

Anne-Arundel County

Court, April Term, 1814

Application to the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, by petition, in support of Larkin Hammond, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

The mail is waiting, and will conclude in haste... J. W. MOULTON.

Albany Gazette Extra—Aug. 16. A letter from a gentleman of this city now at Burlington, dated Saturday evening, Aug. 11, states, that every officer on board Commodore Donough's ship, himself excepted, were killed at the commencement of the engagement; that the slaughter on board both ships was immense; that the New-York militia was drove about 3 miles by the British, but at length drove the British and killed many.

Defeat of the British Army at Plattsburg.

Gentlemen who arrived in the evening's northern stage, and who left Burlington Monday morning, state, that by a Mr. Tylee and Mr. Ransom, (both respectable & intelligent gentlemen) who left Plattsburg on Sunday evening, information was received of the defeat of the British army under Sir George Prevost, in their attack on Plattsburg, after a severe and long intended action, with the loss of between 2 and 3000 men, killed, wounded and prisoners. The action commenced on land at the same time with that on the Lake. The British crossed the Saranac and drove out of camp about 3 miles, when they were met by the Vermont militia, who came to the aid of their brethren in arms, and who fought with the heroic courage and resolution of their ancient Green Mountain boys. Every man did his duty, every one fought for his country, his family and his fire side. Victory was ours, the enemy were defeated, and forced to a precipitate retreat across the Saranac.

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, SEPT. 22, 1814.

We are authorised to say, that COL THOMAS HOOD will be a candidate to represent Anne-Arundel county in the next General Assembly.

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The Friends of Peace in Anne-Arundel county have determined to support COB FRANKLIN Junior, as a representative from said county to the next General Assembly of Maryland.

We are authorised to say, that DR. RICHARD HOPKINS will be a candidate to represent Anne-Arundel County in the next General Assembly.

The Friends of Peace in the Third Congressional District, composed of Anne-Arundel and Prince-Georges counties, and the City of Annapolis, have determined to support JOHN C. EBBERT, Esquire, as a Representative from said District to the next Congress.

seas and scows to the landing, and which abounds in Cypress and Chestnut trees, the former suitable for plank shingles, being impervious to worms, which destroys every other kind of timber, while they leave the Cypress untouched; the latter suitable for fence posts. There are a grist and saw mills, a framed dwelling house, three log tenements, a black-smith's shop, a tobacco house, and several out houses, the last mentioned land. Should these lands not be sold by next October, they will then be offered at Public Sale. Persons disposed to buy may obtain great bargains by speedy applications. JNO. JAS. BROOKE, St. Leonard's, 2 1/2 miles N.W. of P. 18th, 1814.

A LIST OF THE AMERICAN NAVY, WITH STEEL'S LIST OF THE BRITISH NAVY. For Sale at GEORGE SHAW'S Store, and at this Office. Price 12 1/2 Cents.

From the Federal Republican.

Justice to a highly deserving portion of Maryland troops, requires the publication of the following papers:—

George Town, Sept. 6, 1814.

Dear Sir—A report being industriously circulated by some characters destitute of honour or truth, that the cavalry under your command on the 24th ult. in the field of battle at Bladensburgh were ordered to charge on the enemy, and refused to obey the order, we feel it a duty due ourselves, as well as those patriotic and brave citizens under our command, to request of you a short statement of the conduct of the cavalry on that day. We have no hesitation in stating that we informed you the cavalry under our command were not sufficiently drilled to make a charge on a line of regular infantry, without being ourselves thrown into confusion, whereby a considerable sacrifice of a valuable corps of men would ensue, without being able to gain any important advantage, but at the same time observed, that we would execute any order from you—that the order to us was, that the cavalry were not to charge the enemy in line, but hold themselves in readiness to charge him, should he seem disposed to retire, or his lines be broken by our infantry, and thrown into confusion. No opportunity offered on that day, in our opinion, for the cavalry to act. Our men were in fine spirits, ready at any moment to obey orders. We are decidedly of opinion, that the report has originated with some dastardly coward, who in order to conceal his own cowardly conduct on that day, makes every base attempt to reflect on the honour and courage of our corps.

Attack on Baltimore.

Baltimore, Sept. 15.

