Pearl Barley, Rice, Mustard, Fig Blue, Starch, Alum, Salt Petre, Brimstone, Perfumed Soap & Wash Balls, 1st and 2d qual. Spanish and Amer. Segars, First chop James River small twist, pig tail and smoking tobacco, Rappee & Scotch Snuff Mould & Dipped Candles, White & Brown Soap, Mess Pork, new & old Hams, Shoulders and Middlings, Salmon, Mackerel, Pickings and Cod Fish, Cheese, Butter, Lard, Sallad Oil, Basket Salt Jamieson's Crackers, Pilot Bread, Also a General Assortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone & Earthen Ware, And a few articles of the Dry Good Line, such as: Pans, Ovens, Spiders, Sillets, Bakers & Andirons.
All the above Articles are offered for sale on the most reasonable terms for cash, or to those who have been punctual on the usual credit. To persons who reside in the country they will deliver for different kinds of grain, &c.
THE PACKETS FOR BALTIMORE
Are now running regularly, and will continue to do so until the 25th December.—The utmost attention will be paid to the delivery of letters, but they will not be responsible for the loss of any.
N. B. The subscribers earnestly request all those who have accounts of long standing to come forward and discharge the same, or pass their Notes for the amount. In order to accommodate such a small part of their accounts will be received and credit given for the same.
We forewarn all persons from trusting the hands with small bundles, as in case they should be lost we will not be answerable for the same.—All those who have claims against us are requested bringing them in for settlement.
Geo. & Jno. Barber.
Annapolis, Nov. 5, 1812.

This is to give Notice,
That the subscriber, of Baltimore county, hath obtained from the orphan's court of Anne Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of William Mollison, late of the city of London, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in legally authenticated, and those in any manner indebted to said estate to make payment to
James Jeffray, Adm'r.
October 29.

Notice is hereby given,
That a petition will be presented to the Legislature, at their next session, for a law to open a road from some place near to Cragg's Ferry, to Mr. Pumfrey's mill, and from thence to the mountain road, where there are two branches, one of which leads to Mr. Waters's mill, and the other to the Annapolis road leading from Baltimore.
A. A. County, Oct. 29, 1812.

For Sale
A Negro Woman, aged 32, with four children, three girls and a boy, the eldest daughter nine years of age, the second four, the boy's age seven. Enquire at the Gazette Office.
October 29.

To the Voters
Of Anne Arundel County and the City of Annapolis.
GENTLEMEN,
Having become a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff at the next Electoral period, have thought proper to give this early notice of my intention to do so. On this occasion I earnestly solicit the support of my fellow-citizens: Should my efforts be crowned with success, it would be the object of my care to discharge the duties that would devolve on me with justice and humanity.
REZIN SPURRIER.
Annapolis, October 8, 1812.

Wanted
TO HIRE, BY THE YEAR,
A NEGRO WOMAN
who understands House Work, for which a liberal price will be given. Inquire at this Office.
Sept. 17.

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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11, 1812.

The house met. Present as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

The bill for the relief of Charles L. Snyder, the bill for the relief of Keziah Hughes, and the message yesterday agreed to, were sent to the senate.

Thomas Emory, Esq. a delegate from Queen-Anne's county, appeared, qualified, and took his seat.

Mr. Graham delivers a petition from Nicholas Hall, of Frederick county, praying a review of a road therein mentioned. Also a petition from sundry inhabitants of said county, counter thereto. Mr. Donaldson a petition from Gabriel Thomas of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency. Mr. Frey a petition from sundry inhabitants of Cecil county, praying for a road from the state line near Levi Brown's to the canal at or near Octoraro Locks, to pass by certain points therein mentioned. Mr. Barney a petition from Alexander Irvine, of the city of Baltimore, praying that the names of his grand-children Henry and Charlotte Cochran, may be changed to Irvine. Mr. Lecompte a petition from Elijah Smith, an old soldier, praying relief. Mr. Randall a petition from Sarah Carroll and Elijah Bolley, of Baltimore county, praying for compensation for the injury done to their lands by a road therein mentioned. Severally read and referred.

Mr. Dorsey delivers a bill for the promotion of literature in the several counties in this state, and for the renewal of the charters of the several banks therein mentioned. Mr. Barney delivers a petition from Simeon Churchill of Baltimore county, praying for a special act of insolvency. Read and referred.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to an act to lay out and open a road in Frederick county, passed at Nov. session, 1809, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Emerson, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, passed at Nov. session, 1789.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill authorizing the levy court of Washington county, to open a road in said county, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. A report of the clerk of Allegany county court relative to the attendance of the judges of that court; which was read and referred. And the following message: Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We agree to the proposition made by your house of transmitting by express, a joint letter, in the form prescribed by you, to each of the members of the executive council, elect, who are now absent from the seat of government. The president of the senate and the speaker of the house of delegates having hitherto adopted this manner of notification as a matter of course, we did suppose that a formal communication between the two branches of the legislature would not be necessary to attain the object contemplated by your message. Read.

On motion by Mr. Potter, the house proceeded to the second reading of the bill from the senate to confirm an act passed at Nov. session, 1811, to alter the time of the meeting of the General Assembly of this state and for other purposes. And the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? Determined in the negative, and the bill sent to the senate.

Mr. Plater delivers a bill to regulate the fees of the register of the court of chancery. Mr. Barney a bill for the relief of Simeon Churchill, of the city of Baltimore. Read.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to alter the time of the meeting of the General Assembly of this state, and for other purposes.

Mr. Waller delivers a petition from John and Keziah Nicholson, of Somerset county, praying that an act may pass to confirm their title to certain lands in the petition mentioned. Read and referred.

On motion by Mr. Potts, the following message and resolutions were read.

Whereas the Secretary at War of the United States, did require from the late governor of this state, that he order into service Annapolis, a portion of this state's quota militia: And whereas the said requisition

has been gratified, and as it is represented to this general assembly, that the troops thus required and now stationed at Annapolis, have not been provided by the general government with the clothing necessary for their protection from the inclemency of the present and approaching seasons,

Resolved, That the governor and council be and they are hereby requested, to cause to be purchased for the use of the militia stationed at Annapolis, the quantity of ——— blankets, the quantity of ——— shoes, and sufficient clothing for the season.

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding the sum of ——— dollars, be appropriated for the above object out of any unappropriated money in the treasury of the western shore of Maryland, and that the treasurer of the western shore pay the same to the order of the governor and council.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

THURSDAY, NOV. 12.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion of Mr. Bowler, the following resolutions were read:

Resolved, That William Marbury, late Agent for the state of Maryland, be and he is hereby directed, to transfer to Benjamin Harwood, Trustee, all the old six per cent. and deferred and three per cent. stocks, now standing in his name, belonging to the state.

Resolved, that Benjamin Harwood, Trustee and Treasurer for the State of Maryland, be and he is hereby authorized and directed, to subscribe in the manner prescribed by the act of Congress, entitled, An act authorizing a subscription for the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same, passed on the 6th day of July 1812, for the whole amount of said stocks belonging to the state, and receive new certificates for the same, agreeably to the provisions of the above recited act.

Mr. Randall delivers a petition from John Tobin, and Mr. Donaldson a petition from Joseph Chapman of the city of Baltimore, praying special acts of insolvency. Referred.

The bill for the relief of William Merryman late sheriff and collector of Baltimore county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Evans delivers a bill to lay out and open a road in Cecil county; twice read, passed, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, Ordered, That the bill for the promotion of literature in the several counties in this state, and for the renewal of the charters of the several banks therein mentioned, be made the order of the day for Thursday the 3d of December.

Mr. Barney delivers a bill to change and alter the name of Henry Cochran, to Henry Cochran Irvine, and of Charlotte Cochran to Charlotte Cochran Irvine. Read.

On motion by Mr. Barney the following resolution was read.

Resolved, That the Governor of this State be and he is hereby requested, to present in the name of the State of Maryland, to Captain Isaac Hull, a sword, with suitable emblems and devices upon the hilt thereof in testimony of the very high sense entertained of the cool, intrepid gallantry, good conduct, and services, of Captain Hull, of the officers and crew of the frigate Constitution, in the attack, defeat and capture, of the British frigate Guerriere, "thereby proving that more could have been done in a contest that required more;" and that the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby directed to pay to the Governor a sum not exceeding the sum of ——— dollars, out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury, to carry this resolution into effect.

Mr. Barney delivers a petition from Philip German, jun. of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency. Referred.

The bill for the benefit of Levi Cary, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Donaldson, Ordered, That the preamble and resolutions relative to the riots and mobs in Baltimore, be printed for the use of the members, and be made the order of the day for Tuesday next.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, the question was put, That the bill to make a turnpike road leading to Cumberland, and for the extension of the charters of the banks in the city of Baltimore, be made the order of the day for Friday the 4th of December? Resolved in the affirmative—yeas 40, nays 29.

On motion by Mr. Wm. Stewart, Leave given to bring in a bill to tax bank stock.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for the relief of John Farbach, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which were read.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

FRIDAY, NOV. 13, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion by Mr. Davis, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to prevent the erection of booths within two miles of any methodist camp or quarterly meeting in Frederick county.

Mr. Griffith delivers a petition from William Harper, of Dorchester county, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Read and referred.

On motion by Mr. Sanders, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act to direct descents.

The bill for the benefit of John Pointer, was passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Callis delivers a petition from Aquilla Beall of Prince-George's county, praying a special act of insolvency. Read and referred.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a report and resolution in favor of Elijah Smith of Dorchester county. Read.

Mr. Davis delivers a bill to prevent the erection of booths within two miles of any methodist camp or quarterly meeting in Frederick county. Twice read, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Harryman delivers a petition from John Chance and John Watkins, of Baltimore county, praying the state will refund to them the surplus money paid for land in which there is a deficiency. Read and referred.

On motion by Mr. Blackstone, Ordered, That the bill to make an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war, be made the order of the day for Wednesday the 18th inst.

The bill for the relief of Henry Gros, an insolvent debtor, was passed and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Emerson, the following message was agreed to and sent to the senate.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have appointed Messrs. Emerson, Sprigg, Stonefreet, Emory and Caldwell, a committee on the part of this house, to join such gentlemen as may be appointed by you, to form a committee of both houses to compare and examine all bills from time to time, during this session, as soon as they shall be severally engrossed.

Mr. Callis delivers a bill for the relief of Aquilla Beall, of Prince-George's county. Twice read, passed, and sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the supplement to an act to lay out and open a road in Frederick county, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. And the following communication:

Council Chamber, Nov. 7, 1812.

Gentlemen,
I have the honor to inform you, that I have expended in virtue of a resolution passed at November session eighteen hundred and eleven, appropriating one thousand dollars for the purpose of furnishing the government house, the sum of two hundred and eleven dollars and thirty nine cents, as will appear by the enclosed vouchers—The residue amounting to seven hundred and eighty-eight dollars and sixty-one cents, remains in the treasury.

I am, with much respect, your most obedient servant,

ROBT. BOWIE.

Read.
The Resolution in favor of Charles Richardson, of Somerset county, was read and assented to.

Mr. Randall delivers a bill for the relief of John Tobin. Mr. Wm. Stewart a bill to tax bank stock. Severally read.

On motion by Mr. Emory, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act to facilitate the draining of land in the several counties therein mentioned.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, Ordered, That Messrs. Dorsey, Bayly and Bowles, be a committee to inquire and report to this house what laws will expire during the present session of this General Assembly.

Ordered, That the further additional supplement to the act for amending and reducing into system, the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, &c. have a second reading on Tuesday next.

The clerk of the senate delivers a letter from Walter Dorsey, esq. notifying his acceptance of his appointment as a member of the council. Read.

Mr. Parnham delivers a report and resolution in favour of Thomas Cahoe, of Charles county. Read.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

SATURDAY, NOV. 14.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The speaker laid before the house a communication from the treasurer of the eastern shore. Also reports from the clerks of Cecil and Washington counties, relative to the attendance of the judges. Read and referred.

Mr. Perry delivers a bill to pay the civil list and other expenses of civil government. Read.

Mr. Sanders delivers a petition from field officers and privates of the militia of Harford county, praying for an alteration in the 41st section of the militia law passed at November session, 1811. Mr. Stevens a petition from Robert Offley, of Queen-Anne's county, praying a divorce. Read and referred.

Mr. Bayly delivers a bill for the appointment of the justices of the levy court in the several counties of this state by the people. Read.

Adjourned till Monday.

MONDAY, NOV. 16, 1812.

The house met. Present as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

Mr. Lewis has leave of absence.

Tobias E. Stansbury, Esq. a delegate from Baltimore county, appeared, qualified, and took his seat.

Mr. Harryman delivers a petition from John B. Jaffriet of Baltimore county, praying a special act of insolvency. Read and referred.

Mr. Randall delivers a bill to confirm the Liberty road as now opened through Baltimore county. Read.

On motion of Mr. Arnold E. Jones, Ordered, That Messrs. A. E. Jones, Ford and Stansbury, be a committee to report to this house, the state of the public property at the government house, and if any, what repairs are requisite to the same.

Mr. Potts delivers a petition from William Hilbus, of Frederick county, praying for a review of a road therein mentioned. Read and referred.

Mr. Caufin delivers a favourable report on the petition of Jesse Thompson. Read.

Mr. Blackstone delivers a petition from Peter A. Carnes of St. Mary's county, praying a special act of insolvency. Read and referred.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a favourable report on the petition of John Burns. Read.

Mr. Harryman delivers a favourable report on the petition of John Chance and John Watkins. Read.

Mr. Plater delivers a favourable report on the petitions of John Williams, Josias Alvey, and Anthony Davis. Read.

The bill for the relief of John Tobin, of the city of Baltimore, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Bayly delivers a report of the trustees of Washington Academy in Somerset county. Read.

Mr. Harryman delivers a petition from John Rogers of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency. Read.

On motion by Mr. Randall, Ordered, That the bill for the valuation of real and personal property in this state, be made the order of the day for Thursday next.

Mr. Belt delivers a petition from William Vaughan, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Read and referred.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

TUESDAY, NOV. 17, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday except Mr. Lewis. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Belt delivers a petition from Ingram Cann, of Anne-Arundel county, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Mr. Donaldson a petition from Mary Foxall, of Baltimore county, praying that a law may pass to confirm the will of her late husband—Thomas Foxall. Mr. Bowles a petition from Daniel Hessebower, of Washington county, praying a special act of insolvency. Mr. Potter a petition from Shelby Jump, of Caroline county, praying a law may pass authorizing him to sell and convey certain lands therein mentioned. Mr. Hogg a petition from sundry voters of the third election district of Cecil county, praying that the place of holding elections may be changed. Mr. Barney a petition from Francis Holland, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a supplement to an act passed in 1802, concerning a road from Baltimore to Annapolis. Mr. Belt a petition from Thomas Elliott, of Anne-Arundel county, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Read and referred.

Mr. Barney delivers a bill to change and alter the names of Henry and Charlotte Cochran, of the city of Baltimore, to Irvine. Twice read and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for the benefit of John Pointer, of Worcester county; the bill for the relief of Keziah Hughes, of Anne-Arundel county; the bill to lay out and open a road in Cecil county; the bill for the relief of Levi Cary; the bill for the relief of Wm. Merryman, late sheriff and collector of Baltimore county; and the bill for the relief of Henry Gros, of the city of Baltimore, severally endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. Also

the bill relating to the poor of Dorchester county, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed. And the bill for the relief of Aquila Beall, of Prince-George's county, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read.

On motion by Mr. Donaldson, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act for extending Green-street in the city of Baltimore.

Mr. Plater delivers a bill supplementary to the act, entitled, An act granting a loan of money to Charlotte Hall School. And a report on the memorial of the trustees of said school. Severally read.

Mr. Blackstone delivers a bill for the relief of Peter A. Carnes, of St. Mary's county. Read.

Mr. Belt delivers a favourable report on the petition of John Vaughan, a revolutionary soldier. Read.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, Ordered, That the preamble and resolutions of the Legislature of Virginia accompanying the communications of the executive be printed.

The house proceeded to the order of the day on the resolutions relative to the riots in Baltimore, and on motion of Mr. Lecompte the further consideration of the same was postponed until to-morrow.

According to the order of the day, the house proceeded to the second reading of the bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for amending and reducing into system the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, &c. and, after reading and amending the same, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? Determined in the negative, yeas 28, nays 31.

The speaker laid before the house a report of the clerk of Prince-George's county, relative to the attendance of the judges. Read and referred.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill for the relief of John Farcharson of Dorchester county, were severally read the second time, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Belt delivers a report in favour of Thomas Elliott, an old soldier. Read.

On motion by Mr. Caldwell, the following preamble and resolutions were read.

Whereas, it is not only a generous and noble, but also a wise policy in us, as a free and republican government, to distinguish with our highest approbation, expressed in the most pointed and emphatic manner, such of our citizens as evince by their actions a patriotic devotion to the common weal, so that all may be stimulated to virtuous actions; conscious that if it is deferred, they will experience the gratitude of their country; and thus an holy emulation will be excited amongst us, in performing such deeds both in war and in peace, as will tend to preserve the liberties we now enjoy, and perpetuate the blessings derived from our independence: And whereas also, if any of our citizens fall in battle, fighting in the cause of his country, leaving behind a name endeared to us by the recollection of his virtues, his bravery & his devotion to the liberties of the republic, it behoves us, in the spirit of the same policy, to show, in the most public and pointed manner, our respect for that citizen, our regret for his loss, and our gratitude for his services: And whereas, WILLIAM S. BUSH, late a citizen of this state, and a lieutenant in the marine corps of the United States, in the late action between the Constitution, one of our frigates, and the Guerriere, an enemy, an English frigate, fell, fighting in the most gallant and heroic manner, the battles of his country, and in her cause.

Therefore, Resolved, That to shew the respect to his memory which we feel, and which it deserves, and to evince the high regard which this legislature entertains for bravery and patriotism, such as he displayed, its gratitude for his services, and regret for his loss, the governor and council of this state be and they are hereby directed, to purchase an appropriate golden medal, which they shall present, in the name of this state, to the nearest surviving male relation of the said Lieutenant William S. Bush.

Resolved also, That the treasurer of the western shore pay out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, the sum of — dollars, to the order of the governor and council, so that the object of these resolutions may be carried into effect.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

HYMENEAL.

Married, by the Rev. Mr. Wyatt, on Sunday evening last, Mr. Edwin D. Baldwin, to Miss Charlotte Sullivan, all of this city.

A letter from a gentleman at Halifax, says, "I understand that information has been received from Admiral Sir John B. Warren, stating that he will receive all seamen, who shall return to their native country, to pass free of impediment, except those belonging to ships of war; and that the merchant seamen who have liberty to do so, and receive the bounty and every encouragement, or return home, according to their own choice." (Phil. paper, Nov. 13.)

