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This in which dealing and trade shall have been; one half thereof to the use of the informer, and the other half to the use of the U. States, to be recovered in any action of law with costs of suit.

Sec. 13. *And be it further enacted,* That if the said corporation shall advance or lend any sum of money for the use or on account of the government of the United States, to an amount exceeding five hundred thousand dollars; or of any particular state to an amount exceeding fifty thousand dollars; or of any foreign prince or state, (unless previously authorized thereto by a law of the United States) all and every person and persons, by and with whose order, agreement, consent, approbation and connivance, such unlawful advance or loan shall have been made, upon conviction thereof shall forfeit and pay, for every such offence, treble the value or amount of the sum or sums, which have been so unlawfully advanced or lent: one fifth thereof to the use of the informer, and the residue thereof to the use of the United States.

Sec. 14. *And be it further enacted,* That the bills or notes of the said corporation originally made payable, or which shall have become payable on demand, shall be receivable in all payments to the U. States, unless otherwise directed by act of Congress.

Sec. 15. *And be it further enacted,* That during the continuance of this act, and whenever required by the Secretary of the Treasury, the said corporation shall give the necessary facilities for transferring the public funds from place to place, within the U. S. or the territories thereof, and for distributing the same in payment of the public creditors, without charging commissions or claiming allowance on account of difference of exchange, and shall also do and perform the several and respective duties of the commissioners of loans for the several states, or any one or more of them, whenever required by law.

Sec. 16. *And be it further enacted,* That the deposits of the money of the U. S. in places in which the said bank and branches thereof may be established, shall be made in said bank or branches thereof, unless the secretary of the treasury shall at any time otherwise order and direct: in which case the secretary of the treasury shall immediately lay before Congress, if in session, if not immediately after the commencement of the next session, the reasons of such order or direction.

Sec. 17. *And be it enacted,* That the said corporation shall not at any time suspend or refuse payment in gold and silver, of any of its notes, bills, or obligations; nor of any monies received upon deposit in said bank, or in any of its offices of discount and deposit. And if the said corporation shall at any time refuse or neglect to pay on demand any bill, note or obligation issued by the corporation, according to the contract, promise or undertaking therein expressed; or shall neglect or refuse to pay on demand any monies received in said bank, or in any of its offices aforesaid, on deposits, to the person or persons entitled to receive the same, then, and in every such case, the holder of such note, bill, or obligation, or the person or persons entitled to demand and receive such monies as aforesaid, shall respectively be entitled to receive and recover interest on the said bills, notes, obligations or monies, until the same shall be fully paid and satisfied, at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the time of such demand as aforesaid; Provided, That Congress may at any time hereafter enact laws enforcing and regulating the recovery of the amount of the notes, bills, obligations or other debts, of which payment shall have been refused as aforesaid, with the rate of interest abovementioned, vesting jurisdiction for that purpose in any courts, either of law or equity, of the U. S. or territories thereof, or of the several states, as they may deem expedient.

Sec. 18. *And be it further enacted,* That if any person shall falsely make, forge or counterfeit, or cause or procure to be falsely made, forged, or counterfeited, or willingly aid or assist in falsely making, forging or counterfeiting any bill or note in imitation of or purporting to be a bill or note issued by order of the president, directors and company of the said bank, or any order or check on the said bank, or any

der or check on the said bank or corporation, or any cashier thereof, or shall falsely alter, or cause or procure to be falsely altered; or willingly aid or assist in falsely altering any bill or note issued by order of the president, directors and company of the said bank, or any order or check on the said bank or corporation, or any cashier thereof; or shall pass, utter or publish, or attempt to pass, utter or publish as true any false, forged or counterfeited bill or note purporting to be a bill or note issued by order of the president, directors and company of the said bank; or any false, forged or counterfeited order or check upon the said bank or corporation, or any cashier thereof, knowing the same to be false, forged or counterfeited; or shall pass, utter or publish, or attempt to pass, utter or publish as true any false, forged or counterfeited bill or note issued by order of the president, directors and company of the said bank, or any false, forged or counterfeited order or check upon the said bank or corporation, or any cashier thereof, knowing the same to be false, forged or counterfeited; or shall sell, utter or deliver, or cause to be sold, uttered or delivered, any forged or counterfeit note or bill in imitation of or purporting to be a bill or note issued by order of the president and directors of the said bank, knowing the same to be false, forged or counterfeited; every such person shall be deemed and adjudged guilty of felony, and being thereof convicted by due course of law, shall be sentenced to hard labour for not less than three years, nor more than ten years, or shall be imprisoned not exceeding ten years, and fined not exceeding five thousand dollars. Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to deprive the courts of the individual states of a jurisdiction under the laws of the several states, over any offence declared punishable by this act.

