

The Antietam, rising also in Pennsylvania, flowing through Washington county, empties into the Potomac, at Williamsport. Deer creek, in like manner watering Harford county, flows into the Susquehannah above Port Deposit.— The neck of land between the Susquehannah and the Patapsco is intersected by several rivers, the Bush, the little Gunpowder, the big Gunpowder, Middle river, &c. most of which are navigable for some miles above where they empty into the Chesapeake.

ISLANDS.—*Kent*, the largest island in the Chesapeake bay, is situated opposite to Annapolis, and constitutes a part of Queen Anne's county. It is twelve miles in length; and about half that in breadth, having a number of good farms, and a population of some hundred souls.

This island was resorted to by the British, during the late war. Admiral Warner landed and encamped several hundred men upon it, in the summer of the year 1813, where they remained for six weeks.

*Spesuti island*, formed at the mouth of the Susquehannah; *Black island*, a few miles below; *Pool's island* at the mouth of Gunpowder river; *Poplar island*, below Kent, and *Sharp's island*, at the mouth of Choptank river; *James' island* and *Hooper's island* are all situated in the Chesapeake bay, in this state, as well as two or three of the range of *Tangier islands*, which are formed opposite and below the mouth of Potomac river.