

Washington cotton manufacturing company of the city of Baltimore, and the Supplement to the act for opening a certain road in Baltimore county, severally endorsed, "will not pass." Ordered to be engrossed. A bill, entitled, "A Supplement to an act to incorporate the stockholders of the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore; which was read. The bill to exempt the inhabitants of North and Pipe Creek hundreds from tollage, endorsed, "will not pass." And the following message:

By the Senate, Jan. 5, 1810.
Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,
We agree to your proposition for closing the session of the present general assembly on Saturday the 6th instant.
By order,
T. ROGERS, clk.
The house adjourns till half past 4 o'clock.

HALF PAST 4 O'CLOCK, P. M.
THE house met.

Mr. C. Dorsey delivers a bill, entitled, An act relating to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1807, and of the several supplements thereto, which was twice read and passed.

The report on the petition of John Iiams was read the second time, and the question put, That the house concur therewith, and assent to the resolution therein? Determined in the negative.

The house, according to order, proceeded to the second reading of the further supplement to the act for quieting possessions, and receiving and confirming the estates of purchasers, and after hearing council at the bar, Adjourned till to-morrow morning.

From the great length of the remaining proceedings they are immediately omitted this week—they will be concluded in our next.

Legislature of Maryland.

MONDAY last the legislature of this state adjourned after having passed 209 laws. For a list of which, the President's message, and faculty articles of intelligence, see Supplement.

CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
SATURDAY, JAN. 6.

Mr. BASSET, from the committee on the naval establishment, made a report in part, which recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the hulls of the frigates now in ordinary ought to be immediately repaired for actual service; and that — dollars, of any monies in the treasury, be appropriated for this purpose.

The report, with a letter from the secretary of the navy accompanying it, were ordered to be printed, and referred to a committee of the whole on Monday.

Mr. BURWELL, from the committee appointed to present to the president a resolution requesting information relative to the blockade of the ports of the Baltic, and to the exclusion of neutral vessels by the northern powers of Europe, reported, that they had performed that service, and received for answer, that the president would cause an examination to be made in the state department, and transmit to the house any information which might be in its possession on these subjects.

The Philadelphia "Democratic Press," mentions a rumour, that Mr. Jackson has received letters, announcing the reinstatement of Mr. Canning in the British administration, accompanied by the marquis Wellesley, as first lord of the treasury.

By an account given in a periodical work of the Boston Exchange Coffee-House, it appears that that building commenced in the spring of 1806, and completed last spring, is seven stories, exclusive of spacious cellars under the whole, contains two hundred apartments, and covers nearly an acre of ground. It cost, including the furniture, about 500,000 dollars. From the description given of it, it would appear to be the most convenient and most superb house of entertainment in America.

A letter has been received in New-York, by the brig Fox, from Calcutta, dated Sept. 21st, which contains the following intelligence: "There has been a civil war on the coast, sir George Barlow, the governor, attempted to curtail the perquisites of the company's officers, when they rebelled against the government, and carried matters so far that they seized upon Seringapatam, Maufulipatam, Hyderabad and a quantity of treasure belonging to the company, and have since had an engagement with the king's troops in which they were rather worsted. The governor general has proceeded down to Madras, and there are hopes that the differences will be adjusted. The general opinion here is that the company will be under the necessity of placing the country in the hands of the king."

FOREIGN.

TOULON FLEET.

GIBRALTAR, NOV. 11.

The following letter and account may be depended upon as perfectly authentic.

Off Rosas, Nov. 3.

DEAR SIR,
As I shall most likely see you soon, I only include you an account of the destruction of three French sail of the line, since which we have destroyed the remainder of the convoy in the bay of Rosas.

On the evening of the 22d October a frigate came into lord Colingwood's fleet off Cape St. Sebastian, with intelligence that the enemy's fleet was at sea, and very near ours.

On the morning of the 23d we discovered from the maintop the enemy's consisting of 37 sail of men of war and transports, bearing E. N. E. and with the whole fleet, (16 sail of the line) made all sail in chase of them. The French men of war having on seeing us, separated from the convoy, exclusively engaged the attention of our line of battle ships, while capt. Barrie, in the Pomone, with some other small vessels, pursued the French transports, which were standing directly for the bay of Rosas or the coast of Catalonia.

The English fleet, during the whole of the 23d, having carried a great press of sail to get to windward of the enemy, whom they had chased in different directions, was necessarily much divided. On the morning of the 24th, the six following ships only had kept company with each other.

