

of the details inexpedient and...  
spoke about the same time...  
ly any part of the bill unconnected  
ed no part without additional...  
against it.  
Williams replied to a part of the...  
made by the two gentlemen...  
llmadge answered Mr. Williams...  
right spoke a short time in favor...  
, and the house adjourned with...

Tuesday, Feb. 4.  
ker presented the petition of...  
of Jefferson county, Va. request...  
boat may be made through...  
from Mason's Island to the...  
to render more safe the...  
above the falls to Alexandria...  
to the committee of the District...

set presented the petition of...  
stating that they had erected...  
low manufacture in this district...  
wider—and that they do not...  
They pray encouragement...  
to the committee of the District...

tion of Gen. St Clair was...  
Mr. Gholson. The petitioner...  
ment for money expended in...  
service during the revolution. A...  
years ago, passed in his favour, but...  
noticing the interest which...  
than the principal. Referred to...  
committee.

tion of the Legislature of Tennessee...  
that a road may be opened from...  
(Tenn.) to Augusta (Ga.) was...  
to the President of the United...  
con from the committee of ways...  
reported a bill for repealing the...  
on of the act incorporating the U...  
[that making U. S. bank notes a...  
r for the payment for custom-house...  
lead and referred to the committee...  
ole for Monday next.

wis, from the committee of the...  
of Columbia to whom had been...  
a bill further to amend the charter...  
y of Washington, reported the...  
amendments. Referred to the...  
of the whole for Monday next.  
unication was received from the...  
of the Navy, giving a statement...  
aries, rations, &c. of the Naval...  
idshipmen, &c. Ordered to be...

arming and classing the militia...  
ered.  
low, Mr. Sturges, Mr. Rhea, Mr...  
Mosely, and others, spoke against...  
Williams, Mr. Smilie, Mr. Wright...  
in favour of it.  
ruges moved to recommend it to...  
tee who drafted it. Motion lost.

and noes were then taken on its...  
ot for a third reading; and was...  
es 59.  
se went into committee of the...  
Turner in the chair, on the bill...  
y to the act for raising an addition...  
[providing flying artillery.] It...  
to in the committee of the whole...  
ards ordered to be engrossed for...  
ing to-morrow.

lgerly took the chair in committee...  
le on the bill making appropriat...  
efence of our maritime front...  
ons.] The bill appropriates one...  
dollars. It was agreed to, and...  
dered to its third reading to-mor...

is took the chair in committee of...  
n bill relative to certain lands in...  
e committee sat sometime, when...  
vered that there was not a quor...  
then rose and the house adjourned.

Messrs. Cheever, Mitchell, Tallmadge,  
Patterson, Wright, Sheffey and Widgery advo-  
cated it; Mr. Hall, (Ga.) and Mr. Rhea  
opposed it. It passed—yeas 88, noes 25.

The house went into committee of the  
whole on the bill making appropriations for  
the military establishment for the year 1812.  
Mr. Stanford in the chair. The several  
blanks were filled by Mr. Bacon, chairman of  
the committee of ways and means.

To the same committee of the whole was  
referred the bill making appropriations for  
the six companies of mounted rangers.—  
The blanks were filled, and the bill agreed  
to.

To the same committee of the whole was  
referred the bill making appropriations for the  
additional military force. The blanks were  
filled, and the bill agreed to.

The committee rose, and the house con-  
curred, and the bills were ordered to a third  
reading to-morrow.

Mr. Nelson took the chair in committee  
of the whole on the bill making appropriati-  
ons for the naval establishment for the year  
1812. The blanks were filled up by Mr.  
Bacon, the bill agreed to, and reported to  
the house, who concurred, and ordered its  
engrossment for a third reading tomorrow.  
Adjourned.

Thursday, Feb. 6.  
Mr. Quincy offered the memorial of the  
Vermont Mineral Company, praying addition-  
al duties on imported coppers, they having  
the materials and manufacturing it. Referred  
to the committee of commerce and manu-  
factures.

