RYLAND GAZETTE.
OLIS, THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1812.

NOTICE.

e are authorised and requested t
he Voters of Anne-Arundel coun
BENJAMIN ALLEIN will serv
elected, as a Delegate to the nex
Assembly.

Frigate CONSTITUTION, Captai
rived off our harbour on Saturday

OBITUARY.

dnesday the 24th instant, suddenly
this life Mr. GASSAWAY RAW
Anne-Arundel county. Had he
day in addition to those he had al
bered he would have completed hi
Infirm for the last years of hi
d lived retired from the bustle o
but still pleased with the inter
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dmitted to an interchange of friend
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nd, and sustained the afflictions
h God was pleased, in his divine
ons to visit him, with Christian re
and manly fortitude.
eld him ripe for Joys to come,
by God's command their brother home;
e now lies mouldering in his tomb
cold sleep, still shall his virtues bloom
thou gentle spirit, rest in peace,
passions now for ever cease,
ny friends who now thy fate deplore
thee, and be beheld no more.

slature of Maryland.
OUSE OF DELEGATES.
DNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1812.
naldson delivers a petition from Je
er, printer to the state, praying fo
nation of the legislature, whether
nd to forward to each magistrate,
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order of the house of delegates
November session 1794. Read, and
Messrs Donaldson, Marriott and

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ed always, that no loan shall be made
nk, under the licence given by this
after a new election of directors."
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follow :
AFFIRMATIVE.
R. Neale, Plater, Barber, Frisby,
pencer, Reynolds, Grahame, Ire-
erson, Rogerson, Parnham, Stone-
Dorsey, Jackson, Waller, Long,
. Hall, Herbert, Callis, T. N.
Wilson, Handy, Quinton, A.
ggs, Owens, Evans, Blair, How-

NEGATIVE.
Marriott, Belt, Z. Duvall, Ran-
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is, Veazy, Groome, Moffit, T.
Claude, L. Duvall, Burgess, E-
le, Swearingen, T. Jones, Shriver,
orwood, Street, Willis, Tillotson,
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l, Downey, Tomlinson.—34.
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led the assent of a majority of the
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writing to the directors to the

ned in the negative—yeas 31, nays

estion was then put, shall the said
Resolved in the affimative, and the
the senate.
k of the senate delivers the follow-
on :
he Senate, June 17, 1812.
s, It appears by a report made by
or and council to the General As-
the last November session, that a
ber of the arms belonging to the
been delivered out at different times
f the officers of the militia ; and it
xpedient at this time to know the
condition of said arms : There-

, That the Governor and Council
y are hereby authorised and requir-
application to all those officers (or
entatives) who have received arms
ments, requiring them to make im-
ort of the number, state and con-
e said arms and accoutrements, &
ame are now deposited ; that the
nd council report to the next ge-
nbly the result of said applicati-

ler, THO'S ROGERS, Clk.
was read the first and second time
order, assented to, and sent to the

Mr. R. Neale delivers a bill entitled, An act for the distribution of arms in the several counties of this state ; which was read the first and second time by especial order, and on motion by Mr. R. Neale, the title was altered so as to read : "An act to authorise the governor in certain cases, to arm the militia of this state."

The question was then put, Shall the said bill pass ?

Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Donaldson delivers the following report :

The committee to whom was referred the memorial of Jehu Chandler, beg leave to offer the following resolution :

Resolved, That it is the duty of the printer of the state to print a sufficient number of copies of the votes and proceedings of the legislature at its last session, for each justice of the peace of the state.

By order,
JAS. F. HUSTON, Clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Jackson delivers a petition from the members of the First Baltimore Troop, praying an alteration in the 13th section of the law for the better organization of the cavalry throughout the state ; which was read, and the question put, that the same be referred to the committee appointed to bring in a further supplement to the militia law.

[The following is the section here alluded to :—"13. *And be it enacted*, That the commissions of the present cavalry officers shall be, and are hereby revoked, and new ones shall be issued, attaching each officer to his respective regiment, squadron or troop : *Provided*, That the new commissions shall bear the same seniority by date, [number] or otherwise, that the old commissions bear at the present time."]

