

**ROYAL PASTIMES AT LISBON.**

"The Infante" is, of course, the life and soul of every thing. One of the Sundays while he was at the palace of Salvaterra, and wishing to amuse himself, he watched the opportunity when all the secretaries of state, noblemen, royal attendants, and visitors of ton were seated at the table. He then selected one of the most furious of the bulls he could find on the estate, and, it is proper to add, that he handles one of these horned animals with as much science as an experienced bull fighter, and indeed, often exhibits in public. Having picked out a bull to his liking, and imposed silence on all the servants who were in the secret, he had the beast carefully brought up to the dining room door, where after goading and exasperating him, the folding doors suddenly flew open, and in rushed the infuriated animal, foaming with rage. The consternation that ensued among the party seated at the table, when they saw this terrific and unwelcome guest moving toward them, can be better imagined than described. Some sought safety under, and others upon the table at the expense of the china, plate, and glasses. Some came off with torn coats, and others with the loss of their wigs. Nothing could be more ludicrous than the appearance of the room, as described by an eye witness; and nothing could be equal to the astonishment of the bull, at finding himself in so strange a place; he stood still, roaring and foaming, not knowing what object to attack. Seasonable aid, however, arrived, the gentry were relieved from the awkward predicament in which they were placed, and the joke passed off smoothly when the author was made known, although not without a severe lecture from the father, who could not bear the idea of things so unkindly. The Infante, nevertheless, was resolved to avenge himself upon those who had cut off his supplies of chicoro, and on the following day he had a fine plump cat larded and roasted, and the cook being in the secret, it was served up nearly to the same party, sitting at what is called the table of state. It was helped freely round, and as soon as it was devoured, the Infante began to mew like a cat, and cried out, "Out with the fools who have eaten a cat for a hare." The scene that ensued I shall not attempt to describe. Fortunately, good napkins are used at table in Portugal, so that the poor washer woman came in for a share of the joke. Some of the party put on long and wry faces.

What a hopeful prospect have the Portuguese for a future king.

**Existence of Free Muriatic Acid in the Stomach.**

The following are the proofs of the existence of free muriatic acid which Dr. Prout has laid before the Royal Society. The contents of a stomach having been digested in distilled water, solution obtained was divided into four equal parts. One of these evaporated to dryness, burnt and examined in the usual way, gave the quantity of muriatic acid in combination with fixed bases. A second being previously saturated with an alkali, was treated in a similar way, and gave the whole quantity of muriatic acid in the stomach. A third carefully neutralized with a known solution of alkali, gave the quantity of free acid. The fourth was reserved for any required experiment. In this way Dr. Prout ascertained that the unsaturated muriatic acid in the stomach was always considerable, and in one case twenty ounces of a fluid from a very deranged stomach, afforded him above half a drachm of muriatic acid of specific gravity 1.160.

**MARQUIS LA FAYETTE.**

In the Legislature of Massachusetts, on motion Mr. Phillips, of Salem, a resolve requesting the Governor & Council to make such arrangement as will secure to this distinguished friend of our country an honourable reception on the part of that State, and to draw his warrant on the Treasury for any expense incurred thereon, was unanimously adopted in both branches.

The Honourable Robert Wright is a candidate before his fellow citizens in the district of Kent and Queen Ann's county as an Elector of President and Vice President of the United States.—He is the Army and decided friend of that distinguished patriot and statesman William H. Crawford, Esq., and will vote for him (if elected) as President of the United States.

**THE ISLAND OF MADAGASCAR.**

Extract of a letter from a naval officer at the Cape of Good Hope, giving an account of a feast, by a native Prince, in the island of Madagascar.—After leaving Bourbon, we sailed for Fowl Point, on the island of Madagascar. The anchorage at Fowl Point is protected by coral reefs. We had a tempestuous sea. About an hour after we landed, the native Prince Tally came on board, accompanied by —, to welcome our arrival. This prince established himself here about eight months ago; he came from the interior, bringing with him about two thousand followers, who have built for themselves very neat huts. He himself lives in a pretty large house called the palace. He is invested with power over this part of the country by the King, and is related to him as well as to the little Prince who died on board our ship. Previous to our sailing from Fowl Point, the Prince sent us an invitation to a feast, according to the manner and custom of the country, to be held about three miles distant. We set off the following morning, and soon after starting, observed the natives attending their Prince, who was going in procession to the place appointed. Our captain rode on the Prince's right hand, on one of the two horses to be had here. We soon found that we had misplaced our trust in our guide; for in place of taking us by the nearest road, he led us through swamps, in which grew a grass from six to eight feet high. The noxious vapours from the marsh were almost suffocating, and in addition, we had to endure a broiling sun, nearly vertical, without a breath of air. At length we arrived at the spot fixed upon for the feast, after a walk of about 6 miles. It was on the top of a little hill, where they had erected a sort of tent, or rather a large parasol made of mats, under which a number of mats were spread, upon which sat the Prince, captain, &c. Upon our arrival, the Prince rose and received us kindly. No time was lost in beginning to prepare the feast. A number of bullocks were driven from the neighbourhood, one of the best of which were shot by one of the prince's attendants. The natives, the moment it fell, began to cut it up, some of them taking a piece in one direction, some in another.—The prince shot another bullock, which he gave to his people. After remaining on the top of the hill for some time, surrounded by some hundred natives, the men and women forming themselves into separate groups, the women amused us by singing and dancing, both of which had in them something very wild. The manner in which they dress their hair is very singular; they separate it into little locks,

