

near a fence, a short distance from the road leading from... to Pompton, and about a quarter of a mile from her former residence...
A jury of inquest was immediately summoned, but no marks of violence were discovered...
The jury reported, her death was occasioned by the inclemency of the weather and the hand of God.

NOVEMBER TERM, 1816 PENITENTIARY REPORT.

The undersigned by the appointment of the Honorable Court Oyer and Terminer and Grand Jury for Baltimore county, conformable to an act concerning the Penitentiary, and have the great pleasure in stating that it could find no cause of complaint but on the contrary they found strictest regularity, good order, active industry, & perfect cleanliness throughout the whole establishment.

The enclosed list will show the number of criminals, and how they are employed.

- Thos. C. Jenkins
- Emmanuel Keat,
- John Shaw,
- Abner Neal,
- John Kelso,
- Wm. Maresy,

MARYLAND PENITENTIARY

November 1st, 1816.
For the Grand Jury of Baltimore County,

An account of the prisoners confined, and their employment.

- MALFS.
 - Weaving, Quilting, Warming, &c.
 - Brush making
 - Cordwaining
 - Nailing
 - Coopering
 - Turning
 - Carpentering
 - Tailoring
 - Smithing
 - Cooking and Baking
 - Nursing
 - House Work
 - Cutting Dye Wood
 - Jobbing
 - Picking Oakum
 - Invalids
 - Gardening
 - Cells
 - Sick
- | | |
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| Females | 79 |
| Males | 187 |
| Total | 267 |

BENJ. WILLIAMS, Keeper.

Sale Postponed.

The subscriber offers for sale...
The facility of the soil excellent, admirably adapted to the growth of Indian corn, wheat and tobacco; Phlaster of Paris can be used to great advantage. The improvements are a dwelling house in an unfinished state, which may be finished at a small expense...
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MARYLAND GAZETTE

Annapolis, Thursday, Dec. 2.

Legislature of Maryland.

MONDAY, Dec. 2.
Being the day designated by the constitution for the meeting of the Legislature of this state, the following gentlemen appeared in the House of Delegates, to wit:
For St. Mary's county, William Scott, Henry Watts, Gerard N. Kern, esqrs.
For Kent county, Robert Dunn, James Ringgold, Thomas Whittington, esqrs.
For Anne Arundel county, Rodrick Dorsey, Thomas H. Dorsey.
For Charles county, Nicholas Bostwick, Lawrence Eosey, esqrs.
For Baltimore county, George Warner, George Hartman, Abraham H. Price, Alvin Showers, esqrs.
For Talbot county, Edward N. Hamilton, Alexander Hands, Robert Banning, esqrs.
For Somerset county, Littleton D. Dennis, Hampden Haynie, esq.
For Dorchester county, Thomas Pitt, Benjamin W. Lecompte, Robert Hart, Edward Griffith, esqrs.
For Cecil county, Lambert Beard, Philip Thomas, esqrs.
For Prince-George's county, George Semmes, esq.
For the City of Annapolis, Lewis Davall, Dennis Claude, esqrs.
For Queen-Anne's county, William R. McConaigh, Kensey Harrison, esqrs.
For Worcester county, William S. Sibly, Isaac Mitchell, esqrs.
For Frederick county, Richard Potts, Joseph Taney, Joshua Howard, Ignatius Davis, esqrs.
For Harford county, Samuel Bradford, John Glenn, esqrs.
For Caroline county, Matthew Driver, James Houston, William McDonald, Samuel Culbreth, esqrs.
For the City of Baltimore, William Stewart, esq.
For Washington county, John Bowler, Jacob Schnebly, Christian Hagar, esqrs.
For Montgomery county, George C. Washington, esq.
A quorum being assembled, they severally qualified in the presence of each other, in the manner prescribed by the constitution, and adjourned until to-morrow morning.

Tuesday, Dec. 3.

