

MISCELLANY.

The Hon. Thomas H. Benton has been re-elected by the Legislature...

From the London Mechanics' Magazine: GROUND SWELL IN THE POLAR REGIONS.

The ice in the Polar regions accommodates itself to the surface by heaving...

The Cathedral is a masterpiece. It was ninety four years in building...

The city also contains a multitude of other public edifices, among which is remarkable that of the Mountain of Piety...

The Government Palace contains among other establishments, the Mint, where in 1742, four millions one hundred and twelve thousand dollars were coined...

Mexico is not enclosed by walls, but is surrounded by a broad ditch, which is sufficient to secure the payment of the duties...

Runaway. Was committed to my custody on the 20th of December, as a runaway, a negro man by the name of Bob...

State of Maryland. Charles County, to wit. I hereby certify, that B. W. M'Pherson of said county, brought before me the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said county...

DISCUSSION OF THE CITY OF MEXICO.

The plain of Mexico is about 80 leagues in circumference, and is enclosed on all sides by mountains...

Mexico was founded in 1317, and is continually increasing and becoming more beautiful every year.

The Cathedral is a masterpiece. It was ninety four years in building, and contains two statues of the Virgin...

The city also contains a multitude of other public edifices, among which is remarkable that of the Mountain of Piety, endowed with a fund of 315 000 dollars...

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near, and exerted such a power of urgency to obtain him? Would not he cling to the regions of song, and life, and of society...

But if, during the time of his contemplation, some happy island of the blest had floated by, & there had burst upon his sense the light of its surpassing glories...

all of which they will sell on the most accommodating terms, for as they are compelled to call on all those that are in any way indebted to them...

Wanted at the Alum and Copper-works on the Magdaly River, for the year 1827, TWELVE good HANDS...

The Commissioners of the Tax, for Anne Arundel county, will meet at the court house in the city of Annapolis...

In pursuance of a commission which has heretofore issued from Worcester county court, authorizing and requiring the subscribers to divide the real estate...

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Several healthy Negroes are wanted on hire by the year, from 18 to 25 years of age, to be employed in our Chemical Factory...

Respectfully notices his fellow Citizens of Anne Arundel county, and the City of Annapolis, that he is a Candidate for the office of Sheriff...

Respectfully informs his friends and fellow citizens of Anne Arundel and Annapolis, that at the solicitation of many voters, he is induced to offer himself as a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff at the election in 1827.

Respectfully tender their thanks to their friends and the public in general for past favours, and particularly request their attention to their large and extensive assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queen's Ware, Glass Ware and LUMBER...

The Proprietors respectfully inform the public, that they have procured new Post Coaches, and commenced running the route with three sets of horses...

The subscriber, at his shop in Francis Street, one door above Mr. N. J. Watkins, and just below Mrs. Gambrill's Boarding House, respectfully tenders his thanks for the patronage afforded him...

On the shortest notice, and most reasonable terms, He will also attend to the business of UPHOLSTERER.

The subscriber notifies his fellow citizens of Anne Arundel county and the city of Annapolis, that he is again a candidate for the office of Sheriff, and respectfully solicits their suffrages.

The lovers of good things are respectfully informed, that Seguin will furnish them with all the delicacies of the season, prepared in the best style...

Persons having BOOKS with the signatures of B. R. Rigby, or Edw. D. Rigby, are requested to leave them at the Office of Wm. Kelly, on Dec 7.

Returns his acknowledgments to his friends and the public, for the liberal support he has received, and respectfully acquaints them that he still continues to carry on the above business in all its various branches...

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From Ackerman's 'Forget me Not.' THE ATTACKED ESCORT. A SPANISH SCENE.

In 1810, I was in the French service, and ordered with my regiment to Bayonne. Frequent combats were sent forward into Spain...

The convoy moved with the usual military precautions, though it was too strong to be liable to a Guerrilla attack. We could not, however, prevent desultory skirmishes in the defiles...

whereof John Nicholson, died seized called Beard's Habitation, lying and being in Anne Arundel county.

December Term, Anne Arundel County, Orphans Court, January 8th, 1827.

DECISIONS OF THE COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND. PUBLISHED BY SUBSCRIPTION.

These Decisions will form a valuable addition to the first volume of Reports already published by Messrs. Hart and Johnson...

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ed, some other were sent forward into Spain. The convoy moved with the usual military precautions, though it was too strong to be liable to a Guerrilla attack. We could not, however, prevent desultory skirmishes in the defiles, by which we lost some men. Even this, in some degree, added to the interest of our march. On the first report of a musquet, the column closed; our mountain volunteers and light infantry were sent up the hills, to turn the flank of the Spaniards; and, apart from the loss of lives, the scene was often in the highest degree striking and picturesque. In this mode we passed on till we reached the Sierra Morena. There the badness of the roads, which had been neglected from the commencement of the war, broke a considerable number of our waggon wheels; and as we had now reached a country completely in the power of our troops, the officer in command thought better to move forward with the main body, than linger for their repair. Some hundred men were left behind to escort them, with orders to follow to a town three marches off, which was to be the head quarters of the convoy. It had been taken ill, and remained with the waggons; the delay, however, was trifling, and in twenty four hours we were on the road again. Unluckily the commandant of the escort, in order to make up for our lost time, took it into his head to move by a narrow forest road, instead of that through the open country, which made a circuit of some extent. I observed to him the hazard of this route; he gave me a civil answer, that I was not then at the head of my regiment. I said no more, and we plunged into the forest. For some time all went on well, but the forest grew thicker, the road narrower and more broken, and at last a grove of oaks brought us almost to a stop. We here found our advanced dragoons, who waited for the column, that they might not be stranded alone in the grove. We had scarcely worked ourselves a dozen yards among the trunks and gnarled boughs, when an advanced sharpshooter fired, and in a moment after we saw men with muskets in their hands running round us. Their number increased rapidly, and we soon had them in every direction—front, flanks and rear. Our commandant had now found out his mistake, and had nothing to do but to get out of it as well as he could. The Column had halted once. The infantry were posted at its head and at the rear of the dragoons; the sharpshooters formed on each side from front to rear; and the dragoons were pushed into a wood, on both sides of the road, twenty paces off, to act as skirmishers. The fire had already begun, and the enemy had all the advantage—the might single us out as he pleas-