

NOTICE.

are authorized and requested to the Voters of Anne-Arundel county.

COUNTY MEETING.

Elk-Ridge, June 6th, 1812. Meeting of a number of the citizens of Anne-Arundel county.

As the government of the United States has assumed from France...

Resolved, that we will willingly contribute and sustain our proportion of the public burthens...

Resolved, That we hold the following maxims, recommended to us by our political saviour, WASHINGTON THE GREAT...

Resolved, That in thus declaring our sentiments on the present posture of affairs, which are the result of deliberate convictions...

Which Preamble and Resolutions having been read, were approved of and adopted.

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adapted to their defence. Such policy, if steadily pursued, we are persuaded, would be content to the commercial states of the nation, and ultimately attain the great object in view—the efficient protection of our commerce.

It cannot escape our notice that the wishes and expectations of our government, as well as of our citizens, to preserve peace with all nations, so essential to our prosperity and happiness, have heretofore prevented our rulers from adopting those preparatory means of defence which perhaps, a cautious policy and prudent foresight might well have suggested.

We are constrained therefore, to declare as our opinion, that the U. States are at this time, in the same embarrassing predicament as they were in November, 1808. The committee of Foreign Relations at that time having stated to the house of representatives...

Resolved, therefore, as our opinion, (however wounding to our injured feelings, as Americans, the avowal may be) that it is pre-emptive and impolitic at the present crisis to declare war against G. Britain, because, the country is not in a sufficient state of preparation to afford reasonable calculations upon success—because, we view the conduct of France as equally offensive & hostile in principle, & because, by selecting G. Britain singly, as an enemy, this country, in the vicissitudes incident to war may hereafter be insensibly drawn into an entangling alliance with France, with whom no nation hath hitherto allied without the loss of its liberty and independence.

Resolved, as our opinion, that if part of the millions proposed to be raised for the projected war against G. Britain were appropriated to naval equipments and maritime defence, that efficient protection might be afforded to our cities, coasts and harbours on the seaboard, and the enemies of our country be thus more effectually annoyed and opposed, than by applying the greater part of our resources in raising land forces, little wanted in naval warfare—the only warfare Great Britain can ever will seriously attempt to wage against us while our Union is preserved inviolate.

Resolved, That on the preservation of the national union, "which constitutes us one people, and which is so dear to us," depends the future prosperity and happiness of these States—that to give "this political fortress" durable stability, it is the duty of the general government to extend its protecting arm with equal care over the commercial and agricultural interests of the nation.

Resolved, That we will willingly contribute and sustain our proportion of the public burthens, which the exigency of the times may require and the wisdom and policy of the general government may demand for the purpose of avenging our national wrongs & vindicating & protecting the invaluable rights of freemen, for which our forefathers so manfully contended, and which they so successfully maintained.

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By order, RICHARD RIDGELY, Chairman, Arch'd Dorsey, Sec.

MR. GREEN, The columns of your paper have lately presented to the public a scene which, considered in a proper point of view, is deeply instructive—I mean the dispute between Mr. James Williams and the Editor of the Maryland Republican.

The charge certainly is a very awful one at this time, to any man charged with it, if he be a federalist) alledged against him in terms the most virulent and abusive. I say, by the clatpation of the executive, because it is stated in one of his papers that the Council are so far elevated above Mr. Williams's level, that they could not notice the letter he addressed to them, and the accompanying remarks which appeared in your paper sometime since.

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one of us lower sort of people. But the Editor of the Maryland Republican; has stepped forward their champion, and to prove that Mr. W. was not entitled to promotion, he brings two charges against him; one is that Mr. Williams's letter to the council is not spelt well; and the other is, that he was a tory last war.

Methinks I hear the lower people say, this is strange in a republican government; we all thought we were blest with equal rights. Pho! Equal rights!!! yes, the people all have equal rights to pay salaries. It would puzzle them in these days to shew any other right they have.

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NOTICE.

A meeting of the Society of the Cincinnati will be held at Mr. Barney's Hotel, in the city of Baltimore, on Saturday the 4th of July next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, agreeably to their last agreement; the members of said society are requested to give their attendance.