Sec. 19. *And be it further enacted,* That if any person shall make or engrave, or cause or procure, to be made or engraved, or shall have in his custody or possession any metallic plate, engraved after the similitude of any plate from which any notes or bills issued by the said corporation shall have been printed, with intent to use such plate, or to cause or suffer the same to be used in forging or counterfeiting any of the notes or bills issued by the said corporation; or shall have in his custody or possession any paper adapted to the making of bank notes or bills, and similar to the paper upon which any notes or bills of the said corporation shall have been issued, with intent to use such paper, or cause or suffer the same to be used in forging or counterfeiting any of the notes or bills issued by the said corporation, every such person, being thereof convicted by due course of law, shall be sentenced to be imprisoned, and kept to hard labour, for a term not exceeding five years, or shall be imprisoned for a term not exceeding five years, and fined a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars.

Sec. 20. *And be it further enacted,* That in consideration of the exclusive privileges and benefits conferred by this act, upon the said bank, the president, directors and company thereof, shall pay to the U. S. out of the corporate funds thereof, the sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars, in three equal payments; that is to say, five hundred thousand dollars at the expiration of two years, five hundred thousand dollars at the expiration of three years, and five hundred thousand dollars after the said bank shall be organized, and commence its operations, in the manner herein before provided.

Sec. 21. *And be it further enacted,* That no other bank shall be established by any future law of the U. States during the continuance of the corporation hereby created, for which the faith of the United States is hereby pledged: Provided, Congress may renew existing charters for banks in the district of Columbia, not increasing the capital thereof, and may also establish any other

bank or banks in said District, with capitals not exceeding in the whole six millions of dollars, if they shall deem it expedient. And, notwithstanding the expiration of the term for which the said corporation is created, it shall be lawful to use the corporate name, style and capacity, for the purpose of suits for the final settlement and liquidation of the affairs and accounts of the corporation, and for the sale and disposition of their estate, real, personal and mixed; but not for any other purpose, or in any other manner whatsoever, nor for a period not exceeding two years after the expiration of said term of corporation.

Sec. 22. *And be it further enacted,* That if the subscriptions and payments of said bank shall not be made and completed so as to enable the same to commence its operations, or if the said bank shall not commence its operations on or before the first Monday in April next, then and in that case Congress may at any time within twelve months thereafter declare by law this act null and void.

Sec. 23. *And be it further enacted,* That it shall at all times be lawful for a committee of either house of Congress, appointed for that purpose, to inspect the books, and to examine the proceedings of the corporation hereby created, and to report whether the provisions of this charter have been by the said corporation or not, and whenever any committee as aforesaid shall find or report, or the President of the U. States shall have reason to believe, that the charter has been violated, it may be lawful for Congress, to direct, or the President to order a writ facias to be issued out of the circuit court of the district of Pennsylvania, in the name of the United States, (which shall be executed upon the president of the corporation for the time being, at least fifteen days before the commencement of the term of said court,) calling on the said corporation to show cause whyfore the charter hereby granted shall not be declared forfeited; and it shall be lawful for the said court, upon the return of the said writ facias, to examine into the truth of the alleged violation, and if such violation be made appear, then to pronounce and adjudge that the said charter is forfeited and annulled. *Provided,* however, Every issue of fact which may be joined between the United States and the corporation aforesaid, shall be tried by jury. And it shall be lawful for the court aforesaid to require the production of such of the books of the corporation as it may deem necessary for the ascertainment of the controverted facts; and the final judgment of the court aforesaid, shall be examinable in the supreme court of the United States, by writ of error, and may be there reversed or affirmed according to the usages of law.

H. CLAY,
Speaker of the House of Reps.
JOHN GAillard,
President of the Senate pro tempore.
April 10, 1816—APPROVED,
JAMES MADISON.

SERMONS
Addressed to Masters and Servants, Published in the year 1743, by the Rev. Thos. Bacon, Minister of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Maryland, now republished, with other tracts and dialogues on the same subject, and recommended to all masters and mistresses to be used in their families, by the Rev. William Meade—Price \$1 00—For sale by
George Shaw.

Who has also received the Infallible Inkstands, which produce excellent Ink by simply pouring a little water in them.
Annapolis, April 7, 1816. 3

Forty Dollars Reward,
Ranaway from the farm of the subscriber, on South river, in Anne Arundel county, about the 21st of April last, a negro woman named Milly, of a dark complexion, about five feet six or seven inches high, stout and strong in her make, has large and thick lips, slow in speech, and mild and placid in her manner of conversing. She is 38 or 39 years of age. She has a brother by the name of Josh, formerly the property of Judge Chase, and at present I am informed in the possession of Mr. Philip Thomas, living on Thomas's point near Annapolis, by whom I have reason to believe she is either harboured, or has been furnished with a pass, having understood that Josh can read and write. She has also near relations belonging to the estate of the late Daniel Clarke, of Prince Georges county, and I will give the above reward if the said woman be apprehended in Anne Arundel or Prince Georges county, and \$50 if elsewhere, so that I get her again.
Joseph Howard,
Jan. 18, 1816. 15

