The vernal breeze, whose steps are seen Imprinted in the early dew, Ne'er brush'd a flower of brighter beam Or nurs'd a bud of lovelier hue!

It blossom'd not in dreary wild, In darksome glen or descrit bower But grew, like Flora's favirite child, In sun beam soft and fragrant shower

The graces lov'd with chasten'd light, To thish its pure celestial blocm; And all its blossoms were so bright, It seem'd not form'd to die so soon.

Youth round the flow ret ere it fell, In armour bright was seen to stray, And Beauty said, her magic spell, Should keep its perfume from decay

The parent stalk from which it sprung Transported as its halo spread, In holy umbrage o'er it hung, And tears of heaven-born rapture shed.

Yet, fragile flow'r! thy blossom bright Tho guarded by a magic spell, Like a sweet beam of evening light, In lonely hour, of tempest fell. The death-blast of the wintry air,

The cold frost and the night wind came, They nipt thy beauty once so fair!

It shall not bloom on earth again.

HALIFAX, Sept. 28. A BRITISH ACCOUNT OF THE ATTACK ON BALTI-MORE.

This morning arrived II. M. ships Tonnant, Vice-Adm. Sir A. Coonrane; Surprise, and Diomede, from the Chesapeake.

An officer of one of the ships has obligingly favoured us with the foilowing interesting account of an attack made by the British forces upon Baltimore:

Sir Alexander Cochrane and Maj. Gen. Ross, having resolved upon making a demonstration on the city of Baltimore, which might, if circumstances justified it. be converted into a real attack-on the 11th inst. the fleet entered the Patapsco. and the frigates, smaller ships of war, & transports, proceeded up the river, to an advantageous situation for landing the troops, &c .- Early on the morning of the 12th, the disembarkation took place, without opposition, of the army, 600 seamen, the 2d battalion of marines, and those of the squadron-the whole under the command of Gen. Ross, who was accompanied by Rear Adm. Cockburn-Soon after the landing was effected. Sir A. Cochrane shifted his fing from the Tonnant to the Surprise, and followed by the bomb, rocket-ships, &c. passed up the river, with the view of co-operating with the troops. At day-light on the 14th, the melancholy intelli-gence of the death of Gen. Ross was announced on board the Surprise, he received his fatal wound from a musket ball, while engaged, with a small party in reconnoitering the positions of the enemy, and closed his valuable life before he could be brought off to the ship. Colonel Brooke succeeded to the on to within 5 miles of Baltimore, where the enemy, (about 6 or 7000) had taken up an advanced and strong position-here the enemy was attacked with an impetuosity, that obliged him soon to give way, and retreat rapidly in every direction, leaving on the field of battle a considerable number of killed and wounded, and two pieces of can-

At the dawn of the next day, the bomb vessels having taken their stations, supported by the Surprise & the other frigates, opened a heavy fire within shell range, upon the fort that defended the entrance of the harbour of Baltimore, which had the effect of showing the strength and fortifications of the enemy-on the land side the town is defended by a chain of redoubts connected by a breastwork, a large train of ar tillery, and a force apparently of from 15 to 20,000 men-the entrance of the narbour was obstructed by a barrier of sunken vessels, defended by gun-boats inside, and flanked by powerful batteries.

These circumstances preventing any effectual co-operation from his Majesty's ships; and it being considered that without it there was too great a disparity of force to justify an artack by the army upon the above positions of the enemy-and as the primary object of the expedition had been accomposhed, it was distributing type, a tolerable car-thought proper to withdraw the penter and joiner, a plain painter. troops and the next morning they an excellent manager of florests,

embarked without the least annoy-

ance from the enemy.

The result of the demonstration has been the defeat of the army, of the enemy—the destruction by themselves of a quantity of shipping, of an extensive rope-walk and other public erections; marrassing the armed inhabitants of the surrounding country, and drawing off their attention from other important points. Our loss on the occasion, we are

happy to learn, did not exceed in killed and wounded 250 men. [A letter from Washington says. Gen. Ross was killed by a shot from

a boy behind a tree.] The president's message was received at Halifax 6th inst. by the

Nymphe. About 250 American prisoners had been lately sent to England. Several hundred negroes arrived in the last vessels from the Chesapeake.

> From a London paper. CAPTAIN MANNERS.

