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petition from Margaret Hambleton, widow  
of captain John Hambleton; which was  
read and referred.

Mr. Bryan presents a petition from su-  
dry inhabitants of the first election district  
of Cecil county, counter to a petition pray-  
ing for a change of the place for holding  
the election; read and referred.

Mr. E. B. Duval reports a bill, entitled,  
An act to alter and amend such parts of the  
constitution, as relate to the election of the  
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# TOWN-MEETING.

The following Preamble and resolutions  
were adopted at the town-meeting in Bal-  
timore on Saturday last:

Whereas the legislature of Maryland at  
their last session, actuated by a decided con-  
viction of the importance and necessity of  
bringing into active and useful operation  
the many natural advantages for internal  
improvement and canal navigation which  
this state, from its peculiar situation, pos-  
sesses—did authorize the appointment of a  
board of Commissioners for the purpose of  
ascertaining the practicability, expediency  
and probable expense of a canal to connect  
the waters of the Susquehanna with the  
city of Baltimore:

And whereas the said Commissioners  
have made and returned their report to the  
legislature of Maryland, now in session,  
presenting a full and aided view of the  
subject committed to their care, and their  
decided opinion in favour of the practica-  
bility and expediency, together with esti-  
mates of the probable expense, of a canal  
from the Conewago falls, on the Susque-  
hanna, to Baltimore; which report exhibits  
to the consideration of the people of Bal-  
timore matters of vast importance to the  
future welfare and prosperity of this once  
flourishing and powerful city. The great  
improvement which it contemplates—the  
very extensive trade which the proposed  
canal will lay open to this city with the  
fairest portion of the United States, cer-  
tainly presents a prospect which no good  
citizen can look upon with indifference.

The improvement of this river has al-  
ways been a favourite object with the  
people of Baltimore, and they must feel  
the greatest pleasure that all doubts are now re-  
moved as to the practicability of canalising  
it from a point above all the obstructions to  
the navigation down to the harbour of the  
city, securing to it the reach of com-  
merce, the whole ascending and descend-  
ing trade of this great river and the country  
belonging to it.

And this meeting perceive with infinite  
satisfaction that the contemplated improve-  
ment is not confined in its benefits to this  
city, but holds out considerations of the  
highest political and commercial importance  
to the nation at large by uniting not only  
the Eastern with the Western waters, but  
also the waters of the St. Lawrence with  
the East, and the benefits which it accom-  
plishes to the nation will be produced in  
no other way than by means of the Sus-  
quehanna river. More than ever, there-  
fore, should the people of Baltimore devote  
their undivided and exclusive attention to  
the improvement of this great channel of  
communication with the West—the North  
and the East.

The spirit of internal improvement, ori-  
ginating in the powerful and patriotic state  
of New York, has rapidly spread itself over  
the whole Union; and the President of the  
United States, following out in the close of  
his political life the liberal and enlightened  
views which have always marked his course,  
has in his recent message to congress called  
their attention to the improvement of our  
internal resources as a matter of national  
concern—and congress will no doubt take  
up the subject with a corresponding spirit.

The union of the various parts of this  
country, by means of canal navigation, in  
its political and commercial relations is per-  
haps the most important question which  
ever occupied the attention of the govern-  
ment of the United States—and it is there-  
fore with infinite gratification this meeting  
perceive that measures are likely to be  
adopted to ascertain with certainty the  
practicability of this magnificent project. The  
surveys recommended by the President and  
those which it appears are about to be made  
under the authority of the state of Penn-  
sylvania, will afford the proper and only in-  
formation upon which an accurate opinion  
can be formed as to the manner and ex-  
pense at which this connection can be ef-  
fected—and also whether it be most practica-  
ble and economical to form this junction  
with the waters of the Potomac, or from  
those of the Susquehanna.

The grand operation of conducting a ca-  
nal over the most rocky, elevated and moun-  
tainous country in the Union, must be a  
work of much time, even supposing the  
opinion of the whole nation could be at  
once united in favour of an instant com-  
mencement of the labour. This meeting  
therefore earnestly hope that the respective  
local canals contemplated by the legislature  
of Maryland will not for one moment be  
lost sight of by those most interested in  
their success. The salvation of Baltimore  
must in a great measure depend upon the  
Susquehanna canal, and the people should  
with one voice and one heart unite in the  
spirited and determined prosecution of a  
work upon which so much depends; with-  
out permitting the progress to be diverted  
to the insignificant objects of other projects,  
however splendid, which may be commenced  
or finished for ages to come. The present  
condition of Baltimore requires aid from  
that quarter which will afford the most im-  
mediate relief; and the vigorous prosecu-  
tion of our own plans of improvement will  
be the most effectual stimulus to the Gen-  
eral Government to commence the great na-  
tional canal.

Resolved, That we consider the  
Susquehanna Canal, as reported by the  
Commissioners, capable of being accom-  
plished—and that in the opinion of the meet-  
ing it is entitled to and ought to receive their  
unanimous and undivided support—and in  
this proclaiming the determined support  
of our own interests, we disclaim all hostil-  
ity to the projected improvements in other  
portions of the state.

Resolved, That it would at this time be  
premature and improper to express any  
opinion as to the means of uniting the wa-  
ters of the Ohio with the Chesapeake by  
either the Potomac or the Susquehanna—  
and that the legislature ought not to cede  
the sovereignty of the state over those riv-  
ers until the surveys recommended by the  
President shall have been made, and full in-  
formation shall be had on the subject.

