

NEW AND CHEAP GOODS.

G. & J. BARBER, & CO.

DRY GOODS.

Groceries, Ironmongery, and Hardware.

Among their goods are the following:

- List of goods including Cotton Balls, Sewing Silks, Linen Diapers, Table Cloths, White and Colored Domestic, Ladies Cloth Shawls, Canton Crapes, etc.

GROCERIES.

- List of groceries including Lamp and Brown Sugar, Rice, Coffee, Hyson Tea, Mustard, Chocolate, Butter, Lard, Bacon, etc.

China, Liverpool & Glass Ware, and Ironmongery.

Richard Coleman, James Nelson, etc.

Seed, Shingles, Lumber, and Richmond Coal.

Persons whose accounts have been long standing are requested to make payment.

TO THE PUBLIC. The Executive Council of Maryland have thought proper to introduce a resolution...

PUBLIC SALE. Will be exposed at public sale on Friday the 22-day of December...

Modern Characters. Just published and for Sale at Geo. Shaw's Store.

PRINTING. Of every description, neatly executed at this Office.

to account for the \$1000, which their predecessors in office had advanced to me; and also to give them an account of my expenses incurred in the collection, for the purpose of ascertaining what compensation they would allow me for my services...

As I could not possibly comply with this last requisition of the Council, or consent to an adjustment of my claims on such terms, I could have no settlement with them, according to my construction of the agreement, until I had completed my collection. I therefore proceeded in the discharge of my duties, until some time in March, 1820...

The next communication which I received from the Executive, bears date the 28th of March, 1820, by which I am ordered to cease proceeding any further in my agency, and am required to furnish a full account of my proceedings...

In compliance with this notification, I accordingly attended with my vouchers, for the purpose of making to the Council a full exhibition of my whole agency...

As the state, by its Executive Council, has thought proper to refer the investigation of this subject to a court of justice, perhaps it would be improper to canvass the legal rights of the parties. To a court and jury of the country I cheerfully submit it, nor do I doubt the issue. I do not complain that the Executive have thought it their duty to make such an appeal; but to be pronounced a public defaulter before the public, in a document destined to extensive circulation...

Where I am known, the slander will prove harmless; but in those parts of the state to which I am a stranger, the supposed dignity of the office, from which it proceeds, might give it a currency and belief, which would be denied to its authors as private individuals.

to the objects for which it is maintained, and ought to be such as may be best calculated to attract such objects; as it must be obvious, on the slightest reflection, that considerations connected therewith ought to depend not only its numbers, but also the principles on which it ought to be formed.

The necessity of a standing army in peace is not believed to be involved in the subject under consideration, as the resolution presupposes the propriety of maintaining one; and, in fact, its necessity is so apparent, that even those least friendly to the army have never attempted to abolish it, or even to reduce it, since the late war, much below the number proposed in the resolution.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Benjamin Pindell (\$2,673), Col. Richard Waters (1,000), etc.

For the Maryland Gazette.

As nothing can be more important to a nation, both as respects its dignity and safety, than to be prepared for war in time of peace, it is essential that correct opinions should be diffused as to the true nature and object of a military peace establishment.

However remote our situation from the great powers of the world, and however pacific our policy, we are, notwithstanding, liable to be involved in war; and, to resist with success its calamities and dangers, a standing army in peace, in the present improved state of the military science, is an indispensable preparation.

Supported by a suitable corps of trained artillerymen, and by a small but well disciplined body of infantry, they may be safely relied on to garrison our forts, and to act in the field as light troops.

Report of the Secretary of War on the Military Peace Establishment.

Sir: In obedience to a resolution of the House of Representatives of the 11th of May last, directing that the Secretary of War report to this House, at the commencement of the next session, a plan for the reduction of the army to six thousand non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates, and preserving such parts of the corps of engineers as, in his opinion, with respect to that number, it may be for the public interest to retain...

I deem it proper, before a plan is presented in detail for reducing the army, as proposed in the resolution, to state briefly the general principles on which it is conceived. Our military peace establishment ought to be organized, it will be readily admitted, that the organization of the army ought to have reference to the objects for which it is maintained...

NICHOLAS J. WATKINS. A NEW STOCK OF GOODS. Among which are the following: Best Black and Blue Cloth, Fancy and London Brown, etc.



The New and Elegant Steam Boat Maryland.

CLEMENT VICKERS, COMMANDER.

Has commenced her regular route between Easton, Annapolis and Baltimore, for the accommodation of Passengers, Horses and Carriages.

The Maryland is not surpassed in point of elegance or speed by any Boat in the United States.

She leaves Easton on Mondays and Thursdays at 8 o'clock, A.M. calling at Todd's Point and Oxford, to receive passengers; arrives at Annapolis at half past one o'clock, and leaving there at half past two o'clock, arrives at Baltimore at six o'clock, P.M. the same evening.

Returning, leaves Baltimore on Wednesdays and Saturdays at eight o'clock, A.M. arrives at Annapolis at half past eleven; leaves Annapolis at half past twelve, and arrives at Easton at six o'clock the same evening.

Passengers wishing to go to Philadelphia, can be put on board the Union Line of Steam Boats from Baltimore, and will arrive at Philadelphia the next morning.

All Baggage and Letters at the risk of the owners thereof. March 2.

NEW AND CHEAP CASH STORE. W. BRYAN, & CO.

Having taken the stand formerly occupied by Mr. Monroe, as Post Office, (next door to Mr. J. Hughes), has just received, and are now offering for Sale, a general assortment of

Dry Goods, Groceries, &c. Among which are Cloths and Cassimeres, Corduroys and Velvets, Vestings, Flannels, etc.

The quality of the soil is a red loam similar to the best lands on West River. Plaster and clover will in one year produce great fertility, and wheat may be raised on it, yielding a great crop...

BASIL SHEPARD, MERCHANT TAILOR.

Respectfully informs his customers, and the public in general, that he has received a supply of the best materials in his line of business, consisting of Superfine Cloths, Black, Blue, &c. Cassimeres, Mill'd and Double Mill'd Drabs, Vestings assorted, &c.

All of which will be made up in the best manner, and upon the most reasonable terms, agreeable to the wishes of those that may favour him with orders. For past favours he feels grateful, and is anxious by his best endeavours to deserve a continuance of public patronage.

NOTICE.

In consequence of the unfavourable appearance of the weather, the meeting of the Agricultural Society of Maryland is adjourned until Thursday the 11th January, when a meeting will be held at the Assembly Room in this city, at 10 o'clock A.M. As this is the annual meeting of the society, at which all appointments are to be made, the members are particularly requested to attend. An appropriate address will be delivered by a member of the Society. Annapolis Dec. 14, 1820.