The conduct of this noble hero, during the late desperate engagement between the Reindeer and Wasp, in which he gloriously fell, is the theme of universal praise. After having part of the calves of his legs carried away by a bail, he received another through both thighs, which made him sink for 2 or 3 minutes on his knees, but no entreaties could prevail on him to go below; and recovering himself he headed the boarders, with a full determination to master his antagonists or perish in the attempt. While climbing into the rigging, two balls from the Wasp's top, penetrated the top of is skull, and came out beneath h s chin. Placing one hand on his forehead, the other convuisively brandishing his sword, he exclaimed, 'My God! My God!' and dropped lifeless on his own deck. The Reindeer was surrendered by the captain's clerk, no individual of a higher degree being in a state to execute the melancholy office. One of the Reindeer's men was wounded on the head by a ramrod About half of the ramrod passed through his temples and remained stationary. Before it could be extracted, it became necessary to saw it off close to one of his temples. The man is in a fair way

Directions for preserving Apples thro'

of doing well.

From Dean's New England Farmer. The secret of preserving appres through the winter, in a sound state, is of no small importance. Some say, that shutting them up in a tight cask is an effectual method; it seems probable, for they soon rot in open air. But an easier method, and what has recommended itself to me by experience of several years, is as follows: I gather them about noon in the latter part of October. Then spread them in a chamber, or garret. where they lie till about the last of November. Then remove them into casks or boxes in the cellar. With this management I find I can keep them till the last of May, so well that not one in fifty will rot.

From the United States Gazette. Our readers would find some difficulty in believing that the following is a genuine, serious bona fide advertisement, if we did not assure them that it is taken verbatim et literatim from the 'Raleigh Star,' where it stood placed with the figure of a runaway negro prefixed to it. Caleb Quotem, so renowned in farce, scarcely equalled the subject of this advertisement in the variety and whimsical nature of his accomplishments. We think it would be unpardonable to withold from our subscribers so very curious a producti-

"Twenty-five Dollars reward. Ranaway from Raleigh a month or two ago, a mulatto man named Anthony, well known in Raleigh and many parts of the state, as having been for several years the body servant of Gen. Jones, and mine, lately a pressman and news carrier in the Star Office. Authory is about 25 or 26 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, is a mongrel white, tuscarora and negro, has a tolerable large aquiline nose, bushy hair, though scar on one of his cheeks, when in good humour has a pleasing countenance, but if intoxicated, the tuscarora shows itself. He works and walks fast, is lively and talkative. full of anecdote, which he relates in character with much humour, is an excellent press-man, indifferent at

drives well and rides elegantly have ng been accustomed to vace-riding. is fond of cockfighting (and of manfighting when drunk) and is said to heel and pit with mirch skill, he can bleed and pull teeth, knows some. thing of medicines, is a rough barber, a bad conceited cook, a good sawyer, can lay a brick, has worked in the corn-field, and can scratch "high-bob" and "tobacco hills" a little on the fiddle. He can do ma ny other things, and whatever he can't do, he pretends to have a knowledge of. His trades and qualities are thus detailed because his vanity will undoubtedly lead to a display of them. His master vice, or rather the parent of all his vices, is a fondness for strong drink, tho' sometimes he will abstain for months. His clothes cannot be described, but he carried away very few or none, and 'tis expected will appear shabbily He is an artful fellow and if taken up will tell a most plausible story and possibly show a forged pass.

WALKING MATCH.

Mr. John Humphreys, quartermaster of the Marbiehead batta- or walked on the 14th uit. from Mar blehead to Salem, a distance exceeding four miles, in the short space of 44 minutes. The bets on this walk were to a considerable amount.

[Salem Gazette.]

The keel of the enemy's new ship on Ontario, is 170 teet in length-That of the Nelson, mountting 140 guns, (the largest ship ever built in England,) is but ten inches [Phil. paper] longer.

By order of the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, Oct. 25, 1814. It is ordered by the court, that the following notice be given to the heirs of David Steuart, late of Anne-Arundel county; deceased:

NOTICE.

That the heirs of Mrs Susan Tilghman, the heirs of Charles Steuart. William Stenart, and James Steuart heirs aforesaid, be and appear in our orphans court, to be held in Annapolis on Tuesday the sixth day of December next, to shew cause, if any they have why the will, or paper purporting to be the will, of David Steuart, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, should not be admitted to probate.

By order, John Gassaway, Reg. Wills. A. A. County.

NOTICE

That the Levy Court of Anne-Arundel County will meet on the third Mon day in November next, in the City of Annapolis, to adjust and settle the ac counts of the supervisors of the public roads in said county.

By order.
Wm. S. Green, Clk. L. C. A. A. C. October 27, 1814.

Notice is hereby given, That a petition will be presented to th General Assembly, at its next session for a law to change the place of holding the Election in Election District No. 2, of Anne Arundel count

Sale Postponed.