The English admiral, Martin, in the Renown, Tiger, Sultan, Leviathan, Cumberland, commore Durham, capt. Hopewell, Griffiths, Harvey, Woodhouse.

This Squadron during the whole of the 24th, when it blew very strong, carried so much sail as enabled it to get sight of the enemy from the deck, a little after four in the afternoon. The French were then pretty close in with their own shore, endeavouring to get to the mouth of the Rhone. The night soon approaching, we lost sight of the enemy, who, fortunately, was again seen about 8 o'clock on the morning of the 25th, carrying all sail to run into some port to the westward.

The English Squadron being now to windward of the French, and going 9 or 10 miles an hour, was very close to them, when their rear admiral, in a superb 80 gun ship, and a 74 grounded on the shoals over against the town of Frontignan, which is E. N. E. of Cette, 4 or 5 miles distant; and W. N. W. of Moutpelier, from which it is 10 or 12 miles—the other French line of battle ship and a frigate, (the whole of their force seen since 23d) grounded on a reef of rocks near the town of Cette.

The French admiral's ship and a 74 near him being in a perilous situation, the crews began to abandon them very soon after they had struck on the shoal. The mizzen masts of both ships and a mainmast of the 74 fell over at 4 o'clock; and the other ships near Cette evinced strong proofs of being most seriously injured.

On the 26th rear admiral Martin, with the Renown, Tiger and Cumberland, stood towards the shoals of Fontignac to sound. This demonstration had a good effect; at 7 in the evening the French admiral's ship, the Robuste, and the Lion 74 near him, were in flames, which after raging with great fury, communicated to their magazines. At half past ten, they blew up, exhibiting at once a light most beautiful and impressive.

DOMESTIC.

NORFOLK, JAN. 3.

On Friday last a resolution was introduced into the house of delegates of this state, declaring that in the opinion of that house, the United States ought to declare war against Great Britain, and to recall Mr. Armstrong from France. An attempt was made to amend this resolution by instructing the senators of this state, and requesting the representatives to procure the same objects. After a considerable debate, an adjournment was moved and carried, and the subject was to be taken up again on Monday.

The last advices from Jamaica inform us of the state of the markets in that island, which are as follows:—

Flour,	Dolls. 18
Lumber,	60
Staves,	very high

And all American produce was on the rise.

The Knot.

MARRIED, on Thursday evening last, by the rev. Mr. JUDD, at Belvoir, the residence of Col. Henry Maynadier, Mr. Daniel Dulaney Fitzhugh, of Baltimore, to Miss Margaret Murray Maynadier.

A Stray.

I HEREBY certify that Henry Howard, of Elk-Ridge, brought before me the subscriber, a justice of the peace, as a trespassing stray, a BRIGHT BAY MARE COLT, two years old, her hind feet white to the ankle joints, she has a narrow blaze down the face, her under lip white, long tail, no perceivable brand, about thirteen hands high. Given under my hand this 29th day of December, 1809.

ISAAC DORSEY.
The owner can have her again by proving property and paying charges on application to HENRY HOWARD.

Anne-Arundel county court,

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1809.

ON application to the judges of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of Joseph Hopkins, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition, and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Joseph Hopkins has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the state of Maryland, and the said Joseph Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent, in writing, of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Joseph Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week for three successive months before the third Monday of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, to be held at the city of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit on the said Joseph Hopkins then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,
NICHOLAS HARWOOD,
Clerk Anne-Arundel county.
December 25, 1809. 3m.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

Edward Lloyd, Esquire,

GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been represented to me by James McGill, on oath, that in the morning of the thirteenth instant, he had a tobacco-house, with a quantity of tobacco, and a variety of farming utensils, consumed by fire, and that he believes that some wicked or evil disposed person or persons set fire to the same: And whereas it is of the greatest importance to society that the perpetrator or perpetrators of such a crime should be brought to justice, I have therefore thought proper to issue this my proclamation, and do, by and with the advice and consent of the council, offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS to whoever will discover the author or perpetrator of the said offence, provided, he, she or they, or any of them, be convicted thereof. And moreover, I do, by virtue of the authority and power vested in me, hereby promise a full and free pardon to any person, being an accomplice, who shall discover the perpetrator or perpetrators of the said offence, on the aforesaid condition.

GIVEN under my hand, and the seal of the state of Maryland, at the city of Annapolis, this twenty-fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine; and of the Independence of the United States of America the thirty-fourth.