Resolved, That the Senators and Repre-  
sentatives in Congress be requested to use  
their exertions to cause the said surveys to  
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mittee, and appointed the following gentle-  
men:—Theodore Bland, George Win-  
chester, John Patterson, Luka Tiersap,  
Henry Payson, John McKim, Jr. Hese-  
ah Niles, Upton S. Heath.

The meeting then adjourned, sine die.  
Edward Johnson, Chairman  
J. P. Kennedy, Secretary.

General Harper submitted a number of  
able and comprehensive resolutions, which  
show that a union of the waters of the  
Ohio and Chesapeake would be of greater  
advantage to this state, than the Susque-  
hanna canal. They were however, re-  
jected, and the foregoing substituted.

SAMUEL KERS, Esq. was on Tuesday  
the 16th inst elected a Delegate to rep-  
resent Cecil county, in the present General  
Assembly, in the room of Daniel Shovelene,  
Esq. deceased.  
Elkton Press

# INTERESTING LETTER.

Extract to the Editor of a member of  
the United States Senate, dated

Washington, Dec. 17.  
I understand that it is firmly believed, on  
the very best authority, that Great Britain  
will take the same stand that the President  
has in his Message, as to the interference  
of any foreign power between Spain and  
her Colonies. If England is honest, then  
with our assistance, neither France nor any  
other power can find troops to accomplish  
their object of subjugation. It is so much  
the interest of England, that I should ex-  
pect she would act with vigour on the oc-  
casion.

THE GREEKS—A CAUTION.  
It seems from information received "by  
the Treasurer of the Greek Fund," that a  
gross imposition is attempted by a person,  
or persons, travelling through the country  
with the professed design of raising money  
in aid of the Greeks, for which an authori-  
ty is pretended, although there is good rea-  
son to believe, that it is merely an attempt  
at imposition. The most effectual way of  
defeating it is to give general notice to the  
impudent scheme to extort money from  
the benevolent. [Philadelphia American.]

THE GREEKS.  
The Students of Yale College have trans-  
mitted Five Hundred Dollars to the Com-  
mittee at New York, in aid of the Greek  
Fund. The donation is worthy of the cause,  
and of the generous youths who contrib-  
uted to it.

FROM HAVANA.  
A letter from Havana, of December 3d  
says:—That the Castle of St. Juan  
de Uluia has surrendered. This news  
comes by an arrival here last evening, and  
at this early hour in the morning we have  
no particulars—nevertheless it must be so.  
No official communication has been  
made to the people of this Island of the  
change in the Government of Spain, but  
we are hourly looking for it, and believe it  
will be well received, and viewed with mod-  
eration.

IMPORTANT.  
Letters received in town from Washing-  
ton, assert that the British government has  
made proposals to our government, to join  
in resisting the "Holy Alliance" in any at-  
tempts they may make against South Amer-  
ica.  
New York Gazette.

SAILING OF THE FRIGATE POST-  
PONED.  
We hear that orders have been received  
at Norfolk from the Navy Department, to  
delay the sailing of the frigate United States,  
for the Pacific, until the peacock is ready  
to accompany her, which will be about  
three weeks.  
Norfolk Beacon.

THE METHODIST  
And other Religious denominations in  
New York, announce, that collections will  
be taken up in their respective churches,  
for the benefit of the heroic but oppressed  
Greeks.

NOMINATION.  
A letter from Columbia, the seat of gov-  
ernment of the State of South Carolina,  
under date of the 29th ultates—two had  
a meeting this night, of both branches of  
the legislature to nominate a candidate for  
the presidency. The result was, with the  
exception of five votes, unanimous in favour  
of Calhoun.

The U. S. frigate Congress, captain Bid-  
dle, from South America, and last from the  
West Indies, has arrived in Hampton  
roads.

A monument is erecting in the field of  
Waterloo, to commemorate the battle  
fought there in 1815. It will consist of a  
Lion 20 feet long and 14 feet high, placed  
upon a hillock of 150 feet high.

SPAIN.  
Madrid papers of the 29th October,  
represent the schism, which had taken  
place between the Duke d'Angouleme and  
Ferdinand, as so great, that they would not  
again meet. The French troops were rap-  
idly withdrawing from all part of the  
Peninsula, and the supplies of French mon-  
ey to the Spanish treasury had ceased.—  
Bourmont was to remain at Madrid, where  
the French head quarters were to be estab-  
lished, and a few of the fortresses on the  
frontiers, were to receive French garrisons;  
but they were to be wholly withdrawn from  
every other part of Spain. Private letters  
complain most bitterly of the arrogance  
and insulting conduct of the Monks and  
Friars, aided and supported by the "army  
of the Faith," and assert that no honoura-  
ble or honest man can any longer reside in  
Spain.  
N. Y. paper.

Did in England, at Tamerion, Devon-  
shire, Mrs. Mary Folio, aged 66, but wo-  
man of the parish church there. She had  
served on board several British men of war,  
disguised as a seaman.

Rodney's, and several other engagements  
fought, was discovered at Lisbon, from  
the feminine action she betrayed in catch-  
ing oranges in her lap. Her object in  
going to sea was to be near her sweetheart,  
who had been pressed, and who afterwards  
fell in action.  
[Phil. Gaz.]

USEFUL CITIZENS.  
The emigrants who sailed from Scotland