which they cause to stick out like so many devils' horns.—After satisfying ourselves with this sort of fun, our curiosity led us to the cooking place, which was at the bottom of our little hill. Here we saw the second in command of the army, styled colonel, superintending roasting beef, &c. There were fowls and geese in iron pans, and before the fire a number of pieces of beef roasting, not with a jack, but affixed to the ground, by each piece having a stick run through it, & stuck into the ground. The natives cooked their beef by merely throwing pieces into the fire. Satisfied with this, we regained our little hill. At two o'clock, we observed a train of people (natives) bringing our dinner in regular procession. At the same time, one or two natives were placing very large leaves upon the mats, on which the dinner was to be placed, and which were to answer as plates, glasses, &c. The dinner (which was served up in leaves) having reached our tent, was placed on the table of mats. We gathered round, the Prince taking the most elevated seat. We began by feasting on roast beef, geese, fowls stuffed with blood (a favourite dish), rice, sweet potatoes, bananas, &c. At dinner, the Prince was particularly attentive; he drank wine with each of us (we gave the wine), which we drank out of pieces of the large leaves, and which the natives made up, and were quite tight. The natives were much amused when some of our party had occasion to make a leaf glass, which was done so badly in general, that the greater part of the contents ran down our necks, or up our sleeves. We were obliged to make forks of pieces of stick, and had only four case knives among sixteen people; but knives did not appear necessary to the natives, some of whom (particularly a woman who had been at the Isle of France) were employed in carving; which was done by making a slight incision, and then taking hold of the legs and dragging them asunder; which you may suppose gave no additional relish; and not unfrequently her dirty feet, no shoes, kicking the fragments of some geese which she had just dissected. She you must understand, was placed in the centre of the dishes. Having finished our repast, we returned to the landing place to our boats." London paper.

**ANOTHER MIRACLE.**—According to the Boston papers, a miracle has lately taken place which far exceeds that performed at Washington, and without the prayers of Prince Hohenlohe. "A distinguished character has been in one day, cured of apoplexy, paralysis, dropsy, blindness and dumbness." N. Y. Ev. Post.

**Anne-Arundel County, to wit:**

Whereas John Knighton, Collector of the Tax for Anne Arundel County, hath returned to the Commissioners of the Tax for said County the following list of lands in said county on which taxes are due for the years 1821 and 1822, and on which there is no personal property to pay the same, to wit:

