MARYLAND GAZETTE. ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1815.

What apology can Mr. Madison offer to an insulted country for having nominated Gen. Dearborn to the senate as Secretary at War? He had been tried in that department, and we have no recollection of any thing which he did in that situation entitling him to the confidence of the nation. From a blin! partiality, or an overweeing anxiety to advance the interests of a friend, he was placed at the head of the army, and his conduct there was calculated only to excite the contempt of his fellow citizens, and the ridicule of our enemy. What motive the president, then, could have had in placing him at the head of the war establishment, it would puzzle even Democracy to say, unless he thought, from the weakness of his character, that he might be controuled and moulded into a tool fitted for any purposes. The senate, governed by different feelings, trould not sanction the appointment, and Mr. Madison was reduced to the mortification of relinguishing his favorite for one as little calculated for that office as the morest tyro in military affairs. The ministers to France, Mr. Crawford, may perhaps be as well acquainted with the business of that office as any other man who had never turned his attention to the science of war; yet when there are men in the country who have devoted their time for years to this service, no one can doubt that a better selection might have been mide. But the feelings of inflammatory demagogues must be consulted, even should a sacrifice of the country be the forfeit of this gratification. We have seen too much of Mr. Madison's conduct, both in times of war and peace, longer to doubt the motives by which he is governed. He is a man of contracted mind, therefore no liberality of sentiment can be expected from him. Any one whose opinions he can change at pleasure, and whose judgment changes with every breeze, he takes into the pale of his confidence; and thus the country is reduced to the mortifying necessity of sceing itself disrespected abroad, and torn by discontent at home. A different system must be followed before the country can be elevated to that respectability which it really me-

APPOINTMENTS By the Governor and Council of Mary land.

> Charles County. Justices of the Peace.

Walter Dyson, Benjimin Contee, Doctor Samuel Hanson, Ignatias Middleton, Robert Crain, Samuel Hawkins, Thomas Rogerson, John Lowry, Daniel Smallwood, Georg-H. Spalding, William Browner John W. M'Pherson, Hezekiah Garner, Samuel Ogden, George Brent, Joseph Simpson, John B Wills, Jun. Gustavus Adams, Horatio Clagett, Thomas H. Reider. John J. Jenkins, Horatio Moore, William Wheatly, Thomas Burgiss, William H. M. Pherson, Lawrence Posey, Joseph N. Stonestreet, Theophilus Hargrave. William H. Hammersly, Joseph Green, Theodore Mudd, John Parnham.

Levy Court. Walter Dyson, Samuel Hawkins, Samuel Chapman, Joseph Green, Thomas A. Davis, Philip S. Ford, Thomas Price.

Orphans Court.
Benjamin Contee, Francis Digges, John Campbell.

Calvert County. Justices of the Peace. Horrell, John T. Laveille, John J. Brooke, Young Parran, Thomas Brooke, Young Parran, Thomas virtue of this aut, or of the oritone the fact of the first of the

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John T. Liveille, Hilleary Wilson, John Horrell, Sutton J. Weems, Alexander Brome, John G. Mackall, John T. Bond.

Orphans Court.
John Turner, John H. Chew, Samuel L. Smith.

Montgomery County.

Justices of the Pence. Greenbury Howard, William Culer, Richard West, Richard Bealle, William Darne, Jun. Jesse Leach, Nathan Holland, Thomas Gettings, Abraham Jones, John Aldridge, John H. Riggs, Frederick Linthicum, Samuel West, Henry Howard of Ino. Lvde Griffith, Henry Harding, Charles Wallace, Benjamin Gaither, Zidock Lanham, H. zekia Linthicum, William Dawson, Baker Waters. James Norwood, Abraham S. Haves, ohn Busey, Aden Darby, Samuel

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Robertson, Elisha Williams, Thomas

Orphans Court. Thomas Davis, Henry Harding, Thomas J. Claggett.

STATE OF MARYLAND. December Session, 1814.

da additional supplement to the act. entitled, An act respecting the equity jurisalition of the county courts.

