station. Self, however, meets his desserts; in refutation of his palliating calumnies the following appeared in the Aurora of July 2:—

TO MR. REAY:

SIR—That you should endeavor to calumniate the executive, would never be the occasion of surprise to any person, who has been in the habit of reading your scurrilous paper; but that you should presume to produce falsehoods to divert the public indignation, from the cowardly & wanton murderer, who has trampled on the national dignity, and embrued his hands in the blood of our fellow-citizens, must draw upon you the indignation of all honest men and true Americans.

In both the instances which your Bœotian genius has produced to arraign the energy and judgment of the executive your statements have been false, malignant and vindictive.—The John Adams (which you have improperly called the Adams,) was fitted out by the government, as a transport, with provisions, military stores and men, for the accomodation of the squadron, which was then on the Mediterranean station, under the command of commodore Preble, with the intention that those vessels should not be under the necessity of leaving their station, when their services might be required to co-operate with the squadron under the command of commodore S. Barron, which was almost ready for sea at the time the John Adams left America, & expected to arrive in the Mediterranean as soon, *if not sooner*, than that ship.—It will not therefore be supposed by any candid man, that in her situation as a transport, she would have been completely armed; or, that it would have been possible for commodore Preble to derive any assistance from her, *as a frigate*. If even her gun carriages had been on board. The zeal and fervid disposition of that great and excellent commander, induced him to lament that it was impossible for him to employ the service of that ship; but I never heard, nor do I believe, that he ever imputed the smallest censure to the administration for an act, which must have excited the admiration of his cool and impassioned judgment.

Your assertion in regard to the Chesapeake is equally unfounded and false—That ship, was *in every respect* equipped as a *frigate*, and of course, no censure can rest on the administration for any disorder which might have prevailed at the time of sailing—disorder must, necessarily exist, on board of all ships of war, on leaving port with a raw and undisciplined crew, nor can any stigma be attached to a commander or officer for it.—Much time and industry are necessary to give men a correct idea of their respective duties; and until this is effected, it is impossible that order or regularity can be observed, in working or fighting a ship.

I have now, sir, given you a correct statement of facts, to correct the misrepresentations made use of by you to detract from the merit of an executive, whose policy has always been stamped by wisdom, forbearance and equity, and I trust if you are *indeed* actuated by patriotic zeal, that you will no longer endeavor to throw a mantle over the atrocities of a cowardly English assassin, by defaming the character of him, to whose counsels we are, in a great measure, indebted for the liberty we enjoy, and from whose wisdom and firmness we have a right to expect the most decided energy in redressing the insult which has been sustained by the nation.

M. R. S.
Of the U. S. navy.

Philadelphia, 10th June, 1807.

At a numerous meeting of the citizens of Richmond, Manchester and their Vicinities, and of many other persons from distant places, held at the Capitol, on the 27th of June 1807, for the purpose of taking under their consideration the late outrage committed on the Frigate Chesapeake, by a British squadron:

The Hon. Spencer Roane, judge of the court of appeals was unanimously chosen Chairman, and Thos. Ritchie, esq. unanimously elected Secretary. A committee was then appointed, consisting of the following members: The Hon. Alexander McRae, Lieut. Governor; The Hon. Creed Taylor, Chancellor; John Page, George Hay, William Foushee, William Wirt and Peyton Randolph, Esqrs. to lay before the meeting such resolutions, as they might deem proper to propose in the present crisis. The committee having retired, returned and reported to the meeting the following resolutions and address: The preamble to the resolution was adopted with only three dissenting voices; the resolutions and the address were unanimously adopted. The Chairman of the meeting was unanimously requested to sign the resolution and address on behalf of the meeting, and to transmit the address to the President of the United States. The members of the committee formerly appointed were then elected a corresponding committee, by virtue of the fourth resolution, for the purposes therein specified.