CONGRESSIONAL. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Friday, Nov. 6.

Two messages in writing were received from the President of the U. States, by Mr. Coles his secretary.

The first message read, related to the naturalization law, passed at the last session, which the president did not think proper to sign, for reasons which he states, and recommending the attention of Congress to that subject.

On motion of Mr. Lacock it was referred to a select committee of five.

The second, covered the correspondence between the War Department and the Governors of Massachusetts and Connecticut, in relation to calling into the service of the United States their respective quotas of militia, referred to in the President's message of the 4th instant.

After the reading had progressed some time, on motion of Mr. Cheves, the further reading was dispensed with, and the messages and documents ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Cheves, the messages were referred to a committee of the whole house on the state of the union, to whom was referred the message of the 4th inst.

The house in committee of the whole, Mr. Macon in the chair.

Mr. Cheves moved the following:

1st. Resolved, That so much of the President's message of the 4th inst. as relates to the subject of our foreign relations, be referred to a select committee.

2d. Resolved, That so much of the President's message aforesaid, as relates to the militia, volunteers, and the army of the United States, to the past operations and to the future prosecution of the war with G. Britain on land, together with a message of this day be referred to a select committee.

3d. Resolved, That so much of the President's message of the 4th inst. as relates to the naval establishment of the U. States, to the past operations, and to the future prosecution of the war on the ocean and the lakes, be referred to a select committee.

4th. Resolved, That so much of the said message as relates to revenue, and to the late importations to of Brit. Manufactures, be referred to the committee of Ways and Means.

5th. Resolved, That so much of the said message, as relates to British licences, and to "cases of corrupt and perfidious intercourse with the enemy not amounting to treason," be referred to the committee of Commerce and Manufactures.

The committee rose and reported their agreement to the resolutions, and the house concurred, and the several select committees were ordered to consist of nine.

The resolution yesterday offered by Mr. Dawson was taken up and referred to the committee appointed on that part of the President's message which relates to the naval establishment of the U. S.

The Rev. Mr. Lee was appointed Chaplain.

CLOSED DOORS.

Mr. Harper said he had a proposition to offer to the House which, in his opinion, required secrecy, and he therefore moved that the galleries be cleared and doors closed, which was accordingly done.

Three o'clock, the House adjourned: it appears that the injunction of secrecy on the proceedings had been removed; and that the motion submitted by Mr. Harper was as follows: Which was negatived, yeas 26, nays 76.

Resolved, That the committee of Commerce and Manufactures be instructed to inquire into the expediency of prohibiting by law the exportation of flour and other bread stuffs from the United States and the territories thereof, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

Adjourned.

Monday, Nov. 9.

Mr. Mitchell presented a memorial of 24 owners and agents of private armed vessels; stating that they labor under great disadvantages from internal regulations, and praying that the duties on Prize Goods may be diminished, the fees of Court, &c. and stating that under the existing regulations, the profits of the business is not commensurate with the hazard incurred, and that unless Congress afford relief, it will not be worth following.—He moved that it be referred to the committee of Commerce and Manufactures.

Mr. Cheves thought it would be better to refer that part of the petition, which relates to the reduction of the duties, to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. Blackledge thought it would be better to refer the whole subject to a select committee.

Mr. Widgery hoped the whole subject would be referred to one committee, he did not care which.

Mr. Mitchell withdrew his first motion, and moved to refer the memorial to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. McKim moved to refer it to the committee of commerce and manufactures.—Negatived.

Mr. McKim moved to refer that part of it which relates to the revenue, to the committee of ways and means.—Carried.

The residue of the memorial was then referred to the committee of naval affairs.

Mr. Seybert presented the memorial of Joseph P. Beck, of Philadelphia. Referred to the committee of commerce and manufactures.

Mr. Little presented the petition of John S. B. Lang, a revolutionary soldier. Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Lewis presented several memorials from the county of Alexandria and county of Fairfax, respecting the sale of certain glebe lands. Referred to the committee on the District of Columbia.

Also, one from the Levy court and Common council of Alexandria, praying for an appropriation of money to build a jail. Referred as above.

Mr. Johnson presented the memorial of W. Hubbel of Kentucky. Referred to the committee of claims.

The Speaker laid before the house a letter from the secretary of war, covering the accounts of the quarter-masters and clothing department. Referred to the committee of means.

Mr. Bacon after some preliminary remarks offered the following:

Resolved, That the committee of military affairs, be instructed to enquire into the expediency of providing by law, for exempting altogether from liability to arrest, or being taken in execution for debt, any non-commissioned officer, private or musician, of the army of the United States, or volunteer corps, when called into service pursuant to law.—Adopted.

Mr. Seybert submitted a resolution directing the committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, to report a bill authorizing the franking of the President's message & documents, notwithstanding the same may weigh more than two ounces. Adopted.

Mr. Jennings submitted the following:—Resolved, That the committee of claims, be instructed to enquire into the expediency of providing by law for compensating any person or persons, for the unavoidable loss of any horse or horses in the campaign of Tippacaw on the river Wabash. Adopted.

Adjourned at half past 12 o'clock.

Committee of Foreign Relations.
Messrs. Smilie, Calhoun, Grundy, Goldborough, Macon, Nelson, Harper, Deha and Seaver.

Committee on Military Affairs.
Messrs. Williams, Troup, Wright, Sevier, Lowndes, Chittenden, Lyle, Stewart and Avery.

Committee on Naval Affairs.
Messrs. Bassett, Bacon, Milnor, Blecker, Widgery, Dawson, Hyneman, Alston and Stow.

Tuesday, Nov. 10.

Mr. Mitchell presented a petition from sundry agents and consignees of British manufactures, stating that goods imported into the United States since the 1st of August on their own account had been seized under the non-importation act and praying relief. Referred to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. Pleasant presented a petition from Messrs. Tompkins and Murry of Richmond of a similar nature to the one presented by Mr. Mitchell. It was referred to the same committee.

Mr. Rhea, from the committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, reported a bill authorizing the franking of the message and documents, which was agreed.

Previous to the passage of the bill Mr. Seybert moved to amend it, by making it a general law so as to prevent the necessity of passing such a bill every year. The motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Poindexter: Resolved, That a committee be appointed to inquire into the expediency of authorizing the people of the Mississippi Territory to form a Constitution and state government, and of admitting the said government into the union on the footing of the original States, with leave to report by bill or otherwise.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Johnson, and agreed to without a division.

Resolved, That the committee to whom that part of the President's Message was referred as relates to military affairs, be instructed to bring in a bill authorizing the raising of a number of mounted volunteers, to perform an expedition against the tribes of Indians, hostile to the U. States.

Before Mr. Johnson submitted his resolution, he endeavored to impress upon the house the absolute necessity of adopting efficient measures for attacking the Indians during the winter, as in that season alone they could be found in their lurking places.

Several petitions of a private nature, some of which had been before the House during the last session, were presented and referred.

Adjourned—half past two.

Wednesday, Nov. 11.

Mr. Pitkin presented a petition from sundry merchants of New-Haven (Conn.) praying that the Penal Bonds on certain Goods imported from Great Britain may be cancelled.—Referred to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. McKim presented a petition from James Anderson, formerly American agent at Havana, praying remuneration for certain expenses incurred in transporting a number of soldiers belonging to the United States to

New-Orleans. This petition was before the house last session but the committee to whom it was referred did not report thereon. Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Clay, (Speaker) presented the petition of B. M. Platt of the Illinois territory, stating that the election of Mr. Shadrack Bond, was unfair, and praying that there may be a new election ordered. Referred to the committee on elections.

On motion the committee on enrolled Bills was ordered to be appointed.

Adjourned, 12 o'clock.

Thursday, Nov. 12.

Mr. Bassett from the committee on Naval Affairs reported a resolution for giving to Capt. Isaac Hull a Gold Medal, in testimony of the respect of Congress for his services in capturing the Guerriere British frigate. [This resolution is similar to the one offered a few days since by Mr. Dawson.] Referred to a committee of the whole house and made the order of the day for Monday next, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Seybert offered the following: Resolved, That a committee be appointed to inquire into the expediency of continuing the mint in Philadelphia, and that they have leave to report by bill or otherwise. Adopted and a committee of three ordered. Adjourned.

Friday, Nov. 13.

Mr. Mitchell presented the petition of George Lyon, an assistant clerk in the Patent office, praying compensation for services. Referred to committee of claims.

Mr. Seybert, from the committee appointed on the subject of the mint, reported a bill to prolong the continuance of the mint of the U. States at Philadelphia. Read twice and referred to a committee of the whole house for to-day.

A message in writing was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Coles his secretary. This message communicated the correspondence between Mr. Russell and Lord Castlereagh, on the subject of the late propositions submitted by Mr. Russell, relative to a suspension of hostilities between the two governments.

From this correspondence it appears, the British government did not think proper to accede to the terms proposed, and Mr. Russell thinks the only alternative now left, is a vigorous prosecution of the war.

Mr. Wright after some prefatory observations relative to injuries done us by the foreign, etc. offered the following.

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to bring in a bill, vesting the power of retaliation in certain cases, in the President of the U. States. Adopted and a committee of five ordered.

The house in committee of the whole, Mr. Nelson in the chair, on a bill to prolong the mint in Philadelphia.

The committee filled the blank with 18 years, rose and reported the bill and the house concurred, and ordered it to be engrossed and read a third time on Monday.

On motion, it was ordered that when the House adjourn, it adjourn till Monday.

Adjourned.

THE WAR.

From the N. Intelligencer of Saturday.
An important message was transmitted to Congress yesterday by the President of U. S. and will be found in our subsequent columns. From a perusal of the Documents enclosed our readers will see how little reason there is to hope for any satisfactory result to the pacific overtures made by our government that its accredited agent in England.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the U. States,
For the further information of Congress relative to the pacific advances made on the part of the government to that of G. Britain and the manner in which they have been met by the latter, I transmit the sequel of the communications on that subject, received from the late Charge d'Affairs at London.

JAMES MADISON.

November 12, 1812.

Extract from the Correspondence.
Mr. Russell to Mr. Monroe.

[Private.]

On board the Lark, 7th Nov. 1812.
Sir—I have the honor to inform you, that I am now passing the Narrows, and expect to land in New-York this day. I conceive it to be my duty to repair to the seat of government and shall set off as soon as I can obtain my baggage. In the mean time I am sorry to inform you, that the second proposition for an armistice was rejected like the first, and a vigorous prosecution of the war appears to be the only honorable alternative left to us.

I have the honor to be, with great confidence and respect, sir, your very obedient servant,

JONA. RUSSELL.

The hon. James Monroe, &c. &c.
Lord Castlereagh to Mr. Russell.
Foreign Office, Sept. 18, 1811.
Sir—Under the explanations you have afforded me of the nature of the instructions which you have received from your government, I have, as on the preceding occasion, been induced to lay your letter of the 12th inst. before his Royal Highness the Prince Regent.

His Royal Highness conveys to you his regret that he receive any substantial difference of proposition for suspension of hostilities. You are now directed to be contained in your letter August last. The form of arrangement, it is true, is only appears, to aim at execution in a more covert, more objectionable manner.

You are now directed primary to a suspension of hostilities and distinct understanding requiring it to be formally referred to in your former letter.

It is obvious that were referred to, the discussion on the substantially precede the execution.

This course of proceeding the face of it a character only felt to be in principle as unlikely to lead in practice to a result: as it does not present a subject of improvement either authorized to propose with reference to which a practice could be made, or that you have reasons for the guidance some of the leading in a discussion must in the end.

Under these circumstances I sincerely lament that myself enabled to depart which I was directed to do, the 2d instant.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant.

Jonathan Russell, Esq.

New-York.

From the Militia corps on land and are dwindling some of the companies of privates than of from this county is referred to the British, complement of a company has in consequence.

NEWS EXTRA.

Late information from der notices that the amounting to 8000 removed from Plattsburgh on the frontier. It is against the enemy's first of November.

of importance may shut that quarter.

From the At the date of our last, the principal frontier had been closed and Black Rock, an opposite side was exposed who is returning home fed through this village number of troops on that 4000 of them.

GEN. VAN.

By recent accounts, we are promised of praise which Rensselaer. It appears arranged by him of Queenston which could accomplish.

tachment had crossed the river, the most intimate give them relief and personal attendance spots of the most importance could not rest as if against the force of glory; he urged len countrymen; themselves from grace. His voice of discontent and to cross, they refused from death memory of the patriot his power to command more—he has defeated.

New-Hampshire. She has elected tives to congress by a majority SAND votes!

NEW-JERSEY.

Both houses will the appointment of noon.

The following gentlemen of President U. States.

Matthew Wilcox, Wm. B. Ewin, Franklin Davis, Elias C. Davis, William McGowan, Andrew Howard, Jonas Wade, Aaron D. James Sloan, Congress, was Camden Banker.

petition was before the committee to whom report thereon. He presented the petition of Mr. Shadrack Bond, who had been appointed Commander in Chief of the Russian army, took the command on the 28th.

The seventeenth French bulletin of the Grand army dated at Ghijst, Sept. 5, is filled with unimportant details of military operations. It states that, "potatoes, public and cabbages, grow there in abundance, and the granaries are all full." The bulletin adds, "the enemy is employed in forming an entrenched camp, in front of Mojaik, and has established lines before Moscow."

The price of grain in England is stated to be falling rapidly.

The Star of the 21st Sept. contains letters and extracts from papers from N. York to the 14th and from Washington to the 9th of Aug. The editor observes, that "if America insists on free ships making free goods, there is not the slightest prospect of a speedy termination of hostilities." At this time it was known in England, that the revocation of the Orders in Council had not the desired effect. Copious remarks on this subject appear.

MONTREAL, Oct. 21.

On the morning of the 10th inst. a company of Voyageurs, consisting of 45 men, were surprised at St. Regis and taken prisoners, after having 3 killed, 4 wounded, and 7 escaping. The company was commanded by Capt. McDonnell, and among the killed was Ensign Rotte.

Upwards of 400 American prisoners taken at Queenston, have arrived here.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 14.

IMPORTANT & PLEASING RUMOR.

We stop the press to announce, that Capt. Green, just arrived in 24 hours from Albany states that previous to his leaving Albany it was reported that an express had arrived with accounts of the capture of Fort George, Queenston and Fort Erie, by Gen. Smyth, and Malden, by Gen. Harrison.

OHIO.

The editor of the "Trump of Fame," a warm Madisonian paper, printed at Warren, Trumbull county, Ohio, expresses himself doubtfully with respect to the choice of electors in that state.

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One Wood Flat, two Batteaux, Sails and Rigging of a Schooner; also some Farming Utensils, Household and Kitchen Furniture, and Stock of Horses and Sheep, and several other articles too tedious to mention. The foregoing property will be sold on a credit of six months for all sums over twenty dollars, under that sum the cash to be paid. Bond and security will be required, with interest from the day of sale. The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter.

Elizabeth Robinson, } Admrs.
Charles Robinson, }

Nov. 19, 1812.

Adjutant General's Office, ANNAPOLIS, NOV. 7, 1812.

The commander in chief of the militia of Maryland, accepts the services of the following officers of cavalry, who have patriotically volunteered as part of the quota of this state, required by the general government.

Col. Frisby Tilghman, to command the first regiment; Col. Edward Lloyd, to command the second; Major Charles S. Ridgely and Major Otho H. Williams, attached to Colonel Tilghman's regiment; Major William B. Barney and Major Adam Whang, attached to Colonel Lloyd's regiment.

By order,
Jno. Gasaway, A. G.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Calvert county court, or some one of the Judges thereof, for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto.

WILLIAM JAMES.

Nov. 12, 1812.

His Royal Highness commands me to express to you his regret that he cannot perceive any substantial difference between the proposition for suspension of hostilities which you are now directed to make, and that which was contained in your letter of the 24th of August last. The form of the proposed arrangement, it is true, is different; but it only appears to aim at executing the same purpose in a more covert, and therefore, in a more objectionable manner.

You are now directed to require, as preliminary to a suspension of hostilities, a clear and distinct understanding, without, however, requiring it to be formal on all the points referred to in your former proposition.

It is obvious that were this proposal acceded to, the discussion on the several points must substantially precede the understanding required.

This course of proceeding, as bearing on the face of it a character of disguise, is not only felt to be in principle inadmissible, but as unlikely to lead in practice to any advantageous result; as it does not appear on the important subject of impression that you are either authorized to propose any specific plan with reference to which the suspension of that practice could be made a subject of deliberation, or that you have received any instructions for the guidance of your conduct on some of the leading principles which such a discussion must in the first instance involve.

Under these circumstances the Prince Regent sincerely laments that he does not feel himself enabled to depart from the decision, which I was directed to convey to you in my letter of the 2d instant.

I have the honor to be, Sir, your most obedient servant.

CASTLEBAGH.

Jonathan Russell, esq. &c.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 12.

From Manlius, Nov. 3.

The militia corps on the lines have dwindled and are dwindling to mere skeletons—some of the companies containing a less number of privates than officers. The rifle corps from this county is reduced by sickness, prisoners to the British, &c. to less than the complement of a company—and Maj. Moseley has in consequence returned home.

NEWS EXPECTED.

Late information from the northern border notices that the army of Gen. Bloomfield amounting to 8000 regulars and militia, had moved from Plattsburg to Champlain a town on the frontier. It is said that the operations against the enemy would commence about the first of November. If this be correct, news of importance may shortly be expected from that quarter.

From the West.

At the date of our last advices from the Niagara, the principal part of the forces on that frontier had been concentrated at Buffalo and Black Rock, and a speedy attack on the opposite side was expected. Col. Stranahan who is returning home on parole, and who passed through this village to day, states that the number of troops on that station is 6500, and that 4000 of them are of the regular army.

GEN. VAN RENSSALAER.

By recent accounts from an indisputable quarter, we are proud in acknowledging the deed of praise which is due to the veteran Van Renssalaer. It appears that ever since the battle of Queenston which human skill and foresight could accomplish. When after the first detachment had crossed and had engaged the enemy, the most intrepid efforts were made to give them relief and succor; his voice and personal attendance were heard and seen in spots of the most imminent danger; he strove as if against the torrent; his compulsory eloquence could not remove the headstrong reluctance of the militia; he pointed to the field of glory; he urged them to revenge their fallen countrymen; he begged them to save themselves from everlasting mortification & disgrace. His voice was drowned in murmurs of discontent and disaffection, they refused to cross, they refused to rescue their comrades from death! Ever honored be the memory of the patriotic general. "It was not in his power to command success—he has done more—he has deserved it."