We cannot, as yet, describe the various particulars of this tremendous conflict—all we can say with truth (until we have authentic accounts from the proper authorities) is, that on Monday an advanced corps from our garrison, consisting of a part of the 3d Brigade, and two companies of Volunteers attached to the 5th regt. met the enemy shortly after the landing at North Pt. and gave them battle, or retreated as circumstances required, until the enemy's columns reached within five miles of the city. On Tuesday morning, the enemy's fleet arranged in a most formidable half circle before Fort M'Henry, to the amount of about 30 sail, which kept up a most furious attack with shot, shells, and rockets, for 21 hours, without any intermission. About one o'clock yesterday morning, he advanced his bomb and rocket vessels beyond Fort M'Henry into the Patapsco, and threw a number of shells and rockets towards the city itself—but he was here met by a most tremendous and well directed fire, not only from the main fortress, but also from the forts Covington and Patapsco, principally manned by our gallant seamen, which obliged the enemy to retire with precipitation; and yesterday morning about nine o'clock their fleet got under way and went down the river. Our loss in the various engagements has not been so great in number as of several valuable citizens who died or bled in defence of their country. The enemy has suffered a loss, as near as can be ascertained, of about 400 men, among them is their leader, Gen. Ross, who made so distinguished a figure in the attack on Washington.

In addition we beg leave to state, that a greater proportion of our cavalry had been, previous to the engagement, on very arduous duty, having reconnoitered the enemy from his position at Nottingham, until the night previous to his arrival at Bladensburgh, and were brought into action without having any refreshment or rest for near 48 hours. Respectfully, we are, sir, Your most obt. servants, FRISBY TILGHMAN, L. C. Maryland Cavalry. O. H. WILLIAMS, Major 1st Regt. Md. Cavalry. CHAS. STERETT RIDGELY, Major 3d Regt. Md. Cavalry.

Brig. Gen. Wm. H. Winder, Baltimore. The shortest and most complete certificate I can give, is, to state, that the representation of facts contained in this letter, is entirely correct.

WM. H. WINDER, Brigadier General. Balt. Sept. 8, 1814.

Washington, Sept. 11, 1814. I have read the above, and concur with Gen. Winder in the correctness of the statement in every circumstance. I witnessed with great

satisfaction the conduct of this corps from the time the enemy landed at Benedict, which was active, enterprising, and essentially useful, and I am satisfied, that had a proper occasion presented itself, in the action at Bladensburgh, of the kind described, that it would have displayed the utmost degree of gallantry. JAS. MONROE.

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THE ENEMY.

On Sunday between 60 and 70 sail of the enemy, large and small, passed our harbour, bound down the Bay. A ship and schr. grounded, the first near the upper end of Kent Island, the schr. near Sandy Point—their circumstance detained several of their vessels until Tuesday, when the ship, after being lightened by taking out her guns, &c. was got off—the schr. was burnt. Yesterday they got under way and proceeded 10 miles below this city, when they came to anchor.

Notice to Overseers.

The subscriber is in want of an Overseer, for the ensuing year—One that can come well recommended for sobriety, honesty, industry, and management, may find an advantageous situation by application to the subscriber, on the north side of Severn. Frederick Mackubin, September 22.

POSTSCRIPT.

From the N. Y. Evening Post, Sep. 19. FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

Office of the Newburyport Herald, Sept. 16, 1814.

Arrived this forenoon, the Br. schr. Columbia, Trefethen, prize mast. prize to the privateer brig Portsmouth, taken last Saturday, 24 hours out of Halifax. A passenger taken in the Columbia informs us, that an armed dispatch schr. 30 days from England, arrived at Halifax Tuesday last week, WITH SEALED DISPATCHES FROM THE PRINCE REGENT TO THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT, and that she sailed the next day for the Chesapeake. Of the nature of these despatches nothing was known, nor was there any news published in the Halifax papers by this arrival, if any. They had heard of the capture of Washington, but deferred their rejoicings till they heard of the fall of Baltimore, which was publicly said to be a part of the object of the campaign.

A BATTEAU.

With Eighteen Empty Bags, came on shore at my plantation on Broad Creek, Kent Island, about five days past. The owner may have his property, by paying charges, on application to R. J. JONES, Kinnersley, near Church Hill, Queen-Anne's County. August 29.

To Rent or Sell.

Two small tenements, one within 8 miles of Annapolis, with a comfortable dwelling house, and other out-houses, a good barn, with a variety of fruit of all kinds, two fields of corn ground, with convenient lots about the building, with an addition of meadow ground; The land is well adapted to the growth of clover. The other lying in the Fork of Patuxent, within 15 miles of Annapolis, on a public road, where it will be found to be a good stand for either a tavern or a country store. It has on it a good dwelling-house, and a tobacco-house; the land is kind and adapted to the growth of clover. Whoever wishes to rent or purchase will apply to the subscriber, head of South-river. Thos. Bicknell, September 8.

Land for Sale.