Messrs Thomas Sellman and Chas Stewart, from Anne Arundel, Mr. John T. Soddert, from Charles, Mr. F. M. Hall, from Prince George's, Mr. Thomas Kell, from Baltimore city, Messrs Leonard Watkins, Zadock Lanham & Richard B. Watts, from Montgomery, appeared, and took their seats.
Nicholas Stonestreet, esq. was appointed Speaker.
Mr. Louis Gassaway was appointed Clerk, Mr. John Stevens Assistant Clerk, Mr. Cornelius Mills Sergeant at Arms, Mr. Caleb Stewart door-keeper, Messrs Hinaldo Pindell, John W. Boddsey, George Mordoch, Marcus Lullimer and Samuel Fountain, Committee Clerks—severally qualified.
On motion by Mr. Soddert, Leave given to bring in a bill for appointing a printer to the state.
On motion by Mr. Bowler, Leave given to bring in a bill for the relief of John Shick of Washington county.
Mr. Potts delivers a petition from the levy court of Frederick, to levy money for securing a new goal. Referred.
Messrs Taney, Dennis, Caisin, Driver and R. Dorsey, were appointed by ballot a committee of elections, and securities of claims.
Messrs Banning, Hall, Griffith, Davall, Washington, Bowler and Warner, securities of claims.
Messrs Lecompte, Potts, Hambleton, Bostwick and Harrison, a committee of grievances and court of justice.
Mr. Kell delivers a memorial from the Phoenix Fire Insurance Company of Baltimore, for an act of incorporation. Referred.
Adjourned.

From the Boston Palladium, Nov. 26.

LATEST FROM RUSSIA.

Generally arrived at this port by the S. brig Prometheus, A. S. W. Smith, Comander, 35 days from St. Petersburg, and 30 from London.
This is the vessel which carried the despatches from the American government to the Court of Russia, which arrived at St. Petersburg on the 27th Sept. and remained there till the 20th of October, during which time the Emperor was absent on a journey.
It is understood that she has brought despatches from the American Court at St. Petersburg, and an account of

the absence of the Emperor, it is presumed they are not unknown to the communications of our government, for which probably Mr. C. remained at St. Petersburg. The Prometheus brings no intelligence of importance. Mr. Pinkney had not arrived.

Worthy of Remark.

The ship Beverly, belonging to the Hon. J. Thorndike, which arrived here on the 7th inst. from Canton, left this port on the 22d of July, 1815; stopped 31-2 months in Valparaiso, visited all the Sandwich Islands and the Maron Islands, in the Pacific Ocean; loaded at Canton; came the eastern passage through Dampier Straits; stopped 8 days at the Cape of Good Hope; has averaged whilst absent 5 knots and 1-8; and has landed 755 tons of goods, consisting of 19,500 packages, not one in the least damaged. And what is the most remarkable, during her voyage round the world, she has not lost a spar of the smallest size, nor had the most trifling accident to happen; and the very sails which were bent before her sailing having been constantly worn during the voyage.

To the Editor of the London Globe.

It not being generally known that the gallant Sir Sidney Smith, has caused to be erected a Monument to the memory of Captain Wright, at Paris; as an officer of that unfortunate gentleman, I request your insertion of the epitaph, which I copied on the spot.

Captain Wright's remains were buried in the Cemetery of Pere La Chaise, at Paris, and his friend Sir Sidney has this year erected a Monument to his memory; the upper part of which is of a pyramidal or obelisk form, on the plane of which are the letters D. O. M. and underneath an urn, in basso relievo, with two weeping figures on each side, with torches reversed, as on the point of extinction. The base has also a figure standing on each side, with torches reversed, the whole of the base, and the pedestal of the urn are divided into six compartments, into which the inscription is distributed in Latin, of which the following is a translation:

HERE LIES INHUMED.

JOHN WESLEY WRIGHT, by birth an Englishman, Captain in the British Navy, distinguished both among his own countrymen and foreigners for skill and courage, to whom, of those things which lead to the summit of glory, nothing was wanting but the opportunity.
His Ancestors, whose Virtues he inherited he honoured by his Deeds. Quick in apprehending his Orders active and bold in the execution of them.