New-Hampshire has done her duty.

She has elected her list of peace representatives to congress, and electors for president by a majority rising THREE THOUSAND votes!

[Bost. paper.]

NEW-JERSEY LEGISLATURE.

Trenton, Nov. 9, 1812.

Both houses went into joint meeting for the appointment of officers on Thursday forenoon.

The following gentlemen were appointed Electors of President and Vice President of the U. States.

Matthew Wilden of Cape May.
Wm. B. Ewing of Cumberland.
Franklin Davenport of Gloucester.
John L. Loe of Morris.
John Loe of Morris.
William McGill of H.
Andrew Howell of Somerset.
Jonas Wade of Essex.
Aaron D. Woodruff, esq. Att. Gen.
James Sloan, esq. formerly member of Congress, was appointed President of the Camden Bank.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 12.

Copy of a letter received yesterday by the Secretary of the Navy from Commodore Rodgers:

U. S. Frigate President, }
At Sea, Oct. 17, 1812.

SIR—I have the honor to acquaint you that on the 13th inst. near the Grand Bank, this ship, the Congress in company, captured the British King's Packet Swallow, Joseph Morpew, commander, bound from Kingston, Jamaica, to Falmouth. The rank of the commander of this vessel, is that of a master and commander in the navy. She had no cargo in except 81 boxes of gold and silver amounting to between one hundred and fifty and two hundred thousand dollars. The specie I took out of her, and had intended sending her to England in the character of a cartel, with her own crew. Having fallen in at this moment, however, with the American schooner Eleanor, bound from Baltimore to France, dismasted, induced me to change my first determination, and instead of sending her to England have sent her to the U. States in charge of the master and crew of the before mentioned schooner, who at the moment of arriving this have charge of the Swallow, with the sch. in tow, but which, as soon as the weather will permit, they intend abandoning, after having taken her cargo on board the Swallow.

I parted company with the U. States and Argus five days since; they are not however far from me at present, I apprehend.

We have not seen a single British vessel of war as yet, except one frigate, which the want of wind and the approach of night prevented our chasing with any effect; although from information afterwards received we must have passed very near a squadron of five frigates the evening preceding that on which we saw the one before mentioned.

I have the honor to be,

With the greatest respect, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN RODGERS.

Hon. Paul Hamilton.

ALBANY, Nov. 2.

This day, at 4 o'clock, the legislature of this state made choice of the following gentlemen as electors of President and Vice President of the U. States. We congratulate the citizens of the U. States on this auspicious event, which will we doubt not, secure to them the election of a chief magistrate capable of maintaining their rights and character in war, promoting their liberty, happiness and prosperity in peace. It is needless to add, that every man, on the following Ticket, is Republican, and will vote for

DE WITT CLINTON.

Electors of President and Vice President of the U. States, for the State of New-York for 1812.

Jos. C. Yates of Schenectady
Simeon De Witt, Albany
Archibald McIntire, Albany
John C. Hogeboom, Columbia
G. S. Mumford, New-York
Jacob Delamontagne, do.
P. Van Cortlandt, Westchester
John Chandler, Orange
Henry Huntington, Oneida
John Woodworth, Albany
David Boyd, Schenectady
Cor's Bergen, Kings
Joseph Perine, Richmond
C. Belknap, Orange
John Dill, Ulster
David Van Ness, Dutchess
Robert Jenkins, Columbia
M. S. Vandercook, Rensselaer
Geo. Palmer, Jr. Saratoga
James Hill, Washington
Wm. Kirby, Essex
H. Frey Yates, Montgomery
Thos. H. Hubbard, Madison
John Russell, Oneida
James S. Kip, Oneida
Jotham Jayne, Cayuga
Jona. Stanley, Jr. Onondaga
Wm. Burnett, Ontario
Geo. Rosencrans, Herkimer

SALEM, NOV. 6.

The Voice of Massachusetts is for Peace.

We published our last paper under uncommon sensations of pleasure, on account of the triumph of the friends of peace and good principles in this Gerry-mander district, formed by their opponents while they possessed the legislative power of the state, with a view to secure themselves in the senate and control the congressional election.

But we did not then anticipate half the good tidings we have since received. Even Maine as well as all those portions of old Massachusetts in which the war hawks felt their greatest strength, have yielded to the evidence before them, of the speedy ruin of the country under the Madisonians, and have turned their votes against them. We can now announce the following elections as certain.

Timothy Pickering, Essex North.
William Reed, Essex South.
Elihu Ruggles, Suffolk.
Elihu Brigham, Worcester South.
Abijah Bigelow, Worcester North.
William Ely, Hampshire South.
Saml. Taggart, Hampshire North.
Daniel Dewey, Berkshire.

William Baylies, Plymouth.
John Reed, Barnstable.
Laban Wheaton, Bristol.
Cyrus King, First Eastern.
George Bradbury, Second do.
Samuel Davis, Third do.
Joseph Head, Fourth do.
Thomas Rice, Fifth do.

These make 17 Peace Members elected, leaving 3 still doubtful—and this in spite of the districts being formed with great care so as to secure a large majority of Madisonians, or War Hawks!

Those who have heretofore supported the present administration, are many of them either doubtful of the course they are pursuing, or convinced it is absolutely wrong, and therefore have either withheld their votes now or given them against them. This was strikingly the case in Haverhill, where the democrats, and even some who had been the most zealous, came to the meeting, and refused to vote, saying they were satisfied all was not right with our government. Those who did vote for the war candidate, appeared to do it under a kind of compulsion, and with great reluctance.

Essex North District Returns.

Pickering.	Others.
Newburyport 525	34
Salisbury 112	4
Newbury 285	5
Topsfield 82	5
Hamilton 78	0
Gloucester 263	0
Wenham 53	8
Roxford 110	3

So much respected is the hon. Mr. Pickering, in this district, that the war party appeared to make no systematic opposition to him; in one town they voted for Kilham, in another for Pearce, in another for Little, and so on. A letter from Hamilton says—"The number of votes given in this town were 78, and were all for Mr. Pickering. Several of the democrats voted with the federalists for Mr. P. the rest declined voting."

In Norfolk district, the democratic majority last April was 636; the peace majority now is 468.

In Plymouth district, there was a small democratic majority in April; the peace majority is now 974.

Similar changes have taken place in most or all of the other districts.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 8.

LATE FROM ENGLAND.

On Saturday, the very last sailing ship Lark Capt. Hutchinson, arrived at this port from Plymouth, England, which place she left on the 30th September last, which is 25 days later than our former advices.

By this arrival, the Editors of the New-York Gazette have received thro' the attention and politeness of Mr. Russell, late our Charge d'Affaires at the Court of London, a file of the Times down to the 28th of September inclusive. They contain but little news, as will appear by the subsequent Extracts.

Accounts from Malta and Gibraltar, state, that Admiral Freemantle had been sent up the Adriatic, and had arrived at Lissa, having with him about 6,000 men. The object was not known—perhaps as a mere diversion.

From the Despatches from Sir Wm. Bentinck, it appears that Sicily is about becoming an ally of England.

The French army, it is stated in a Paris paper, were on their march from Smolensk towards Moscow. The enemy they say, continue to retreat.

The battle of Salamanca had produced a great accession of recruits from the Portuguese peasantry, who had come forward with renewed alacrity. Provisions were more abundant.

The Proclamation (says the Times, of the 26th of September) for the Dissolution of Parliament, it is stated, will appear in the Gazette of Tuesday evening.

Major Generals Wheatley and Hulse, both died lately in Portugal.

The official account of the taking of Seville, appears in the London Gazette of the 22d September. The loss was very trifling. The place was defended by eight French battalions of infantry, and two regiments of cavalry.

About 70 of the fleet from the Baltic, had arrived at Gottenburgh, with lots of anchors, &c.

On the 18th September a person belonging to the suite of Mr. Foster, arrived at London with despatches from Washington. He left Halifax in the Gleaner on the 26th of Oct. It is remarked on his arrival, that the revocation of the Orders in council had produced little or no effect here; and it was not supposed that any alteration would take place until Mr. Madison was out of power.

The 15th French bulletin says, "At the battles of Smolensk & Valontina, the enemy lost 20 Generals killed, taken or wounded, and a very great number of Officers. The number of men killed, taken or wounded on these occasions, may amount to from 25, to 30,000 men."

On the 16th inst. the French army, having lost 12,000 men.

The 16th bulletin of the French army, is dated Vienna, August 31st—to which place the Emperor's head-quarters were removed on the 30th. It states that the people of the

country are retiring to Moscow, that there had already crowded into that city a million and a half of souls; and that Gen. Kutsof, who had been appointed Commander in Chief of the Russian armies, took the command on the 28th.

The price of grain in England is stated to be falling rapidly.

The Star of the 21st Sept. contains letters and extracts from papers from N. York to the 14th and from Washington to the 9th of Aug. The editor observes, that "if America insists on free ships making free goods, there is not the slightest prospect of a speedy termination of hostilities." At this time it was known in England, that the revocation of the Orders in Council had not the desired effect. Copious remarks on this subject appear.

MONTREAL, Oct. 21.

On the morning of the 10th inst. a company of Voyageurs, consisting of 45 men, were surprised at St. Regis and taken prisoners, after having 3 killed, 4 wounded, and 7 escaping. The company was commanded by Capt. McDonnell, and among the killed was Ensign Rotte.

Upwards of 400 American prisoners taken at Queenston, have arrived here.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 14.

IMPORTANT & PLEASING RUMOR.

We stop the press to announce, that Capt. Green, just arrived in 24 hours from Albany states that previous to his leaving Albany it was reported that an express had arrived with accounts of the capture of Fort George, Queenston and Fort Erie, by Gen. Smyth, and Malden, by Gen. Harrison.

OHIO.

The editor of the "Trump of Fame," a warm Madisonian paper, printed at Warren, Trumbull county, Ohio, expresses himself doubtfully with respect to the choice of electors in that state.

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Public Sale.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscribers will expose to public sale, on the premises of the late Thomas Robinson, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, on the north side of Severn, on Tuesday the 15th day of December next, the following property:

One Wood Flat, two Batteaux, Sails and Rigging of a Schooner; also some Farming Utensils, Household and Kitchen Furniture, and Stock of Horses and Sheep, and several other articles too tedious to mention. The foregoing property will be sold on a credit of six months for all sums over twenty dollars, under that sum the cash to be paid. Bond and security will be required, with interest from the day of sale. The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter.

Elizabeth Robinson, } Admrs.
Charles Robinson, }

Nov. 19, 1812.

Adjutant General's Office, ANNAPOLIS, NOV. 7, 1812.

The commander in chief of the militia of Maryland, accepts the services of the following officers of cavalry, who have patriotically volunteered as part of the quota of this state, required by the general government.

Col. Frisby Tilghman, to command the first regiment; Col. Edward Lloyd, to command the second; Major Charles S. Ridgely and Major Otho H. Williams, attached to Colonel Tilghman's regiment; Major William B. Barney and Major Adam Whang, attached to Colonel Lloyd's regiment.

By order,
Jno. Gasaway, A. G.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Calvert county court, or some one of the Judges thereof, for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto.

WILLIAM JAMES.

Nov. 12, 1812.

Valuable Lands for Sale.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, (on the premises of the late Doctor John Cassaway, of Rhode River, in Anne-Arundel county) on the fourth Monday in December next, on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest on the purchase money from the day of sale, **THAT MOST VALUABLE FARM** On which the Doctor resided, containing about four hundred and ninety-three acres; the situation is high and healthy, and commands a beautiful prospect of the Chesapeake Bay. The improvements on the said farm are, a comfortable dwelling House, Quarter, Tobacco Houses and Barn. Also, on the same day, will be sold, his Lower Farm, distant about two miles from the place he resided, called Cotter's Desire, containing about two hundred and forty-one acres. Both farms are well wooded, and convenient to the water, and a bounds in wild fowl, fish and oysters. It is unnecessary to go into a detail of the value of the above property, as those who are inclined to purchase will take a view of the premises previous to the day of sale. The lands will be shown by Mr. Thomas & Mr. Carnes, who are now living on the property. The sale will commence at 11 o'clock on said day, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter.

2 Alexander Stuart, Sarah C. White, tds.

November 12.

Public Sale.

Pursuant to the testament and last will of Helen Weedon, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, the subscribers will expose to public sale, on Monday the 14th day of December next, if fair, if not, on the next fair day thereafter, **ALL THE FARM OR PLANTATION** On which the said Helen Weedon lately resided, containing about ninety-seven acres of land. Also all the residue of the personal estate of the said deceased, not heretofore disposed of, consisting of Negroes, Horses, Cows, Corn, and Fodder, and sundry utensils of Husbandry, and articles of household and kitchen furniture. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock on the premises, when attendance will be given, and the terms made known, by

2 Horatio Ridout, Henry Duvall, Executors. tds.

November 12.

The Subscribers

Being informed that it has been circulated in this city that they were not willing to receive on freight, Bricks, Stone, Coal, or any other articles of a similar nature; they therefore declare, that such a report is without foundation, and that they will carry any article offered on freight, either to or from Baltimore, at the usual prices.

To those who give their more valuable business to Cash, not being in the Packet line, they would observe, that if they continue the practice, their letters and small commissions will not be attended to. To those who continue their business to them they assure a ready and punctual attention, and every reasonable extension to please.

To their punctual customers they return their sincere thanks, with an assurance that their future exertions shall be equal to their former to render general satisfaction to those who employ them.

2 Geo. & Jno. Barber. tds.

November 12.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY
ROBERT BOWIE, ESQUIRE
GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of Maryland, by an act passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, entitled, "An act to reduce into one the several acts of Assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections," directed that the governor and council after having received the returns of elections of the members to represent the state in the Congress of the U. S. should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes given for each and every person voted for as a member for Congress aforesaid respectively, and shall thereupon declare, by proclamation, signed by the Governor, the name of the person or persons duly elected in each respective district. We in pursuance of the directions of the said act, do by this our proclamation, declare that by the returns made to us, it appears that Philip Stewart, Esq. was elected for the first district; Joseph Kent, Esq. was elected for the second district; Alexander Contee Hanson, Esq. was elected for the third district; Samuel Ringgold, Esq. was elected for the fourth district; Alexander McKim, and Nicholas Ruxton Moore, Esqs. were elected for the fifth district; Stevenson Archer, Esq. was elected for the sixth district; Robert Wright, Esq. was elected for the seventh district, and Charles Goldsborough, Esq. was elected for the eighth district.

Given in Council, at the city of Annapolis, under the great seal of the State of Maryland, this twenty third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the thirty-seventh.

Robert Bowie,
Clerk of the Council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation be published twice in each week, for the space of four weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Maryland Republican, of Annapolis; in the Whig, Sun, American and Federal Gazette, of Baltimore; in the National Intelligencer, at Washington; in the Baltimore Herald, at Hagers-town; and in the Star at Easton.

By Order,
2 Ninian Pinkney, Clerk of the Council. tds.

November 12.

NOTICE.

I will Rent, on Sell, my FARM, near South River Church. For terms apply to Nicholas Brewer, of the City of Annapolis.

2 FRANCES FATES. tds.

November 12.

B. CURRAN,

Has received a good supply of Cloths, Coatings, Casimeres, Flannels, Blankets, Stuffs, Irish Linens, and various other Articles in the

Dry Good Line,

which he will sell low for Cash, and as usual to his Punctual Customers, October 8.

Seasonable Goods.

H. C. MUNROE
Has just received, a general assortment of **Dry Goods & Groceries,** Ironmongery and Stationary, which will be disposed of on accommodating terms.

ALSO,
Loaf & Lump Sugar
At the Factory prices. October 15.

Childs & Shaw,
Have just received, a complete Assortment of **Fall & Winter Goods,** which they offer for sale on the most accommodating terms. October 8.

Land for Sale.

I will sell the plantation on which I now reside, containing about six hundred and sixty acres of valuable land, adapted to farming, in a healthy situation: There is the greatest plenty of wood, such as oak, chestnut, walnut and poplar; it is well watered; a plenty of meadow, and about four acres in clover. This land lies within two miles of Herring Creek Church, five miles from Hg Point, and about the same distance from Herring Bay. It will be divided to suit purchasers, if desired. For terms apply to the subscriber.

Samuel Harrison. tds.

Sept. 24, 1812.

Augustus Uz,

Respectfully informs the Citizens of Annapolis, that at the earnest solicitations of some of the most respectable inhabitants he has made arrangements, and is now enabled, to devote his leisure hours to their benefit and gratification, with his new and elegant mode of

Colouring and Ornamenting Walls, either in imitation of paper hangings, or otherwise. This so eminently useful invention is too generally known throughout the Union to need any further illustration. Directions, in writing, left at Mr. Jarvis's, on Hill Point, or at Mr. Isaac Parker's Tavern, (where a rough specimen of the work may be seen.) will be strictly attended to, and all necessary information respecting expenses and durability given. October 8.

EXCHANGE OF OLD SIX PER CENT AND DEFERRED STOCKS.

Pursuant to the act of Congress, entitled, "An act authorising a subscription for the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same," passed on the 6th day of July, 1812, books will be opened on the first day of October next, at the Treasury, and at the several loan offices, and will continue open till the 15th day of March next, for receiving subscriptions of the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, in the manner prescribed by the said act. New certificates, bearing interest from the first day of the quarter in which the subscription shall be made, at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarter-yearly, for the unredeemed amount of principal of the old six per cent. and deferred stocks which may be subscribed, will be issued at the Treasury or at the Loan Offices respectively where the old stock subscribed may at the time stand credited. The new stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the 31st day of December, 1824; but no reimbursement will be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of any proprietor, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.

Albert Gallatin.
Treasury Department, Sept. 10, 1812.

Anne-Arundel County Court, September Term, 1812.

On application to the judges of the said county court, by petition in writing of Samuel Hopkins, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November Session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied by competent testimony, that the said Samuel Hopkins has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland, and the said Samuel Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition, it is therefore adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Samuel Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, once a week for three successive months, before the third Monday of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said court, to be held at the City of Annapolis, on the 3rd day of April, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Samuel Hopkins then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

Test. Wm. S. Green, clk. tds.

October 1.

GIDEON WHITE,

Has received an Extensive Assortment of Goods, amongst which are, EXTRA SUPERFINE

American Broad Cloths,

From Shepherd & Co. Manufactory, Massachusetts, equal if not superior to any imported Cloths.

ALSO
London Superfine and Second Cloths, Casimeres, Bedford Cord, Fashionable Stockinet, Fashionable Vestings, &c. &c. All which he will sell low. November 5.

Livery Stables.

