

PROPOSALS
FOR PUBLISHING
THE MARYLAND GAZETTE
ON A NEW AND IMPROVED PLAN.

The MARYLAND GAZETTE having nearly completed an age of 70 years, the Editor proposes, in the course of a few weeks, to publish it on a Larger and Improved Plan.

The advantages of a Journal printed at the seat of the State Government, are so evident that they scarcely demand a notice. In addition to the Debates of Congress, the Editor will have it frequently in his power to give interest to his columns by sketches of the proceedings and debates of the State Legislature; which, if not reported with stenographical accuracy, shall at least be found faithful in substance. He proposes also, occasionally, to give Abstracts of the Proceedings in our Superior Courts of Judicature; and, when the importance of the subject will justify it, Reports of the Arguments of Counsel, and the Opinions of the Court.

In the subject of Politics he has indeed hitherto taken little concern; not that he feared to express his opinions, but believing that the defence of correct principles required not his feeble aid, he left it (and as some may think wisely) to more able advocates. Submitting, however, to the opinions of those on whose friendly zeal and better judgment he could rely, he has determined to give his paper a *decided political character*. He is not unmindful of the difficulties of the undertaking; he is well aware that they, who do not bow down to the golden Image, must be contented to be charged with heresies—to have their motives misrepresented—their faith doubted, and themselves threatened with Fire and Faggots, or "Hemp and Confiscation!" as it is too often, unfortunately, the lot of those who undertake the thankless task of observing and explaining the aspects of the times; who foretell dangers, and call for preparation, to be heard with impatience, and generally with suspicion. He has seen a spirit of intolerance displayed even on the floor of Congress, and in the Ministerial Cabinet and Presses, which requires of the minority, not only that they patiently submit to the measures of government, however oppressive or ruinous, but that they subscribe to the infallibility of the men in power. As it is his determination not to submit to such a species of Tyranny, he will speak freely of Public Men and Measures.

While he feels a confidence, almost amounting to reverence, in the orthodoxy of that political faith which WASHINGTON thought the truly Catholic, he will never assail the motives of those who may differ with him, unless palpably and flagrantly impure; he will endeavour to have charity for the uncharitable, and to tolerate the intolerant. The freedom of opinion he esteems the highest privilege of freemen; but the freedom to disseminate falsehood, licentiousness and malignity, without restraint, is the unhappy and dangerous freedom of political reprobrates.

Such is the office which the Editor has undertaken, and such the principles by which he will be guided, he will endeavour to execute it faithfully, uninfluenced by personal consideration, in the firm reliance that the cause of truth and correct policy must ultimately triumph.

CONDITIONS.
The Maryland Gazette will be published twice a week during the Session of the Legislature, and once a week the residue of the year.
It shall be neatly and correctly printed on a super-royal sheet, at Three Dollars per annum—Payable in Advance.

Wanted
TO HIRE, BY THE YEAR,
A NEGRO WOMAN,
who understands House Work, for which a liberal price will be given. Inquire at this Office.
Sept. 17.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY
ROBERT BOWIE, ESQUIRE
GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of Maryland did by an act passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, entitled, "An act to reduce into one the several acts of Assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections," direct that the governor and council after having received the returns of elections of the members to represent the state in the Congress of the U. S. should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes given for each and every person voted for as a member for 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 directions of the said act, do by this our proclamation, declare that by the returns made to us, it appears that Philip Stewart, Esq. was elected for the first district; Joseph Kent, Esq. was elected for the second district; Alexander Contee Hanson, Esq. was elected for the third district; Samuel Ringgold, Esq. was elected for the fourth district; Alexander McKim, and Nicholas Ruxton Moore, Esqs. were elected for the fifth district; Stevenson Archer, Esq. was elected for the sixth district; Robert Wright, Esq. was elected for the seventh district, and Charles Geldsbrough, Esq. was elected for the eighth district.