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. R. Neale, Plater, Barber, Frisby, Graves, Spencer, A. Dorsey, Reynolds, Grahame, Ireland, Emmerson, Rogerson, Parnham, Stonestreet, C. Dorsey, Jackson, Waller, Long, Griffith, F. Hall, Herbert, Callis, T. N. Williams, Wilson, Quinton, A. Jones, Riggs, Owens, Evans, Howard.—30.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Marriott, Belt, Z. Duvall, Randal, Harryman, Stevens, Wainwright, Tennant, Dooris, Veazey, Groome, Moffitt, T. Williams, Claude, L. Duvall, Burgess, Emory, Little, Handy, Swearingen, T. Jones, Shriver, Sanders, Forwood, Street, Willis, Tillottson, Bayard, Jump, Pechin, Donaldson, Bowles, T. B. Hall, Downey, Blair, Tomlinson.—36.

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Donaldson the question was put, that the said petition be referred to the next General Assembly.

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Randall delivers a bill entitled, A further supplement to the act entitled, An act to regulate and discipline the militia of this state.

Which was read.

The house adjourns until three o'clock P. M.

3 O' CLOCK, P. M.

On motion by Mr. Archibald Dorsey, the following resolutions were read :

Resolved, That we deem war with Great Britain (under existing circumstances,) inexpedient ; and that it would be destructive of the true interest of our constituents to resort to war at the present period.

Resolved, That a declaration of war against one of the belligerents would be submission to the other.

(The remainder in our next.)

The following is a list of laws passed by the General Assembly of this state at June session, 1812.

No. 1. An act authorising the several banks in this state to loan money to the United States.

2. A supplement to an act entitled, An act to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the name of the Cumberland Bank of Allegany.

3. A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate a bank to be called the Farmers Bank of Somerset and Worcester."

4. An act authorising an appropriation for the penitentiary of this state.

5. An act to authorise the governor in certain cases to arm the militia of this state.

6. A supplement to the act entitled, An act for the relief of Joseph Ennalls, of Dorchester county.

7. A further supplement to an act to alter the public road leading from Miles' River Ferry, through the lands of Jacob Loockerman, of Talbot County.

8. An additional supplement to an act entitled, An act for the opening and extending of Pratt-street, in the city of Baltimore.

9. A further supplement to the act entitled, An act to regulate and discipline the militia of this state.

10. An act for the payment of the journal of accounts.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT
To the act entitled "An act to regulate and discipline the Militia of this State."

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That each commanding officer of a company shall make out and return a correct enrolment of his company to the commanding officer of the regiment or battalion to which he belongs, whenever required, & upon refusal or neglect, to be subject to a fine not exceeding thirty dollars, unless he can make a reasonable excuse to be approved of by a regiment court martial.

And be it enacted, That all able bodied white male citizens of this State, between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, except ministers of the Gospel, and except those exempted by the act of Congress, shall be liable to stand their draft, any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it enacted, That all certificates heretofore granted for corporal inability to persons liable to do militia duty, are hereby declared to be void and of no effect—and that all surgeons of regiments & extra battallions & their mates, who are hereby empowered to grant certificates of corporal inability, before they proceed to any certificate of corporal inability to any person liable to do militia duty, shall first take the following oath or affirmation before some justice of the peace, to wit : "I do solemnly swear or affirm, as the case may be, that I will not grant a certificate of corporal inability to any person liable to do militia duty, through favor or affection, or who in my opinion is not justly entitled to the same ; or withhold it through prejudice or ill will."

From the National Intelligencer of June 27.

Two important decisions have been made in the H. of Representatives yesterday, the one a refusal to agree to any repeal or modification of the non-importation—the other, a postponement until the next session of the bills for laying the war taxes. It appeared to be the opinion of those who voted for this postponement that it would not be detrimental to the public service, in as much as the taxes were not necessary for the service of the present year, and could be considered at the next session in time to put them in operation for the service of the ensuing year. This latter decision will have the effect to shorten the present session, which we are induced to believe will not extend beyond the next week. It is thought, that an act will pass before adjournment for re-assembling Congress in the latter end of October or beginning of November.

From the Federal Gazette.

THE STATE OF THE CITY.

"Under an impression that the citizens who assembled yesterday at the mayor's office, would have made a statement somewhat like official, of the transactions of Monday evening, we postponed giving an account of that very extraordinary and alarming proceeding.