In success modest, in adverse circumstances firm, in doubtful enterprise wise and prudent.

As while successful in his career, at length assailed by adverse winds, and on a hostile shore, he was captured, and being soon after brought to Paris, was confined in the prison called the Temple, infamous for midnight murders, & placed under the most rigid custody, but in bonds, and suffering severities still more oppressive, his fortitude of mind, and fidelity to his country, remained unshaken. A short time after, he was found in the morning with his throat cut, and dead in his bed. He died the 28th Oct. 1806, aged 36. To be lamented by his country—avenged by his God!
William Sidney Smith, in testimony of ancient friendship, erected this Monument in year of the Christian Era, 1816.

Paris, Oct. 14.

A new ship of the line, called Wassonsaat, was launched on the 7th inst. at Amsterdam.

Singular preservation of animal life without food.

Extract of a letter from Thomas Mantell, esq. F. R. S. to the Secretary of the Linnæan Society, London, containing an account of an extraordinary instance of the preservation of animal life, without food, in the case of a pig which was buried in the sty by a fall of part of the chalk cliff under Dover castle, on the 10th December, 1810.
"On the 23d of May, one hundred and sixty days after the accident, I was told that some of the workmen employed in removing the fallen chalk had heard the whining of the pig; and although I had great doubt of the fact, I encouraged them to proceed in clearing away the

chalk from the sty, under the direction of the owner, Mr. Poole, who was present. I was as soon afterwards surprised to see the pig alive extricated from its confinement. His figure was extremely emaciated, having scarcely any muscles discernible; his bristles were erect, though not stiff, but soft and white. The animal was lively, walked well, took food eagerly. At the time of the accident it was fat, and supposed to have weighed 160 pounds, but it now weighed no more than 40 lbs. I am assured at the time of the fall there was neither food nor water in the sty, which is a cave about six feet square, dug in the rock and bored in front—and the whole was covered about thirty feet deep in the fallen chalk. The door and other wood in front of the sty had been much nibbled, and the sides of the cave were very smooth, having apparently been constantly licked for the moisture exuding thro' the rock. There was no doubt some of the loose chalk had been eaten."

Lon. Paper.

Unparalleled Robbery.

Among the great number of robberies committed lately, we have to record one of the most singular perhaps, that ever occurred. On Sunday evening last, Mr. Joshua Hancock, baker, in William-street, Plymouth Dock, having set his sponge, filled the oven with fuel, and made the necessary preparations for supplying his customers with loaves and cakes on the following morning, retired to bed about 11 o'clock. About 5 o'clock on Monday, he arose with his apprentice, and proceeded to the bake-house, in the court adjoining his house; but on unlocking the door, they found several articles, placed the night before in regular order, lying on the floor, and every thing else in inexplicable confusion. Alarmed at the sight he searched further, & found his flour sack removed, the frames of the windows taken out, and evident traces of the presence of thieves. But the wonder did not cease here. To his infinite astonishment, the baking implements had been used, the fuel intended to heat the oven was gone, the oven, hot; and all the sponge, consisting of near fourteen quarters of flour, wetted the night before, no longer viable.

In fact, the thieves had been adroit enough to enter the premises without creating alarm, heat the oven, sweep it, knead the dough, make it into cakes and loaves, and bake and carry them away, with nearly a sack of flour, perfectly unmolested! Two labouring men who slept over the bake-house, heard people at work, but considering them to be Mr. Hancock and his apprentice, took no particular notice of the circumstance. Advertisements offering a reward have been published, and several peace officers employed to discover the offenders, but hitherto in vain. Three men were met going over the fields by Plymouth, carrying bags, about 5 o'clock on the same morning, but no suspicions being entertained, they were not followed to their place of retreat.

From a Lohpoo Paper.

