

KENTUCKY.

The following paragraph, copied from a report adopted in the Kentucky Legislature...

The first week in November, or the last in October last, Mr. Dallam, a young man who acted as deputy under Mr. Blair...

No mischief was done as the Frankfort Commentator states that the guns had been discharged and replaced in their former peaceful corners.

Abstract of a Letter to the Editors of the New York Gazette, dated Matanzas, Nov. 25, 1825.

We have had several very melancholy disasters in our neighbourhood. The Captain and Crew of the Danish brig Neptune...

Abstract of receipts at Post-Offices in the several States and Territories, for the year ending March, 1825.

Table with 2 columns: State/Territory and Amount. Includes New-York, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Louisiana, Illinois, Alabama, Arkansas, Michigan, Florida, Dist. of Columbia.

FIRE AT CHARLESTON.

A conflagration more extensive in its ravages than any which had been previously experienced in this city for several years...

NEW VESSELS.

The Ship of the Line now building at our Navy Yard, is to be called the Pennsylvania; and the Frigate which is finished, but not yet launched, is to be called the Haritan.

GIBRALTAR.

The editors of the American have received their regular files of Gibraltar papers to the 16th ult. inclusive.

U. S. Squadron.

The Brandywine frigate, Lieutenant Gregory, arrived at Gibraltar November 11th from Cowes, and with the North Carolina, Constellation, and Erie, sailed for Port Mahon on the 16th, all well.

Naval Battle.

On the 19th ult. the Colombian armed brig General Souleto, sailed from Gibraltar Bay for the purpose of intercepting some Spanish vessels then in sight.

STATE PAPER.

The National Gazette has translated the following important state paper from a late Buenos Ayres gazette. It shows what were the relations between Brazil and the United States...

DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

The undersigned, Secretary of State in the department of Foreign Affairs, of the Republic of the United Provinces of La Plata, authorized especially by his Excellency the Ministers of State for Foreign Affairs...

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

ANNAPOLIS. THURSDAY, JAN. 5, 1826.

THE HON. JOSEPH KENT.

Of Prince-George's county, was on Monday elected Governor of this State by a joint ballot of the two branches of the legislature...

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MR. MAXCY'S RESOLUTIONS.

We recommend to the attention of our readers the resolutions, introduced by Mr. Maxcy, of Anne-Arundel, and published in this day's paper, on the subject of an amendment of the Constitution of the U. S. in relation to the election of the President and Vice-President...

The first resolution proposes that the mode of choosing the President and Vice-President should be uniform throughout all the states and by districts, as it now is in Maryland.

This amendment would restore to their just and proportionate influence the small states, whose voice is now overwhelmed by the general ticket which prevails in the larger states...

Another part of this resolution proposes, that the electors should vote in secret for the persons they prefer as President and Vice-President...

The 2d resolution, seems to us to be equally important. This proposes, that the constitution should be so amended as to prevent the election from devolving on congress in any case.

It is probable, from the multiplication of candidates for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency, which arises from the increased number of states, that if the constitution be not altered, the election will devolve on congress...

It requires no great spirit of prophecy to foretell, that the election, under such circumstances, would be decided by intrigue, cabal and corruption...

For the Md Gazette.

TO THE VOTERS OF PRINCE-GEORGE'S AND ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTIES, AND THE CITY OF ANNAPOLIS.

In consequence of the resignation by Dr Joseph Kent, of his seat in the Congress of the United States, the duty of choosing a Representative in that body will in a few days devolve on you.

At this time there is but one candidate for your suffrages; who it may be presumed that this will not long be the case. Others will no doubt announce themselves, and a warm competition for the high reward which awaits the successful candidate, ensue.

The following explanation he gives as furnishing a general idea of the principles by which steam acts on and propels his boat:

"In the bottom of the boat, where a keelson should be, there is a trunk 36 feet long; the after end is open, and terminates at the stern post; the other end is closed, and the whole trunk, according to its dimensions, occupies about three-fourth parts of the length of the boat.

On the top of this cylinder there stands another of the same length, and is fixed to the under one by screws; each of these cylinders have a piston made tight, which work up and down with very little friction; these pistons are connected with each other by a smooth bolt, (they being well screwed to its ends) passing through the bottom of the upper cylinder; the lower cylinder acts as a pump, which draws water from the river through the tube and valve before described; the return of the piston forces it through the trunk before mentioned, and out near the stern of the boat.