Mr. Quincy offered the petition of Joseph  
Ward, praying a fulfilment of a contract be-  
tween the petitioner and the government, re-  
lative to certain bills of credit. Referred to  
the committee of claims.

Mr. Gold offered the petition of the Wool-  
en Manufacturing company of Oneida coun-  
ty, N. Y. praying leave to import from Low-  
er Canada, wire for cards. Referred to the  
committee of the whole, to whom was refer-  
red the bill authorising the importation of  
certain goods, wares and merchandize from  
Great Britain.

Mr. Williams, from the committee on  
military affairs, reported a bill authorising a  
detachment of one hundred thousand from  
the militia.—The bill authorises the  
president to call out the whole or any  
part of them for a term not exceeding six  
months, and appropriates one million. Twice  
read and referred to the committee of the  
whole.

Mr. Williams, offered a resolution, autho-  
rising the Clerk of the House to cause to be  
printed in all the public papers that pub-  
lish the laws of the United States, the bill  
for arming and classing the militia, as en-  
grossed for a third reading and rejected yester-  
day. Objections were made to it as a novel  
and improper precedent, being a direct  
appeal to the people. The resolution was  
negatively, 30 only for it.

The bills for the support of the six com-  
panies of Rangers, the military establish-  
ment, the additional military force, and the  
naval establishment, for the year 1812, were  
read a third time and passed.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Condit,  
and carried, instructing the committee on mi-  
litary affairs to bring in a bill for arming the  
militia.

The house, on motion of Dawson, proceed-  
ed to consider the bill for the relief of the in-  
firm, disabled and superannuated officers and  
soldiers of the late revolutionary and present  
army. The bill was agreed to, and ordered  
its third reading on Monday next—yeas  
54, noes 38.

Mr. Moore took the chair in committee of  
the whole, on the bill authorising the secre-  
tary of the treasury to locate certain lands in  
the Mississippi Territory, for the use of Jef-  
ferson College. The bill was agreed to, and  
ordered to a third reading.

It was moved and carried that when the  
house adjourn to-morrow, they adjourn to  
meet again on Monday.

Gen. Breckenridge took the chair in com-  
mittee of the whole, on the bill for the relief  
of Capt. Silas Belton. He was a captain in  
the revolutionary army, and was disabled, by  
disease, for life, while in the service of his  
country: old, "miserably poor," and last he  
has applied for relief. The law provides re-  
lief only for the wounded. Messrs. Ghol-  
son, Gold, Widgery, Wright, Mitchell,  
Nelson & others supported the bill; Messrs.  
Williams, Alston, Boyd, Bacon and Macon  
opposed it. After debating almost 3 hours  
the bill was agreed to, 15 or 20 only against  
it. The committee then rose and the house  
adjourned.

Friday, Feb. 7.  
The bill from the senate establishing a  
quarter-master's department, was returned  
with the proceedings of that house upon the  
amendment proposed by the house. The  
consideration of that amendment is postponed  
till the first Monday in Dec. next. Mr.  
Williams inquired what was the situation of  
the bill? The senate had passed it; the house  
had concurred, and proposed an amendment;

the consideration of that amendment was  
postponed; he believed no such proceeding  
had occurred before.

Mr. Alston, Mr. Pitkin, and the Speaker,  
stated that the case was not a new one, and  
that the bill was dead.

Mr. Nelson took the chair in committee of  
the whole on the bill authorising the detach-  
ment of 100,000 militia. The bill was ag-  
reed to, reported to the house, who concurred,  
and ordered it to be engrossed for a third  
reading.

Mr. Breckenridge took the chair in com-  
mittee of the whole, on the bill for the relief  
of capt. Silas Belton, and other claims, refer-  
red to the same committee. The bill was ag-  
reed to, and reported to the house. The  
yeas and noes were called on its engrossment  
for a third reading, & were yeas 72, noes 31

Mr. Macon took the chair in committee of  
the whole, on the bill relative to certain  
boundaries of land in the district of Kaskas-  
kias. The bill was agreed to and ordered to  
a third reading.