Benjamin Sewell,
Hat and Shoe Manufacturer,
Respectfully returns his thanks to his generous public for the flattering encouragement he has received for nine years past, and begs leave to inform them that he still continues the above business at his old stand in church street, a few doors above the office of the Maryland Gazette. He has on hand an excellent assortment of Morocco for Ladies' shoes, and a good stock of leather for boots and shoes for gentlemen, all which will be made up on accommodating terms for cash, and a liberal credit to punctual customers.
N. B. He constantly keeps for sale, Leather and Shoe Makers Utensils.
March 14. 3m.

Dancing School
Opened at Mr. Baldwin's.
The Ladies and Gentlemen of Annapolis and its vicinity, are respectfully informed that Mr. Duclairac will keep his Dancing School at Mr. Baldwin's for three weeks only, after which time it will be transferred to the Ball Room. The hours of tuition are at ten o'clock for ladies on Fridays and Saturdays; for gentlemen at twelve or one o'clock.
April 11, 1816. 3

Public Sale.
On Tuesday 30th April, will be sold at the late dwelling of William Wheatcroft on Deep Creek, 5 miles from Annapolis, all the property of the deceased, consisting of three Negro Men slaves, and one Woman; the men are valuable plantation hands; the woman, though advanced in years, is a good washer and doted to all kind of house and plantation work; also three horse-escapes, Male, fourteen young Hogs, a Cart, Pumps and other plantation utensils, Beds and beddings, household & scientific furniture, &c. Terms of sale—Cash for all sums under twenty dollars; six months credit for sums over twenty dollars; payment to be secured by note with approved security on interest from the sale. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock. By order of Anne Arundel County Orphan Court, April 9th, 1816. *John Randall, Adm'r.*

FOR SALE,
THE RISING-SUN FARM.
By virtue of a decree of the honourable the Chancellor of Maryland, the subscribers will sell at public sale, on Saturday the 27th of April next, on the premises, that valuable tract of land, called Part of Howard's First Choice, and known by the name of the Rising Sun, situate on the road leading from Annapolis to Baltimore, 10 miles distant from the former, and 20 from the latter place; containing about five hundred acres of land, full one half in woods heavily timbered, consisting of hickory, oak, chestnut and poplar. This property adjoins that of Thomas Furlong, Esq. who has used the plaster of Paris to considerable advantage—it is well watered. The improvements tolerably good, with a great abundance of choice fruit, &c. &c. Any person wishing to view the land previous to the day of sale can see the same by applying to Augustine Gumbert near the premises. The terms of sale will be a credit—one third to be paid in six months, one third in twelve months, and the remaining third in eighteen months; the purchaser giving bonds with good security, bearing interest from the day of sale. When the whole of the purchase money is paid a good deed will be given, by
William H. Baldwin, Trustees
Augustin Gumbert,
Thomas Worthington.
The editor of the Federal Gazette will please insert the above advertisement twice a week till the day of sale, and forward his account to this office for collection.
March 21, 1816. 6

Public Sale.
The subscriber offers for sale, a farm containing about four hundred acres of land, lying within nine miles of the city of Annapolis, and twenty-one from the city of Baltimore; it is an excellent soil, peculiarly adapted to the growth of clover; Plaster of Paris may be used to great advantage. There is now in good order thirty acres of low ground meadow, producing abundant crops of hay, and much more may be added with small expense. A very large proportion of this land is bounded in timber of every description, cord wood, of oak and hickory, to almost any amount may be spared without injuring the farm. To a farmer or grazier this land offers many advantages. There is also on the premises a comfortable dwelling-house, with necessary out buildings, orchards of different kinds of fruit, &c. Any person inclined to purchase this property will be shown the premises by application to the subscriber, living adjoining to the same. This property will be offered at public sale, on Tuesday the thirtieth day of April, if fair, if not the next fair day. The terms, which will be accommodating, can be known by application to R. Welch, of Ben, in the city of Annapolis, or the subscriber.
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H. C. Munroe,
Has just received, and will receive
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3-4, 6-4, 7-4 & 8-4 Diapers,
Bed Ticking,
Domestic and India Cottons,
Calicoes,
3-4 and 6-4 Dimities,
Men and Women's Gloves assorted,
Shawls and Handkerchiefs, &c.
And a variety of other articles in
Dry Good Line.
On hand, a good assortment of
IRONMONGERY, among which are
No. 1, 2, 3, & Virginia Broad and
ing Hoops.