Father G. a Jesuit expresses himself as follows respecting the treasures of arts, &c. which have been brought back from Paris to the monastery of St. Peter, at Erfurt:—"Among the relics are many highly valuable which may be regarded as diamonds of the finest water:—as for example, nine of the studs of the 11,000 virgins, a piece of the gown of the Virgin Mary, the luning hammer belonging to David's trap, and many other similar treasures, in comparison of which the French contributions appear as nothing."

An advertisement in a French paper carries sentiment nearly as far as we think it can well go. A lady who has lost a dog, announces that she will give two hundred francs to any one who brings it back to her, for though the dog is very ugly, she loves him dearly!

From the Recollections of Italy, &c.

"At the cataract of Niagara the Indian ladder which was formerly there being broken, I wished in spite of the representations of my guide to get to the bottom of the fall by a perpendicular rock of about 200 feet high. I ventured upon the descent, notwithstanding the roaring cataract and the frightful abyss which boiled beneath me. I kept my head steady, & got to about 40 feet from the bottom. But here

the smooth and vertical rock offered no more fears of descent where I might see my feet; I remained hanging by the hand to my whole length, not able to get up or down, feeling my fingers open by degrees from weakness under the weight of my body, and seeing death inevitable. There are few men who have in their lives passed two minutes as I reckoned them, then suspended over the gulf of Niagara. At last my hands opened, and I fell." Now then our readers will conclude there was an end of Mr. de Chateaubriand.—no. "By the most unheeded of good fortune I fell upon the bare rock, where I should naturally have dashed myself a hundred times to pieces, and yet I felt no great hurt; I was half an inch from the abyss, and I had not rolled into it."—Vol. 2, p. 228.

Interesting to Millers.

At the last session of the Circuit Court of the United States, a cause was tried and decided, involving a principle, which has excited much anxiety in this and several other states. It was a suit brought by OLIVIA EVANS against EATON, for an infringement of his patent right, in using the HOPPER BOY.—The defence taken was that EVANS was not the inventor of the HOPPER BOY—that it was invented by another person—and that, at most, EVANS had but improved it. The trial occupied a length of time; many witnesses were examined on both sides; and the cause ably argued by counsel. The defence was sufficiently established in point of fact; and, under the charge of the Court, the Jury found a verdict for the defendant.—We shall probably be able at a future day to lay a full report both of the trial and of the judge's charge before our readers. This decision goes to destroy Mr. Evans's right to the HOPPER BOY—His other improvements on mill machinery contained in his patent, was not the subject of this suit.

U. S. Gazette.

Fashionable Millenary.

HENRIETTA SMITH, Respectfully informs the Ladies of Annapolis, and its Vicinity, that she has lately received from Baltimore, and offers for sale, an assortment of Millenary, among others the following articles:

- Velvet Hats, with feathers,
- Silk do.
- Fashionable Caps and Turbans,
- Black Leghorn Hats,
- Split Straw do.
- Ladies Beaver do. and feathers,
- Ditto for Misses,
- Black and White Caps,
- Wellington Trimmings,
- Mock Merino Shawls,
- Twilled and Cassimers do.
- Black and White Patinet,
- White Furrs,
- Silk, Lace and Coloured Buttons, Sewing Silk,
- Pastebords and Wire, &c. &c.

FOR GENTLEMEN,

- Red and Yellow Silk Handkerchiefs,
- Cravats with coloured borders, plain do Black Handkerchiefs, Silk Stockings & Gloves, short cotton Stockings, Beaver Gloves of different colours, Suspenders of a superior kind, &c.
- All which articles will be disposed of on the most accommodating terms.
- December 5. Sw.

Notice is hereby Given,

That an application will be made to the Legislature, at their next session, to open a road from the Annapolis road, at Mrs. Coe's Tavern, (where the roads to Hollands Ferry and to Crags ferry unite), to the intersection of the three roads by the fence of Mr. Pumphrey's old field, so as to connect the Annapolis road with the mountain road, and the roads leading to the head of Magdohy and to Brody Neck, a distance of about two and a half miles.

A. A. County, 20th Nov. 1816. J. Carole

NOTICE.