Mr. Bassett took the chair in committee  
of the whole, on the report of the commit-  
tee on Indian affairs relative to provisions  
for the relatives of those who fell in the  
battle of the Wabash, &c. After some  
time spent in considering it, the committee  
on account of the sudden indisposition and  
absence of the chairman of the committee  
on Indian affairs, rose and reported progress.

Mr. Stanford took the chair in committee  
of the whole on the bill relative to lands in  
Ohio located for officers and soldiers of the  
Virginia line. The bill was agreed to, and  
subsequently ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Lewis took the chair in committee of  
the whole on the resolution reported by the  
committee of commerce and manufactures,  
favourable to the petition of Stephen  
Kingston. The report was agreed to by a  
large majority. The committee rose and re-  
ported it to the house, where it was debated  
a considerable time, and rejected, 44 to 55.  
The house then adjourned till Monday  
next.

**FOREIGN.**

NEW YORK, FEB. 1.  
Latest from New York.

Captain Hamilton of the ship Governor  
Strong, from Lisbon, spoke on the 24th De-  
cember, the British Packet, Manchester, 14  
days from England, for Jamaica, and pro-  
duced a file of London papers, to the evening  
of the 6th Dec. inclusive, from which we  
have made the following hasty summary.  
No change has taken place in the British  
Cabinet.

LONDON, NOV. 25.  
Mr. Joel Barlow, the American minister  
at Paris, had his first audience of Buonaparte  
on the 17th, when he presented his creden-  
tials. [Courier.]

NOV. 26.  
The intelligence from Danzig, stated in  
the French papers, that all the American  
ships in that port had been condemned, and  
orders issued for the sale of their cargoes.  
NOV. 29.

Several of the principal distillers yesterday  
waited upon the chancellor of the exchequer  
concerning the putting a stop to the disilla-  
tion of corn during the high price of that ar-  
ticle. A requisition was made to the lord  
mayor of London, praying him to assemble  
the court, to consider of an address to the  
Prince Regent, to suspend by proclamation,  
the distillation of malt spirits during the high  
price of bread and corn.

DEC. 2.  
The king was alive, and the British orders  
in council not revoked.

The President's Message was received in  
London on the 4th Dec. by express from Li-  
verpool, and is published in the Courier of the  
5th. On the receipt of the President's mes-  
sage, cotton rose one penny per pound in Li-  
verpool.

FEBRUARY 3.  
Last evening arrived at this port the fast  
sailing ship Amiable Matilda, Hague, in 42  
days from London.

The U. S. frigate Constitution, capt. Hull,  
sailed from Cowes for France on the 21st  
December.

The king of England was as well as per last  
advices.

The orders in council were still in force.  
DEC. 12.  
We can take upon ourselves to say that  
the rumours in circulation respecting the  
change in administration, are without founda-  
tion, and that Mr. Percival is fully in the  
confidence of the Prince Regent.

An express was received from Windsor  
yesterday at York House, stating "That his  
majesty eat his meals regular, and was toler-  
ably well in bodily health."

We have intelligence from Copenhagen,  
that Mr. Erving special minister from the U.  
S. at that court, has at length received  
an answer to his remonstrance against  
the condemnation before the tribunals at Pa-  
ris, of American vessels brought into Danish  
ports.—He is informed that the Danish ad-  
miralty courts have no jurisdiction over the  
vessels in question, as they were captured be-

yond the limits of the Danish waters, or at  
the distance of more than four miles from the  
coast.

We learn from Petersburg, that Buona-  
parte has demanded peremptorily of the em-  
peror Alexander, the immediate payment of  
the Dutch loan. The demand has had a very  
sensible effect on the Russian exchange.  
DEC. 14.

A cabinet council was held yesterday, which  
sat for more than 2 hours at the secretary of  
state's office.