"We, the citizens convened, have read with horror and indignation the narrative of the attack made by the British ship Leopard on the U. States Frigate Chesapeake. The demand which preceded the attack was lawless in its nature and most insolent in its manner. The attack itself was not only lawless and insolent, but base and cowardly; because it was made by a ship of fifty guns, prepared for action, and supported by a British squadron, in a time of profound peace, on an unsuspecting and therefore unprepared friend, a single American Frigate of six and thirty guns; such are the glorious triumphs of the British navy! We observe that this attack flowed from a deliberate order given to the British Admiral Berkely, at Halifax: We believe that he would not have dared to compromit his nation by so bold and flagrant a breach of national law, without the previous sanction and order of his government: We consider it therefore as an act of the British government. We compare this monstrous outrage (committed in the moment of treaty,) with other acts of usurpation and aggression practised upon us by the same nation—their impressments of our seamen so long continued, and their gross and perpetual violations of our commerce, which they have the effrontery to adjudicate even from their tribunals of law: the review confirms us in the belief, that the attack on the Chesapeake is not the act either of Commodore Douglas or Admiral Berkely, any more than the act of the oriental Slave who licks the dust from the foot of despotism, is the act of the slave and not of the despot: but that this attack is the act of the British government; and simply another effusion of the same spirit which produced their impressments and commercial spoliations. This act is of the same stamp and colour with the rest. We behold in it all a consistent picture; a nation insolent in the consciousness of her naval strength—totally regardless of the rights of others; totally regardless of all law, reason and humanity; destitute of every motive, feeling and principle which binds civilized nations together—and having no rule of action whatever, but self aggrandizement and the gratification of her own caprices by brutal force. We compare this bloody violence with the caresses and attentions which they are even now shewing to our ministers at their feasts in London; and we behold a nation, which, to the picture of black and savage piracy, adds the features of smiling treachery and mean hypocrisy! and A nation which by her actions proclaims the opinion, that we are not only so feeble as to be insulted and outraged with impunity, but so weak and foolish as to be amused forever with the perfidious semblance of negociation for the redress of our wrongs, while she takes the shorter cut of blood and battle for the attainment of her purposes. With a nation of such principles and such practices, we wish no friendship, no intercourse; to such complicated and incessant wrongs, continually aggravated in proportion to our patience, we are disposed to submit no longer. Wherefore:

"1. *Resolved unanimously*, That the thanks of the citizens of Richmond, be communicated to our fellow-citizens of Norfolk for the exemplary promptitude and energy which they have displayed on this occasion; and that they be assured that we unite with them, heart and hand, in all their feelings and resolutions.

2. *Resolved unanimously*, That while we deprecate the horrors of war and approve all honorable means of averting them, we possess the firm hope that the government of the U. S. will avenge this unparalleled outrage with the spirit which becomes the nation, and which the nation feels—believing as we do, that, however unequal our naval strength, our enemies have, nevertheless, vulnerable points within our reach, through which we may be able to strike them vitally.

3. *Resolved unanimously*, That in the support of all measures directed to that end, "we pledge our *lives our fortunes and our sacred honor*," uniting with firm and joyous hearts, the auspicious omen connected with this well remembered holy pledge: What we did in the weakness of infancy, it will be strange if we cannot repeat in the vigor of manhood!

4. *Resolved unanimously*, That a committee be appointed to correspond with such other committees as may be appointed in the several towns and counties in this Commonwealth, for the purpose of collecting the national sentiment on this important occasion.

Resolved unanimously, That the Chairman of this Committee be requested to communicate a copy of these Resolves to the president of the U. States, one to the Executive of each State, one to the Chairman of the Committee at Norfolk, and one connected with a printed copy of the narrative of the outrage, to every General Officer and Commandant of a Regiment in this State, to be communicated by him in such manner as he may approve to those under his command.

6 *Resolved unanimously*. That the thanks of this meeting be returned to the Chairman, for the able and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office.

Signed on behalf of the meeting,
Test. SPENCER ROANE, *Chairman*
THOMAS RITCHIE, *Secretary*.

MEETING OF THE CITIZENS
OF THE
FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
OF PENNSYLVANIA.

On Wednesday afternoon, July 1st, the citizens of the first congressional district of Pennsylvania, composed of the city and county of Philadelphia and county of Delaware, met, pursuant to notice, in the state house yard in the city of Philadelphia—No time or occasion has ever here witnessed such a concourse of people.