Given in Council, at the city of Annapolis, under the great seal of the State of Maryland, this twenty third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the thirty seventh.

By the Governor, 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 Maryland Gazette and Maryland Republican, of Annapolis; in the Whig, Sun, American and Federal Gazette, of Baltimore, in the National Intelligencer, at Washington; in Bartgis's paper at Frederick-Town; in the Maryland Herald, at Hagers-town; and in the Star at Easton.

By Order, Ninian Pinkney, Clerk of the Council.
November 12.

Land for Sale.

I will sell the plantation on which I now reside, containing about six hundred and sixty acres of valuable land, adapted to farming, in a healthy situation: There is the greatest plenty of wood, such as oak, chestnut, walnut and poplar; it is well watered; a plenty of meadow, and about four acres in clover. This land lies within two miles of Herring Creek Church, five miles from Pig Point, and about the same distance from Herring Bay. It will be divided to suit purchasers, if desired. For terms apply to the subscriber.

Sept. 24, 1812. **16 Samuel Harrison.**

20,000 Dollars—Cash

Now afloat in the Potomack and Shenandoah Navigation Lottery, second class.
1 prize of \$20,000
1 do. 5,000
1 do. 2,000
7 do. 1,000
12 do. 500
30 do. 100
Besides the following Stationary Prizes:
1 prize of \$15,000
1 do. 10,000
1 do. 5,000
1 do. 2,000
8 do. 1,000
10 do. 500
10 do. of 100 Tickets each in this class.
Besides a vast number of small prizes, and not near 1 1-2 blanks to a prize.
Present price of tickets \$9.

TICKETS & SHARES
Sold by **JOSEPH MILLIGAN,** Book-seller, Georgetown.
Who sold a great part of the *Capital Prizes* in the first class.
All orders for tickets particularly attended to. Prize Tickets in this and other Lotteries taken in payment for tickets—All lottery information gratis.
December 10, 1812.

Livery Stables.

THE subscriber having his Stables in good order for the reception of Horses respectfully solicits the favors of the Public. The utmost attention will be paid to horses entrusted to his care.
NEHEMIAH HOLLAND.
N. B. He is likewise prepared to carry express to any part of the state at the shortest notice, with despatch.
N. H.

To the Voters

Of Anne-Arundel County and the City of Annapolis.
GENTLEMEN, Having become a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff at the next Electoral period, have thought proper to give this early notice of my intention to do so. On this occasion I earnestly solicit the support of my fellow-citizens: Should my efforts be crowned with success, it would be the object of my care to discharge the duties that would devolve on me with justice and humanity.
REZIN SPURRIER,
Annapolis, October 8, 1812.

EXCHANGE OF OLD SIX PER CENT AND DEFERRED STOCKS

Pursuant to the act of Congress, entitled, "An act authorising a subscription for the old six per cent and deferred stocks, and providing for the exchange of the same," passed on the 6th day of July, 1812, books will be opened on the first day of October next, at the Treasury, and at the several loan offices, and will continue open till the 17th day of March next, for receiving subscriptions of the old six per cent and deferred stocks, in the manner prescribed by the said act. New certificates, bearing interest from the first day of the quarter in which the subscription shall be made, at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly, for the unredeemed amount of principal of the old six per cent and deferred stocks which may be subscribed, will be issued at the Treasury or at the Loan Offices respectively where the old stock subscribed may at the time stand credited. The new stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the 31st day of December, 1812; but no reimbursement will be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of any proprietor, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.

Sarah Ann Waters,
Has just received at her shop in Church-street, Annapolis, a few dozen well selected Baltimore made Ladies dress and undress
3X Shoes and Slippers,
With a few Rand Morocco and Calf ditto. All of which she will dispose of on the most reduced Baltimore retail prices
December 21. **3w.**

Public Sale.