Names of Persons Assessed.	Names of Land	Amount of Tax due 1821.	1822.
Altop, John	Gover's Addition	\$1 47	\$1 45
Arnold, Charles	Name unknown	27	26
Brown, Thomas	Lot in Annapolis	19	19
Baldwin, John's heirs	Damp Weather	18	18
Becraft, John	Hobb's Level	1 25	1 25
Bently, Eli	Dunghill Ground Thicket	77	76
Barnes, Elisha	Part of the Grove	2 46	2 40
Bernard, James	Part of Range Declined and Pleasant Meadows	4 46	3 75
Burgess, Ruth	Burgess's Progress	3 20	
Brown, Ephraim	Windsor	2 72	
Brown, Elias's heirs	Mount Misery	8 45	10 00
Cowley, William, sen.	Hopkins' Fancy, & Hill's Purchase	8 45	8 25
Childs, Isaac heirs	Lot in Friendship	84	
Courts, Joseph, heirs	Two lots at the Point	1 54	
Contee, Thomas heirs	Part of Hill's Purchase	2 19	2 14
Coomes, William	Lot in Annapolis	84	84
Cockey, James	Hog Neck	2 88	2 82
Conaway, Thomas	Part of Hill's Purchase, part of Hobson's Choice,	2 33	
Cockey, Joshua	Part of Pine Orchard	6 76	
Cord, John	Part of Mistake and part of Hickory Bottom	2 93	
Childs, Cephas, 3d.	Part of Smith's Delight	3 38	
Clancy, Thomas	Askin Enlarged	17 50	
Caton, William	Two houses & lots in Annapolis	2 60	
Carroll, Margaret	Lot at Elk-Ridge Landing	2 60	
Dorsey, Caleb, of John's heirs	Part of Anville, & vacant land added	4 84	4 73
Drue, Henry	Part of Carroll's Reserve	90	85
Dicas, Nathan	Part of Timber Ridge	1 00	97
Dorsey, Theodore, heirs	Part of Brown's Purchase, Good Range, and Brother's Partnership	1 69	
Dempsey, Thomas	Dempsey Forest	0 25	0 25
Dorsey, Caleb, of C. heirs	Girls' Portion	30 72	30 00
Dorsey, Dennis	Brown's Enlargement	7 50	
Dulany, Daniel heirs	House & lot in Annapolis	1 75	
Eden, Charles	Two lots at the Point	78 80	28 15
Etcheton, Ephraim & John	Part of Great Meadows	5 76	5 63
Fowler, Daniel heirs	House & lot in Annapolis	2 05	2 00
Fitzgerffer, Sophia	Lot No 27, Elk-Ridge Landing	77	75
Fisher, John	Part of Blooming Plains and Part of Range Declined	9 73	9 50
Fennel, Caleb	Part of Huckleberry Forest	3 75	
Fisher, Basil	Good Will	1 57	
Farquour, John	United Friendship	11 25	
Gray, William	Part of Bessenton	64	83
Gover, William	Part of Gallock Folly	40	39
Groves, Joshua	Dunghill Ground Thicket	65	62
Green and Ellicott	Cowpen Regulated	43	
Gill, Bennett	Name Unknown	3 13	
Gist, Mr. and Mrs.	Part of Pine Orchard	7 65	
Gaither, Vachel heirs	Part of Gaithers Felicity	8 60	
Greaves, Henry	Name unknown	46	
Gassaway, Amelia	Moore House Generosity	10 56	10 32
Gaither, William of W.	Part of Estabulus	9 60	9 38