MATTHEW LAWLER, Esq. was called to the chair, and JOSEPH HOPKINSON, esq. appointed secretary.

Dr. Michael Leib opened the business of the meeting, and after some appropriate observations offered the following resolutions, which were UNANIMOUSLY adopted.

Resolved, that the conduct of Great Britain, towards the United States, has been too often marked by hostility, injustice and oppression; and that the outrage committed by the Leopard, one of her ships of war, under the express orders of one of her admirals, upon the Chesapeake, a frigate belonging to the United States, is an act of such consummate violence and wrong, and so barbarous and murderous a character, that it would debase and degrade any nation, and much more so a nation of freemen, to submit to it.

Resolved, That we will support the administration of the general government in all and every measure which may be adopted by them, to avenge the wrongs our country has suffered from Great Britain, and to compel the most rigid retribution; and that to attain a full measure of justice from her, we pledge ourselves to make any sacrifices and to encounter any hazards.

Resolved, That the sentiments of this meeting be made known to the president of the U. States, as the spontaneous effusions of freemen, on an occasion, when silence and indifference would betray a want of patriotism, if not a treasonable indisposition towards the best interests of our country, and the sacred rights of this nation.

The following resolution was then offered and adopted unanimously.

Resolved, that until the general government shall have adopted such measures as may be suggested by their spirit and wisdom, we will discountenance all intercourse with any of the vessels of war belonging to Great Britain; and that we will withhold from them all supplies or assistance which may be necessary to their aid and subsistence.

Charles Biddle, Esq. then proposed the following resolution, which was adopted unanimously.

Resolved unanimously, that the citizens of Norfolk and Hampton, and its vicinity, deserve the thanks and applause of their fellow citizens throughout the union for their gallant, manly and patriotic conduct at the present momentous crisis.

The meeting then agreed to appoint a committee of correspondence, for the purpose of holding a communication with our fellow citizens in other parts of the United States, relative to the objects of this meeting.

The following gentlemen were appointed.

MATTHEW LAWLER,
CHARLES BIDDLE,
PAUL COX,
DAVID LENDX,
THOMAS FORREST,
RICHARD DALE,
WALTER FRANKLIN,
GEORGE CLYMER,
M. LEIB,
THOS. LEIPER,
FRANCIS GURNEY,
JAMES ENGLE,
JOSEPH HOPKINSON,
GEORGE BARTRAN,
EDWARD TILGHMAN,
WILLIAM LINNARD,
MICHAEL BRIGHT.

A vote of thanks was passed to the chairman and secretary—and the meeting adjourned in perfect order.

Ordered, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in all the papers of this city.

MATTHEW LAWLER, *Chairman*.
JOSEPH HOPKINSON, *Secretary*.

Spoke, June 10, sch'r Brothers, 6 days from Baltimore for Guadaloupe.

Left at Point-Petre, Guadaloupe, Fair American, of Baltimore, loaded to sail immediately. A brig from Baltimore, Buck, just arrived, consigned to Hollingsworth and Floyd.

Arrived at the Vineyard, near Boston, June 29th, the Racer, in 3 days from Baltimore.

The brig Ann and Mary, was left at Lisbon discharging, by a vessel arrived at Boston.

The brig Ann and Francis, Dillon, from Cadiz, and 10 days from Bermuda, has arrived at New-York. Left, Augusta, of Baltimore; Rosanna, of ditto.

Off Cape-Hatteras was spoke sch'r Betsy, 3 days from Baltimore for St. Jago-de-Cuba.

Left at Curracoa, Adventure, Atkinson, for Baltimore, uncertain.

Spoke, in lat. 33. 6, long. 73, sch'r Betsy, Bolton, 5 days from Baltimore for St. Jago-de-Cuba.

The Rolla, from Baltimore, has arrived at N. York.

☞ The AURORA will be published as usual on Monday, unless the mails should prove barren and there should be no arrivals bringing news of importance at this port. Our co-temporaries having announced their intention to do honor to the day by suspending the publication of their papers, equal devotion will be manifested by this office, under the preceding contingencies.

From the Merchants' Coffee House Books
July 3.