THE subscriber having his Stables in good order for the reception of Horses respectfully solicits the favors of the Public. The utmost attention will be paid to horses entrusted to his care.

NEHEMIAH HOLLAND.
N. B. He is likewise prepared to carry expresses to any part of the state at the shortest notice, with despatch. N. H.

By the Committee of Claims.

The Committee of Claims will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,
BENJAMIN GREY, CLK. November 5.

By the Committee of Grievances & Courts of Justice.

The Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,
LOUIS GASSAWAY, CLK. November 5.

Public Sale.

Will be sold on Tuesday the eighth day of December next, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the dwelling of James Moss on Hackett's Point,

3 Negro Men & a Woman,
The oldest of the men 23 years.—Terms of sale Cash. November 5.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Calvert County Court, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of said court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto.

RICHARD KENT. Nov. 3, 1812. Sw.

State of Maryland, sc.

On application, by petition, of Thomas Woodfield, administrator de bonis non of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered that he give the notice required by law, for the creditors to bring in their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

John Gassaway, Reg. Wills,
for A. A. County.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non on the personal estate of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the seventeenth day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 17th day of October, 1812.

Thomas Woodfield, Administrator
de bonis non.

60 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber living in South River Neck, on Monday the 2d inst a negro fellow who cal's himself Thomas Brown, about forty three years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high, has a bald place on the back part of his head; when spoken to has an impediment in his speech; and is much given to intoxication.—Had on when he made his escape, a kersey round about jacket and trousers, osanburg shirt, old hat and shoes.—This fellow was originally from Benedict, Charles county, and it is probable may have gone thither as he has some connexions in that neighborhood. If taken twenty miles from home twenty dollars will be given, if thirty miles, thirty dollars, if forty miles, forty dollars, and if out of the State the above reward, if secured in any goal so that I get him again. All persons so forwarded as catching said fellow, as the law will be enforced against all such offenders.

Joseph H. Brewer. A. A. County, Nov. 12.

Wanted,

TO HIRE OR PURCHASE,
A good plain Cook.—Apply at the Office of the Maryland Gazette. September 10.

George & John Barber,

At their Store on the Dock, have on hand, and offer for Sale, a General Assortment of Goods.

AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING:

French Brandy, Spirit, 1 each & Apple Brandy, W. I. and N. E. Rum, Gin, Cherry Bounce, 1st & 2d qual Whiskey, Old Sherry Wine, 1st qual. Cyder & Cyder Vinegar, Molasses, Best Alex. Roaf Sugar, 1st & 2d qual. Balt do. 1st 2d & 3d. Brown do. Chocolate, Coffee, Imperial, Hyson, Young Hyson, Hyson Skin, & Souchong. A few boxes of Raisins and Currants, Mace, Cloves, Nutmegs, Allspice, Cinnamon, Pepper, Ginger, Pearl Bailey, Rice, Mustard, Fig Blue, Starch, Alum, Salt Petre, Brimstone, Perfumed Soap & Wash Balls, Jarred ed qual. Spanish and Amer. Segars, First chop James River small twist, pig tail and smoking tobacco, Rappee & Scotch Snuff Mould & Dipped Candles, White & Brown Soap, Mess Pork, new & old Hams, Shoulders and Middlings, Salmon, Mackerel, Herrings and Cod Fish, Cheese, Butter, Lard, Sallad Oil, Basket Salt, Jamieson's Crackers, Pilot Bread, The above Articles are offered for sale on the most reasonable terms for cash, or to those who have been punctual on the usual credit. To persons who reside in the country they will barter for different kinds of grain, &c.

THE PACKETS FOR BALTIMORE Are now running regularly, and will continue to do so until the 25th December.—The utmost attention will be paid to the delivery of letters, but they will not be responsible for the loss of any.

N. B. The subscribers earnestly request those who have accounts of long standing to come forward and discharge the same, or pass their Notes for the amount. In order to accommodate such a small part of their accounts will be received and credit given for the same.

We forewarn all persons from trusting the hands with small bundles, as in case they should be lost we will not be answerable for the same.—All those who have claims against us are requested to bring them in for settlement.

Geo. & Jno. Barber. Annapolis, Nov. 5, 1812.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Baltimore county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of William Mollison, late of the city of London, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in legally authenticated, and those in any manner indebted to said estate to make payment to

James Jeffray, Admr. October 25.

Notice is hereby given,

That a petition will be presented to the Legislature, at their next session, for a law to open a road from some place near to Cragg's Ferry, to Mr. Dumfrey's mill, and from thence to the mountain road, where there are two branches, one of which leads to Mr. Waters's mill, and the other to the Annapolis road leading from Baltimore.

A. A. County, Oct. 29, 1812. 6w.

For Sale

A Negro Woman, aged 32, with four Children, three girls and a boy, the eldest daughter nine years of age, the second four, the boy's age seven. Enquire at the Gazette Office. October 29.

To the Voters

Of Anne-Arundel County and the City of Annapolis.

GENTLEMEN, Having become a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff at the next Electoral period, have thought proper to give this early notice of my intention to do so. On this occasion I earnestly solicit the support of my fellow-citizens: Should my efforts be crowned with success, it would be the object of my care to discharge the duties that would devolve on me with justice and humanity.

REZIN SPURRIER. Annapolis, October 8, 1812. 3w.

Wanted

TO HIRE, BY THE YEAR,

A NEGRO WOMAN, who understands House Work, for which a liberal price will be given. Inquire at this Office. Sept. 12.

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ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY

LEGISLATURE OF

HOUSE OF DEL

WEDNESDAY, NOV

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ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, NOV. 26, 1812.

LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 18, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill for the relief of John Tobin, the bill to change the names of Henry and Charlotte Cochran to that of Irvine, and the resolution in favor of Charles Richardson were sent to the senate.

Mr. Marriott delivers a petition from Thomas B. Dorsey, and others, praying for the repeal of an act passed last session authorizing the opening a road from Richard Owen's mill. Mr. Sanders a petition from John Norris of Harford county, and Bliths and Nathan Tyson, of the city of Baltimore, praying a supplement to the law for opening and extending Pratt-street. Read and referred.

The bill to repeal the supplement to an act to ascertain the allowance of members of the general assembly, &c. was, on motion of Mr. Bowles, postponed until the 25th day of December next—yeas 36, nays 27.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to make public a road from Hancock-town, in Washington county, to Cumberland, in Allegany county.

The clerk of the senate delivers a bill annulling the marriage of Jerome Buonaparte King of Westphalia, and Elizabeth Buonaparte, of the city of Baltimore, endorsed, "will pass." Also a letter from the Governor, enclosing the Legislature of the receipt of their joint letter, and that he will repair to Annapolis as early as practicable. Severally read.

Mr. Perry delivers a petition from Thomas Grimes, of Allegany county, praying a divorce. Mr. Francis Hall a petition from John Mitchell, sen. of P. G. county, praying a support by said county. Read and referred.

The resolutions in favor of Rezin Simpson, Thomas Cahoe, John Williams, John Alvey and Anthony Davis, were severally read and assented to.

Mr. Belt delivers a report and resolution in favour of Ingram Cann. Read.

Mr. Quinton delivers a report and resolution in favor of Moses Green; also a report and resolution in favour of John Fallis, sen. Severally read.

According to the order of the day, the House proceeded to the second reading of the preamble and order relative to the mobs and riots in Baltimore; and on motion by Mr. Donaldson, the question was put, that the words of the said preamble and order from the first word "Whereas," to the end thereof, be stricken out, and that the following be inserted in their stead: "It is the solemn duty of every government to maintain inviolate the majesty of the laws, whether set at defiance by riotous assemblages and excesses of evil minded men, or by associations of armed citizens combined for mutual support: And whereas, when such influences of the violation of law, and of the disturbance of the public peace and safety unfortunately occur, it is the duty of the House of Delegates, with temper and impartiality, to investigate the same, and the causes leading thereto, in order legislatively to provide the suitable remedy for such evils; Therefore, Ordered, That the committee of grievances and courts of justice be and they are hereby instructed to inquire into the late unhappy disturbances in the city of Baltimore, and the cause which produced those disturbances, with a view to ascertain whether any and what legislative remedy may be necessary to prevent a recurrence of similar mischiefs, and that they report by bill or otherwise."

The yeas and nays being required appeared as follows: AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. C. Hall, Marriott, Belt, William Hall, Z. Duval, Stansbury, Harryman, Warner, Randall, Claude, L. Duval, Wright, Emory, Stevens, Burgess, Sanders, Forwood, J. C. Donaldson, Sprigg, Bowles, Wm. Williams, Sprigg.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Canfield, Boyer, Tanny, Turner, Emerson, Stonestreet, Barnham, Ford, Hambleton, Caldwell, Banning, Seth, Bayly, Long, A. E. Jones, Waller, John Stewart, Lecompte, Griffith, Evans, Lufby, Hogg, F. H. Somers.

On motion by Lecompte, the words "and the cause thereof," were inserted in the order after the word Baltimore.

The question was then put, That the said order be adopted? Resolved in the affirmative—yeas 35, nays 11.

The bill making an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Claude delivers a petition from Thomas S. Brewer, of the city of Annapolis, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Read.

On motion by Mr. Clapier, That the said petition be referred to a committee? Determined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to prevent the erection of booths within two miles of any methodist camp or quarterly meeting in Frederick county, endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Grahame delivers a bill to appoint commissioners to review and locate a road from the old glass works, called New Bremen, in Frederick county. Mr. Randall a supplement to the act to confirm a road in Harford and Baltimore counties. Read.

On motion by Mr. Arnold Jones, Ordered, That John Shaw, of the City of Annapolis, be requested to make out a list of furniture of every description belonging to the government-house, and the condition thereof, and report the same to the committee appointed by this house to examine the state of said property, and that the committee of claims allow him a reasonable compensation for his services.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

THURSDAY, NOV. 19.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Emory from the committee delivers a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act to facilitate the draining of land in the several counties therein mentioned. Read.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill for the relief of Aquila Beall, of Prince-George's county, were read the second time, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Warner delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of the eastern precincts of Baltimore, praying for the opening of Ailguth-street to Pitt-street. Mr. F. Hall a petition from Henry W. Magruder, of Prince-George's county, praying a special act of insolvency. Read and referred.

The bill for the relief of Simeon Churchhill, of the city of Baltimore, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill for extending Green-street, in the city of Baltimore. Read.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from Thomas Colston, of Dorchester county, praying that a law may pass to confirm his title to certain lands therein mentioned. Read and referred.

The bill supplementary to the act granting a loan of money to the trustees of Charlotte Hall School, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill making an uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland line in the revolutionary war, the resolutions in favor of Thomas Cahoe, Jesse Thompson, Rezin Simpson, John Williams, John Alvey and Anthony Davis, were sent to the senate.

Mr. Crabb moved for leave to withdraw himself from the committee of grievances and courts of justice. Granted. The house proceeded to ballot for a member to supply his place; the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, on examination it appeared that Mr. Lecompte was elected.

On motion by Mr. Stonestreet, Ordered, That the bill to repeal all such parts of the acts of assembly of this state as require the payment of 25 shillings for a marriage license, be made the order of the day for Tuesday the 24th inst.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Dorchester county, praying that the county courts may be invested with unlimited chancery jurisdiction. Read.

The resolution directing William Marbury, late agent for the state, to transfer to Benjamin Harwood, trustee, all the old six per cent, and deferred and three per cent, stocks now standing in his name belonging to the state; and the resolution authorizing Benjamin Harwood, trustee and treasurer, to subscribe, in the manner prescribed by the late act of congress, for the whole amount of the old six per cent, and deferred stocks belonging to the state, and receive new certificates for the same, were severally read the second time and assented to.

The house according to order, proceeded to the second reading of the bill for the valuation of real and personal property, and after making some progress in reading the same, it was postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. Hogg delivers a bill to change the place of holding the election in the third election district in Cecil county and for other purposes. Read.

Mr. Delaplane delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Westminster in Frederick county, praying that certain persons may be incorporated as trustees of a church therein mentioned. Read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Potter, the house proceeded to the second reading of the preamble and resolutions for cloathing the militia stationed at Annapolis.

On motion by Mr. L. Duval, the question was put, that the words "by the general government" be stricken out. The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:—

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Belt, Wm. Hall, Z. Duval, Stansbury, Harryman, Warner, Randall, Claude, L. Duval, Wright, Emory, Stevens, Burgess, Sanders, Forwood of Jacob, Donaldson, Barney, Bowles, Sprigg.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Canfield, Boyer, C. Hall, Marriott, Reynolds, Turner, Barnham, Ford, Hambleton, Caldwell, Banning, Seth, Bayly, Long, A. E. Jones, Waller, John Stewart, Lecompte, Griffith, Evans, Lufby, Hogg, Somervell, Callis, T. N. Williams, Handy, Quinton, Grahame, Potter, Delaplane, Potter, Young, Hughlett, McDonald, Wm. Williams, Wm. Jones, Riggs, Perry, McCulloch, Robinson, Cresap.

So it was determined in the negative. On motion by Mr. Long, the question was put, That the words "as they should have been," be added to the preamble? Determined in the negative.

On motion, the first resolution was amended by inserting the word "now" after the word militia, and striking out the words from "Annapolis" to "sufficient."

On motion, the question was put, That the blank in the second resolution be filled up with "five thousand?" Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the house assent to the preamble and resolutions as amended? and unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

The Speaker laid before the house the report of the Examiner General, relative to his fees for the last year, which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

FRIDAY, NOV. 20, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county and city, praying for the erection of a wall around the pool of said county. Referred.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill authorizing Charles L. Snyder to remove his negroes into this state, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution in favor of John Chance and John Watkins, was read the second time and assented to.

Ordered, That the committee of claims allow Arnold E. Jones, esq. a delegate in the general assembly for Somerset county at June session, 1812, for his attendance, one day's per diem, and the customary itinerant charges and ferriages.

Ordered, That the committee of claims place John Seth, esq. a delegate from Talbot county, on the diary, from the commencement of the session.

Mr. Potter delivers a bill for the benefit of Airy, Joshua, Elijah and Shelby Jump, of Caroline county. Mr. Bowles a bill to make public a road from Hancock to Cumberland. Mr. Perry a bill annulling the marriage of Thomas Grimes and Sarah Grimes. Read.

Mr. Barney delivers a memorial from the commissioners and assessors appointed under the act for opening and extending Pratt-street, and the petition of James Calhoun. Referred.

Mr. Francis Hall delivers a bill for the relief of John Mitchell, sen. and Richard Dove. Twice read and passed.

The bill to appoint commissioners to review and locate a road from New Bremen to New Market, in Frederick county, was read the second time and passed.

The house according to order, proceeded to the second reading of the bill for the valuation of real & personal property in this state, and after amending by reading the bill throughout the further consideration thereof was postponed until to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Donaldson, Ordered, That the committee on the leave to bring in a bill concerning insolvent debtors, be discharged from the consideration thereof.

On motion by Mr. Donaldson, Leave given to bring in a further additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

Mr. Marriott delivers a petition from Thomas B. Dorsey and John S. Dorsey, of A. A. county, praying that the state may relate to them its title in certain lands therein mentioned. Referred.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a further additional supplement to the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors. Read.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

SATURDAY, NOV. 21.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion by Mr. Bayly, Ordered, That the following be entered on the journal of this house.

In consequence of an entry on the journal of the senate, that a letter addressed to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, by the governor elect, has been broken open by some person, and the speaker having communicated to this house that he had opened the said letter, the house of delegates would in this public manner express their opinion, that the speaker acted correctly in opening said letter, and had the same right so to do, as the president of the senate.

Mr. Randall delivers a petition from Wm. Smith, of the city of Baltimore. Read and referred.

Mr. Crabb delivers a petition from Leonard Watkins, of Montgomery county, a revolutionary soldier. Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Randall delivers a memorial from Godlieb Hartman of Virginia, praying that the state may redeem certain paper money in his possession, issued at different times from 1767 to 1774, notwithstanding the limitation heretofore made to such claims. Read and referred.

The bill to change the place of holding the election in the third election district in Cecil county, and for other purposes, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Stansbury delivers a memorial from James Bosley and others, counter to the petition of Philip German, junior, an insolvent debtor. Read and referred.

Mr. Sanders delivers a petition from Thomas M. Forman of Cecil county, praying that a law may pass to confirm his title to certain lands therein mentioned. Read and referred.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a bill for the benefit of Thomas Colston of Dorchester county. Read.

Mr. Stevens a bill annulling the marriage of Robert Offley, and Sarah his wife of Queen-Anne's county. Read.

Adjourned till Monday.

SUNDAY, NOV. 23, 1812.

The house met. Present as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

Mr. Lewis appeared in the house. The bill to change the place of holding the election in the third election district of Cecil county. The bill for the relief of John Mitchell, sen. and Richard Dove, of Prince-George's county. The bill to appoint commissioners to review the road from New Bremen to New Market, in Frederick county. The resolutions relative to the stock of this state. The resolution for cloathing the militia, and the resolutions in favour of John Chance and John Watkins, were sent to the senate.

Mr. Lewis delivers a petition from Benjamin Yoe and Mary his wife, of Washington county, praying that a law may pass authorizing them to sell certain lands belonging to the heirs of Thomas Helca. Read and referred.

The further supplement to the act to facilitate the draining of land in the several counties therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Stansbury, leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to authorize the levy court of Baltimore county, to assess and levy on the assessable property of said county, a sum of money to build a bridge over the Great Falls of Gunpowder.

The clerk of the senate delivers a report from the president and visitors of the Frederick-Town Academy, which was read; and the bill for the relief of John Tobin, of the City of Baltimore, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

The bill for the benefit of Airy, Joshua, Elijah and Shelby Jump, of Caroline county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Sanders delivers a bill to make valid a deed from Thomas W. Cault to Lambert Vesey for a tract of land called Wheelers Point, lying in Cecil county, and to confirm

John Barber, Dock, have on hand, a General of Goods.

Superfine & Fine Flour, Indian Meal, Corn, etc. Sale, Castor Oil, Linseed Oil.

Spermace & Fish Oil, Spirits Turpentine, White & Red Lead.

Yellow Ochre, Venetian Red, Spanish Brown, Verdigrise, Vermilion, Rose Pink, Patent Yellow, Spanish Whiting, Lampblack, Umber.

Vitriol, Litters, Tr. Plough Traces, leading Lines & Best Cord, Hearth, Scraps, Sweeping, Horse, Shoe and Paint Brushes.

Bellows, Brandywine Fine and Coarse Gunpowder, Baltimore do. do. do. Shot assorted, New-England Shoes & Slippers.

