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G. R. BROWN. uary 12, 1792.

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J. H. STONE.

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ed Dollars Reward. ort-Tobacco, August 20, 1791 n Saturday the School at hours of ten and leven o'clock at an called BENJAMIN was going berdeventure, as foon as he reached commonly called Theobald's Hill, le distant from this town) he was white man who had on a dark to rode a small black horse, some enfued, when this man rode up we him a violent stab in the breast llowing—I will per the bove rered dollars to any person who will rator of this inhuman act, so that

(XLVIIth YEAR.)

(No. 2359.)

## MARYLAND GAZETTE.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 26, 1791.

On motion ORDERED, That the several bills proposed by the committee appointed to consider what alterations of the constitution and form of government are necessary, be referred to the consideration of the next session of assembly, and that the same be published in the Maryland Gazette, Baltimore Journal, Frederick and George-town papers, and the Maryland Herald, for the consideration of the people.

ORDERED, That a committee be appointed to ab-And the said bills and report the constitution as proposed to be amended, and that the same be published in the several news papers aforesaid, and that three thousand copies thereof be struck and distributed in the several counties of this state.

ORDERED, That the said abstract be prepared by the committee appointed to bring in the alterations. By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

The Constitution and Form of Government, as proposed to be amended.

[Concluded from our last.]

SECTION HAT the senate and delegates may adjourn themselves respectively, but

dissolve it at any time.

gular land and sea forces under the laws of this state, therein. general assembly, lay embargoes to prevent the de- performance of all the duties of his office. thive, by virtue of any law, statute or custom, of XL. That no foreigner, naturalized or made by law manner as shall hereafter be provided by the general Angland or Great-Britain.

be entitled to a vote on all questions in which they state next before his election or appointment. members disagree in their opinion.

has been heretofore practised in this state. of holding any other office of profit in this state while

KLII. That no city, town, or place, shall hereafter corrupt perjury, or be banished this state for ever, or delegate unless as such; and no person holding a place of profit, be incorporated, or any new county erected, with the trust or profit, as the court may adjudge. Ployed in the regular land fervice, or marine, of this XLIII. That no convention of the people, to change cil, or judge, or to be appointed to any of the faid of the United States, shall have a feat in the general or alter the constitution and form of government, or hereafter to be created in this state, the person giving

or affembly, or member of the council, shall hold or bers of both branches of the legislature. profits, of any office exercised by any other person, may continue to act as a justice of the peace. office or place of trust or profit, as the court may ad- stitution.

neral and county courts, the prosecutors of presentments nuance in office. and indictments in the county courts, constables, and nor appoint and notify one of those and may suspend any militia officer for one month, next general court or county court, as the case may be. days, or some day between, and the and may also suspend or remove any militia officer in XLVIII. That the legislature shall never erect any and when embodied, shall alone have the direction upon the audress of the general assembly, provided least, or more, of the jury.

farany crime, except in such cases where the law shall time, regulate the office of sheriff, and require indu- commissioned in his stead shall be qualified.

commodities, for any time not exceeding thirty days in gifter of the chancery court, and the court of appeals hereafter be allowed within any court of law within my one year, summoning the general assembly to meet shall appoint their clerk, and the county courts shall this state. within the time of the continuance of such embargo, appoint the prosecutor of presentments and indictments LI. That there be two registers of the land-office, and may also order and compel any vessel to ride qua- in their court, and they may respectively remove them one upon the western and one upon the eastern shore; untine, if such vessel, or the port from which she shall for misbehaviour, and fill up the vacancy; and the ge- that short extracts of the grants and certificates of the have come, shall, on strong grounds, be suspected to neral court and county courts may remove their re- land on the western and eastern shores respectively be

a citizen of this state, shall be eligible as governor, or assembly.

he shall have been elected, be appointed to any civil and the numbers severally reported, that the appoint of any other person. office under this state, which shall not be created, or ment may be entered, which mode of taking the joint of any other person.

directiving any part of the profits thereof, or receiving privilege of electing a delegate, unless there shall be trust or profit, as the court may adjudge.