Arrived, schooner Susan, Burton, 16 days from St. Thomas—coffee—Saml. Owings.—Left, sch'r Mary-Ann, of Baltimore, for Savannah, and a number of others, names not recollected. In Hall Rock Passage was bro't too by an English privateer, under Spanish colours, who searched us strictly.

Also, sch'r Gottenburgh, Baker, 15 days frm St. Bartholomews—To order—Brings nothing new.

Also, — Philanthropist, Munroe, 25 days from [illegible] L. Warfield. Sailed in to. with brig Warren, and sloop Richard, Alford, for N. York. Left 2 Baltimore vessels, and others.

Also, snow George, Spafford, 38 days from Amsterdam—gin and canvas—Wm. Patterson & Sons. Left at the Texel 26th May, ship Virgin, of Baltimore; sch'r ——, Bartlett, from do. just arrived; and a number of others, of which captain S. brought no list, and does not recollect their names. June 8, at. 48, long. 15, spoke brig Abigal, of Wiscasset, from Savannah, for Dublin. June 10, lat. 40, long. 44, ship Boston, of Nantucket, on a whaling voyage. There was no certainty of any engagement having taken place between the two armies.

Also, sloop Nancy, Rush, 10 days from Bermuda. Left there, ship Destiny, of N. York; Columbian Packet, of Philadelphia; Ursula, M'Quillon; Eliza, Batch, Charleston; brig Augustus, Merick, Baltimore; and Jane, Price, New-London; all waiting trial; ship Citero, Smith, for Philadelphia, in 2 or 3 days; ship Eliza, Horton, Newburyport, in 10 days; sch'r Rosanna, Mull, tried 3 or 4 weeks before, waiting the decree; ship Baltick, Donaldson, condemned; sch'r Felicity, Fales, for Antigua in 5 days; brig Charlotte, Jones, (arrived 2 days before) for Baltimore.

The ship Genl. Mercer, hence, to Rotterdam, has been lost at the entrance of the port. The Bremen Bark Europa, hence, to Bremen, is carried into Plymouth. The ship Hope, Dashiell, hence, has arrived in the Weser.

Sale by Auction,
OF THE GENUINE JUICE OF THE GRAPE.

The admirers of choice Wine, are informed that on *Wednesday Next*, the 8th July, at half past 11 o'clock, at the Brick warehouse on Commerce-street, a little below Pratt-street, will commence the sale of

A CARGO of MADEIRA WINE, of a quality superior to any ever imported here or to any part of the United States; which Wine was carefully selected in Madeira, by a gentleman of this city, whose judgement and taste is acknowledged to be equal, if not superior to any in America.

A great proportion of the cargo is in half pipes and quarter casks, and consists of the very finest London particular, Tinta and Sercial;—Also, a few quarter casks Green Malmsey; all of which will be offered in small lots, suitable for private families; and a liberal credit will be given for approved endorsed paper.

THOMAS CHASE, Auct'r.
July 1

Sale by Auction,
ON TUESDAY,

The 7th instant, at the auction room at the head of Frederick-street dock, will be sold on a liberal credit,

Madeira Wine,

In pipes and half pipes, of a superior quality made from the first vintages on the south side of that Island, and not inferior to any imported. Fit for immediate use, being four years old.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs.
June 3

Sale by Auction.
ON TUESDAY NEXT,

The 7th instant, at 12 o'clock, at our auction room at the head of Frederick-street dock, will be sold,

11 hhds. Jamaica Rum,
2 ditto Molasses,
750 wt. Pimento,
1700 feet Mahogany,
400 Cocoa Nuts,
2 Old Anchors,
6000 lb. old Iron,
6000 lb. old Junk,
300 lb. old Copper,
190 lb. old Lead.

Imported in the schooner Experiment, Loring, master, from Jamaica.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs.
July 3.

Sale by Auction.
ON MONDAY,

The 6th instant, at 12 o'clock, on Mr. Donnell's wharf, Fell's Point, will be sold, on 60 and 90 days credit, for account of the underwriters, 226 bales damaged MOCHA COFFEE, imported in the ship Oriental, William West, master, from Mocha.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs.
July 2

Sale by Auction.
ON MONDAY,

The 6th instant, at 10 o'clock at the Auction room at the head of Guy-street dock, will commence the sale of

A Variety of Dry Goods.