It is our painful duty to record, that on Monday last, between eight and nine o'clock in the evening, a number of persons, citizens of Baltimore, armed with axes, hooks and other instruments of destruction, assembled at the office of the Federal Republican in Gay-street, a wooden building belonging to Mr. *Robert Oliver*, of this city, broke into the house, threw the types, printing presses, paper, &c. into the street, and destroyed them and levelled the house to its foundation. One of the persons thus engaged, while in the act of knocking out a window, fell with it into the street, and was killed on the spot. The mayor of the city, the judge of Baltimore county court, the judge of the court of oyer and terminer, and several magistrates and military officers were present, and witnessed this dreadful outrage, which their peaceful efforts were insufficient to prevent, although it was generally known during the preceding day that the attack was meditated.

Such are the simple facts, upon which any comment we are capable of making must be weak and inadequate. In a land alledged to be the only one where true liberty exists, whose citizens boast that they are the "freest and most enlightened on the world," in the very centre of the city famed for its police, and emphatically styled "the most republican in the United States," in the presence of its judges, its magistrates and military officers, in open defiance of the dictates of reason and of all laws divine and human, the property of a man the most respectable, the most benevolent which the city can boast, has been wantonly destroyed."

NEW-YORK, JUNE 25.

News from our squadron under the command of Commodore Rodgers.

Capt. Lester of the brig Indian Chief, arrived at this port last evening from Madeira, and informed us that on the 18th instant he spoke the homeward bound English fleet from Jamaica, under convoy of a frigate and brig of war, consisting of *one hundred sail of Merchantmen*, and that on Tuesday last, capt. L. spoke *our squadron*, under the command of *Commodore Rodgers*, and informed him of the Jamaica fleet. The Commodore immediately shaped his course for the English fleet under a crowd of sail, with a fair wind.

The English frigate convoying the fleet had a disabled merchantman in tow, which circumstance will facilitate in all probability, the capture of the whole fleet by our squadron.

CHARLESTON, JUNE 18.

Extract of a letter from Mr. Sinclair, commanding U. S. Gun-Boat No. 164, dated at St. Mary's, the 6th inst.

"On the 28th ult. midshipman Edelen, who came here from Charleston in Gun-Boat No. 168, was ordered on board my boat. On the afternoon of the same day, he shot himself through the heart, and the ball lodged in his right shoulder just under the skin. He committed the rash deed on deck, and expired instantly. It appears he was engaged to be married to a young lady, and the day fixed for the nuptials ; but her parents interfered, and prevented the match.

"Mr. Edelen was a native of Charles county, Maryland, of a very respectable family."

Farmers Bank of Maryland,
June 29th, 1812.

In compliance with the charter of the Farmers Bank of Maryland, and with a supplement thereto, establishing a branch thereof at Frederick-town, notice is hereby given to the stockholders on the western shore, that an election will be held at the Banking-House in the city of Annapolis, on Monday the third day of August next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of choosing from amongst the stockholders, sixteen directors for the Bank at Annapolis, and nine directors for the Branch Bank at Frederick-town.

By order,
JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

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 27th day of July next, at the late dwelling of the deceased, on the North side of Severn River,

Part of the Personal Estate of said Helen Weedon, consisting of Black Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Poultry, Beds and Bedsteads, Household Furniture, Kitchen Utensils, & a great variety of other articles too tedious to mention. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, when the terms will be made known and attendance given by

HORATIO RIDOUT, } Ex'trs.
HENRY DUVALL, }
July 2, 1812. ts.

For Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Chancellor of Maryland, the subscriber will *Expose to Public Sale*, on Tuesday the 28th day of July next, That well known Tavern in the city of Annapolis, now in the occupation of William Brewer, called "The City Tavern" This property will be conveyed in fee simple to the purchaser, and Annapolis being the seat of government in the state of Maryland, every person must acknowledge is very valuable—It is the principal Tavern in the city, is exceeded by few in this or any other state for the convenience of its accommodations, and now rents for 1,000 dollars per annum

This establishment consists of two separate houses—The one called the New House contains twelve large rooms, with fire places, each large enough for four beds, a dressing table to each bed, and half a dozen chairs ; also two rooms without fire places. The Old House contains three large dining rooms, a bar, bar-room and dressing-room, on the first floor : a sitting room and eight lodging rooms on the second floor, and very excellent garret-rooms for servants There is an excellent Kitchen and wash house—Stables sufficient for fifty horses, and a Billiard Room on the premises —Also a fine Garden attached to the house, in which is a large and very good Ice-House

The terms of sale are, one tenth of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, for the balance a credit of two years will be given, the purchaser to give bond with good security. Sale to commence on the premises at ten o'clock, A. M. Possession will be given at any time after the 12th day of August next.