By virtue a decree of the high court of chancery, will be exposed to pub-lic sale, on Saturday the 26th day of November at the Poplar Springs,

The equitable interest of Caspar Trump, in and to part of a tract of land called *Pleasant Headows*, lying in Anne-Arundel county mear the Poplar Springs. It is decined unnecessary to give a further description of this property, as it is presumed those who wish to purchase will view the premises pre vious to the sale. The terms of sale are, that the pur

chaser give bond with approved security, to the trustee, for the payment of the purchase money, within twelve months from the day of sale, with inerest. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock. Henry Wayman, Trustee. 20, 1811. ts.

Notice is hereby given. That the subscriber intends to petiti on the next general assembly of-Mary land for a special act of insolvency.

JOSEPH FITZPATRICK. Poplar Springs, Oct. 14.

NOTICE. The subscriber having obtained from orphans court of Calves county-letters testamentary on the easte of James Sewell, late of said county, deceased, requests all persons having claims a gally authenticated, on or before the 1st of November next, otherwise they may be excluded from all enefit of said estate. 20 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber on the d of October 1814, a negro man called DICK: he is a short, yellowish com-plected fellow, about 35 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, and very po-lits when spoken to. He took with lum a pair of cotton country cloth trousers, with a broad blue stripe, and a round wnite country cloth jacket and waistcoat. He is a rough shoemaker, & took away with him his tools. Whoever brings home the said negro, or secures him so that I get him again, shall re-ceive the above reward with all reasonable charges.

Benjamin Harwood, of Rd.

A County, South River Neck,
near Annapolis

N. B. It is supposed the above negro man may have gone to Montgomery county, where his mother lives with Mrs. Murray, near thou gomery County House, and may Lace a pass. B. H. October 20.

Farmers Bank

Of Maryland, October 8, 1814.

The board of directors of the Farners Bank of Maryland, having order ed the return of the Bank to Annapolis all persons having any business to trans act with the said bank, will after Wed nesday the 12th inst. apply at their Banking House, in Annapolis.

By order,
Jona. Pinkney, Cashier.

A Farm for Sale.

To be sold, by the subscribers, on Tue-day, the 8th day of November next, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, all those two tracts of land called " Frad sum," and "Anglin's Discovery," con taining in the whole 320 acres, lying contiguous to each other, and hinding on Severn river, about 7 miles from Annapolis, and one mile from the pub-lic road leading from Annapolis to Baltimore. There are on the premises a good dwelling-house, barn, kitchen, coin house and other buildings. The son is adapted to the growth of corn tobacco, rye, &c. The terms of sale niteen hundred dollars to be paid in cash, and the residue in 12 from the day of sale, with interest therefrom. A deed to be given when all the money is paid.

Jeremiah Townley Chase,

Thomas Joice. October 13, 1814.

FUR SALE, SEVERAL YOUNG NEGRO MEN one of which is a good Carpenter. Inquire at the Gazette Office.

Private Sale.

I will sell, at private sale, a Lot in Queen-Anne, Prince George's county conveniently situated, and an excellent stand for a person wishing to enter into the mercantile business, or to a per son who wishes a stand for a tavern; and perhaps no village in the state can be found, at which a decent tavern is more wanted.

On the lot is a large store house, with counter, shelves, &c. ready for the reception of a quantity of dry goods, and groceries, also a two story dwellinghouse, with two rooms above, and one below; a pailed garden and yard, and an old building out of repair, with two rooms below and two above, for several years rented as a tavern. Terms may be known by application to

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 clove and this extra the soil is suited. to clover and plaister. There is on the premises a dwelling house, and other 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 the't unuecessary, as persons wishing to nurchase can view the sons 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.

August 4, 15 february Woodward tf.

Anne-Arundel County, sc.
I hereby certify, that John N. Wat-kins, of said county, brought before me as a stray, a sorrel GELDING, about 7, years old, between 14 and 15 hands high, a blaze in his face, short tail, three white feet, a large white spot on his right side, with a defect in his right, averaged. his right eye, paces, trots, racks and gallops. Given under my hand one of the justices of the peace for said county, this 10th day of October, 1814.

Nicholds J. Watkins.

The owner of the above horse is re quested to some forward, prove property, puchas es and take him away. John N. Watking.

Ran away on the 2d of May, a Ne gro Man called Ned, who, with sere, al others, added that of Jones, and brought suit in Anne-Arundelcounty by John Golder, for their right to free which suit, at the last term of the court, was dismissed for the want of proof. He is a straight likely black fellow, 22 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, and has under one of his eyes, a scar about an inch long and broad. No descriptive informationer be given as to his cloaths; he went of with a straw hat, a country round with a straw hat, a country roundary bout striped jacket and trowsers, and good shows and stockings. It is prohable he may endeavour to get to Baltimore, or to the City of Washington. I will pay a dollar a mile on the distance he may be taken, if committed to good, so that I get him again; fifteen dollars if taken at Annapolis and committed: ten dollars if taken in the mitted; ten dollars if taken in the neighbourhood, or twenty if taken in Calvert county.