EDWARD LLOYD.
By his Excellency's command,
NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing Proclamation be published twice in each week, for the space of four weeks, in the American and Federal Gazette, at Baltimore, the Maryland Gazette and Marylanda Republican at Annapolis, the National Intelligencer, the Eastern Star, Mr. Grieves's paper at Hagerstown, and in Mr. Bartgis's paper at Fredericktown.

By order, NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

This is to give Notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained, from the orphan court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of MARMADUXE WYVILL, late of the county aforesaid, deceased; all persons who have claims against said estate are requested to present the same, legally authenticated, and those indebted to said estate to make immediate payment to ELIZABETH WYVILL, Adm'x.

Dry Goods and Groceries

THE subscriber returns his sincere thanks to the public in general, and his friends in particular, for that share of their favour which he has received in the line of his business, and informs them, that he has just received and daily expects to receive, a further supply of DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES which, added to his former stock, make his assortment complete for the present and approaching season, all of which he will sell low for CASH, or on a short credit to punctual customers.

He requests all those indebted to him by bond, note, or open account, to come forward and settle the same, by paying cash, tobacco at a fair market price, or leave tobacco in his hands at a reasonable limited price, or by giving some other good and sufficient security or satisfaction on or before the first day of March next. He solicits a particular attention to this request, as all delinquents may depend suit will be commenced to April Term next. JOSEPH EVANS.
Annapolis, October 30, 1809. 10 15

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

Edward Lloyd, Esquire,

GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been officially represented to me, that negro Perry, otherwise called Peregrine, the proper slave of Elizabeth Rochetter, and negro John, otherwise called John Armstrong, a free negro who have lately been sentenced by the judge, of Queen-Anne's county court to suffer death for murder, and negro Stephen, the proper slave of Joseph Sudler, made their escape on Sunday morning, the twelfth instant, from Queen-Anne's county jail: And whereas it is the duty of the executive, in the execution of the laws, to endeavour to bring all malefactors to justice, I have therefore thought proper to issue this my Proclamation, and do by and with the advice and consent of the council, offer a reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring to justice the said negroes Perry, John and Stephen, or one hundred dollars for either of them.

GIVEN under my hand, and the seal of the state of Maryland, this twenty-fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine, and of the Independence of the United States of America the thirty-fourth.

EDWARD LLOYD.
By his Excellency's command,
NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

The following is a description of the above mentioned criminals, transmitted to his Excellency the Governor by the sheriff of Queen-Anne's county:

Negro Perry, otherwise called Peregrine, he proper slave of Elizabeth Rochetter, is about twenty-three or four years old, very dark complexion for a mulatto, about five feet ten inches high, very well made but a little round shouldered, has a scar over one of his eyes, (not certain which), occasioned by the kick of a horse, a thin and very black beard, with long whiskers that extend to the end of his chin, also a very bushy head. He took with him the following cloathing, a coarse muslin shirt, full of kersey trousers, and coat of a light drab colour, two waistcoats, one of black cloth and the other of yellow striped Marcellis, a light drab great coat, with a large double cape, about half worn, a fine pair of shoes, very long quartered and sharp toes, and furred hat. It is said that he has a number of other cloaths of a good quality—he also has a silver watch, the case very much battered and bruised, but has no crystal in it, a black ribbon chain and brass key—it is also said that he has two other watches, one of them silver and the other gold or pinchback, which cannot be particularly described.

Negro John, otherwise called John Armstrong, free negro, is supposed to be upwards of thirty years of age, a very bright mulatto, thin visage, very high cheek bone, large black beard, small thin whiskers, and very large white eyes, has a very stern look, a large mouth, his lips not very thick; he is about five feet eight or nine inches high, has a scar on his breast, one of his arms very knotty from being bled. Had on the following cloaths, tow linen shirt and trousers, old short blue coat, light cloth waistcoat, old shoes, a ro-ran hat better than half worn.

Negro Stephen, the proper slave of Joseph Sudler, is about thirty years old, five feet nine or ten inches high, of a yellow complexion, very high forehead, flat nose, stout and well built, rather round shouldered, very full and bluff face, large black whiskers, rather a down look, and is apt to smile when spoken to. Had on a tow linen shirt, white kersey trousers, and round robbin jacket, a pair of coarse round toed shoes, double soled, almost new, a wool hat about half worn.

RAGS.
Cash given for clean Linen & Cotton RAGS.