The upper cylinder acts as a steam-engine, and receives its steam from a boiler under its piston, which piston is then carried up to the top of the cylinder by the steam; at the same time, the piston of the lower cylinder is brought up to its top, from its connexion with the upper piston, by the aforesaid bolt; at which time they shut up the communication from the boiler, and open another to discharge the steam for condensation; by this means the atmosphere acts upon the piston of the upper cylinder, and its force is conveyed to the piston in the lower cylinder; by the aforesaid connecting bolt, which force the water, then in the lower cylinder, through the trunk, with considerable velocity; the reaction, without, on the other end of the trunk, is the power which drives the boat forward.

For the support which you on that occasion afforded him, he in a subsequent address, tendered you his grateful acknowledgements, and declared himself a candidate at the election to take place in 1826.

Considering these things it is treated that his numerous friends will spare no honorable effort to promote his election, and place him in a station where his abilities will be exercised exclusively for the welfare of our beloved and common country.

A VOTER OF THE DISTRICT.

Jan 3. William Wootton, esquire, of Prince-George's county, is announced in the last Md. Republican as a candidate to supply Dr. Kent's vacancy in Congress.

The U. S. ship Cybele, Captain Elliott, bound for the Brazil, sailed from New York on the 28th ult. The ship South America, Captain Giffen, sailed on the same day for Carthagena.

FOR THE MD. GAZETTE.

Mr. Green. I find it has been industriously circulated among the members of the legislature, that a caucus was held in my house, on last Monday week, when the honorable gentleman who now fills the speaker's chair was fixed on as the individual to be supported for that office.

This report was circulated with a view of influencing the members of the legislature, and as my name had been mentioned in the Council, I have thought it duty to publicly pronounce the report a base falsehood.

There had been a caucus in my house, previous to the election of a governor and council, Messrs. Eads and Gant, I had no conversation with members about the choice of Speaker, Governor, or Members of the Council.

Another part of this resolution proposes, that the electors should vote in secret for the persons they prefer as President and Vice-President. This is certainly the most truly republican mode of choosing those officers, and we have never been able to discern the utility of the intervention of electors, as it is well known that they are voted for on account of the candidates for whom it is known, they will vote, and not on account of any personal qualifications they possess.

Whereas internal communications by means of roads and canals are objects of the primary importance to the prosperity of the State, by affording the best channels of transportation for the productions of its soil and manufactures, stimulating its inhabitants to enterprise, the ties of good fellowship, and adding to the wealth and condensed population. And whereas, the state of Maryland, viewing the city of Baltimore as the seat of its commerce, must be immediately benefited by encouraging her growth and prosperity.

Resolved, That the Senate and House of Delegates, be and are empowered to survey and locate a route for a lateral canal from the city of Baltimore to intersect the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, at the nearest practicable point, within the state of Maryland, if such route be practicable, and as deemed practicable, then it shall be the duty of said commissioners to survey the route, and locate a route for a lateral canal from the city of Baltimore to intersect the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, at the nearest practicable point, within the District of Columbia, agreeably to the provisions of the act incorporating a company to cut the said Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, as confirmed by the act of congress at the last session.

Friday, December 30. The Speaker appointed Messrs. Teackle, Brooke, McCulloch, Goldsborough, Duval, Eannals, and Smith, to be the Committee to take into consideration the order proposed by Mr. Teackle, relative to a plan of public instruction of all the youth of this state, which was previously read the second time and assented to.

On motion by Mr. Thomas, leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to abolish all such parts of corporation and form of government as relate to the time and manner of electing the senate, and the mode of filling up vacancies in that body, so that each county may have a seat to be elected immediately by the people. Ordered, That Messrs. Thomas, Merrick, Ridout, Harlan, and Eannals, report the same.

Mr. Howard, obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to amend an act to alter and amend the constitution, so as to allow the city of Baltimore a representation equal to that of the several counties of the state, passed at the last session 1824. Ordered, that Messrs. Howard, Tyson and Merrick, report the same.

Mr. Maxcy obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to amend an act, entitled, An act to establish a warehouse for the inspection of tobacco at the city of Baltimore. Ordered, that Messrs. Maxcy, Wilson, Barrette, Wootton, Hughtell, and Dalrymple, report the same.

Mr. Thomas obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to the inspection of fish brought to the city of Baltimore, passed at the last session 1823, chap. 203. Ordered, that Messrs. Thomas, Harlan, and Gaddy, report the same.

The House according to the order of the day proceeded to the consideration of the resolution relative to the eligibility of a delegate, or member of the council, to act as a senator.

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