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And perhaps for this reason
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or city in this State, shall be made by any subse-
quent legislation, notwithstanding the provisions
of the 4th section of said bill, or any subsequent
section which may hereafter be engrafted in
said bill, which may be in anywise calculated to
affect the interests of the Eastern Shore, and the
smaller counties on the Western Shore particu-
larly, unless for the alteration and confirmation
thereof, at least three fourths of all the members
of both branches of the General Assembly con-
cur therein.

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year; and the seats of the senators of the third
class shall be vacated at the end and expiration
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king out in the 13th section, 3d line, the word
"chancellor," and inserting "governor;"
Determined in the negative.
The committee then rose, reported progress,
and asked leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Handy,
Said bill was further amended, by inserting
after the word "divided," in the 7th section, 5th
line, the following, "in such manner as the Sen-
ate shall prescribe."
On motion of Mr. McDaniel,
Said bill was further amended, by inserting in
the 10th section, 9th line, after the word
"State," these words "and Shore from whence
taken."
Friday, February 10.
Determined in the negative.
Mr. Eccleston moved to amend said bill, by stri-
king out in the 8th section, 2d line, after the
word "otherwise," the following, "the Senate
shall have power to fill the vacancy until the
next annual election from the county or city
where such vacancy may occur."
Determined in the negative.
Mr. Palmer moved to amend said bill, by stri-
king out in the 13th section, 3d line, the word
"chancellor," and inserting "governor;"
Determined in the negative.
The committee then rose, reported progress,
and asked leave to sit again.

A DUEL.
We learn from the Washington Telegraph,
that in consequence of some personal remarks,
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a meeting took place on Monday morning on
the Virginia side of the Potomac, near Alexan-
dria, between WILLIAM SCHLEY, Esq., a member
of the Senate of Maryland, and WILLIAM COLE
JONSON, Esq., late a member of Congress from
this state. Mr. JENNER of Maryland, and Mr.
PICKENS of S. Carolina, both members of Con-
gress, acted as the friends of Mr. S., and Mr.
Wise of Virginia, and Gen. CAMPBELL of S. Car-
olina, as the friends of Mr. J. The parties were
placed at twelve paces, back to back, and ex-
changed a single fire. Both shots took effect.
Mr. SCHLEY being slightly wounded in the
thigh, and Mr. JONSON in the knee. The ball
was extracted on the ground by Dr. HALL.—
The parties were reconciled.

From the Baltimore Patriot of Monday.
DISASTERS IN THE RIVER.
THE GALE.
The steambark RELIEF, Capt. TURNER, arriv-
ed this morning much disabled by the ice and
gale to which she was last night exposed in an
endeavour to tow up the brig Colonia, the schr.
Win. Tompkins, a schr. from Gaudoupe, and
some others—all of which she was obliged to
abandon in the river, within seven miles of the
city. The last mentioned schooner being near-
est the Relief, and the master finding her to be
in a leaky condition, abandoned her, and with
the crew took to the Relief. She soon after
sunk near Hawkins' Point, where she still lays
with her masts above the water. The schr.
Win. Tompkins also sunk about half past three
o'clock, and lies near her. When the W. T.
went down, the crew took to a safe place, upon
which they floated in safety to, and were taken
on board the brig Colonia soon after which she
also went down, and the crews of the two
vessels were obliged to seek safety upon the
masts and spars, the hull being entirely under
water. In this exposed and alarming situation,
with the sea continually breaking over them,
they remained from half past four o'clock until
about nine o'clock this morning, when they were
relieved by the steambark MARYLAND, Capt.
TAYLOR, who fell in with them on his way to
Annapolis. Though they were exposed for
six hours of extremely inclement weather, and
their clothes covered with ice, none were so
badly frozen as to endanger their lives. Great
praise is due to Capt. Taylor for his intrepid and
persevering exertions in the cause of humanity.
Repeatedly buffed by the gale and the roughness
of the sea, his zeal and determination to af-
ford relief to the exhausted sufferers never abated,
and he had the high satisfaction, after en-
countering much danger and toil, finally to re-
lieve both crews, amounting in number to twen-
ty-two persons.