After which at 12 o'clock,
175 bags Green Coffee,
32 hhds. good Muscovado Sugar,
40 boxes of Sugar,
30 pipes Bordeaux Brandy,
5 barrels of Brimstone,
Also, without reserve, to close a consignment,
17 boxes and 19 barrels of Sugar,
12 tierces of Rice,
14 chests Young Hyson Tea, &c.

R. LEMMON & CO. Auct's.
July 4

Notice.

A Meeting of the Citizens of the 7th and 8th wards, who are desirous of forming themselves into a Volunteer Light Infantry Company, to be attached to the 6th Regiment, is requested at Pamphilion's Hotel, on Monday Evening, the 6th July, at 6 o'clock.
July 4 1t

The following Gentlemen

are proposed as candidates at the ensuing election, for directors in the Union Bank of Maryland.

Isaac Tyson,
Francis Hollingsworth,
Matthew Brown,
J. H. Nicholson,
George Hoffman,
July 4 d3t

Absconded from her Mother's

House, ELIZABETH HAYWARD, a bright Mulatto Girl; she has a detriment in one of her eyes; her clothes are a jacket and petticoat of brown Holland. The reason of my being particular in describing her is, that some well-disposed person may take her up and bring her home, and they shall receive a reasonable reward. I am a free woman, was set free by Philip Thomas's wife, in Market-street, and Betsey, my daughter, is also free; she is a very bad girl, and I am resolved to break her or I will break her heart.

[illegible] another circumstance. She was bound out to old Mrs. Dukehart; she was so very bad and Mrs. Dukehart being an old lady, she could not rule her; and so the old lady give up her indentures and she came home.

I forewarn all persons from harboring her on their peril.

REBECCA BOWSER,
Living in Hammond's Alley, on the Causeway.
July 4 d4t

THE PARTNERSHIP OF
Keppler & Bosley

WAS dissolved, by mutual consent, on the first instant. All those having claims on said firm, and all those who are indebted to the same, will call on Daniel Bosley, No. 18, Market-street, next door above the former stand, who is duly authorized to settle the business of the concern.

JOHN T. KEPPLER,
DANIEL BOSLEY.
July 4 eod

Sale by Auction.
ON TUESDAY,

The 7th instant, at 12 o'clock, at the auction-room at the head of Frederick-street dock, will be sold,

200 bags first quality GREEN COFFEE,
15 tons FUSTIC.

Immediately after which will be sold,
The Schooner
HENRY,

Burthen about 100 tons; was built of the very best materials; is well found and sails remarkably fast. Her inventory will be shewn at the time of sale.

VAN WYCK & DORSEY, Auct'rs.
July 4

ATTENTION!
Baltimore Union Volunteers,

THE Tocsin of War has been sounded and the Republic may require your immediate service; you are therefore requested to meet at Lieutenant Haslet's, in Water street, near Market-space, this morning, July 4, at 9 o'clock to receive your arms and accoutrements.

By order of the Captain,
JOHN WHITELOCK,
First Sergeant.
July 4 1t

THE
Friendship Volunteer Company

WILL please meet This Evening, at five o'clock, on the vacant ground near Wm. Fiar's, with arms, &c.

JOHN CHALMERS, Captain.

N. B. Any persons wishing to join the said company, will please also to attend at the same time.
July 4 1t

Independent Company.

A meeting of the Independent Company is desired on Tuesday Evening, the 8th inst. at 7 o'clock, on business interesting to the company. A full meeting is expected.

Gentlemen wishing to join this old and respectable Company, will please to leave their names through any of the present members.