Window Glass 8 by 12 and 10 by 12, A few imported Ebony Baskets, Velvet Coats, Combs, Penknives, Snuff Boxes.

A quantity of Beans & Peas, Also a General Assortment of Crockery & Glass, Stone & Earthen Ware.

And a few articles in the Dry Good Line, An assortment of Castings, such as Pots, Ovens, Spiders, Skillets, Balers & Andirons.

are offered for sale on for cash, or to those on the usual credit. To country they will have in, &c.

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Baltimore county, hath court of Anne-Arundell Maryland; letters of adm-al estate of William of London, deceased, against said estate are legally authenticated, debited to said estate to

Jeffrey, Adm'r.

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Work, for which given. Inquire at

Valuable Lands for Sale.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, (on the premises of the late Doctor John Gassaway, of Rhode River, in Anne-Arundel county) on the fourth Monday in December next, on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest on the purchase money from the day of sale, **THAT MOST VALUABLE FARM** On which the Doctor resided, containing about four hundred and ninety-three acres; the situation is high and healthy, and commands a beautiful prospect of the Chesapeake Bay. The improvements on the said farm are, a comfortable Dwelling House, Quarter, Tobacco Houses and Barn. Also, on the same day, will be sold, his Lower Farm, distant about two miles from the place he resided, called Cotter's Desire, containing about two hundred and forty-one acres. Both farms are well wooded, and convenient to the water, and a bounds in wild fowl, fish and oysters. It is unnecessary to go into a detail of the value of the above property, as those who are inclined to purchase will take a view of the premises previous to the day of sale. The lands will be shown by Mr. Thomas & Mr. Carnes, who are now living on the property. The sale will commence at 11 o'clock on said day, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter.

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Alexander Stuart.
Sarah C. White.
tds.

November 12.

Public Sale.

Pursuant to the testament and last will of Helen Weedon, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, the subscribers will expose to public sale, on Monday the 14th day of December next, if fair, if not, on the next fair day thereafter,

ALL THE FARM OR PLANTATION On which the said Helen Weedon lately resided, containing about ninety-seven acres of land. Also all the residue of the personal estate of the said deceased, not heretofore disposed of, consisting of Negroes, Horses, Cows, Corn, and Fodder, and sundry utensils of Husbandry, and articles of household and kitchen furniture. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock on the premises, when attendance will be given, and the terms made known, by

Horatio Ridout, & Executors.
Henry Duvall, & Executors.
tds.

November 12.

The Subscribers

Being informed that it has been circulated in this city that they were not willing to receive on freight, Bricks, Stone, Coal, or any other articles of a similar nature; they therefore declare, that such a report is without foundation, and that they will carry any article offered on freight, either to or from Baltimore, at the usual prices.

To those who give their more valuable business to Cash, not being in the Packet line, they would observe, that if they continue the practice, their letters and small commissions will not be attended to. To those who continue their business to them they assure a ready and punctual attention, and every reasonable exertion to please.

To their punctual customers they return their sincere thanks, with an assurance that their future exertions shall be equal to their former to render general satisfaction to those who employ them.

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Geo. & Jno. Barber.

November 12.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY ROBERT BOWIE, ESQUIRE GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND. A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of Maryland did by an act passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, entitled, "An act to reduce into one the several acts of Assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections," directed that the governor and council after having received the returns of elections of the members to represent the state in the Congress of the U. S. should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes given for each and every person voted for as a member for Congress aforesaid respectively, and shall thereupon declare, by proclamation, signed by the Governor, the name of the person or persons duly elected in each respective district. We in pursuance of the directions of the said act, do by this our proclamation, declare that by the returns made to us, it appears that Philip Stewart, Esq. was elected for the first district; Joseph Kent, Esq. was elected for the second district; Alexander Contee Hanson, Esq. was elected for the third district; Samuel Ringgold, Esq. was elected for the fourth district; Alexander McKim, and Nicholas Ruxton Moore, Esqs. were elected for the fifth district; Stevenson Archer, Esq. was elected for the sixth district; Robert Wright, Esq. was elected for the seventh district, and Charles Goldsborough, Esq. was elected for the eighth district.

Given in Council, at the city of Annapolis, under the great seal of the State of Maryland, this twenty third day of October, 1812, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the thirty-seventh.

Robert Bowie.

By the Governor, Ninian Pinkney, Clerk of the Council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation be published twice in each week, for the space of four weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Maryland Republican, of Annapolis; in the Whig, Sun, American and Federal Gazette, of Baltimore, in the National Intelligencer, at Washington; in the Maryland Herald, at Frederick-Town; in the Star at Exton.

By Order, 2 Ninian Pinkney, Clerk of the Council.

November 12.

NOTICE.

I will Rent, or Sell, my FARM, near South River Church. For terms apply to Nicholas Brewer, of the City of Annapolis.

FRANCES FATES.

November 12.

B. CURRAN,

Has received a good supply of Cloths, Coatings, Casimeres, Flannels, Blankets, Stuffs, Irish Linens, and various other Articles in the

Dry Good Line,

which he will sell low for Cash, and as usual to his Punctual Customers.

October 8.

Seasonable Goods.

H. G. MUNROE

Has just received, a general assortment of **Dry Goods & Groceries,** Ironmongery and Stationary, which will be disposed of on accommodating terms.

ALSO,

Loaf & Lump Sugar

At the Factory prices.

October 15.

Childs & Shaw,

Have just received, a complete Assortment of

Fall & Winter Goods,

which they offer for sale on the most accommodating terms.

October 8.

Land for Sale.

I will sell the plantation on which I now reside, containing about six hundred and sixty acres of valuable land, adapted to farming, in a healthy situation: There is the greatest plenty of wood, such as oak, chestnut, walnut and poplar; it is well watered; a plenty of meadow, and about four acres in clover. This land lies within two miles of Herring Creek Church, five miles from Pig Point, and about the same distance from Herring Bay. It will be divided to suit purchasers, if desired. For terms apply to the subscriber.

Sept. 24, 1812.

Samuel Harrison.

Augustus Uz,

Respectfully informs the Citizens of Annapolis, that at the earnest solicitations of some of the most respectable inhabitants he has made arrangements, and is now enabled, to devote his leisure hours to their benefit and gratification, with his new and elegant mode of

Colouring and Ornamenting Walls, either in imitation of paper hangings, or otherwise. This so eminently useful invention is too generally known throughout the Union to need any further illustration. Directions, in writing, left at Mr. Jarvis's, on Hill Point, or at Mr. Isaac Parker's Tavern, (where a rough specimen of the work may be seen,) will be strictly attended to, and all necessary information respecting expenses and durability given.

October 8.

EXCHANGE OF OLD SIX PER CENT AND DEFERRED STOCKS.

Pursuant to the act of Congress, entitled, "An act authorising a subscription for the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same," passed on the 6th day of July, 1812, books will be opened on the first day of October next, at the Treasury, and at the several loan offices, and will continue open till the 17th day of March next, for receiving subscriptions of the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, in the manner prescribed by the said act. New certificates, bearing interest from the first day of the quarter in which the subscription shall be made, at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly-yearly, for the unredeemed amount of principal of the old six per cent. and deferred stocks which may be subscribed, will be issued at the Treasury or at the Loan Offices respectively where the old stock subscribed may at the time stand credited. The new stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the 31st day of December, 1824; but no reimbursement will be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of any proprietor, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.

Albert Gallatin.

Treasury Department, Sept. 10, 1812.

Anne-Arundel County Court, September Term, 1812.

On application to the judges of the said county court, by petition in writing of Samuel Hopkins, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November Session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied by competent testimony, that the said Samuel Hopkins has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland, and the said Samuel Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition, it is therefore adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Samuel Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, once a week for three successive months, before the third Monday of April next, as directed by the said act, to be held at the City of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday of April, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Samuel Hopkins then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

Test.

Wm. S. Green, clk.

October 1.

GIDEON WHITE,

Has received an Extensive Assortment of Goods, amongst which are,

EXTRA SUPERFINE

American Broad Cloths,

From Shepherd & Co. Manufactory, Massachusetts, equal if not superior to any imported Cloths.

ALSO

London Superfine and Second Cloths, Casimeres, Bedford Cord, Fashionable Stockinet, Fashionable Vestings, &c. &c. All which he will sell low:

November 5.

Livery Stables.

THE subscriber having his Stables in good order for the reception of Horses respectfully solicits the favors of the Public. The utmost attention will be paid to horses entrusted to his care.

NEHEMIAH HOLLAND.

N. B. He is likewise prepared to carry expresses to any part of the state at the shortest notice, with despatch.

N. H.

By the Committee of Claims.

The Committee of Claims will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,

BENJAMIN GREY, CLK.

November 5.

By the Committee of Grievances & Courts of Justice.

The Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,

LOUIS GASSAWAY, CLK.

November 5.

Public Sale.

Will be sold on Tuesday the eighth day of December next, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the dwelling of James Moss on Hackett's Point,

3 Negro Men & a Woman,

The oldest of the men 23 years.—Terms of sale Cash.

November 5.

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NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Calvert County Court, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of said court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto.

RICHARD KENT.

Nov. 3, 1812.

State of Maryland, sc.

On application, by petition, of Thomas Woodfield, administrator de bonis non of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered that he give the notice required by law, for the creditors to bring in their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

John Gassaway, Reg. Wills, for A. A. County.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non on the personal estate of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the seventeenth day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 27th day of October, 1812.

Thomas Woodfield, Administrator de bonis non.

60 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber living in South River Neck, on Monday the 2d inst a negro fellow who cal's himself Thomas Brown, about forty three years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high, has a bald place on the back part of his head; and is much given to intoxication—Had on when he made his escape, a kersey round about jacket and trousers, osanaburg shirt, old hat and shoes.—This fellow was originally from Benedict, Charles county, and it is probable may have gone thither as he has some connexions in that neighborhood. If taken twenty miles from home twenty dollars will be given, if thirty miles, thirty dollars, if forty miles, forty dollars, and if out of the State the above reward, if secured in any goal so that I get him again. All persons are forbidden harbouring said fellow, as the law will be enforced against such offenders.

Joseph N. Brewer.

A. A. County, Nov. 12.

Wanted,

TO HIRE OR PURCHASE, A good plain Cook—Apply at the Office of the Maryland Gazette.

September 10.

td.

George & John Barber,

At their Store on the Dock have on hand, and offer for Sale, a General Assortment of Goods.

AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING ASSORTMENT:

French Brandy, Spirit, Peach & Apple Brandy, W. I. and N. E. Rum, Gin, Cherry Bounce, 1st & 2d qual Whiskey, Old Sherry Wine, 1st qual. Cyder & Cyder Vinegar, Molasses, Best Alex. Roaf Sugar, 1st & 2d qual. Bait do. 1st 2d & 3d. Brown do. Chocolate, Coffee, Imperial, Hyson, Young Hyson, Hyson Skin, & Souchong, A few boxes of Raisins and Currants, Mace, Cloves, Nutmegs, Alspice, Cinnamon, Pepper, Ginger, Pearl Barley, Rice, Mustard, Fig Blue, Starch, Allum, Salt Pe. tre, Brimstone, Perfumed Soap & Wash Balls, 1st and 2d qual. Spanish and Amer. Segars, First chop James River small twist, pig tail and smoking tobacco, Rappee & Scotch Snuff Moulded & Dipped Candles, White & Brown Soap, Mess Pork, new & old Hams, Shoulders and Middlings, Salmon, Mackarel, Herrings and Cod Fish, Cheese, Butter, Lard, Sallad Oil, Basket Salt, Jamieson's Crackers, Pilot Bread,

Superfine & Fine Flour, Indian Meal, Cornmeal, Salt, Caster, the refined Oil, Spermaceti & Fish Oil, Spirits Turpentine, White & Red Lead, Yellow Ochre, Venetian Red, Spanish Brown, Vermilion, Rose Pink, Patent Yellow, Spanish Whiting, Lampblack, Umber, Vitriol, Liffarge, Terp. Plough Traces, leading Lines & Bel. Cord, Hearth, Scrub, Sweep. ing, Horse, Shoe and Paint Brushes, Belkows, Brandywine Fire and Coarse Gunpowder, Baltimore do. do. do. Shot assorted, New-England Shoes & Slippers, Window Glass 8 by 10 and 10 by 12, A few imported Emery Baskets, Velvet Coats, Combs, Penknives, Snuff Boxes, A quantity of Bones & Pins, Also a General Assortment of Crockery & Glass, Stone & Earthen Ware, And a few articles in the Dry Good Line, An assortment of Canning, such as Pot, Ovens, Spiders, Skillets, Bakers & Andirons.

All the above Articles are offered for sale on the most reasonable terms for cash, or to those who have been punctual on the usual credit. To persons who reside in the country they will have for different kinds of grain, &c.

THE PACKETS FOR BALTIMORE.

Are now running regularly, and will continue to do so until the 25th December.—The utmost attention will be paid to the delivery of letters, but they will not be responsible for the loss of any.

N. B. The subscribers earnestly request all those who have accounts of long standing to come forward and discharge the same, or pass their Notes for the amount. In order to accommodate such a small part of their accounts will be received and credit given for the same.

We forewarn all persons from trusting the hands with small bundles, as in case they should be lost we will not be answerable for the same.—All those who have claims against us are requested to bring them in for settlement.

Geo. & Jno. Barber.

Annapolis, Nov. 5, 1812.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Baltimore county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland; letters of administration on the personal estate of William Mollison, late of the city of London, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in legally authenticated, and those in any manner indebted to said estate to make payment to

James Jeffray, Admr.

October 29.

Notice is hereby given,

That a petition will be presented to the Legislature, at their next session, for a law to open a road from some place near to Cragg's Ferry, to Mr. Dumfrey's mill, and from thence to the mountain road, where there are two branches, one of which leads to Mr. Waters' mill, and the other to the Annapolis road leading from Baltimore.

A. A. County, Oct. 29, 1812. 6w.

For Sale

A Negro Woman, aged 32, with four Children, three girls and a boy, the eldest daughter nine years of age, the second four, the boy's age seven. Enquire at the Gazette Office.

October 29.

To the Voters

Of Anne-Arundel County and the City of Annapolis.

GENTLEMEN, Having become a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff at the next Electoral period, have thought proper to give this early notice of my intention to do so.

On this occasion I earnestly solicit the support of my fellow-citizens: Should my efforts be crowned with success, it would be the object of my care to discharge the duties that would devolve on me with justice and humanity.

Annapolis, October 8, 1812. 3w.

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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill for the relief of John Tobin, the

bill to change the names of Henry and Char-

lotte Cochrane to that of Irvine, and the re-

solution in favor of Charles Richardson were

sent to the senate.

Mr. Marriott delivers a petition from

Thomas B. Dorsey, and others, praying for

the repeal of an act passed last session author-

izing the opening of a road from Richard Owen's

mill. Mr. Sanders a petition from John Nor-

ris of Harford county, and Eliza and Na-

than Tyson, of the city of Baltimore, pray-

ing a supplement to the law for opening and

extending Pratt-street. Read and referred.

The bill to repeal the supplement to an act

to ascertain the allowance of members of the

general assembly, &c. was, on motion of Mr.

Bowles, postponed until the 24th day of De-

cember next—yeas 36, nays 27.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to

bring in a bill, entitled, An act to make

public a road from Hancock-town, in Wash-

ington county, to Cumberland, in Allegany

county.

The clerk of the senate delivers a bill

annulling the marriage of Jerome Buonaparte

King of Westphalia, and Elizabeth Buonaparte

will of the city of Baltimore, endorsed,

"will pass." Also a letter from the Govern-

or enclosing the Legislature of the re-

ceipt of their joint letter, and that he will

repair to Annapolis as early as practicable.

Severally read.

Mr. Perry delivers a petition from Thomas

Grimes, of Allegany county, praying a di-

vor. Mr. Francis Hall a petition from

John Mitchell, sen. of P. G. county, praying

a support by said county. Read and refer-

red.

The resolutions in favor of Rezin Simpson,

Thomas Cahoe, John Williams, Josias Al-

vey and Anthony Davis, were severally read

and assented to.

Mr. Belt delivers a report and resolution

in favour of Ingram Cann. Read.

Mr. Quinton delivers a report and resolu-

tion in favor of Master Green; also a report

and resolution in favour of John Folitt,

sen. Severally read.

According to the order of the day, the

House proceeded to the second reading of the

preamble and order relative to the mobs and

riots in Baltimore; and on motion by Mr.

Donaldson, the question was put, that the

words of the said preamble and order from the

first word "Whereas," to the end thereof, be

stricken out, and that the following be in-

serted in their stead? "It is the solemn duty

of every government to maintain inviolate the

majesty of the laws, whether let at defiance

by riotous assemblages and excesses of evil

minded men, or by associations of armed citi-

zens combined for mutual support: And

whereas, when such instances of the violati-

on of law, and of the disturbance of the pub-

lic peace and safety unfortunately occur, it is

the duty of the House of Delegates, with

temper and impartiality, to investigate the

same, and the causes leading thereto; in or-

der legislatively to provide the suitable reme-

dy for such evils; Therefore, Ordered, That

the committee of grievances and courts of

justice be and they are hereby instructed to

inquire into the late unhappy disturbances in

the city of Baltimore, and the cause which

produced those disturbances, with a view to

ascertain whether any and what legislative re-

medy may be necessary to prevent a recurrence

of similar mischiefs, and that they report

by bill or otherwise.

The yeas and nays being required appeared

as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. C. Hall, Marriott, Belt, William

Hall, Z. Duval, Stansbury, Harryman,

Warner, Randall, Claude, L. Duval, Wright,

Emory, Stevens, Burgess, Sanders, Forwood,

Mr. J. Donaldson, Perry, Bowles, Wm.

Williams, &c.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Can-

lino, Boyer, C. Hall, Marriott, Reynolds,

Turner, Parnham, Ford, Hambleton, Cald-

well, Banning, Serb, Bayly, Long, A. E.

Jones, Waller, John Stewart, Lecompte,

Griffith, Evans, Lufby, Hogg, Somervell,

Callis, T. N. Williams, Handy, Quinton,

Graham, Potts, Delaplane, Potter, Young,

Hughlett, McDonald, Wm. Jones, Wm.

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Graham, Potts, Delaplane, Potter,

Young, Hughlett, McDonald, Wm. Jones,

Crabb, Riggs, Perry, McCulloch, Robinett,

Crefap. 45.

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Lecompte, the words

"and the cause thereof," were inserted in

the order after the word Baltimore.

The question was then put, That the said

order be adopted? Resolved in the affirma-

tive—yeas 55, nays 11.