The subscriber will sell a tract of land, containing about 400 acres, situated in Anne-Arundel county, 9 miles from the city of Annapolis, 21 from Baltimore, and three from the navigable water of Severn river. The soil is suited to clover and plaister. There is on the premises a dwelling house, and other out houses, with garden and orchard. This property has the advantage of having a great portion of fire wood & valuable timber, with between 20 and 30 acres of meadow. A more minute description is tho't unnecessary, as persons wishing to purchase can view the same, and know the terms, which will be found accommodating, by application to the subscriber, living within 2 miles of said land. Henry Woodward, August 4, 1814.

principles of American policy, and in the foundation of every great... Navigation, trade, commerce, wealth, union, political principles, the solid acquisitions the foundation of personal strength and independence, well high disappear... the measure of our national hopes, and of our war, is entailed on the whole West and South, in power for four years, to engage men, and fears, from successful projects of American politics. Instead of it had been secured, the national security in a plain, honest, and a course of public wisdom, they have kept one continued state of commotion, less more justify their absurd, outrageous designs. To have been no fund of the American national interest, which has not been raised, and this by the used and have kept being and promising secure their interests more effectually against the constitution... once as necessary to the people, has been every article. The... been established... laws... has been wrested from possession, with by the military... been seized by military... been torn from... discharged with... address for ruin... issued and... illegally with... appointed by... presidents, only be... to be gratified... as the only... against tyrannical... liberty, has... time of peace, to... freedom of... frequently on... often most penal... has been determin... execution, contrary... support and obligation... of the judges... way by the legisla... commendations of... office of judge is... on the will of pre... magistrates, against... of the Constitution, they shall and their... and behaviour... This... of usurpation... dependent department... subject to the... and in effect... liberty and pro... dependent on party... good behaviour... of the government... independent branch of... government has been annihilated, raising a precedent and productive of consequences fatal to the rights and liberties of the people, as secured by themselves. To perpetuate the political ascendancy, and in violation of the principles and interests of the constitution, a pernicious aristocracy of states and persons, has been created. This has been effected. By making use of the vast quarter of their influence, favorable to a despotic domination and Virginia slavery. By employing immense sums taken from the treasury, in the purchase of an useless foreign country, and converting its interests for the same purpose of multiplying official dependents, and giving preponderance to Virginia and the southern states, in the national legislature and councils.

By changing the constitution of the mode of choosing the president, and vice president, by which the larger states are enabled to control the smaller, and make traffic of their important offices.

By the monstrous usurpation of nominating a president and vice president at the seat of government, in the vortex of intrigue, and under the smiles and patronage of the candidates proposed, instead of leaving the nomination to a free and unbiassed people.

By proscribing men for their opinions, and banishing from trust and employment, the friends of Washington and his policy, thereby depriving the nation of the councils and support of its wisest and best citizens, and alienating their minds from the laws of each other and their common country.

By multiplying offices and salaries, and appointing officers civil and military, without experience or knowledge, remarkable chiefly for party violence and incapacity, consequently more dependent on the will and opinions of the president, and his weak but fast advisers.

By conferring high offices on strangers, possessing no attachment but to the party which upholds them, and by these instruments, strengthening themselves in office at the risk of exposing the people to the intrigues, ignorance and passions of foreign agents—men who it must be evident cannot love our country, nor care for or understand its interests.

And finally, by violating the freedom of speech and opinions, overawing elections, and introducing terror and military despotism.

Taking a view of legislative and executive conduct, a scene of weakness and deplorable misrule unfolds itself. The American freeman who reviews all the mass of political intrigue, immobility and corruption, may well exclaim, "Give us back peace and the honest policy of Washington." Year after year has passed away in busy and officious mischief—in holding out false hopes—in ambiguous presidential messages—in feigned negotiations—in multifarious projects, and in contradictory and futile resolutions—in vain boasting, and boastful speeches—in impudencies, threatening against our foreign government, and a bold submission and even aid to another, more insidiously among our...

By all these public and private means, the great purposes of steady, useful government, overlooked or abandoned. The substantial interests and prosperity of the nation literally and shamefully sacrificed.

Novelties, most inconsistent with our ancient habits, and most injurious to American rights and interests, have been introduced and persevered in, to the almost entire subversion of the forms of American policy.

[To be concluded in our next.]

Private Sale.

I will sell at private sale, a lot in Queen Anne's Parish, George's county, containing 3000 acres, and an excellent stand for a person wishing to retire to the mountains, or to a person who wishes a stand for a farm, and perhaps in a village in the state, can be found at which a decent tavern may be wanted. On the 1st of the large stone house, a counter, shelves, and ready for the reception of a quantity of any good quality of groceries, and a very large dining table, with two chairs above, and below a table, a bed room, with a room below and two above, for all years, and a very fine lawn, and a large garden, and a very fine view of the sea. Application to the subscriber, or to the office of the subscriber, near Church Hill, Queen Anne's County, August 22.

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