I am informed that an old yellow woman resides in Calvert who calls herself Hannah Jones, and who my Negroes, who claimed their freedom, call aunt-she is wife to a miller, who attends or did attend a mill, once the property of a Mr. Smith, and purchased by Capt. David Carcaud.

WM. BROGDEN.

Jun. 1811.

NOTICE.

The subscriber having obtained from the orphans court of Anne Arundel county, letters of administration D. B. N. on the personal estate of Samuel Green, late of Anne Arundel county, leceased, all persons having claims aainst said deceased are hereby requested to bring them in, legally proved, and those who are indebted to the same to make immediate payment, more especially those who are indebted for postage on letters, &c.
Richard H. Harwood,

Admr. D. B. N.

Feb. 21.

NOTICE.

The subscriber has placed in the hands of Thomas II. Bowie, Esq. his attorney at law, in Annapolis, all the bonds, notes, and accounts, due to the estate of the late Mr. Bennett Darnall, deceased; and takes this method of informing all those who are in any manner indebted to that estate, that he has directed suits to be instituted against every person without distinction, that shall fail of discharging the amount due, when the same is demandable The purchasers at the sale made by the executor are requestion attention to this notice.

John Mercer. executor are requested to pay particular

gust 4, 1814,

Anne-Arundel County, sc. On application to me the subscriber. chief judge of the third judicial district, in the recess of Anne Arundel county court, by petition, in writing, of Philip Clayton, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and fire, and of the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts. 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 being satisfied that the said Philip Clayton has resided the two preceding years prior to his said application within the state of Maryland, and the said Philip Clayton, having stated in his petition, that he is in actual custody, and praying to be discharged therefrom; I do therefore order and adjudge that the said Philip Clayton be discharged from his confinement; and by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette or Maryland Republican once a week, for three successive months, before the first Menday of February next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, to be held at the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday of February next, for the purpose of re-commending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Philip Clayton should not have the benefit of the said act, and the sup-

plements, as prayed.

JEREMIAH T. CHASE. Wm. S. Green, Clk.

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From the Federal Republican. CONGRESS.

HOUSE of REPRESENTATIV HONOR TO THE BRAV Theresolutions conferring he ary rewards on Generals Br Scott, Gaines, Macomb, Po Ropley, and Miller, were taken and the modification proposed b

conferees was read and accepte These resolutions have now ed both houses. NATIONAL BANK. The house resumed the cons ation on the eighth and last re tion reported by the committe the whole, on the report of the

mittee of ways and means dea permanent system of revenu the support of the public cred The resolution is as follows 8th. Resolved, That it is e ent to establish a National with Branches in the several s Mr. Stanford moved to ame resolution by striking out the with Branches in the several s

The amendment was rejected b 14-nays 138. The question was then ta agree to the resolution, and in the affirmative-yeas 93

On motion of Mr. Eppes veral resolutions were sent committee of ways and mear instruction to report bills, con

bly thereto. The resolution from the conferring honorary rewards Blakely and crew of the W capturing the Reindeer, w

read the third time and pass Mr. J. Reed submitted the

ing resolution which was, of Mr. Eppes, ordered to li

Resolved, That the Secr the Navy be, and he is he rected to report to this statement of the number of ar sels belonging to the U.S. at ration of the existing war, ing the names and force of their present condition; number and rate of new ve thorised and directed by la that time, the progress ma cution of these laws, an completed, the causes that vented their execution.

And the house adjourned morrow.

Saturday, Och. 29

The Speaker laid before a letter from the secreta navy, stating that the who books and papers and trop office have been preserved the only books and papers countant's office which i lost, relate to accounts w been settled and transmit treasury. The said letter and ordered to lie on the DAY OF HUMILIATI PRAYER.

Mr. Clopton of Va. following proposition for humiliation and prayer. "It being a duty peculi bent in a time of publi

and war, humbly and cacknowledge our depende mighty God, and to imp and protection :" There Resolved, By the Sens

of Representatives of th of America in Congress That a joint committee of tes, wait on the Preside States, and request that mend a day of public prayer and fasting, to by the people of the U. religious solemnity, and of fervent supplications ty God, for the salety of these states, his their arms and a speed

The proposition was whole house to-day.