The bill making an uniform provision for

the surviving officers and soldiers of the late

Maryland line in the revolutionary war, was

read the second time and passed.

Mr. Claude delivers a petition from Thom-

as S. Brewer, of the city of Annapolis, a

revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Read.

On motion by Mr. Claude, That the said

petition be referred to a committee? Deter-

mined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill

to prevent the erection of booths within two

miles of any Methodist camp or quarterly

meeting in Frederick county, endorsed "will

pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Grahame delivers a bill to appoint

commissioners to review and locate a road from

the old glass works, called New Bremen, in

Frederick county. Mr. Randall a supple-

ment to the act to confirm a road in Harford

and Baltimore counties. Read.

On motion by Mr. Arnold Jones, Ordered,

That John Shaw, of the City of Annapolis,

be requested to make out a list of furniture

of every description belonging to the govern-

ment-house, and the condition thereof, and

report the same to the committee appointed

by this house to examine the state of said pro-

perty, and that the committee of claims al-

low him a reasonable compensation for his

services.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

THURSDAY, NOV. 19.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Emory from the committee delivers

a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the

act, entitled, An act to facilitate the drain-

ing of land in the several counties therein

mentioned. Read.

The amendments proposed by the senate to

the bill for the relief of Aquila Beall, of Prince-

George's county, were read the second time,

assented to, and the bill ordered to be en-

grossed.

Mr. Warner delivers a petition from fun-

dry inhabitants of the eastern precincts of

Baltimore, praying for the opening of Alf-

quith-street to Pitt-street. Mr. F. Hall a

petition from Henry W. Magruder, of

Prince-George's county, praying a special act

of insolvency. Read and referred.

The bill for the relief of Simeon Church-

hill, of the city of Baltimore, was read the

second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill for extending

Green-street, in the city of Baltimore. Read.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from

Thomas Colston, of Dorchester county, pray-

ing that a law may pass to confirm his title

to certain lands therein mentioned. Read

and referred.

The bill supplementary to the act granting

a loan of money to the trustees of Charlotte

Hall School, was read the second time, passed,

and sent to the senate.

The bill making an uniform provision for

the surviving officers and soldiers of the late

Maryland line in the revolutionary war, the

resolutions in favour of Thomas Cahoe, Jesse

Thompson, Rezin Simpson, John Williams,

Josias Alvey and Anthony Davis, were sent

to the senate.

Mr. Crabb moved for leave to withdraw

himself from the committee of grievances

and courts of justice. Granted. The house

proceeded to ballot for a member to supply

his place; the ballots being deposited in the

ballot box, on examination it appeared that

Mr. Lecompte was elected.

On motion by Mr. Stonellatt, Ordered,

That the bill to repeal all such parts of the

acts of assembly of this state as require the

payment of 25 shillings for a marriage li-

cence, be made the order of the day for Tues-

day the 24th inst.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from fun-

dry inhabitants of Dorchester county, pray-

ing that the county courts may be invested

with unlimited chancery jurisdiction. Read.

The resolution directing William Marbury,

late agent for the state, to transfer to Benja-

min Harwood, trustee, all the old six per cent,

and deferred three per cent. stocks now

standing in his name belonging to the state,

and the resolution authorizing Benjamin Har-

wood, trustee and treasurer, to distribute in

the manner prescribed by the late act of con-

gress, for the whole amount of the old six per

cent, and deferred stocks belonging to the

state, and receive new certificates for the

same, were severally read the second time and

assented to.

The house according to order, proceeded to

the second reading of the bill for the valua-

tion of real and personal property, and after

making some progress in reading the same, it

was postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. Hogg delivers a bill to change the

place of holding the election in the third

election district in Cecil county and for other

purposes. Read.

Mr. Delaplane delivers a petition from fun-

dry inhabitants of Westminster in Frederick

county, praying that certain persons may be

incorporated as trustees of a church therein

mentioned. Read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Potts, the house proceed-

ed to the second reading of the preamble

and resolutions for cloathing the militia sta-

tioned at Annapolis.

On motion by Mr. L. Duval, the question

was put, that the words "by the general gov-

ernment" be stricken out. The yeas and

nays being required, appeared as follow:—

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Belt, Wm. Hall, Z. Duval, Stan-

bury, Harryman, Warner, Randall, Claude,

L. Duval, Wright, Emory, Stevens, Burgess,

Sanders, Forwood, Jacob, Donaldson, Bar-

ney, Bowles, Sprigg. 19.

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Callis, T. N. Williams, Handy, Quinton,

Graham, Potts, Delaplane, Potter, Young,

Hughlett, McDonald, Wm. Williams, Wm.

Jones, Riggs, Perry, McCulloch, Robinett,

Crefap. 44.

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Long, the question was

put, That the words "as they should have

been," be added to the preamble? Deter-

mined in the negative.

On motion, the first resolution was amended

by inserting the word "now" after the word

militia, and striking out the words from "An-

napolis" to "sufficient."

On motion, the question was put, That the

blank in the second resolution be filled up

with "five thousand?" Resolved in the affir-

mative.

The question was then put, That the house

assent to the preamble and resolutions as

amended? and unanimously resolved in the

affirmative.

The Speaker laid before the house the re-

port of the Examiner General, relative to his

fees for the last year, which was read and

ordered to lie on the table.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

FRIDAY, NOV. 20, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from

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Valuable Lands for Sale.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, (on the premises of the late Doctor John Gassaway, of Rhode River, in Anne-Arundel county) on the fourth Monday in December next, on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest on the purchase money from the day of sale, **THAT MOST VALUABLE FARM** On which the Doctor resided, containing about four hundred and ninety-three acres; the situation is high and healthy, and commands a beautiful prospect of the Chesapeake Bay. The improvements on the said farm are, a comfortable Dwelling House, Quarter, Tobacco Houses and Barn. Also, on the same day, will be sold, his Lower Farm, distant about two miles from the place he resided, called Gutter's Desire, containing about two hundred and forty-one acres. Both farms are well wooded, and convenient to the water, and a bounds in wild fowl, fish and oysters. It is unnecessary to go into a detail of the value of the above property, as those who are inclined to purchase will take a view of the premises previous to the day of sale. The lands will be shewn by Mr. Thomas & Mr. Carnes, who are now living on the property. The sale will commence at 11 o'clock on said day, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter.

2 Alexander Stuart,
Sarah C. White, tds.

November 12.

Public Sale.

Pursuant to the testament and last will of Helen Weedon, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, the subscribers will expose to public sale, on Monday the 14th day of December next, if fair, if not, on the next fair day thereafter, **ALL THE FARM OR PLANTATION** On which the said Helen Weedon lately resided, containing about ninety-seven acres of land. Also all the residue of the personal estate of the said deceased, not heretofore disposed of, consisting of Negroes, Horses, Cows, Corn, and Fodder, and sundry utensils of Husbandry, and articles of household and kitchen furniture. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock on the premises, when attendance will be given, and the terms made known by

2 Horatio Ridout, }
Henry Duvall, } Executors.
November 12, tds.

The Subscribers

Being informed that it has been circulated in this city that they were not willing to receive on freight, Bricks, Stone, Coal, or any other articles of a similar nature; they therefore declare, that such a report is without foundation, and that they will carry any article offered on freight, either to or from Baltimore, at the usual prices.

To those who give their more valuable business to Craft, not being in the Packet line, they would observe, that if they continue the practice, their letters and small commissions will not be attended to. To those who continue their business to them they assure a ready and punctual attention, and every reasonable exertion to please.

To their punctual customers they return their sincere thanks, with an assurance that their future exertions shall be equal to their former to render general satisfaction to those who employ them.

2 Geo. & Jno. Barber.
November 12.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY ROBERT BOWIE, ESQUIRE GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND. A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of Maryland did by an act passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, entitled, "An act to reduce into one the several acts of Assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections," direct that the governor and council after having received the returns of elections of the members to represent the state in the Congress of the U. S. should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes given for each and every person voted for as a member for Congress aforesaid respectively, and shall thereupon declare, by proclamation, signed by the Governor, the name of the person or persons duly elected in each respective district. We in pursuance of the directions of the said act, do by this our proclamation, declare that by the returns made to us, it appears that Philip Stewart, Esq. was elected for the first district; Joseph Kent, Esq. was elected for the second district; Alexander Contee Hanson, Esq. was elected for the third district; Samuel Ringgold, Esq. was elected for the fourth district; Alexander McKim, and Nicholas Ruxton Moore, Esqs. were elected for the fifth district; Stevenson Archer, Esq. was elected for the sixth district; Robert Wright, Esq. was elected for the seventh district, and Charles Goldsborough, Esq. was elected for the eighth district.

Given in Council, at the city of Annapolis, under the great seal of the State of Maryland, this twenty-third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the thirty-seventh.

Robert Bowie,
By the Governor,
Ninian Pinkney,
Clerk of the Council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation be published twice in each week, for the space of four weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Maryland Republican, of Annapolis; in the Whig, Sun, American and Federal Gazette, of Baltimore, in the National Intelligencer, at Washington; in Bartig's paper at Frederick-Town; in the Maryland Herald, at Hagers-town; and in the Star at Easton.

By Order,
2 Ninian Pinkney,
Clerk of the Council.
November 12.

NOTICE.

I will Rent, or Sell, my FARM, near South River Church. For terms apply to Nicholas Brewer, of the City of Annapolis.

2 FRANCES PATES.
November 12.

B. CURRAN,

Has received a good supply of Cloths, Coatings, Casimeres, Flannels, Blankets, Stuffs, Irish Linens, and various other Articles in the

Dry Good Line,

which he will sell low for Cash, and as usual to his Punctual Customers.

October 8.

Seasonable Goods.

H. G. MUNROE.

Has just received, a general assortment of **Dry Goods & Groceries,** Ironmongery and Stationary, which will be disposed of on accommodating terms.

ALSO,
Loaf & Lump Sugar
At the Factory prices.
October 15.

Childs & Shaw,

Have just received, a complete Assortment of **Fall & Winter Goods,** which they offer for sale on the most accommodating terms.

October 8.

Land for Sale.

I will sell the plantation on which I now reside, containing about six hundred and sixty acres of valuable land, adapted to farming, in a healthy situation: There is the greatest plenty of wood, such as oak, chestnut, walnut and poplar; it is well watered; a plenty of meadow, and about four acres in clover. This land lies within two miles of Herring Creek Church, five miles from Pig Point, and about the same distance from Herring Bay. It will be divided to suit purchasers, if desired. For terms apply to the subscriber.

Sept. 24, 1812. Samuel Harrison, tds.

Augustus Uz,

Respectfully informs the Citizens of Annapolis, that at the earnest solicitations of some of the most respectable inhabitants he has made arrangements, and is now enabled, to devote his leisure hours to their benefit and gratification, with his new and elegant mode of

Colouring and Ornamenting Walls, either in imitation of paper hangings, or otherwise. This so eminently useful invention is too generally known throughout the Union to need any further illustration. Directions, in writing, left at Mr. Jarvis's, on Hill Point, or at Mr. Isaac Parker's Tavern, (where a rough specimen of the work may be seen,) will be strictly attended to, and all necessary information respecting expenses and durability given.

October 8.

EXCHANGE OF OLD SIX PER CENT AND DEFERRED STOCKS.

Pursuant to the act of Congress, entitled, "An act authorising a subscription for the old six per cent and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same," passed on the 6th day of July, 1812, books will be opened on the first day of October next, at the Treasury, and at the several loan offices, and will continue open till the 17th day of March next, for receiving subscriptions of the old six per cent and deferred stocks, in the manner prescribed by the said act. New certificates, bearing interest from the first day of the quarter in which the subscription shall be made, at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly yearly, for the unredeemed amount of principal of the old six per cent and deferred stocks which may be subscribed, will be issued at the Treasury or at the Loan Offices respectively, when the old stocks may be at the time tendered. The new stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the 31st day of December, 1824; but no reimbursement will be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of any proprietor, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.

Albert Gallatin,
Treasury Department, Sept. 10, 1812.

Anne-Arundel County Court, September Term, 1812.

On application to the judges of the said county court, by petition in writing of Samuel Hopkins, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November Session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied by competent testimony, that the said Samuel Hopkins has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland, and the said Samuel Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition, it is therefore adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Samuel Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, once a week for three successive months, before the third Monday of April next, give notice to his creditors, to appear before the said county court, to be held at the City of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday of April, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Samuel Hopkins then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

Test. 8 Wm. S. Green, clk.
October 1.

GIDEON WHITE,

Has received an Extensive Assortment of Goods, amongst which are;

EXTRA SUPERFINE

American Broad Cloths,

From Shepherd & Co. Manufactory, Massachusetts, equal if not superior to any imported Cloths.

ALSO

London Superfine and Second Cloths, Casimeres, Bedford Cord, Fashionable Stockinet, Fashionable Vestings, &c. &c. All which he will sell low.

November 5.

Livery Stables.

THE subscriber having his Stables in good order for the reception of Horses respectfully solicits the favors of the Public. The utmost attention will be paid to horses entrusted to his care.

NEHEMIAH HOLLAND.

N. B. He is likewise prepared to carry expresses to any part of the state at the shortest notice, with despatch.

N. H.

By the Committee of Claims.

The Committee of Claims will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,
BENJAMIN GREY, CLK.
November 5.

By the Committee of Grievances & Courts of Justice.

The Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,
LOUIS GASSAWAY, CLK.
November 5.

Public Sale.

Will be sold on Tuesday the eighth day of December next, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the dwelling of James Moss on Hackett's Point,

3 **Negro Men & a Woman,**
The oldest of the men 23 years.—Terms of sale Cash.

November 5.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Calvert County Court, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of said court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto.

Nov. 3, 1812.

RICHARD KENT, Sw.

State of Maryland, sc.

On application, by petition, of Thomas Woodfield, administrator de bonis non of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered that he give the notice required by law, for the creditors to bring in their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

John Gassaway, Reg. Wills,
for A. A. County.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non on the personal estate of John Jacobs, senior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the seventeenth day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 27th day of October, 1812.

Thomas Woodfield, Administrator
de bonis non.

60 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber living in South River Neck, on Monday the 2d inst a negro fellow who cal's himself Thomas Brown, about forty three years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high, has a bald place on the back part of his head; when spoken to has an impediment in his speech; and is much given to intoxication.—Had on when he made his escape, a kersey round about jacket and trousers, osenaburg shirt, old hat and shoes.—This fellow was originally from Benedict, Charles county, and it is probable may have gone thither as he has some connections in that neighborhood. If taken twenty miles from home twenty dollars will be given, if thirty miles, thirty dollars, if forty miles, forty dollars, and if out of the State the above reward, if secured in any goal so that I get him again. All persons are forewarned harbouring said fellow, as the law will be enforced against all such offenders.

Joseph N. B. Power,
A. A. County, Nov. 12.

Wanted,

TO HIRE OR PURCHASE.
A good plain Cook—Apply at the Office of the Maryland Gazette.

September 10.

George & John Barber,

At their Store on the Dock; have on hand, and offer for Sale, a General Assortment of Goods,

AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES, VIZ:

French Brandy, Spirit, each & Apple Brandy, V. 1 and N. E. Rum, Gin, Cherry Bounce, 1st & 2d qual Whiskey Old Sherry Wine, 1st qual. Cyder & Cyder Vinegar, Molasses, Best Alex. Leaf Sugar, 1st & 2d qual. Bait do. 1st & 2d & 3d. Brown do. Chocolate, Coffee, Imperial, Hyson, Young Hyson, Hyson Skin, & Souchong.	Superfine & Fine Flour, Indian Meal, Corn, oats, Salt, Castor Oil, Lin- seed Oil, Spermaceti & Fish Oil Spirits Turpentine, White & Red Lead, Yellow Ochre, Venetian Red, Spanish Brown, Verdigrase, Vermilion, Rose Pink, Patent Yellow, Spanish Whiting, Lamplack, Umber, Vitriol, Litharge, Tar, Plough Traces, leading Lines & Red Cords, Hearth, Scrub, Sweep- ing, Horse, Shoe and Paint Brushes, Belows, Brandywine Fine and Coarse Gunpowder, Baltimore do. do. do. Shot assorted, New-England Shoes & Slippers, Window Glass 8 by 12 and 10 by 12, A few imported Fancy Baskets, Velvet Corks, Combs, Penknives, Snuff Boxes, A quantity of Beans & Peas, Also a General Assort- ment of Crockery & Glass, Stone & Earth- en Ware, And a few articles in the Dry Good Line, An assortment of Cast- ings, such as Pots, Ovens, Spiders, Skil- lets, Bakers & And- irons.
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All the above Articles are offered for sale on the most reasonable terms for cash, or to those who have been punctual on the usual credit. To persons who reside in the country they will barter for different kinds of grain, &c.

THE PACKETS FOR BALTIMORE.
Are now running regularly, and will continue to do so until the 25th December.—The utmost attention will be paid to the delivery of letters, but they will not be responsible for the loss of any.

N. B. The subscribers earnestly request all those who have accounts of long standing to come forward and discharge the same, or pass their Notes for the amount. In order to accommodate such, a small part of their accounts will be received and credit given for the same.

We forewarn all persons from trusting the hands with small bundles, as in case they should be lost we will not be answerable for the same.—All those who have claims against us are requested to bring them in for settlement.

2 Geo. & Jno. Barber.
Annapolis, Nov. 5, 1812.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Baltimore county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, letters of administration, on the personal estate of William Mollison, late of the city of London, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in legally authenticated, and those in any manner indebted to said estate to make payment to

James Jeffray, Adm'r.
October 29.

Notice is hereby given,

That a petition will be presented to the Legislature, at their next session, for a law to open a road from some place near to Cragg's Ferry, to Mr. Pumphrey's mills, and from thence to the mountain road, where there are two branches, one of which leads to Mr. Waters's mill, and the other to the Annapolis road leading from Baltimore.

A. A. County, Oct. 29, 1812. 6w.

For Sale

A Negro Woman, aged 32, with four Children, three girls and a boy, the eldest daughter nine years of age, the second four, the boy's age seven. Enquire at the Gazette Office.

October 29.

To the Voters

Of Anne-Arundel County and the City of Annapolis.

GENTLEMEN, Having become a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff at the next Electoral period, have thought proper to give this early notice of my intention to do so. On this occasion I earnestly solicit the support of my fellow-citizens: Should my efforts be crowned with success, it would be the object of my care to discharge the duties that would devolve on me with justice and humanity.

REZIN SPURRIER.
Annapolis, October 8, 1812.

Wanted

TO HIRE, BY THE YEAR,
A NEGRO WOMAN,

who understands House Work, for which a liberal price will be given. Inquire at this Office.