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LIV. That if any person shall give any

or alter the constitution and form of government, or offices, or to any office of profit or trust now created, the declaration of rights, shall be called, unless with or hereafter to be created in this state, the person giving

XXXVI. That if any senator, delegate to congress the concurrence of at least two thirds of all the mem-

execute any office of profit, or receive, directly or in- XLIV. That a justice of the peace may be eligible directly, at any time, the profits, or any part of the as a senator, delegate, or member of the council, and

during his acting as senator, delegate to congress or as- XLV. That every person who shall offer to vote for. sembly, or member of the council, his seat, on con- delegates or for the electors of the senate, shall (if reviction in a court of law by the oath of two credible quired by any three persons qualified to vote) before witnesses, shall be void, and le shall be banished this he be admitted to poll, take the oath or assirmation of state for ever, or disqualified for ever from holding any support and fidelity to this state directed by this con-

XLVI. That all civil officers hereafter to be ap-XXXVII. That all military, naval, militia, and civil pointed for the several counties of this state, shall have officers, (except only the auditor of the public accounts, been actually and bona fide residents of the county recommissioners and collectors of the public taxes, the spectively for which they shall be appointed, six months treasurers, the registers of wills, the register of the next before their appointment, and shall continue resichancery court, the clerks of the court of appeals, ge- dents of their county respectively during their conti-

XLVII. That the judges of the general court and overseers or commissioners of the roads, or of the poor, justices of the county courts may appoint the clerks of all of whom shall be appointed as directed by the con- their respective courts, and in case of refusal, death, stitution, acts of assembly, and as herein after pro- resignation, disqualification, or removal out of the vided,) shall be appointed as follows: The council state, or from their respective shores, of the clerks of shall, by ballot, nominate to the governor two persons, the general court, or either of them, in the vacation or three if so required by him, whom they, in their of the said court, and in case of the resulal, death, rejudgment and conscience, believe best qualified for the signation, disqualification, or removal out of the counoffice to which they are nominated, and the governor ty, of any of the said county clerks, in the vacation shall, after five and within ten days thereafter, ap- of the county court of which he is clerk, the governor, if the two houses should not agree point and commission one of the persons so nominated; with the advice of the council, may appoint and comon the same time, but adjourn to and the governor may suspend or remove any civil of- mission a fit and proper person to such vacant office redifferent days, then shall the gover- ficer, who has not a commission during good behaviour, spectively, to hold the same until the meeting of the

allembly shall then meet and be held accordingly, and pursuance of the sentence of a court martial. All summary jurisdiction for the trial of any fact in any he shall, if necessary, by advice of the council, call civil officers of the appointment of the governor (ex- civil case without a jury, except only in cases of small them before the time to which they shall in any man- cept only the chancellor and all judges) shall hold their debts, or trivial wrongs, not exceeding the sum or vaner be adjourned, on giving not less than ten days no- commissions during pleasure; and the salaries to the lue of seven pounds ten shillings current money of this tice thereof; but the governor shall not adjourn the governor and the council, and to the chancelior and state, or twenty dollars of the United States, or fines, affembly otherwise than as aforesaid, nor prorogue or judges, as ascertained by law, shall not be diminished forseitures or penalties, not exceeding in value that during their continuance in office; and any chancellor sum, but the legislature may amend any defects in the XXXI. That the governor, by and with the advice or judge shall be removed by the governor for misse- trial by jury in civil cases; provided, that no verdict and consent of the council, may embody the militia, haviour in office, on conviction in a court of law, or shall be made lawful, unless given by three fourths, at

thereof, and shall also have the direction of all the re- two thirds of all the members of each house concur XLIX. That all civil officers, of the appointment of the governor and council, who do not hold commifbut he shall not command in person, unless advised XXXVIII. That sheriffs shall be appointed an- sions during good behaviour, shall be appointed annuthereto by the council, and then only so long as they nually in the month of December, and no person shall ally in the third week of November, but if any of hall approve thereof, and may alone exercise all other be capable of holding the office of sheriff, or of re- them shall be re-appointed, they may continue to act the executive powers of government, where the con- ceiving the profits thereof, longer than four years suc- without any new commission or qualification; and thrence of the council is not required, according to cessively; and no sherisf shall hold any other office at every officer, though not re-appointed, shall continue the laws of this state, and grant reprieves or pardons the same time; and the legislature may, from time to to act until the person who shall be appointed and

otherwise direct; and may, during the recess of the bitable and ample security to be given for the faithful I.. That no person shall be obliged to answer in any court of law for any crime, offence, or misdemeanor, parture of any shipping, or the exportation of any XXXIX. That the chancellor shall appoint the re- except only on indictment; and no information shall

kinfected with the plague; but the governor shall spective clerks for misbehaviour, and fill up the va- made in separate books, at the public expence, and