Mr. Snow left town yesterday, with des-  
patches from Mr. Russell, the American  
charge d'affaires, for Joel Barlow, at Paris.  
Two French gentlemen have taken their de-  
parture with him.

Windsor, Dec. 17.—The king continues  
much the same.

We are happy to find that the Prince Re-  
gent though still confined, is in a fair way of  
very soon being restored to health.  
DEC. 17.

We mentioned yesterday, the dreadful  
storm which had occurred in the Belt. The  
homeward bound convoy which sailed from  
Hanno Bay, on the 20th ult. consisted of  
more than 200 sail; out of this number it  
is said that 17 foundered at sea, the crews of  
which were unfortunately lost; 12 (and it is  
feared more) were taken by Danish privateers,  
73 had reached Matwich, a port near Carlsham,  
most of them in a disabled state, and where  
it was feared they would be obliged to winter,  
and several others sought shelter in the ports  
of Zealand. The St. George, rode out the  
storm, but was obliged to cut away her main,  
mizen, and foremasts.

By His Excellency ROBERT BOWIE,  
Esquire, Governor of the State of  
Maryland.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

Whereas it has been represented to me  
by the mayor of the city of Baltimore,  
and the attorney-general of the state of  
Maryland, that an atrocious murder hath  
been committed on the person of a certain  
VINCENT LE HERMITE, late of the city of  
Baltimore, (barber) by some unknown  
hand; and praying the interposition of gov-  
ernment: And whereas the quiet and secu-  
rity of the state depend on the vigilance  
of the constituted authorities, in causing  
the law against such enormities to be duly  
executed; I have therefore thought prop-  
er to issue this my proclamation, and do  
by and with the advice and consent of the  
council, hereby offer a reward of

**TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS,**

To whoever will discover the author or  
perpetrator of the said murder; provided  
he, she or any of them be convicted there-  
of; and moreover, I do, by virtue of the  
authority and powers 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 aforesaid murder on the said condition.  
Given in council at the city of Annapolis,  
under the seal of the state of Mary-  
land, this thirty-first day of January,  
in the year of our Lord, one thousand  
eight hundred and twelve, and of the  
Independence of the United States of  
America the thirty-sixth.

By his Excellency's command,  
ROBERT BOWIE, Clerk of the Council.

To be published twice in each week for  
the space of four weeks in the Maryland  
Republican and Maryland Gazette, at An-  
napolis—the Whig, American, Sun and  
Federal Gazette, at Baltimore—Intelli-  
gencer, at Washington—Bartgis's paper,  
at Frederick-town—Maryland Herald, at  
Hagar's-town—Star, at Easton.  
Feb. 3. 8w.

**State of Maryland, sc.**

By Anne-Arundel County Orphans Court,  
February 4th, 1812.

On application by petition, of Christo-  
pher Jackson and William Warfield, exe-  
cutors of the last will and testament of  
Milbourn Sigell, late of Anne-Arundel  
county, deceased, it is ordered that they  
give the notice required by law for credi-  
tors to bring in their claims against the  
said deceased, and that the same be pub-  
lished once in each week for the space of  
six successive weeks in the Maryland Gaz-  
ette. John Gassaway, Reg. Wills,  
A. A. County.

**THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,**

THAT the subscribers, of Anne-Arundel  
county, hath obtained from the Orphans  
court of Anne-Arundel county, in Mary-  
land, letters testamentary on the personal  
estate of Milbourn Sigell, late of Anne-  
Arundel county, deceased. All persons  
having claims against the said deceased,  
are hereby warned to exhibit the same,  
with the vouchers thereof, to the subscri-  
bers, on or before the first day of June  
next, they may otherwise by law be exclu-  
ded from all benefit of the said estate. Given  
under our hands this fourth day of Fe-  
bruary, 1812.

Christopher Jackson, } Es'rs.  
William Warfield, }

By the Corporation of Annapolis, Febru-  
ary the 5th, 1812.

