

PORTS OWNERS

BEAUTY

BY MR. SPENCER

Best thou you girl quick dancing by,
Chasing the painted butterfly,
Unconscious of her power...

From the Gleaner. CONUNDRUMS.

Why is Mr. Madison like the Mahometan Religion?
Because he deceives the people.
Why are his present Ministers like a set of botching tailors?

From the Northern Whig, printed at Hudson, Dec. 24. LEAD MINE.

We have heard with great pleasure that a very valuable Lead Mine has been discovered in the town of Antrim, in this county...

PRACTICAL ROMANCE

Extract of a letter to one of the Editors of the Baltimore Telegraph, dated Boston, Dec. 19.
Have you heard of a recent romance of real life that occurred in the vicinity of New York?

least for the moment, to clear your brow from the cloud of politics.

An officer who had served with credit, under the Prince of Orange in the war in the Peninsula, was captured by an American vessel when on his passage home...

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One Penny. JOHN POOLE. Round the margin of the notes are the following rhymes: "While, my friends, so scarce hard change is."

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him with warm flannels; I removed every thing warm; & had him rubbed with snow. The frictions were chiefly confined to the extremities, and large quantities of snow were applied to the abdomen and sternum.

When the appearance of life became more distinct, I attempted to extend one of the contracted arms; he was immediately seized with strong convulsions, the arm regained its former situation by a violent spring.

Public Sale.

To be sold, at public sale, on Thursday the 16th day of Feb. 1815, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the subscriber's plantation, near South-river Church, some

VALUABLE YOUNG NEGROES, a parcel of Sheep, Household Furniture, a Wheat Fan, with sundry other articles too tedious to mention.

SAMUEL MACCUBBIN. Will be sold, on the same day, some good Beds and Bedding.

To sell, or hire. THE subscriber has three or four NEGRO GIRLS,

from eleven to seventeen years old, that he would sell for a term of years, or hire.

Walter Cross, BOOT & SHOEMAKER,

Has this day opened an assortment of Calicoes, Cambric Muslins Bombazettes, Black Cambric, Shirting Cambric, Domestic Ginghams,

And a further supply of Cotton Yarn,

which makes his assortment of that article complete from No. 3 to 21.

B. CURRAN, (In the house formerly occupied by Mr. Gideon White), has the pleasure of informing his customers, and the public generally, that he has opened a good assortment of Cloths and Cassimers, and a good supply of Domestic Shirts, Stripes, and Ginghams, together with a quantity of Span Cotton Yarn, all of which he will sell on good terms.

To be Rented, THE CITY TAVERN IN ANNAPOLIS, NOW in the occupation of Mr. Isaac Parker. Possession will be given on or after the 12th day of March next.

For Sale, STOUT, HALTUS, YOUNG NEGRO MAN, Eighteen years of age. Inquire at this office.

LIST OF THE AMERICAN NAVY, WITH A STEEL LIST OF THE BRITISH NAVY.

For Sale at GEORGE SHAW'S Store, and at this Office.

BIOGRAPHY OF ANOTHER AMERICAN HERO.

Who fought and died for liberty? Letter from Colonel Howard, of the 11th Regt. of the heroes in the late battle of the Cowpens.

Gen. Francis Marion of South Carolina, I entirely agree with general Green, Lee, and other eminent judges, that he was an officer of uncommon merit, and one who rendered great services to this country during the revolutionary war.

Wishing that you may so successfully delineate the character of General Marion, as to rouse our youth to the imitation of his valor and his virtues, I remain, sir, your obedient servant, JOHN E. HOWARD.

How well he deserved such praise will appear by considering the singularly gloomy situation of our country when Marion commenced his military career.

When one of our finest armies under Gen. Lincoln was captured at Camden, and another under Gen. Gates was cut to pieces at Camden, when a whole division under General Sumpter was completely surprized, and that unfortunatly massacred; when such a run of horrible blunders and disasters, the last spark of liberty seemed to be extinguished in the Southern States, and multitudes of frightened citizens thought of nothing but getting British protections—then it was, that dark and hopeless state of our cause, that Marion came forth, instead of floating with the cowardly down the stream of despair, he rose upon the wings of genius and virtue against the cloud of war, and like the eagle of Heaven, seemed to rejoice in the darkening storm.

20 Dollars Reward. Ran away on the 2d of May, a Negro Man called Ned, who, with several others, added that of Jones, was brought suit in Anne Arundel county by John Golder, for their right to freedom which suit, at the last term of the court, was dismissed for the want of proof.

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Blank Bonds, Declared void by the State of Maryland.

STATE OF MARYLAND.

AN ACT

providing for the better Defense of this State, and to prevent the necessity of frequent calls of the Militia.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of this State, that for the better defence of this State, and to prevent the necessity of frequent calls of the Militia, it shall and it is the duty of the several counties, cities, towns, and parishes, to raise and maintain a militia of able-bodied men, between the ages of sixteen and fifty years; provided, that no person shall be enlisted without the consent of his master, parent, guardian, expressed in writing, unless he or her hand first had and obtained; and each regiment, or company, shall consist of four companies, each of fifty men, and one of light infantry, or riflemen; and each company shall consist of ten privates, six corporals, one drummer, and one fifer, with four sappers or artificers to each company of the line, and five companies of artillery, one attached to each regiment of infantry, and each to consist of fifty-six men, eight artificers, four sergeants, four corporals, and two musicians; provided always, that the said troops shall not in any case be required to serve in any part of Pennsylvania or the Susquehanna, nor north of the counties of Lancaster, Berks and Northampton, nor in any part of Virginia, the Blue-Ridge, or south-west of the Blue-Ridge; and provided also, that the government of the United States shall have declared that the whole or any portion of the said troops, which shall be raised, shall for the period of being raised, be paid, clothed, and subsisted, at the expense of the United States, and shall agree to reimburse, to this State, all expense which may be incurred in the equipping, and putting the whole or any portion of the said troops, or any of them, on board of any vessel, or to assume the debt of any State may have incurred for the purpose, and shall likewise make good by law authorizing the time service agreeably to the provisions of this act.

And be it enacted, That the troops shall be formed into one division of two brigades, and that for the command of them the following shall be appointed, viz: For the first division, a major-general, with two lieutenants, to be taken from the captains or subalterns of the division; and shall have the rank of majors; and each brigade shall consist of one brigadier-general, one brigadier-major, one lieutenant-colonel, one major, one lieutenant, and one captain; and for each company of artillery, one captain, one first lieutenant, one second lieutenant, and one sergeant; and for each company of riflemen, one captain, one first lieutenant, and one third lieutenant.

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