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Griffith, Henry	Part of Addition Enlarged		
Gardiner, Honer	Hard to get and Dear Paid For		
Gassaway, Nicholas S. heirs	Pleasant Fields	6 46	6 44
Gaither, Henry C.	House and Lot in Annapolis	3 44	
Harrison, Sarah, Junior	Part of Rural Felicity	62	60 66
Harlow, Samuel	Part of Trent	1 61	1 58
Hollidayoke, John	House and Lot in Annapolis	1 02	
Hammond, Andrew	Part of Mountville	15 87	
Rezin Hammond, of Rezin	Part of Mountmon's Gift, Niter's Fancy, Body's Adventure & Part of Mountville	12 34	
Hood, Bennett	Part of the First Discovery	2 87	
Hood, James, of John	Resurvey on Hood's Fine Soil Forest	1 32	1 28
Hobbs, Larkin	Howard's Resolution	3 09	3 04
Hoobs, Eleanor	Woodford	3 84	3 71
Howard, Elizabeth	Part of Invasion	8 66	8 44
Howard, Jane	House and Lot in Annapolis	3 24	
Hammond, Nathan heirs	House and Lot in Annapolis	1 17	
Howard, Samuel H. heirs	House and Lot in Annapolis	6 00	
Hawshaw, Basil	Great Island	5 24	
Hammond, Upton	Chestnut Hills	10 19	
Hammond, William heirs	Parts of Sundry Tracts	32 44	
Hooftnogle, George	Part of Pleasant Fields	3 11	
Haywood, John	Part of Haywood's Discovery	1 50	
Hood, William, jun.	Part of Findland	1 32	
Hammond, Nathan	Burl's Hills and part of Pettibones Rest	23 04	22 56
Hood, John	Part of Kingstone and 2 Lots in Hill Town	38	34
Journey, John	Lot at the Point	27 20	26 50
Jennings, Edmond heirs	Robin Hood's Forest and part of Waters' Lot,	78	77 44
Johnson, John	Dunghill ground Thicket	44	
Jubb, Edward	The Red	44	
Jones, Elisha D.	Stephen's Level	44	
Israel, Robert	Worthington's Range, Dorsey's Addition and Swap Short	4 91	9 16
Kirby, William	Pratt's Security	1 92	3 00
Keely, Richard	Slude's Hope	3 18	
Knight, Isaac	Name unknown	59	
Lambeth, Christopher	One lot in Pig Point	44	
Lawrence, David	Part of Addition to Weedy Glade	44	
Lewis, Abraham	Part of Hanover, and part of Carroll's Reserve	2 24	2 11
Langford, Peggy	Part of Hammond's Inheritance	50	41
Mills, Richard heirs	Part of Mills' Chance	51	51
Mead, Zachariah	Name unknown	1 76	1 72
Mathews, Edmond	Part of Hammond's Inheritance	10 75	
Mana, John	Part of Cumberland	25	
Mariott, Capt. Joseph	Part of Duvall's Delight	54	41
Mackubin, Nicholas heirs	Four lots at Elk-Ridge Landing	9 73	9 55
Moore, Tolly	Name unknown	6 25	
Morckee, Caleb	Dunghill Ground Thicket	5 32	
Main, Frederick	Shipley's Adventure	9 73	9 55
Mc-Coy, Henry	Addition to Sampson	4 32	
M-Crist, Patrick	Part of Second Discovery	1 72	
Moxley, Amelia	Part of Neal's Delight	2 50	
Mulliken, Basil heirs	Addition to Snowden's Manor	6 25	
Moxley, John	Part of Neal's Delight	4 40	
M-Gill, Mary	Six lots at Elk-Ridge Landing	2 81	
Norris, Thomas	Part of Rural Felicity	6 40	6 25
Norwood, Samuel, heirs	Part of Nancy's Part	3 84	3 75
Nichols, Thomas, heirs	Addition to Snowden's Manor	41	
Norwood, Mary, widow of Saml.	Lot at Elk Ridge Landing	5 25	5 11
O'Reilly, Pollydore E. heirs	Part of John and Mary's Chance	7 24	
Owings, Chascilla	Part of Pine Orchard	8 07	7 88
Owings, Frances	Part of Pine Orchard	1 23	
O'Neale, James	Pleasant Fields	1 02	
Owings, Richard	Lot at Elk Ridge Landing	1 60	1 56
O'Rourke, James	Part of Hammond 2d Connexion	3 01	2 94
Parrott, Sarah	Name Unknown	6 40	6 25
Pattison, James, heirs	Part of Howard Patapasco Range	13 90	13 51
Plummer, Priscilla	Part of Howard's Patapasco Range and part of Timber Ridge	4 80	4 69
Plummer, John	Addition to Huntington and Duvall's Delight	3 84	3 75
Pancost, Caleb	Dunghill Ground Thicket	1 04	
Plummer, Samuel,	Part of Range Declined and Pleasant Meadows	3 69	
Parrott, John heirs	Part of Wayson's Folly	1 35	
Polon, Thomas	Part of Wincopin Neck	1 25	
Pierpoint, Cissen	Part of Search Enlarged	1 85	
Pennington, Nathaniel	House and Lot in Annapolis	2 05	10 5
Quinn, Michael	Pleasant Meadows	1 08	5 00
Ketelick, Simon, heirs	House and Lot in Annapolis	6 34	6 19
Robertson, George	House and Lot in Annapolis	6 34	6 19
Ridgely, Charles H.	Part of Yate's Inheritance		
Roberts, Zachariah	Part of Trusty Friend		
Ridgely, Samuel, of Chas.	Part of Howard's Resolution part of Dorsey's Grove and part of Poplar Spring	1 81	1 77
Rowles, David, heirs	Part of Smith's Forrest		1 95
Roberts, John	Part of the First Discovery		76
Randall, Samuel	Part of Little Worth		39
Ridgely, Isaac	Left Out		60
Smith, Richard, heirs	Part of Bachellor's Choice and part of Wrighton	14 98	14 63
Shaaff, John T.	House and Lot in Annapolis	2 18	
Sands, John, heirs	House and Lot in Annapolis	86	
Sands, Ariana	House and Lot in Annapolis	1 41	
Stephens, Ann	House and Lot in Annapolis	3 46	
Scott, Evan, heirs	Addition to Waters' Lot	2 41	2 35
Snowden, Ann, widow	Prospect Hill	10 40	10 15
Spean, Matthew	Part of Additional Defence	21	
Spurrier, Ann	Part of Brown's Purchase	10 08	9 55
Stewart, Benedict, George,	House and Lot in Annapolis	14 47	14 13
Charles and Edward			
Scriveners, Mary	Part of Evans' Purchase	3 75	
Sunderland, Elizabeth	Name Unknown	2 97	
Scriveners, Benjamin	Gowery Banks	1 25	
Smith, Thomas	Part of Pilleke's Rest	1 88	
Smith, Dennis, A.	Part of Hanover	1 69	
Scott, John	Part of Prestridge Folly	1 38	
Shriver, Henry	Range Declined	6 69	
Shipley, Greenbury	Blooming Plains	2 69	2 62
Shipley, Thomas C.	Part of Shipley's Adventure	6 91	6 75
Stinchcomb, Beale,	Part of Hammond's Discovery	11 52	11 25
Shrinhamer, George	1 Lot at Elk Ridge Landing	2 90	2 82
Tillard, William	Part of Foxall	4 83	5 91
Tillard, William S. heirs	Part of Hill's Purchase		
Turner, Thomas, of Wm.	Knighon's Purchase & Gover's Venture	3 00	2 95
Thomas, James	Head Quarters	7 73	
The Baltimore and Frederick-Town Turnpike Road Company	Part of Frog Range		25
Urquhart, William,	Part of Beaver Dams	3 26	
Wood, James P.	Broughton Ashley	4 48	4 37
Wilson, Robert	House and lot in Annapolis	2 96	2 83
Wheteroff, Henry, adm'r. of Wm.	House and lot in Annapolis	1 16	1 13
Woodfield, John	Bushy Neck	5 60	5 66
Williams, Curtis (minor)	Part of Nathan's Rest	2 14	
Wells, Thomas	Part of Bold Venture & part of Trusty Friend	2 01	1 97
Wable, Adam	Part of Troy	43	
Wheeler, Nathan	Watta's Delight	3 28	3 13
Warfield, Caleb	Lugox	4 68	
Wattu, Nathan	Part of Worthington's Beginning	2 24	2 19
Woodward, Basil, (negro)	Gover's Addition	2 52	
Warfield, Thomas, sen.	Part of Lugox	12 09	11 88
Waters, Sabina	Walker's Inheritance and part of Scott's Folly		5 27
Wesley, Samuel, sen.	Part of Wincopin Neck		4 95
Welch, Marcella O.	Part of Shipley's Adventure		1 84
Waters, Edward	Ray's Choice	1 92	
Warfield, George	Larkin's Eighth and part of Dunghill Ground Thicket		1 90
Watts, Richard B.	House and lot in Annapolis		2 04
Welch, Francis	House and lot in Annapolis		2 04
Wells, John, heirs	Part of Chew's Vineyard		22 50
Welch, Samuel, sen.	Part of Ridgely's Range		2 17