The Maryland has returned to the city, with
the severity of the gale rendering the prosecution of
her trip to Annapolis unsafe.
The passengers generously contributed to the
relief of the destitute mariners, and have borne
honourable testimony to Capt. TAYLOR'S praisewor-
thy conduct.

THE FLORIDA WAR.
A letter to the Charleston Courier, dated Pi-
colata, 19th inst. says—The main army had not
been heard from for some days. Gen. JESSE
was scouring near the head of the Ocklawaha
River where it is thought the Indians were.

FROM THE S. W. FRONTIER.
A letter from New Orleans, dated Feb. says
"I have received only three days later accounts
from our western frontier, when there were
about 14000 Creek Indians at Fort Gibson. A-
pohyololo is their head chief; the McIntosh
are still in council; they have refused to admit
Gen. Arbuckle or any of the officers of the army
to their presence. Capt. Wm. Armstrong,
whom they sent for had arrived, and it is to be
hoped as he is very popular among the Creek
we that he will be able to adjust all difficul-
ties. If his efforts fail I fear blood must flow
in this contest for power."
"The Arkansas Volunteers have arrived from
Fort Towson, and the remainder of the 7th
Regiment, and Dragoons have been ordered to
return immediately when there will be force
sufficient to quell all disturbances—at least it is
believed so. Provisions were very dear, and
all agree that there is not enough to supply the
demand."

HYGIENICAL.
Married, on Tuesday evening last, on the
Head of South River, by the Rev. Mr. Waters,
Mr. BENJAMIN B. ELLIOTT, to Miss MARGARET
WATSON, all of Anne-Arundel county.

THE CULTIVATOR,
AND
COMMON SCHOOL ASSISTANT.
Subscriptions to THE CULTI-
VATOR and COMMON SCHOOL ASSIS-
TANT received at the Post Office, Annapo-
lis, by
A. COWAN.

WALDIE'S CIRCULATING LI-
BRARY.
Subscribers to the above Work
in Annapolis, are requested to notify
the subscriber, as early as practicable,
of their intention of continuing patrons
of the Work. Those who have not
settled for the year just concluded, are
desired to do so immediately.
J. GREEN.

TAILORING BUSINESS.
MR. BASIL SHEPARD Having de-
clined business in favour of the sub-
scriber, he embraces this opportunity to so-
licit the patronage of his numerous and high-
ly respectable customers; he would have so-
lited them previous to leaving Annapolis in
August last, had it not been that Mr. B. S.
still continued in business. I now embrace
this opportunity to return my humble ac-
knowledgments to my friends in Annapolis
and the county, for the decided preference
they have given to my work over all others.
Those who may still wish their
**CLOTHES Cut and Made in the most
Elegant Style,**
At the Shortest Notice, and at the
Lowest Prices,
can be accommodated by calling and leaving
their measures when visiting Baltimore, or
on Mr. Basil Shepard, Annapolis, who will
take pleasure in measuring them, and trans-
mitting their orders to me. He will also
have all work delivered that is for Annapolis
or the County. I would not forget to return
my sincere acknowledgments to my friends
for the highly honourable certificates they
were pleased to give me of citizenship while
amongst them.
JACOB BASFORD,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
No. 6, North Gay street, Baltimore.
Baltimore, Feb. 16, 1837.—tf.

NOTICE.
TAKEN UP ADRIPT on the subscri-
ber's Shore, between the Mouth of Mago-
thy and Sandy Point, on the 9th inst. two bar-
rels marked Boston N. E. Rum S. & M., 2
ditto marked ditto D. Barnard, and 1 mark-
ed B; also one barrel N. E. Rum at Mrs.
Stinchcomb's. The owner is requested to
produce property, pay charges, and take pos-
session.
PHILIP PETTIBONE.
Feb. 16.

WOOD YARD.
ESTABLISHED at CONNER'S, lower
end of Fleet street, one door above
Mr. James Hyde.

FIRE WOOD.
In large or small quantities, can be had at
any time throughout the year, on application
to the subscriber, who has undertaken the
superintendance of the
WOOD YARD,
just opened on his lot, at the lower end of
Fleet street, by Messrs. Hitch and Westley;
in his absence orders left at his dwelling,
adjoining the yard, will receive prompt