1. Be it enacted by the General Asseribly of Maryland. That the soveral county courts of this state my exercise original equity jurisdiction in all pases in which the court of chancery has now power to act, in the same manner that they now exercise equity jurisdiction by virtue of the act to which this is a supple-

2. Andle it enacted, That each of the judges of the several judicial districts of this state, during varation, shall have the same power to grant and enforce, within their respective judicial districts, writs of injunction, in the same manner, and with the same limitation, as the chancel or of the state can or may exercise.

3. And be it enacted, Toat it shall be the duty of some one of the associate judges of the several judicial listricts of this state, to attend at the court-house of the several councies in their several judicial districts, at some day appointed between the several sessions of their courts, who shall have nower to make all nicessary orders touching any subject matter in the said respective courts. upon the equity side, brought or depending therein; and it shall be the duty of the several clerks of the several counties in this state, to attend the said judges on the said days, who shall make due entry of all such matters and things as shall or may be ordered as aforesaid by the said judges, and the several county courts in this state are hereby instructed, at their first court next after the passage of this act, to appoint the several days on which the said judges shall attend as aforesa d, which said days shall be as nearly as may be equi-distant between the terms of the several and respective county

4. Anabe it enacted, That the several county courts of this state shall have full power and authority to appoint, during their pleasure, a person of integrity, judgment, and skill in accounts, to be auditor for the said court, wno shall before he enters upon the duties of his appointment, take an oath the be administered by the court, well and faithfully to execute the duties of his office without affection, favour, partiality or prejudice; and he shall audit all accounts in the same manner, and with the same powers, and subject to the same controll, as the auditor in chancery now does; and the auditor so to be appointed shall be allowed three dollars per day for every day he shall be reasonably employed in stating, auditing and settling, any account, to be paid by the party desiring such account to be stated. audited and settled, and taxed in the bill of costs as aforesaid.

5. And be it enacted, That all and every person or persons who shall or may think themselves aggrieved the President of the United States Justices of the Peace.

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to appeal to the court of appeals of the respective shore, in the same manner, and under the same circumstances, and such appeals shall have the same legal effect and consequences as appeals prosecuted from the courts of chancery to the court of appeals now have.

6. And be it enocted, That the clerks of the several county courts in this state shall act as registers for their several counties, in the same manner, and with the same power. as the register in chancery now does; and the sheriffs or coroners of the several counties shall execute and return all process, which may issue from any court or judge by virtue of this act, in the like manner as they would have been compelled in case the same had issued from the court of chancery.

7. And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorise and empower any in terference by the several county courts, or by the judges thereoi, in any cause or process now depending. or hereafter to be brought, or hereaft r one issued before or by the chancellor of Maryland, or to change the mariner of issuing writs of error. S. And be it enacted, That nothing

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9. Andie it enacted. That this act shall continue and be in full force until the twentieth day of Novem ber next, and to en i of the next session of assembly which shall hapnen trereafter.

[l'assed the 28th January 1815.]

WASHINGTON CITY, March 5. WAR WITH ALGIERS.

The House of Representatives niving yesterday removed the inanction of secrecy from the proreedings which have taken pi in conclave, it appears that a bill, of which the following is a copy. has passed both Houses of Congress, and now awaits the signature of the President, which it will doughtiess receive. The Message of the President and proceedings thereon shall be published as soon as we can lay our hands on them. The measure empraced in the following act is one which has been anticipated by every reader, conversant with the history of our relations with Algiets, from the moment Peace was roclaimed; and, we feel assured, will receive the almost ununimous approbation of the Nation.

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AN ACT

For the protection of the commerce of the United States against the Algerine cruizers.

WHEREAS the Dev of Algiers on the Coast of Barbary has commenced a predatory warrare against the United States-

Be it enacled by the Senate and House of Representatives of the U. nited States of America in Congress assembled. That it shall be lawful tally to equip, officer, man and employ, such of the armed vessels of the United States as may be judged requisite by the President of the United States for protecting effectually the commerce and seamen thereof on the Atlantic Ocean, the Mediterranean and adjoining seas.