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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 18, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill for the relief of John Tobin, the

bill to change the names of Henry and Char-

lotte Cochrane to that of Irvine, and the re-

solution in favor of Charles Richardson were

sent to the senate.

Mr. Marriott delivers a petition from

Thomas B. Dorsey, and others, praying for

the repeal of an act passed last session author-

izing the opening a road from Richard Owen's

mill. Mr. Sanders a petition from John Nor-

ris of Harford county, and Eliza and Na-

than Tyfon, of the city of Baltimore, pray-

ing a supplement to the law for opening and

extending Pratt-street. Read and referred.

The bill to repeal the supplement to an act

to ascertain the allowance of members of the

general assembly, &c. was, on motion of Mr.

Bowles, postponed until the 25th day of De-

cember next—yeas 36, nays 27.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to

bring in a bill, entitled, An act to make

public a road from Hancock-town, in Wash-

ington county, to Cumberland, in Allegany

county.

The clerk of the senate delivers a bill

annulling the marriage of Jerome Buonaparte

King of Westphalia, and Elizabeth Buona-

parte, of the city of Baltimore, endorsed,

"will pass." Also a letter from the Govern-

or elect, notifying the Legislature of the re-

ceipt of their joint letter, and that he will

repair to Annapolis as early as practicable.—

Severally read.

Mr. Perry delivers a petition from Thomas

Grimes, of Allegany county, praying a di-

vorces. Mr. Francis Hall a petition from

John Mitchell, sen. of P. G. county, praying

a support by said county. Read and refer-

red.

The resolutions in favor of Rezin Simpson,

Thomas Cahoe, John Williams, Josias Al-

vey and Anthony Davis, were severally read

and assented to.

Mr. Belt delivers a report and resolution

in favour of Ingram Cann. Read.

Mr. Quinton delivers a report and resolu-

tion in favor of Moses Green; also a report

and resolution in favour of John Follett,

sen. Severally read.

According to the order of the day, the

House proceeded to the second reading of the

preamble and order relative to the mobs and

riots in Baltimore; and on motion by Mr.

Donaldson, the question was put, that the

words of the said preamble and order from the

fell "Whereas, it is the duty of the Govern-

ment to maintain inviolate the majesty of the

laws, whether set at defiance by riotous as-

semblages and excesses of evil minded men,

or by associations of armed citizens combined

for mutual support: And whereas, when such

infringes of the violation of law, and of the

disturbance of the public peace and safety

unfortunately occur, it is the duty of the

House of Delegates, with temper and impar-

tiality, to investigate the same, and the causes

leading thereto, in order legislatively to pro-

vide the suitable remedy for such evils; There-

fore, Ordered, That the committee of griev-

ances and courts of justice be and they are

hereby instructed to inquire into the late un-

happy disturbances in the city of Baltimore,

and the causes which produced those dis-

turbances, with a view to ascertain whether

any and what legislative remedy may be

necessary to prevent a recurrence of similar

mischiefs, and that they report by bill or

otherwise.

The yeas and nays being required appeared

as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. C. Hall, Marriott, Belt, William

Hall, Z. Duval, Stansbury, Harryman,

Warner, Randall, Claude, L. Duval, Wright,

Emory, Stevens, Burgess, Sanders, Forwood,

Mr. Donaldson, Barney, Bowles, Wm.

Williams, Sprigg.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Cau-

lin, Boyer, Taney, Turner, Emerson,

Stonellstreet, Barnham, Ford, Hambleton,

Caldwell, Banning, Seth, Bayly, Long, A. E.

Jones, Waller, Jun. Stewart, Lecompte, Grif-

fin, Evans, Lusby, Hogg, F. H. Som-

ers.

vell, Callis, T. N. Williams, Handy, Quin-

ton, Grahame, Potts, Delaplane, Potter,

Young, Hughlett, McDonald, Gram Jones,

Crabb, Riggs, Perry, McCulloch, Robinett,

Crefap. 45.

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Lecompte, the words

"and the causes thereof," were inserted in

the order after the word Baltimore.

The question was then put, That the said

order be adopted? Resolved in the affirma-

tive—yeas 55, nays 11.

The bill making an uniform provision for

the surviving officers and soldiers of the late

Maryland line in the revolutionary war, was

read the second time and passed.

Mr. Claude delivers a petition from Thom-

as S. Brewer, of the city of Annapolis, a

revolutionary soldier, praying relief. Read.

On motion by Mr. Claude, That the said

petition be referred to a committee? Deter-

mined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill

to prevent the erection of booths within two

miles of any methodist camp or quarterly

meeting in Frederick county, endorsed "will

pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Grahame delivers a bill to appoint

commissioners to review and locate a road from

the old glass works, called New Bremen, in

Frederick county. Mr. Randall a supple-

ment to the act to confirm a road in Harford

and Baltimore counties. Read.

On motion by Mr. Arnold Jones, Ordered,

That John Shaw, of the City of Annapolis,

be requested to make out a list of furniture

of every description belonging to the govern-

ment-house, and the condition thereof, and

report the same to the committee appointed

by this house to examine the state of said pro-

perty, and that the committee of claims al-

low him a reasonable compensation for his

services.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

THURSDAY, NOV. 19.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Emory from the committee delivers

a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the

act, entitled, An act to facilitate the drain-

ing of land in the several counties therein

mentioned. Read.

The amendments proposed by the senate to

the bill for the relief of Aquila Beall, of Prince-

George's county, were read the second time,

assented to, and the bill ordered to be en-

grossed.

Mr. Warner delivers a petition from sun-

dry inhabitants of the eastern precincts of

Baltimore, praying for the opening of Ais-

quith-street to Pitt-street. Mr. F. Hall a

petition from Henry W. Magruder, of

Prince-George's county, praying a special act

of insolvency. Read and referred.

The bill for the relief of Simeon Church-

hill, of the city of Baltimore, was read the

second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill for extending

Green-street, in the city of Baltimore. Read.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from

Thomas Colton, of Dorchester county, pray-

ing that a law may pass to confirm his title

to certain lands therein mentioned. Read

and referred.

The bill supplementary to the act granting

a loan of money to the trustees of Charlotte

Hall School, was read the second time, pass-

ed, and sent to the senate.

The bill making an uniform provision for

the surviving officers and soldiers of the late

Maryland line in the revolutionary war, the

resolutions in favour of Thomas Cahoe, Jesse

Thompson, Rezin Simpson, John Williams,

Josias Alvey and Anthony Davis, were sent

to the senate.

Mr. Crabb moved for leave to withdraw

himself from the committee of grievances

and courts of justice. Granted. The house

proceeded to ballot for a member to supply

his place; the ballots being deposited in the

ballot box, on examination it appeared that

Mr. Lecompte was elected.

On motion by Mr. Stonellstreet, Ordered,

That the bill to repeal all such parts of the

acts of assembly of this state as require the

payment of 25 shillings for a marriage li-

cence, be made the order of the day for Tues-

day the 24th inst.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from sun-

dry inhabitants of Dorchester county, pray-

ing that the county courts may be invested

with unlimited chancery jurisdiction. Read.

The resolution directing William Marbury,

late agent for the state, to transfer to Benja-

min Harwood, trustee, all the old six per cent.

and deferred and three per cent. stocks now

standing in his name belonging to the state;

and the resolution directing Benjamin Har-

wood, trustee and treasurer, to do so, in the

manner prescribed by the late act of con-

gress, for the whole amount of the old six per

cent. and deferred stocks belonging to the

state, and receive new certificates for the

same, were severally read the second time and

assented to.

The house according to order, proceeded to

the second reading of the bill for the valua-

tion of real and personal property, and after

making some progress in reading the same, it

was postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. Hogg delivers a bill to change the

place of holding the election in the third

election district in Cecil county and for other

purposes. Read.

Mr. Delaplane delivers a petition from sun-

dry inhabitants of Westminster in Frederick

county, praying that certain persons may be

incorporated as trustees of a church therein

mentioned. Read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Potts, the house proceed-

ed to the second reading of the preamble

and resolutions for cloathing the militia sta-

tioned at Annapolis.

On motion by Mr. L. Duval, the question

was put, that the words "by the general go-

vernment" be stricken out. The yeas and

nays being required, appeared as follow:—

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Belt, Wm. Hall, Z. Duval, Stan-

bury, Harryman, Warner, Randall, Claude,

L. Duval, Wright, Emory, Stevens, Burgess,

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Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Cau-

lin, Boyer, C. Hall, Marriott, Reynolds,

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Griffith, Evans, Lusby, Hogg, Somervell,

Callis, T. N. Williams, Handy, Quinton,

Grahame, Potts, Delaplane, Potter, Young,

Hughlett, McDonald, Wm. Williams, Wm.

Jones, Riggs, Perry, McCulloch, Robinett,

Crefap. 44.

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Long, the question was

put, That the words "as they should have

been," be added to the preamble? Deter-

mined in the negative.

On motion, the first resolution was amended

by inserting the word "now" after the word

militia, and striking out the words from "An-

napolis" to "sufficient."

On motion, the question was put, That the

blank in the second resolution be filled up

with "five thousand?" Resolved in the affir-

mative.

The question was then put, That the house

assent to the preamble and resolutions as

amended? and unanimously resolved in the

affirmative.

The Speaker laid before the house the re-

port of the Examiner General, relative to his

fees for the last year, which was read and or-

dered to lie on the table.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

FRIDAY, NOV. 20, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a petition from

fundry inhabitants of Baltimore county and

city, praying for the erection of a wall a-

round the goal of said county. Referred.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill

authorizing Charles L. Snyder to remove his

negroes into this state, endorsed, "will pass."

to Thomas Marsh Forman his title to said land. Read.

The house refused the consideration of the third section of the bill for the valuation of real and personal property in this State, and after further amending the same, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the Senate.

Mr. Randall delivers a petition from James Hood, of John, of Baltimore county, praying that his bond heretofore passed to the State for confiscated property, to which the State cannot make title, may be cancelled. Read and referred.

Mr. Duvall delivers a memorial from Jehu Chandler, claiming a further compensation for his services in printing the Laws and Votes and Proceedings. Mr. Waller a petition from sundry inhabitants of Somerset county, praying that a road may be opened from Harren Creek in a direction toward the town of Laurel, in Sussex county, Delaware. Mr. Evans a petition from John Creswell, late sheriff of Cecil county, praying that he may be authorized to complete his collection. Read and referred.

On motion by Mr. A. E. Jones, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the title of The Bank of Somerset.

Mr. Warner delivers a petition from Lewis Michael, of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency. Read.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, Leave given to bring in a bill to change and abolish all such parts of the constitution and form of government which relate to the time and manner of electing the Senate of this State and the manner of filling up vacancies in that body.

The bill to confirm the Liberty road as now opened through Baltimore county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Stansbury delivers a bill supplementary to an act to authorize the levy court of Baltimore county, to assess and levy on the assessable property of said county, a sum of money to build a bridge over the Great Falls of Gunpowder river, passed at November session, 1811; which was twice read, passed, and sent to the Senate.

The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the Senate.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

The honourable Levin Winder, Esq. having been elected Governor of the State of Maryland, and having arrived in this city, we have appointed Messrs. A. E. Jones and Stansbury, jointly with such gentlemen as shall be named by your house, to wait upon the Governor elect, and request his attendance in the Senate room, to qualify according to the constitution and form of government.

Mr. Wilson delivers a petition from Gerard Snowden, and others, the representatives of John Snowden and Samuel Snowden, late of Anne Arundel county, praying indemnification for a deficit of land purchased of the lord proprietary of the province of Maryland. Mr. Belt a petition from Elizabeth C. Fitzhugh, widow of Peregrine Fitzhugh, late an officer in the revolutionary army, praying relief. Mr. Wilson a petition from Peter G. Clarke of the city of Baltimore, an insolvent debtor, praying relief. Severally read and referred.

The clerk of the Senate delivers the resolutions relative to the flock belonging to this State, severally endorsed, "assented to." Ordered to be engrossed. And the following message:

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have appointed Messrs. Stephen and Bruce, to join the gentlemen nominated by your house, to wait upon his excellency the Governor elect, and request his attendance in the Senate chamber, for the purpose of qualifying as pointed out by the constitution and form of government.

On motion by Mr. Bayly, Ordered, That the bill to provide for the election of the Justices of the levy courts by the people, be made the order of the day for Thursday next.

Messrs. Bruce and McCreery, from the Senate, acquaint the speaker that the governor elect, is attending in the Senate room, and the Senate request his attendance, with the members of the house of delegates, in the Senate room, to see the Governor qualified.

The speaker left the chair, and attended by the members of this house, went to the Senate room, where his excellency qualified in the presence of both houses, by subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion, by taking the several oaths required by the constitution and form of government, the oath of office directed by act of assembly, and by taking the oath to support the constitution of the United States.

The speaker attended by the members of this house, returned and resumed the chair.

Mr. Potts delivers a bill for the relief of the congregation of United Brethren or Moravian Society at Graceham in Frederick county. Read.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

THURSDAY, NOV. 24, 1812.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The speaker laid before the house the reports of the clerks of Worcester and Caroline

counties, relative to the attendance of the Judges. Read and referred.

Mr. Banning delivers a petition from James Harrison, Wm. Harrison of Jas. and others, praying for a road through the lands of Samuel and Joseph Harrison, in Talbot county. Mr. Lewis a petition from sundry inhabitants of Washington county, praying that a road may be opened from the North East end of Jonathan-street, in Hagar's Town, in a straight direction toward Green-castle. Mr. Perry a petition from sundry inhabitants of Allegany county, praying for a division of the second election district of said county. Mr. Graham a petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick and Montgomery counties, praying that commissioners may be appointed to review and open a road from Liberty-Town to Hyatt's-Town. Severally read and referred.

Mr. Graham delivers a petition from Evan Stevens, of Frederick county, an insolvent debtor, praying relief. Read and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for the benefit of Thomas Colston, of Dorchester county, was read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the Senate delivers the resolutions for cloathing the militia now stationed at Annapolis, endorsed, "assented to." And the supplement to the act for building a bridge over the Great Falls of Gunpowder, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Crabbs delivers a petition from Alexis Romain, of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency. Read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hambleton delivers a petition from Elizabeth Taylor, of Talbot county, praying a divorce. Mr. Evans a petition from sundry inhabitants of Cecil county, praying for the incorporation of a Library Company at Elkton. Mr. Abram Jones a petition from Solomon Davis & Samuel Dawson, praying that a road through their farms in Frederick county, may be shut up. Severally read and referred.

The bill annulling the marriage of Thomas Grimes and Sarah Grimes of Allegany county, was read the second time and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? Determined in the negative.

Mr. Potts delivers a petition from Ezra Manta, late sheriff of Frederick county, praying that he may be authorized to complete his collections. Mr. Wm. Stewart a petition from sundry inhabitants of Kent county, praying that a road therein mentioned may be opened. Severally read and referred.

Mr. Randall delivers a favourable report on the petition of James Hood, of Baltimore county. Read.

Mr. Bowles delivers a memorial from the president and directors of the Potomac Company, praying a loan. Referred.

Mr. Belt delivers a report on the petition of Elizabeth C. Fitzhugh; stating that the funds of the State would be inadequate to extend that relief to the widows and children of the officers of the revolutionary army which has heretofore been extended to the surviving officers and soldiers; and recommending that she have leave to withdraw her petition. Read.

Mr. Perry delivers a petition from Nathaniel B. Magruder, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief; also a petition from sundry inhabitants of Allegany county praying a law may pass to prevent the inhabitants of Virginia from trespassing upon their lands. Referred.

Mr. Barney delivers a bill to lay out and straighten a road in Baltimore county. Read.

On motion by Mr. Wm. Stewart, Ordered, That the bill to tax bank stock, be made the order of the day for Friday the fourth of December.

Mr. Evans delivers a bill authorizing John Creswell to complete his collections. Read.

The clerk of the Senate delivers a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road between the streams of Big and Little Elk, through the village of Elkton, and to build a bridge over said streams in Cecil county; passed by that house Nov. 24. Read—And a resolution relative to letters and packets addressed to the presiding members of the legislature. Read.

The sixteenth rule of the house was dispensed with for the purpose of giving the said resolution a second reading.

The resolution was then read a second time and the question put, That the house assent to the same? Determined in the negative.—yeas 6, nays 53.

Mr. A. E. Jones delivers a bill to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the title of the Bank of Somerset. Mr. Lecompte a bill to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government which relate to the time and manner of electing the Senate of this State, and the manner of filling up vacancies in that body. Severally read.

On motion by Mr. Bayly, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to alter and change the name of Theodore Gunby, of Somerset county, to that of Theodore Gunby Dashiell.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

Thomas G. Addison, esq. of Prince-George's County, was on Tuesday last appointed a Member of the Executive, vice Benjamin Stoddert, esq. declined.

PERVERSION & FALSEHOOD.

The National Intelligencer asserts without shame or circumlocution, that the district for which Mr. Lloyd is chosen an elector, consists of Caroline, Talbot and Dorchester. The truth is that it consists of the two former counties, and the most democratic portion of the latter. Instead of Lloyd's election by a very small majority arguing in favor of a democratic preponderance of those counties, it merely proves that the federalists did not all vote. Mr. Jump, his competitor, is not a federalist, but an older, more uniform and consistent democrat than himself.

[Fed. Rep.]

CONGRESSIONAL.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Monday, Nov. 16,

Mr. Seybert, presented a petition from sundry merchants of Philadelphia, importers of Dry Goods.—This petition is in substance similar to those presented from New-York, Richmond, &c. Referred to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. Milnor in consequence of the absence of a gentleman from Massachusetts, presented a similar one from the merchants of Boston. Referred as above.

Mr. McKim presented a Memorial from sundry owners and agents of privateers of sundry merchants of Philadelphia, importers of Dry Goods.—This petition is in substance similar to those presented from New-York, Richmond, &c. Referred to the committee on naval affairs.

Mr. Little presented the petition of Francis Vintee, praying the renewal of a grant of 100 acres of land, under a resolution of the old Congress, for revolutionary services—the certificate for which was lost by the accidental burning of his house.—Referred to the committee on public lands.

Mr. Rhea presented the petition of Mitchell praying relief from bonds given as security for the collector of the excise, in the district of Tennessee. Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Gold, after some prefatory observations pointing out the inadequacy of the salaries of certain district judges to the duties by them performed, offered the following: Resolved, That the committee of ways and means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of increasing the salaries or compensations allowed by law to the district judges of the judicial district of the U. S. Negative.—Ayes 41—Noes 42.

An engrossed bill further to prolong the continuance of the Mint at Philadelphia, was read a third time.