Thos. H. Bowie, Trustee.
June 25, 1812.

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. Com.
Annapolis, June 4, 1812.

In Council,
June 18th, 1812.

ORDERED, That "An act to alter the time of the meeting of the General Assembly of this State, and for other purposes," be published five times in the Maryland Republican and Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis ; in the Whig, Sun, American, and Federal Gazette at Baltimore ; the Star at Easton, the Republican Gazette at Frederick-town ; and the Maryland Herald at Hagerstown.

By order,
NINIAN PINKNEY, Clk.

An act to alter the time of the meeting of the General Assembly of this State, and for other purposes.

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the time of the meeting of the General Assembly shall be on the first Monday in December, in each year, instead of the first Monday in November, as is now prescribed by the Constitution and form of government.

2. *And be it enacted*, That the Governor of this state shall be chosen on the second Monday of December in each and every year in the same manner as is now prescribed by the constitution and form of government ; and the council to the governor shall be elected on the first Tuesday after the second Monday of December in each and every year, in the same manner as is now prescribed by the constitution and form of government.

3. *And be it enacted*, That all annual appointments of civil officers in this state shall be made in the third week of December in every year, in the same manner as the constitution and form of government now directs.

4. *And be it enacted*, That all and every part of the constitution and form of government that is repugnant to or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same is hereby repealed, abrogated and annulled, upon the confirmation hereof.

5. *And be it enacted*, That if this act shall be confirmed by the General Assembly after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, that in such case, this act and the alterations and amendments therein contained shall be taken and considered, and shall constitute and be valid as a part of the said constitution and form of government to all intents and purposes, any thing in the said constitution and form of government to the contrary notwithstanding.

June 27, 1812. 5w.

Sale of Negroes.

A number of Negroes, consisting of Men, Women and Children, will be exposed at public sale, at the House of Isaac Parker, in the city of Annapolis, on Monday the 13th day of July next.—They are not sold for any fault, but to pay honest and just debts. Terms of sale Cash.

BURTON WHETCROFT.
June 25. ts.

NOTICE.

The subscriber intends applying to the Judges of Charles County Court, at their next term, for the benefit of the insolvent law and its supplements.

Joseph Turner.
June 25, 1812 8w.

100 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the farm of the subscriber, on the 22d instant, on the head of South River, Anne-Arundel county, a mulatto man named BEN. commonly called BEN PROUT, he is about five feet ten inches high, a stout strong looking fellow, and is marked with a cherry on one of his cheeks, his age twenty-five. He has a father now living in Annapolis, William Prout, and also a wife, who I believe is free, he has some connexions too living in Baltimore. I will give to any person who shall apprehend and commit said fellow to gaol, if immediate information be given me thereof, so that I get him again, Ten Dollars if taken in, or ten miles from Annapolis or my place of residence, Thirty Dollars if taken any greater distance in the county, Fifty Dollars if in Baltimore, or elsewhere out of the county, and One Hundred Dollars if taken out of the state of Maryland.

Joseph Howard.
June 25, 1812. tf

50 Dollars Reward.

Ran away on the 7th instant, from the subscriber, managing for V. Maxcey, of Tulip Hill, at the farm called the Levels, on West River, a negro man named TOM PULLY, about 35 years old, 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, rather square built, and light complexioned, with a high forehead, short bad teeth, and a lisp in his speech. He had on when he went away an osnaburg shirt and pantaloons of coarse brown linen ; he had with him a wallet & two hats, an old and new one Whoever will take up said negro and deliver him to the subscriber at said farm, or lodge him in any gaol within the state, shall receive if taken within twenty miles of said farm Twenty-five Dollars, and if taken more than twenty miles off, Fifty Dollars Reward—and all reasonable expenses.

Thomas Atwell.
West River, June 18, 1812.