ORDERED, That the by-law imposing  
a tax on dogs, and for other purposes, be  
published three successive weeks in the Ma-  
ryland Gazette and Maryland Republican.  
By order, John Brewer, Clk.

**A by-law imposing a tax on dogs, and for  
other purposes.**

Be it established and ordained, by the  
Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common  
Council, of the City of Annapolis, and  
the authority of the same, That a tax of  
one dollar and fifty cents be levied and col-  
lected on every animal of the male dog  
kind kept within the city of Annapolis,  
and that a tax of three dollars be levied  
and collected in like manner on every ani-  
mal of the female dog kind kept within  
the said city.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That it shall be  
the duty of the city constable, sometime  
in the month of March, yearly, and every  
year, to take an account of every animal  
of the dog kind in said city, and return an  
alphabetical list of the owners names to  
the city treasurer.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That the owner  
or owners, harbourer or harbourers, of e-  
very animal of the dog kind, shall at all  
times, when thereto required by the con-  
stable aforesaid, make due return of such  
animal by them owned, or which they suf-  
fer to remain about their houses, on pen-  
alty of forfeiting and paying ten dollars for  
every refusal or neglect, one half to the  
informor and the other half for the use of  
the city.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That all animals  
of the dog kind, kept within the city, shall  
at all times wear a collar about their necks,  
with the owners sirmame thereon, at length,  
with the initial letter of his or her christi-  
an name or names, on penalty of five dol-  
lars, to be paid by the owner or harbourer  
of said animal, one half to the informor  
and the other half for the use of the city.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That the city  
constable at the time of taking the list of  
dogs as aforesaid, shall demand the afore-  
said tax of one dollar and fifty cents for  
each male, and three dollars for each fe-  
male animal so returned, and if the said  
tax is not then paid, or within twenty days  
thereafter, the said constable is hereby au-  
thorised and required to proceed and recov-  
er the same in like manner as small  
debts out of court, before the mayor, re-  
corder, or any one of the aldermen; and  
said constable shall have and receive a  
commission of ten per centum on all the  
monies by him received in virtue of this  
by-law, in full compensation for taking  
the list and collecting and paying over the  
said money to the treasurer.

And be it established and ordained by  
the authority aforesaid, That all fines and  
forfeitures accruing in virtue of this by-  
law shall be recoverable in a summary  
way, before the mayor, recorder, or any  
one of the aldermen.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That no person,  
being the owner or harbourer, shall know-  
ingly suffer any female dog in heat to go  
at large within the city, or the precincts  
thereof, whilst in that condition, under  
the penalty of five dollars, to be recovered  
and applied as aforesaid.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That it shall be  
the duty of the said constable yearly, and  
every year, on or before the first day of  
June, to pay to the treasurer of the cor-  
poration all taxes and fines which shall  
have been, or ought to have been, collect-  
ed under this by-law.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That the said  
constable before he shall enter upon the  
execution of the duties imposed by this  
by-law, shall file with the clerk of the  
ma. or's court a bond, executed by himself  
and a surety or sureties, to be approved by  
the mayor, recorder, or some one of the  
aldermen, in the penalty of four hundred  
dollars, conditioned for the due perform-  
ance of the several duties imposed by  
this by-law.

And be it established and ordained, by  
the authority aforesaid, That any by-law,  
section or sections of any by-law, incon-  
sistent with the provisions of this by-law,  
be and the same are hereby repealed.

By the Corporation, February 5, 1812;  
Read the first and second time by especial  
order, and will pass.

By order, John Brewer, Clk.

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber intends to apply to the  
Judges of Anne-Arundel county court, or some  
one of them, in the recess of said court, for the  
benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent  
debtors, passed at November session, 1803, and of  
the several supplements thereto, after this notice  
shall have been published agreeably to law, eight  
weeks from the date hereof

Joseph P. Pierce.  
Feb. 12, 1812.