**Notice is hereby Given,**  
That unless the county charges aforesaid are paid, within thirty days after the publication of this notice, that the said lands, or any parts thereof, as will be sufficient to pay the Tax and debts thereon, will be sold to the highest bidder, agreeably to the directions of the act of assembly, entitled, "An Act for the more effectual collection of the County charges in the several counties of this state."  
By order, R. I. COWMAN, Clk. Commissioner of the Tax for A. A. County.  
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**Maryland Gazette.**  
ANNAPOLIS:  
THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1824.

**HYMNICAL.**  
Married, on the evening of the 18th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Griffith, Mr. Samuel Drummond, of the City of Washington, to Miss Zipporah Auld, of this city.

**COURT OF APPEALS W. S.**  
Friday, June 18th.—The Court did not meet until this day, having been engaged on the Eastern Shore with the business of the court on that shore.

**Present**  
Buchanan, Earle, Martin, Stephen, and Archer, J.  
The venerable Ch. J. Chase, we regret to state, has resigned.  
After calling the cases on the docket, and entering judgments in undisputed cases, the Court took up the case of *Beall's lessee vs. Lynn*, which was opened by Toney for the appellant.

Saturday, June 19th.—The argument in *Beall's lessee vs. Lynn*, was continued by *Speed and Harper*, for the appellee, and concluded by *Toney* in reply.  
Monday, June 21.—The case of *Carroll vs. Creighton*, was opened by *Williams* for the appellant, and by *Nicholas and Toney* for the appellee.

Tuesday, June 22.—The argument in *Carroll vs. Creighton*, was continued by *Toney* for the appellee, (*Meredith*, who was to have argued on the same side, owing to indisposition, was unable to proceed,) and concluded by *R. Johnson and Harper*, in reply.  
The case of *Stanfield vs. Boyer*, was argued by *J. Glenn* for the appellant. No counsel appeared for the appellee.  
The case of *Graham and wife vs. Yates and Myers's Heirs*, &c. was opened by *R. Johnson* for the appellants.

**CRAWFORD MEETING.**  
At a meeting held in Philadelphia on the 16th inst. favourable to the election of William H. Crawford as President, and Albert Gallatin as Vice-President, an address and resolutions were adopted, and delegates were appointed to attend a convention to be held at Harrisburg on the 9th of August to form an electoral ticket.

**THE PRESIDENCY.**  
Mr