JOHN M'FADON, Captain.
July 4

Sale by Auction.
ON MONDAY,

The 6th inst. at 11 o'clock, at the lower end of Smith's wharf, opposite Mr. William Mullett's warehouse, will be sold for account of those concerned,

50 tierces RICE,

THOMAS CHASE, Auct'r.
July 4

John Lewis,
No. 16, Charlestreet,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Public that he has fitted up a Cellar for Blacking and Varnishing Boots and Boot Tops. He has now on hand a quantity and will continue to keep a constant supply of the best Liquid Blacking and Varnish for Boots. Persons wishing to purchase may be supplied on the most reasonable terms, and warranted to be equal, if not superior to any in use in Baltimore.
July 4

I hereby certify that Benedict

Meads did this day bring before me, the subscriber, a justice of the peace for said county, a MARE, of a black color, except the left hind foot, and a star in her forehead. She is a natural trotter, and is about four years of age. Given under my hand this 3d day of July, 1807.

SAMUEL LEE.

The owner of the above Mare is desired to come, prove property, pay charges and take her away.

BENEDICT MEADS.

N. B. At Aquila Miles's Farm, about five miles from Baltimore, on the New-Lisbon road.
July 4 d4t

Notice.

The first Company of the 39th Regiment will meet on Monday Evening, at 7 o'clock, the 6th of July, at Mr. Nathan Hussey's, Howard-street. Such of my fellow-citizens who have a wish to join the Company, are invited to attend.

PETER LITTLE, Captain.

N. B. Those members who have their arms, &c. will appear with them.
July 4 1t

Thirty-Ninth Regiment.

THE citizens recognized by the Militia Law, residing on the west side of Light-street and Saint Paul's Lane, to the extent of the city, are respectfully informed that in a few days they will be enrolled into the 39th Regiment, to which they are by law attached, and which ought to claim their particular attention.

JAMES MOSHER,
Lt. Col.
July 4 d4t

To Rent,

THE two story Frame DWELLING HOUSE, now occupied by the subscriber, with a large neat House in the yard; Stabling may be had for two horses—Also a well of good water at the door. The situation of the above is healthy, and as the street is now paving will be pleasant.

BENJAMIN BERRY,
Lee-street, head of the Basin.
July 4 2awtf

Notice.

I shall apply to the Judges of Frederick county court, for the benefit of an act of assembly, passed at November session 1803, entitled "an act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors."

ABRAHAM DIEHL.
July 4 d8w

NOTICE TO THE
Volunteers of Old-Town.

THE gentlemen that associated on Thursday 2d, will please to attend at the house of [illegible] on MONDAY EVENING, the 6th instant, at 8 o'clock, to elect their officers—and all others desirous to aid and promote their patriotic views, will please to come forward and enroll themselves previous to the choice.
July 4

NETTING.

THE subscriber intends opening a School for the instruction of young Ladies in the art of Weaving Ornamental Netting, Fringes, Watch-Chains, &c. on Monday the 13th inst. in Market-street, four doors below Pacca-street.

Also for sale at same place,
Elegant Netting Shawls,
Do. do. Veils,
Do. do. Fringes,
Do. do. Watch-Chains.

SUSANNA WALKER.
July 4 eod1w

On Application

To me, in the recess of the court, as one of the associate Judges of the sixth Judicial District of the state of Maryland, by petition in writing of *James Mattison* praying the benefit of an "Act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, and the supplement thereto passed at November session eighteen hundred and six; and a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act being annexed to his petition; and the said James Mattison having proved to my satisfaction, that he hath resided in the state of Maryland, the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act; and having been before me and discharged from imprisonment, on taking the oath by the said act required.

It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said James Mattison appear before the said county court, to be held at the court house in the city of Baltimore, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the third day of October next, to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors, and that the day he hath is hereby appointed for the said creditors to appear and [illegible] cause, if any they have, why the said James Mattison give them bond to secure the payment of [illegible] at such time as the court shall direct. This order to be inserted in some one of the newspapers in the city of Baltimore once every other day for three months successively, before the said tenth day of October next. Given under my hand at the city of Baltimore this second day of July, in the year eighteen hundred and seven.

THOMAS JONES.
July 4

29th Regiment.—Notice.

OFFICERS commanding companies in this regiment are particularly requested to make their returns to their respective districts without delay, and report the number of the different companies of light infantry, [illegible] day; the 8th instant [illegible] the state of the [illegible] and also such persons as have served in the regular military service. A return of all state arms found in their respective districts will also be required.

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July 4