Sec. 2. And be 't further enacled, That it snail be lawful for the President of the U. States to instruct the commanders of the respective. pullic vessels atoresaid, to subdue, seize, and make prize of all vessels, goods and effects of or belonging to the Dey of Algiers, or to his subjects, and to bring or send the same into port, to be proceeded against and distribute according to law: and, also, to cause to be done all such other acts of precaution or hos tility, as the state of war will justify, and may in his opinion require.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That on the application of the owners of private armed vessels of the United States, the President of the United States, may grant them special commissions in the form which he shall direct under the seal of the United States so commissioned shall have the like authority for subduing, seizing, taking and bring into port any Algerine vessels, goods or effects, as the beforementioned public armed vessel may by law have ; and shall therein be subject to the instructions which may be given by

milla Simmons, Isaac Wood, Howe | ment, shall be at liberty in all cases | or owners of the yessel for which the same may be requested, and the commander thereof for the time being, shall give bond to the United States, with at least two responsible sureties, not interested in such vessels, in the penal sum of seven thousand dollars, or if such vesset be provided with more than one hundred and fifty men, in the penal sum of fourteen thousand dollars, with condition for observing the treaties and laws of the United States, and that the instructions which may be given as aforesaid, and also for satisfying all damages and injuries which shall be done contrary to the tenor thereof, by such commissioned vessel, and for delivering up the commission when revoked by the President of the United States.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacled. That an Algerine vessel, goods or effects, which may be so captured & brought nto port, by any private armed vessel of the U. States, duly commissioned as aforesaid, may be adjudged good prize, and thereupon shall accrue to the owners, and officers, and men of the capturing vessel, & shall be distributed according to the agreement which shall have been made between them, or in failure of such agreement, according to the discretion of the court having cognizance of the capture.

A list of Acts passed by the Thirteenth

Congress at their third session. Resolutions expressive of the sense of congress of the gallant conduct of captain Thomas Macdonough, the officers, scanien, marines, and infantry serving as marines, on board the United States squauron on Lake Champlain.

Resolution expressive of the sense of congress relative to the victory of the Peacock over the lip rvier.

Resolution empowering the joint ibrary committee of congress to contract for the purchase of Mr. Jefferson's library.

An act further to extend the right of suffrage and to increase the number of the members in the legislative council in the Mississippi territory.

Resolution expressive of the sense of congress relacive to the capture of the British sloop Reindeer by the American sloop Wasp.

Resolutions expressive of the sense of congress of the gallantry and good conduct with which the reputation of the arms of the U. States has been sustained by major general Brown, major general Scott, mojor general Porter, major general Guines, major general Macomb and brigidiers Ripley and Miller.

An act further to extend the time for locating V rginia military land warrants, and for returning the surveys thereon to the general land office.

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An act authorising the president f the United States to cause to be milt or purchased the vessels therein described.

An act to authorise the publication of the laws of the U. States within the territories of the United

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An act authorising the secretary of the treasury to appoint a clerk in the office of the commissioner of the revenue, with power to sign li-

An act for the relief of John Castille of the city of New Orleans.

An act authorising the secretary of state during the continuation of the present war, to make an additional allowance to the owners and masters of vessels for bringing back to the United States destitute and distressed American seamen.

Resolution for furnishing the American Antiquarian society with a copy of the journals of congress and of the documents published under their or er.

An act making further provision for filling the ranks of the army o the United States.

An act supplementary to an act laying duties on notes of banks. bunkers and certain compinies; or notes, bonds, and obligations dis counted by hanks, bankers, and cer tain companies, and on bills of ex-change of certain descriptions.

An act making additional appropriations for the service of the year one thousand eight bundred and fourteen

An act directing the staff officers of the army to comply, with the requisitions of naval and marine officers, in certain cases.

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