Pursuant to an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will sell at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, on Friday 8th day of January next, at his house, for ready cash.
A Negro Woman and five children, consisting of three Boys and two Girls, with some other articles too tedious to mention, the property of Robert Steuart, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, for the payment of all just claims against said estate, and the balance if any, to be equally divided among his legal representatives according to law.
7X David Stuart, Adm'r.
November 25.

For Sale

A Negro Woman, aged 32, with four Children, three girls and a boy, the eldest daughter nine years of age, the second four, the boy's age seven. Enquire at the Gazette Office.
October 29. **10** tf.

For Sale,

A LIGHT AND FAITHFUL BUILT
2 Travelling GIG,
With PLATED HARNESS—both equally as good as new. Inquire of the Printer.
December 31. **3t.**

Anne-Arundel County, sc.

On application to me the subscriber, in the recess of Anne Arundel county court, as an associate judge for the third judicial district of Maryland, by petition, in writing, of **Danzy Brown**, of said county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in said act, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and having satisfied me that he has resided in the state of Maryland for two years immediately preceding the time of his application, having also stated in his petition that he is in confinement for debt, and having prayed to be discharged from his confinement on the terms prescribed in said act; I do hereby order and adjudge, that the person of the said Danzy Brown be discharged, and by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Maryland Gazette for three months successively before the first Monday of April next, to give notice to his creditors to appear before the county court of said county, on the third Monday of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Danzy Brown should not have the benefit of the acts as prayed for. Given under my hand this 21st day of November, 1812.
Richard H. Harwood.

Augustus Uz,

Respectfully informs the Citizens of Annapolis, that the earnest solicitations of some of the most respectable inhabitants he has made arrangements, and is now enabled, to devote his leisure hours to their benefit and gratification, with his new and elegant mode of
Colouring and Ornamenting Walls,
either in imitation of paper hangings, or otherwise. This so eminently useful invention is too generally known throughout the Union to need any further illustration. Directions, in writing, left at Mr. Jarvis's, on Hill Point, or at Mr. Isaac Parker's Tavern, (where a rough specimen of the work may be seen,) will be strictly attended to, and all necessary information respecting expenses and durability given.
October 8. **13**

NOTICE.

I will Rent, or Sell, my FARM, near South River Church. For terms apply to Nicholas Brewer, of the City of Annapolis.
FRANCES YATES.
November 12. **8**

State of Maryland, sc.

On application, by petition, of Joseph Harrison, administrator of Jeremiah C. Simons, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered, that he give the notice required by law, for the creditors to bring in their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

John Gassaway, Reg. Wills
for A. A. county.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

That the subscriber of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Jeremiah C. Simons, 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 subscriber, on or before the third day of March next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 24th day of November, 1812.
Joseph G. Harrison, Adm'r.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber having obtained letters of administration on the personal estate of Captain ROBERT DENNY, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, requests all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to present the same, legally authenticated, for settlement, and all persons indebted to the said estate to make immediate payment.
Augusta Denny, Adm'r.
December 31.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Anne-Arundel county court, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of said court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto.
John O'Hara.
December 3. **6**

NOTICE.

That the Levy Court of Anne-Arundel county will meet on the eighteenth of January next, in the City of Annapolis, to adjust and settle the accounts of the Inspectors of Tobacco and Supervisors of the public roads, and to lay and proportion the Levy for the said county. By order
Wm. S. Green, Clk. L. C. A. C.
Dec 10.

NOTICE.

ALL persons are forewarned from hunting either with dog or gun, or trespassing in any way whatever, on the lands belonging to John P. Meekins, John Linthicum, and Joshua Linthicum, in South River Neck, now in the possession of Joshua Linthicum, as they will be dealt with according to law.
3X Joshua Linthicum.
Dec 24. **3w.**

I WISH TO SELL,

2 or 3 likely young negro women,
Two of them have each a male child. They will be sold low, to persons in the state, for cash. Apply to
5 Joseph G. Harrison,
Near Friendship, A. A. county.
December 3. **3w.**

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Anne-Arundel County Court, September Term, 1812.