MXII. That the members of the council, or any as a member of the general assembly, or of the countwo or more of them, when convened, shall constitute cil, or as an elector of the senate, or capable of hold-Board for the transacting of business; that the gover- ing any civil office in this state, until he shall have rist, treasurer, naval-officer, register of the land-office, for for the time being shall preside in the council, and actually and bona fide resided seven years within this register of the chancery court, and every clerk of the hall be divided in opinion; and, in the absence of the XLI. That there be a register of wills appointed for accounts, before he acts as such, shall take an oath, wernor, the first named of the council shall preside, each county, who shall be commissioned by the gover- that he will not, directly or indirectly, receive any fee and as such shall also vote in all cases where the other nor, after being elected by the joint ballot of the senate or reward for doing his office of \_\_\_\_\_, but what is and house of delegates, to be taken in each house re- or shall be allowed by law, nor will, directly or indi-XXXIII. That any member of the senate, or of the spectively, deposited in a conference room, the boxes rectly, receive the profits, or any part of the profits, house of delegates, may, during the time for which to be examined by a joint committee of both houses, of any office held by any other person, and that he

the emoluments whereof shall not be increased, during ballot of both houses shall be adopted in all cases; LIII. That if any governor, chancellor, judge, rebut if two or more shall have an equal number of balgister of wills, attorney-general, register of the landbut if two or more shall have an equal number of bal- gister of wills, attorney-general, register of the land-XXXIV. That the council shall have power to make lots in their favour, by which the choice shall not be office, commissioner of the loan-office, register of the the great seal of this state, which shall be kept by the determined on the first ballot, then a second ballot shall chancery court, or any clerk of the common law courts, chancellor for the time being, and affixed to all laws, be taken, which shall be confined to the persons, who treasurer, naval-officer, sheriff, surveyor, or auditor of commissions the time being, and affixed to all laws, be taken, which shall be confined to the persons, and public accounts shall receive directly or indirectly commissions, grants, and other public testimonials, as on the first ballot shall have had an equal number; and public accounts, shall receive, directly or indirectly, that upon the death, resignation, disqualification, or at any time, the profits, or any part of the profits, of XXXV. That no senator, delegate of the assembly, removal out of the county, by any register of wills in any office held by any other person, during his acting the county, by any register of wills in the office to which he is appointed, his election, and member of the council, if he shall qualify as such, the recess of the general assembly, the governor, with in the office to which he is appointed, his election, aphall hold or execute any office of profit, or receive the the advice of the council, may appoint and commission pointment and commission, on conviction in a court of profits of any office exercised by any other person, a fit and proper person to such vacant office, to hold law by the path of two credible witnesses, shall be while heads and he shall suffer the punishment for wilful and while he acts as such; nor shall any governor be capable the same until the meeting of the general assembly. void, and he shall suffer the punishment for wilful and of holding the same until the meeting of the general assembly. void, and he shall suffer the punishment for wilful and of holding the same until the meeting of the general assembly.

the profits, or any part of the profits, arising on any within the same at least eight hundred voters, and LIV. That if any person shall give any bribe, pregency for the fupply of cloathing or provisions for the there shall not be allowed to such incorporated city, sent or reward, or any promise, or any security for the temp or navy or hald a provision of the there shall not be allowed to such county, payment or delivery of any money, or any other thinks States, or any of the moder the United town, or place, or to such newly erected county, payment or delivery of any money, or any other thing, states, or any of the moder the United town, or place, or to such newly erected county, payment or delivery of any money, or any other thing, states, or any of the moder the United town, or place, or to such newly erected county, payment or delivery of any money, or any other thing, states, or any of the moder the United town, or place, or to such newly erected county, payment or delivery of any money, or any other thing, states, or any of the moder the United town, or place, or to such newly erected county, payment or delivery of any money, or any other thing, or place, or to such newly erected county, payment or delivery of any money, or any other thing, the gospel of any