By order, ROBT. DENNY, Secretary. June 11, 1812.

Elizabeth Hurst,

Takes the liberty of informing her friends and the public in general, that she has PLAIN AND FASHIONABLE BONNETS.

Which she is determined to sell on the most reduced profits for Cash. Annapolis, June 4, 1812.

Basil Sheppard,

TAILOR. Respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has removed into the house lately occupied by Mr. Joseph Phelps, and opposite the store of Gideon White, Esq. Market-street, where he still continues to carry on the TAILORING BUSINESS, in the Neatest and most Fashionable manner—and from a sincere wish to render every satisfaction to his customers, and a strict attention to orders and promises, confidently hopes to receive a liberal share of encouragement.

S. Country produce will be received in payment for work. Annapolis, June 4, 1812.

State of Maryland, sc.

On application, by petition, of Jason Jones, administrator with the will annexed, of Margaret Conaway, 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 with the will annexed on the personal estate of Margaret Conaway, 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 eleventh day of August next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 5th day of May, 1812.

JOHN JONES, Admr. W. A.

Anne-Arundel County, sc.

Application being made to me the subscriber, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, as an associate judge of the third judicial district of Maryland, by petition, in writing, of William Davis of said county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, 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, being annexed to his petition and the said William Davis having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided in the state of Maryland for the two years immediately preceding the time of his application, having also stated that he is now in confinement for debt, and praying to be discharged therefrom, I do therefore order and adjudge, that the said William Davis be discharged from his imprisonment, and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, weekly, for three months successively, before the third Monday in September next, give notice to his creditors to appear before Anne-Arundel county court on the third Monday in September next, to shew cause why the said William Davis should not have the benefit of the several acts as prayed. Given under my hand this 25th day of May, 1812.

Richard H. Harwood.

To Men of Patriotism, COURAGE AND ENTERPRIZE.

Every able bodied man, from the age of 18 to 45 years, who shall be enlisted for the army of the United States, for the term of five years, will be paid a bounty of sixteen dollars; and whenever he shall have served the term for which he enlisted, and obtained an honourable discharge, stating that he had faithfully performed his duty whilst in service, he shall be allowed and paid, in addition to the aforesaid bounty, three months pay and one hundred and sixty acres of land; and in case he should be killed in action or die in the service, his heirs and representatives will be entitled to the said three months pay and one hundred and sixty acres of land, to be designated, surveyed, and laid off, at the public expense.

THOMAS KARNEY, Lt. Comd. Annapolis, June 4, 1812.

Public Sale.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Public Sale, for cash, at the Rising Sun, near the Head of Severn,

The personal estate of Maren B. Duvall, late of the county aforesaid deceased, consisting of Black Cattle, Farming Utensils, and many small articles too tedious to enumerate. Sale to commence on Thursday the second day of July next, at 10 o'clock.

LEWIS DUVALL, Collector.

At same time and place the subscriber will offer for sale, sundry articles of household and kitchen furniture—likewise several Negroes, consisting of one man, two women, and boys and children.

LEWIS DUVALL. June 11, 1812.

Public Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the High court of Chancery, will be sold, on Thursday the 23d day of July next, at 11 o'clock, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the late dwelling of Richard Harrison, deceased,

Six hundred fifty-seven and a half acres of valuable land, situate in the lower part of Anne-Arundel county. On this land is a good dwelling house, and every out house necessary on a farm. The soil is well adapted to farming and is congenial to the growth of clover and the use of plaster. This land lies within two miles of Herring Bay, has on it a good orchard and meadow, is well wooded and watered, is a healthy and beautiful situation, and justly ranks among the best farms in the county.

The terms of sale are, the purchaser to give bond to the trustee as such, with approved security for the payment of the purchase money, with interest within twelve months from the day of sale.

Thomas Sellman, Trustee.

All persons that have claims against the said Richard Harrison, deceased, are hereby requested to exhibit them with the vouchers thereof, to the chancery, within six months from the time fixed for the sale.

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