200 Dollars Reward.
Ranaway from or about the 25th of July last, a negro man named London, calls himself London Turner, late of property of Mr. George W. Higgins, of Anne Arundel County, London is 38 or 40 years of age, five feet ten or eleven inches high, grey eyes, yellow complexion; had on when he absconded a new black furd hat, a blue great coat, with a large cape; he had other clothing with him. London is a complete carpenter and joiner; he has a wife and three or four children, the property of Mr. Richd Higgin, late of Prince Georges county, as likewise mother and several sisters residing either in George town, or Washington City. This fellow, was purchased by the subscriber at the sale of George W. Higgins property. A reward of 100 dollars will be given if he is taken in the state, and the above reward if out of the state, and secured in any part so that I get him again.
David Ridgely,
Annapolis, April 11, 1816.
N. B. All persons are hereby warned harbouring said negro at their peril.

The Subscriber
Hereby gives notice, that he has sold out all his interest in and to, the late concerns of Ridgely and Weems, Ridgely Weems & Co. and also Ridgely & Weems's last concern, unto Mr. Absalom Ridgely.
James Weems,
Annapolis, April 2, 1816.
All those indebted to the above mentioned concerns are hereby requested to make immediate payment to Washington field and Ridgely, who are authorized to settle the same.
April 4, 1816. *Absalom Ridgely.*

This is to give notice,
That the subscriber has obtained from the orphan court of Anne Arundel county letters of administration on the personal estate of Frederick M'Kubin, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to produce their properly authenticated vouchers, to make payment.
James M'Kubin, Adm'r.
April 11, 1816. 3

Sheriff's Sale.
By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, me directed from Anne Arundel county court, will be exposed to public sale on Friday the third day of May, the premises, which it could fall back in the event of disaster. It was ordered to march upon the Queenston and St. David's road, and to return upon the same route.
No copy of the commanding general's order now remains. The book in which it was entered, and the original have both been lost through the casualties of war; but the object of the expedition is proved to have been "to batter down De Coos's house, said to be fortified, and garrisoned by a company of regulars and 60 or 100 Indians, and capture or dislodge the enemy stationed there."
On the same day, that is, on the 18th June, 1813, the pickets of the American army coveted ground to the extent of two miles in front of Fort George, and no more.

This is to give notice,
That the subscriber of Anne Arundel county hath obtained from the orphan court of Anne Arundel county letters testamentary on the personal estate of Henry Woodard, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with their vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the first day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of March 1816.
John Scappington, Exor.
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BATTLE OF THE BEAVER DAMS.
Battle of the Beaver Dams to the People of the U. States.
Immediately after the close of the war with Great Britain, I left the United States for South America, and have since been to Europe. In my return I deeply regret to find that slander and misrepresentation have not yet ceased to assail my conduct in regard to the "battle of the Beaver Dams," which took place in Upper Canada in June 1813. A respect for those, whose names I value, induces me therefore, at this distant period of time, to publish the following "statement of facts" deduced by an honourable jury court, from the testimony of numerous witnesses, and the "confessions" of that court founded on the facts; believing confidently that this will be sufficient to convince all candid minds, that although I am a native of the State of New York, and in my duty to my country, I have not been wanting in any measure of fidelity to the cause of the "Beaver-dams." The affidavits of the public, the editors of periodical publications, & newspapers, are earnestly solicited to send the cause of justice, by inserting this document.
Baltimore, April 20, 1816.
BALTIMORE 17th Feb. 1815. REPORT.
The court met pursuant to adjournment.
The court having heard and considered the testimony adduced in this case, have the honour to report to the honourable the secretary of war the following statement of facts.
That on the 23d day of June, 1813, a detachment of the army of the United States then stationed at Fort George in Upper Canada, was ordered to proceed against an advanced post of the enemy at De Coos's house. That a detail of 575 men, in proportions of infantry, artillery, dragoons and riflemen, accompanied by a party of mounted men under captain Chapin, were ordered for the expedition, & the lieutenant-col. Charles G. Bærstler, of the 14th Infantry, was selected for the command; the riflemen were not furnished according to the detail & the expedition proceeded without them.
The infantry carried in their boxes thirty-two rounds of musket-ball cartridges, and the ammunition wagon contained a reserve of 5 or 6000 rounds.
The artillery, two field pieces, was well supplied with fixed ammunition of round and cannon shot.
The expedition was accompanied by two four horse waggons, carrying the ammunition and provisions, without entrenching tools, and was not followed by any detachment on which it could fall back in the event of disaster. It was ordered to march upon the Queenston and St. David's road, and to return upon the same route.
No copy of the commanding general's order now remains. The book in which it was entered, and the original have both been lost through the casualties of war; but the object of the expedition is proved to have been "to batter down De Coos's house, said to be fortified, and garrisoned by a company of regulars and 60 or 100 Indians, and capture or dislodge the enemy stationed there."
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