Mr. Lewis rose, and after some observations moved to recommit the bill for the purpose of amending it, so as to shorten the time of continuance, and to make provision for removing the mint to the City of Washington, the place contemplated for its permanent establishment.

Mr. Seybert hoped the motion would not prevail.

Mr. Smilie followed on the same side.

The motion was negatived and the bill passed.

Mr. Jennings offered the following: Resolved, That the committee on the public lands, be instructed to inquire into the expediency of prolonging the time of payment to those purchasers of the public land N. W. of the river Ohio, who may have purchased prior to April 1809.

Resolved also, That they be instructed to inquire into the expediency of dividing the quarter sections of land and of reducing the price of the public lands. Adopted.

Mr. Poindexter submitted the following: Resolved, That a committee be appointed to inquire into the expediency of compelling the judges of the respective districts and territories of the U. S. to reside within the same. Adopted and a committee of five ordered.

Adjourned.

Tuesday, Nov. 17.

Mr. Dinwoode presented the petition of a revolutionary soldier, praying to be placed on the pension list. Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Reed presented the petition of Boardman and Hope, and others of Boston, praying for a restitution of the ship American Hero and cargo, seized under the non importation act. Referred to the committee of ways and means.

Also, the petition of Simon Forester and of Salem, praying a restitution of the ship Reftitution and cargo from Madras.—Referred as above.

Mr. Lewis presented the petition of Rebecca Hodgson, praying compensation for the House which was burnt some years ago while occupied as the War Office. Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Gholson from the committee of claims reported on the petition of Wm. Hubbell that the prayer of the petitioner is unreasonable and ought not to be granted. The house concurred.

Mr. Bassett from the naval committee reported a bill in addition to the act concerning letters of marque, prizes and prize goods.—

The provisions of this bill are in conformity with the prayer of the petitions from N. York and Baltimore on that subject. Read twice and referred to a committee of the whole house for to-morrow.

Mr. Wright from the select committee appointed on his resolution authorizing the President to retaliate, reported a bill for that purpose, which was read twice and committed to a committee of the whole house.

On motion of Mr. Johnson it was ordered that the committee of ways and means have leave to sit to-morrow during the session of the House.

Adjourned.

Wednesday, Nov. 18.

Mr. Quincy presented the petition of James Price praying to be repaid the sum of \$200 advanced by his father in the year 1779.—Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Fuch presented the petition of Conrad Koffer of New-York, praying to be placed on the pension list. Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Bleeker presented the petition of sundry merchants of Albany, importers of Dry Goods.—Similar to those presented on former day. Referred to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. Pleasants presented a similar one from the merchants of Richmond. Referred as above.

Mr. Cheves presented the petition of Thomas Princeton praying a remission of certain duties. Referred to the committee of ways and means.

Mr. Lacock from the committee appointed on that part of the President's message which relates to the naturalization law passed at the last session, reported a bill supplementary to an act heretofore passed on the subject of a uniform rule of naturalization, which was twice read and referred to a committee of the whole house.

Mr. Poindexter from the committee appointed to inquire into the expediency of granting permission to the people of the Mississippi territory to form a constitution & form of government, reported a bill for that purpose, which was twice read and committed to a committee of the whole house for Monday.

The Speaker laid before the house the annual report of the Secretary of the Navy.—Referred to the committee on Naval Affairs.

Two messages in writing were received from the President of the U. States by Mr. Coles his secretary.

The first message read covered a letter from Mr. Ruffel to Mr. Monroe, detailing the conversation, referred to in his former letter between himself and Lord Castlereagh. The letter is long, and as any attempt on our part to give the substance might possibly not do justice to the writer, we shall forbear, will the promise to lay it before our readers entire as early as possible.

On motion, it was ordered that 5000 copies of this, together with the former message of the President communicating Mr. Ruffel's correspondence, be printed.

The second message covered a letter from the consil general at Algiers, Mr. Lear, detailing the origin and progress of our differences with that Regency.

The house in committee of the whole, Mr. DeSha in the chair, on the following

BILL.

Vesting the power of retaliation, in certain cases, in the President of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That if any citizen of the United States being a prisoner by land or sea to the British government, or who hath been impressed, hath suffered or shall suffer death, mutilation or other corporal punishment, or be imprisoned with unlawful severity by any officer, agent, soldier, or Indian, in the service of the British government, the President of the United States shall be and he is hereby empowered & required to cause the most rigorous retaliation to be executed, on any subject, officer, soldier or Indian, in the service or employment of the British government, as shall or may have been captured by the arms of the U. States by land or sea.

Mr. Wright spoke at length in favor of the bill.

Mr. Lacock moved to amend the bill by inserting after the word severity, "contrary to the usages of civilized warfare." Adopted.

The committee then rose, reported the bill and the house ordered it to a third reading to-morrow.

Adjourned.

Thursday, Nov. 19.

Mr. Mitchell presented the memorial of the Highland Turnpike Road Company, of the State of N. York, praying the assistance of Congress towards completing the same. Referred to a select committee of three.

The speaker presented the petition of Arthur Campbell, praying compensation for articles furnished to a general of the United States. Referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Williams, from the committee on military affairs reported a bill to increase the pay of non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates, and others, of the army of the U. S. and for other purposes. Read twice

and referred to a committee of the whole house for to-morrow.

The house in committee Breckenridge in the chair, mentary to the act relative prizes and prize goods.

On motion by Mr. Bacon was struck out and a new bill as amended, and the

Mr. McKim moved to consideration of the bill for the purpose of giving mittee of ways and means that part of the subject reducing the duties on prizes.

Mr. Cheves coincided. McKim; he said although rised to say the report Monday, yet he could say at an early day. The m

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Mr. Talmadge rose, a vations tending most full bill now about to be passed necessary, moved to postpone tion till the 1st Monday

Mr. Wright hoped the prevail, and cited certain mind, went to show the ty of the law being passed

Mr. Sawyer followed— ment and in opposition sidered it inexpedient an much as he was of op

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Mr. Pitkin followed Mr. Johnson opposed

Mr. Talmadge with postponement.

The question then re of the bill, the ayes and were, yeas 51, noes 61

On motion of Mr. C that the committee f leave to sit during the S

Adjourned.

Friday, Nov. 20.

Mr. Poindexter rep the territorial judges to the districts; which was

mitted.

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On motion of Mr. V solved itself into com Mr. Nelson in the chair

ing the pay of the non-musicians, privates and and for other purposes.

The following is the "Be it enacted, &c." the non-commissioned

vates, drivers, bombardiers, miners, artificers, blacksmiths, who have

list in the service of the following go wit: To e quarter-master-sergeant each corporal,

an, dollars; to a bombardier, matross, dollars; to each artillerist and blacksmith.

Sec. 2. And be it en continuance of the non-commissioned officer, in bombardier, matross, f

saddler, farrier or black service of the U. States subject to arrest, or to any debt contracted

ment.

Sec. 3. And be it during the said war, e age of eighteen years by any officers, shall be the United States dur

enlistment; any thing tary notwithstanding.

Sec. 4. And be it f every non-commissioned private, who shall, a

of this act, be recruit of the U. States; n

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Valuable Lands for Sale.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, on the premises of the late Doctor John Gassaway, of Rhode River, in Anne-Arundel county, on the fourth Monday in December next, on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest on the purchase money from the day of sale, **THAT MOST VALUABLE FARM** On which the Doctor resided, containing about four hundred and ninety-three acres; the situation is high and healthy, and commands a beautiful prospect of the Chesapeake Bay. The improvements on the said farm are, a comfortable Dwelling House, Quarters, Tobacco Houses and Barn. Also, on the same day, will be sold, his Lower Farm, distant about two miles from the place he resided, called Cotter's Desire, containing about two hundred and forty-one acres. Both farms are well wooded, and convenient to the water, and a bounds in wild fowl, fish and oysters. It is unnecessary to go into a detail of the value of the above property, as those who are inclined to purchase will take a view of the premises previous to the day of sale. The lands will be shown by Mr. Thomas & Mr. Carnes, who are now living on the property. The sale will commence at 11 o'clock on said day, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter.

Alexander Stuart,
Sarah C. White.

November 12.

Public Sale.

Pursuant to the testament and last will of Helen Weedon, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, the subscribers will expose to public sale, on Monday the 14th day of December next, if fair, if not, on the next fair day thereafter,

ALL THE FARM OR PLANTATION On which the said Helen Weedon lately resided, containing about ninety-seven acres of land. Also all the residue of the personal estate of the said deceased, not heretofore disposed of, consisting of Negroes, Horses, Cows, Corn, and Fodder, and sundry utensils of Husbandry, and articles of household and kitchen furniture. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock on the premises, when attendance will be given, and the terms made known, by

Horatio Ridout, & Executors.
Henry Duvall, & tds.

November 12.

The Subscribers

Being informed that it has been circulated in this city that they were not willing to receive on freight, Bricks, Stone, Coal, or any other articles of a similar nature; they therefore declare, that such a report is without foundation, and that they will carry any article offered on freight, either to or from Baltimore, at the usual prices.

To those who give their more valuable business to Craft, not being in the Packet line, they would observe, that if they continue the practice, their letters and small commissions will not be attended to. To those who continue their business to them they assure a ready and punctual attention, and every reasonable exertion to please.

To their punctual customers they return their sincere thanks, with an assurance that their future exertions shall be equal to their former to render general satisfaction to those who employ them.

Geo. & Jno. Barber.

November 12.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY
ROBERT BOWIE, ESQUIRE
GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of Maryland did by an act passed at November session eighteen hundred and twenty, entitled, "An act to reduce into one the several acts of Assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections," direct that the governor and council after having received the returns of elections of the members to represent the state in the Congress of the U. S. should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes given for each, and every person voted for as a member for Congress, and shall thereupon declare, by proclamation, signed by the Governor, the name of the person or persons duly elected in each respective district. We in pursuance of the directions of the said act, do by this our proclamation, declare that by the returns made to us, it appears that Philip Stewart, Esq. was elected for the first district; Joseph Kent, Esq. was elected for the second district; Alexander Contee Hanson, Esq. was elected for the third district; Samuel Ringgold, Esq. was elected for the fourth district; Alexander McKim, and Nicholas Ruxton Moore, Esqs. were elected for the fifth district; Stevenson Archer, Esq. was elected for the sixth district; Robert Wright, Esq. was elected for the seventh district, and Charles Goldsborough, Esq. was elected for the eighth district.

Given in Council, at the city of Annapolis, under the great seal of the State of Maryland, this twenty third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the thirty seventh.

Robert Bowie.

By the Governor,

Ninian Pinkney,

Clerk of the Council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation be published twice in each week, for the space of four weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Maryland Republican, of Annapolis; in the Whig, Sun, American and Federal Gazette, of Baltimore; in the National Intelligencer, at Washington; in Borgia's paper at Frederick Town; in the Maryland Herald, at Hagers-town; and in the Star at Boston.

By Order,

Ninian Pinkney,

Clerk of the Council.

November 12.

NOTICE

I will Rent, or Sell, my FARM, near South River Church. For terms apply to Nicholas Brewer, of the City of Annapolis.

FRANCES YATES.

November 12.

B. CURRAN,

Has received a good supply of Cloths, Coatings, Casimere, Flannels, Blankets, Stuffs, Irish Linens, and various other Articles in the

8 Dry Good Line, which he will sell low for Cash, and as usual to his Punctual Customers.
October 8.

Seasonable Goods.

H. G. MUNROE

Has just received, a general assortment of **Dry Goods & Groceries,** Ironmongery and Stationary, which will be disposed of on accommodating terms.

ALSO,

Loaf & Lump Sugar

At the Factory prices.

October 15.

Childs & Shaw,

Have just received, a complete Assortment of

Fall & Winter Goods,

which they offer for sale on the most accommodating terms.

October 8.

Land for Sale.

I will sell the plantation on which I now reside, containing about six hundred and sixty acres of valuable land, adapted to farming, in a healthy situation: There is the greatest plenty of wood, such as oak, chestnut, walnut and poplar; it is well watered; a plenty of meadow, and about four acres in clover. This land lies within two miles of Herring Creek Church, five miles from Pig Point, and about the same distance from Herring Bay. It will be divided to suit purchasers, if desired. For terms apply to the subscriber.

Samuel Harrison.

Sept. 10, 1812.

Augustus Uz,

Respectfully informs the Citizens of Annapolis, that at the earnest solicitations of some of the most respectable inhabitants he has made arrangements, and is now enabled, to devote his leisure hours to their benefit and gratification, with his new and elegant mode of

Colouring and Ornamenting Walls, either in imitation of paper hangings, or otherwise. This so eminently useful invention is too generally known throughout the Union to need any further illustration. Directions, in writing, left at Mr. Jarvis's, on Hill Point, or at Mr. Isaac Parker's Tavern, (where a rough specimen of the work may be seen,) will be strictly attended to, and all necessary information respecting expenses and durability given.

October 8.

EXCHANGE OF OLD SIX PER CENT AND DEFERRED STOCKS.

Pursuant to the act of Congress, entitled, "An act authorizing a subscription for the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same," passed on the 6th day of July, 1812, books will be opened on the first day of October next, at the Treasury, and at the several loan offices, and will continue open till the 17th day of March next, for receiving subscriptions of the old six per cent and deferred stocks, in the manner prescribed by the said act. New certificates, bearing interest from the first day of the quarter in which the subscription shall be made, at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly, for the undiminished amount of principal of the old six per cent and deferred stocks which may be subscribed, will be issued at the Treasury or at the Loan Offices respectively where the old stock subscribed may at the time stand credited. The new stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the 31st day of December, 1824; but no reimbursement will be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of any proprietor, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.

Albert Gallatin.

Treasury Department, Sept. 16, 1812.

Anne-Arundel County Court, September Term, 1812.

On application to the judges of the said county court, by petition in writing of Samuel Hopkins, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November Session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied by competent testimony, that the said Samuel Hopkins has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland, and the said Samuel Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition, it is therefore adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Samuel Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, once a week for three successive months, before the third Monday

next, give notice to his creditors, to appear before the said county court, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday of April, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Samuel Hopkins then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

Test, Wm. S. Green, clk.

October 1.

GIDEON WHITE,

Has received an Extensive Assortment of Goods, amongst which are, EXTRA SUPERFINE

American Broad Cloths,

From Shepherd & Co. Manufactory, Massachusetts, equal if not superior to any imported Cloths.

ALSO,

London Style fine and Second Cloths, Casimere, Bedford Cord, Fashionable Stockinet, Fashionable Vestings, &c. &c. All which he will sell low.

November 5.

Livery Stables.

THE subscriber having his Stables in good order for the reception of Horses respectfully solicits the favors of the Public. The utmost attention will be paid to horses entrusted to his care.

NEHEMIAH HOLLAND.

N. B. He is likewise prepared to carry expresses to any part of the state at the shortest notice, with despatch.

November 5.

By the Committee of Claims.

The Committee of Claims will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,

BENJAMIN GRAY, Clk.

November 5.

By the Committee of Grievances & Courts of Justice.

The Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,

LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.

November 5.

Adjutant General's Office,

ANNAPOLES, NOV. 7, 1812.

The commander in chief of the militia of Maryland, accepts the services of the following officers of cavalry, who have patriotically volunteered as part of the quota of this state, required by the general government.

Col. Frisby Tilghman, to command the first regiment; Col. Edward Lloyd, to command the second; Major Charles N. Ridgely and Major Otho H. Williams, attached to Colonel Tilghman's regiment; Major William B. Barney and Major Adam Whann, attached to Colonel Lloyd's regiment.

By order,

Jno. Gassaway, A. G.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Calvert County Court, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of said court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto.

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George & John Barber,

At their Store on the Dock, have on hand and offer for Sale, a General Assortment of Goods,

AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES, viz.

French Brandy, Spirit, each & Apple Brandy, W. I. and N. E. Rum, Gin, Cherry Bounce, 1st & 2d qual Whiskey, Old Sherry Wine, 1st qual. Cyder & Cyder Vinegar,

Molasses, Best Alex. Loaf Sugar, 1st & 2d qual. Balt. do. 1st & 2d & 3d. Brown do. Chocolate, Coffee, Imperial, Hyson, Young Hyson, Hyson Skin, & Souchong,

A few boxes of Raisins and Currants, Mace, Cloves, Nutmegs, Allspice, Cinnamon, Pepper, Ginger, Pearl barley, Rice, Mustard, Fig Blue, Starch, Alum, Salt Pe- tre, Brimstone, Perfumed Soap & Wash Balls,

1st and 2d qual. Spanish and Amer. Segars, First chop James River small twist, pig tail and smoking tobacco, Rappee & Scotch Snuff Mould & Dipped Candles,

White & Brown Soap, Mess Pork, new & old Hams, Shoulders and Middleings, Salmon, Mackerel, Herrings and Cod Fish, Cheese, Butter, Lard, Sallad Oil, Basket Salt, Jamieson's Crackers, Pilot Bread,

Superfine & Fine Flour, Indian Meal, Corn, oats, Salt, Castor Oil, Lin- seed Oil, Spermacetti & Fish Oil, Spirits Turpentine, White & Red Lead, Yellow Ochre, Venetian Red, Spanish Brown, Verdigrise, Vermilion, Rose Pink, Patent Yellow, Spanish Whiting, Lampblack, Umber,

Vitriol, Litharge, Tar, Plough Traces, leading Lines & Bed Cords, Hearth, Scrub, Sweep- ing, Home, Shoe and Paint Brushes, Bellows,

Brandywine Fine and Coarse Gunpowder, Baltimore do. do. do. Shot assorted, New-England Shoes & Slippers, Window Glass 8 by 10 and 10 by 12,

A few imported Fancy Baskets, Velvet Cords, Combs, Penknives, Snuff Boxes, A quantity of Beans & Peas,

Also a General Assortment of Crockery & Glass, Stone & Earthen Ware, And a few articles in the Dry Good Line, such as Fox, Ovens, Spiders, Sticks, Bakers & Andirons.

All the above Articles are offered for sale on the most reasonable terms for cash, or to those who have been punctual on the usual credit. To persons who reside in the country they will have for different kinds of grain, &c.

THE PACKETS FOR BALTIMORE Are now running regularly, and will continue to do so till the 15th December. The utmost attention will be paid to the delivery of letters, but they will not be responsible for the loss of any.

N. B. The subscribers earnestly request those who have accounts of long standing to come forward and discharge the same, or pass their Notes for the amount. In order to accommodate such, a small part of their accounts will be received and credit given for the same.

We forewarn all persons from trusting the hands with small bundles, as in case they should be lost we will not be answerable for the same. All those who have claims against us are requested to bring them in for settlement.

Geo. & Jno. Barber.

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