The Levy Court of Anne Arundel county will meet in the city of Annapolis on Monday the 20th January next for the purpose of settling with the Supervisors of the public roads, the Inspectors of Tobacco at the different warehouses, and for receiving and adjusting all claims against the said county for the year 1816.

By Order, Wm. B. Green, Clk.

December, 8.

For Sale,

Several valuable plantation, &c. Inquire at this office. December 6. J. P. Mace

By His Excellency Charles Ridgely of Hampton, Esq. Governor of Maryland.

A PROCLAMATION.

Whereas the General Assembly of Maryland did by an act passed at November session, 1815, entitled, "An act to reduce into one the several acts of Assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections," direct the governor and council after having received the returns of elections of the members to represent this state in the Congress of the United States, should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes given for each and every person voted for as member to 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 direction of the said act, do hereby declare, that by the returns made to us, it appears that Philip Stewart, esq. was elected for the first district; John C. Herbert, esq. was elected for the 2d district; George Esters, esq. was elected for the third district; Samuel Mingo, esq. was elected for the fourth district; Samuel Smith and Peter Little, esquires, were elected for the fifth district; Philip Reed, esq. was elected for the sixth district; Thomas Culbreth, esq. was elected for the seventh district; and Thomas Bayly, esq. was elected for the eighth district.

Given in Council at the City of Annapolis, this thirtieth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the forty first.

G. Ridgely, of Hampton, By His Excellency's command,

Miriam Pinkney, Clerk of the Council.

Ordered, That the foregoing proclamation be published eight times in the Maryland Gazette, Federal Gazette, Federal Republican and Telegraph, the Fredericktown Herald, the Torch Light, the Allegany Federalist, and the Monitor at Easton.

Miriam Pinkney, Clk. of the Council.

The Annapolis Steam Mill,

Will be prepared to Grind Corn and Chop Rye, on Thursday 5th instant. The Bolts for Manufacturing Wheat will be in operation, it is expected, in ten or twelve days. Custom is respectfully solicited.

J. Hughes, December 5, 1816. tf.

Sale of the Real Estate of Thomas Bourne, by Thomas H. Wilkinson, Trustee.

November the 27th, 1816. ORDERED, By the chief Judge of the third judicial district, that the sales stated in the within report, be confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary, on or before the first Tuesday in January next. Provided a copy of this order be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette and Political Intelligencer, before the 30th day of December, next.

The report states that a tract of land containing 217 acres, sold for \$1253 per acre; and a tract containing 260 acres, sold for \$18 per acre.

True copy, Test, Thos. H. Bowie, Reg. Cur. Can. Dec 5. Sw.

Land for Sale.

The subscriber will offer at public Sale, on Tuesday, the 31st instant, on the premises, a tract of Land, or part of a tract of Land, called Partnership, containing 200 Acres, to which are a sufficient quantity of wood and meadow land for the support of the place. The improvements are several good dwelling houses, also other out buildings, a good apple orchard, and a variety of other fruit. This land is handsomely situated, and within 50 miles of Baltimore and the city of Washington and George town, and within 1-2 miles of the Columbia Turnpike road leading from Baltimore to the city of Washington and George town, and about 2-3 miles from Mr. Richard Owing's Merchant mill, and has the advantage of a public road through the same, on which is an excellent stand for a street or other public business.

Terms of Sale.

The purchaser to pay one half the purchase money on the day of sale, & to give bond, with approved security, for the balance, payable in 12 months with interest, and on payment of the whole purchase money a good and indisputable deed will be given. Any person wishing to purchase the above land, it will be shown them any time previous to the day of sale, or on that day, by James Greyham living on the said land, or Benjamin Blowers, Junr. living at Green's bridge, or by the subscriber living near the premises. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock.

James Ferree, December 5, 1816. 4-1

2,500 Rails Wanted.

The subscriber will give cash for 2,500 good chestnut rails delivered at Tilley's Ferry, also wanted two able men hands for the year 1817. Sued by the Subscriber, Dec 6, 1816.