ON application to the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, by petition in writing of **JOSEPH P. PEARCE**, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November Session, eighteen hundred and five, and the several supplements thereto, upon the terms mentioned in the said act, and the supplements thereto, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, together with the assent of more than two thirds of them in value to his obtaining the benefit of said act, being annexed to his said petition; and the said court being satisfied by the competent testimony, that he has resided in the state of Maryland for the period of two years immediately preceding his application, and that he has given due public notice of his intention to make it: It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the said Joseph P. Pearce, 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, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Joseph P. Pearce should not have the benefit of said act and its supplements, as prayed.
Test. **W. S. GREEN, Clk.**
Dec. 31, 1812. **2**

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.
ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, JAN. 14,
LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.
HOUSE OF DELEGATES.
SATURDAY, JAN. 2.

The house met. Present as yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. On motion by Mr. Kilgour, Resolved, That the thanks of this House be presented to the Speaker, for the ability and industry with which he has discharged the duties of his office.
On motion by Mr. Dorsey, the following preamble and order were read and adopted: Whereas, the people of Maryland have a right to know in what manner, and for what objects, the revenue of the State is expended. Therefore, Ordered, That the committee of claims be requested to report to this House what expences have been incurred under the order of the house of delegates, charging the committee of grievances and courts of justice to inquire into the recent riots in the City of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. Plater, the following preamble and resolution were read and adopted: Whereas, it appears from the report of the committee appointed to inquire into the state of the records of the court of chancery, that but few of the papers were recorded; and considerable time preceding the death of Samuel H. Howard, and none since the appointment of Nicholas Brewer, the prothonotary; and it appears it has been the usual custom after decrees to charge the clerks of recording.
Resolved, That the Governor and Council be and are hereby authorized, upon the petition of the said Nicholas Brewer and the representatives of the said Samuel H. Howard, to complete the said records, to direct the prothonotary general to institute suits on the records given by them as registers of the court of chancery, for the faithful discharge of their duties, to recover the amount of the penalties of said bonds to be applied towards the expense of bringing up the said records to the person to be appointed by the executive.

The clerk of the senate delivers the resolution in favor of Joshua Powers; the resolution in favor of Elijah Smith, of Dorchester county; and the resolutions proposing amendment to the constitution of the United States, severally endorsed, "dissenting." The resolution relative to the address of H. Shaw; the resolution in favor of Charles Mills and Henry Thompson; the resolution in favor of Charles Williams and Jefferson Leitch; the resolution in favor of Hugh Thompson; the resolution in favor of Thomas Chandler; the resolution for printing the testimony before the committee of grievances and of justice; and the resolution in favor of Chandler, severally endorsed, "assented to." Also the bill to pay the civil list expenses of civil government, endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed the bill to make valid a deed from Thomas Gaik to Lambert Veazy for a tract called Wheeler's Point, lying in Cecil county, and the bill to provide for the administration of justice in cases of crimes and misdemeanors in the city and county of Baltimore, severally endorsed, "will not pass."

On motion by Mr. Bowles, the following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate: Gentlemen of the Senate We have finished the business before us prepared to close the session. We appointed Messrs. Grabame and Bowles the part of this house, to join gentlemen may be appointed by the Senate, to wait on the Governor, and request his attendance in the Senate Chamber to sign and seal the resolutions of the constitution of this State. The clerk of the senate delivers the following bills from 24 to 119, endorsed, and assented to. The bill for the purpose of meeting of the court of justice, and for other purposes, endorsed, "will pass." Also the resolution in favor of Crauch & William Grace, endorsed, "dissenting." The resolution in favor of Thompson, of Kent county; the resolution in favor of Alexander Johnson, of Charles county; the resolution in favor of John Keay, jun. late Sheriff of F...