

George & John Barber,  
At their Store on the Dock, have on hand  
and offer for Sale, a General  
Assortment of Goods,  
AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES,  
VIZ.

French Brandy, Spirit,  
Teach & Apple Brand,  
W. I. and N. E. Rum,  
Gin, Cherry Bounce,  
1st & 2d qual Whiskey  
Old Sherry Wine,  
1st qual. Cyder & Cyder  
Vinegar,  
Melasses,  
Best Alex. Leaf Sugar,  
1st & 2d qual. Balt. do.  
1st 2d & 3d. Brown do.  
Chocolate, Coffee,  
Imperial, Cakes,  
Hyson,  
Young Hyson,  
Hyson Skin, &  
Souchong.  
A few boxes of Raisins  
and Currants,  
Mace, Cloves, Nutmegs,  
Alspice, Cinnamon,  
Pepper, Ginger,  
Pearl Bailey, Rice,  
Mustard, Fig Blue,  
Starch, Alum, Salt Pe-  
tre, Brimstone,  
Perfumed Soap & Wash  
Balls,  
1st and 2d qual. Spanish  
and Amer Segars,  
First chop James River  
small twist, pig tail  
and smoking tobacco  
Rappee & Scotch Snuff  
Mould & Dipped Can-  
dles,  
White & Brown Soap,  
Mess Pork, new & old  
Hams, Shoulders and  
Middlings,  
Salmon, Mackarel, He-  
rings and Cod Fish,  
Cheese, Butter, Lard,  
Sallad Oil, Basket Salt  
Jamieson's Crackers,  
Pilot Bread.

All the above Articles are offered for sale on  
the most reasonable terms for cash, or to those  
who have been punctual on the usual credit. To  
persons who reside in the country they will have  
for different kinds of grain, &c.

**THE PACKETS FOR BALTIMORE**  
Are now running regularly, and will continue to  
do so until the 25th December.—The utmost atten-  
tion will be paid to the delivery of letters, but they  
will not be responsible for the loss of any.

N. B. The subscribers earnestly request those  
who have accounts of long standing to come for-  
ward and discharge the same, or pass their Notes  
for the amount. In order to accommodate such,  
a small part of their accounts will be received and  
credit given for the same.

We forewarn all persons from trusting the  
hands with small bundles, as in case they should  
be lost we will not be answerable for the same.—  
All those who have claims against us are requested  
to bring them in for settlement.

Geo. & Jno. Barber.  
Annapolis, Nov. 5, 1812.

## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice, that  
he intends to apply to Anne-Arundel county  
court, or some one of the Judges thereof,  
in the recess of said court, for the re-  
lief of the act for the relief of sundry in-  
solvent debtors, passed at November ses-  
sion, 1805, and the several supplements  
thereto.

WILLIAM JAMES.  
Nov. 12, 1812.

## Notice is hereby given,

That a petition will be presented to the  
Legislature, at their next session, for a  
law to open a road from some place near  
to Cragg's Ferry, to Mr. Pumphrey's mill,  
and from thence to the mountain road,  
where there are two branches, one of  
which leads to Mr. Waters's mill, and the  
other to the Annapolis road leading from  
Baltimore.

A. A. County, Oct. 29, 1812.

## For Sale

A Negro Woman, aged 32, with four  
Children, three girls and a boy, the eldest  
daughter nine years of age, the second  
four, the boy's age seven. Enquire at the  
Gazette Office.

October 29.

## To the Voters

Of Anne-Arundel County and the City of  
Annapolis.

GENTLEMEN, Having become a Candidate  
for the Office of Sheriff at the next Elec-  
torial period, have thought proper to give  
this early notice of my intention to do so.  
On this occasion I earnestly solicit the  
support of my fellow-citizens: Should my  
efforts be crowned with success, it would  
be the object of my care to discharge the  
duties that would devolve on me with jus-  
tice and humanity.

REZIN SPURRIER.  
Annapolis, October 8, 1812.

## Wanted

TO HIRE, THE YEAR,

A NEGRO WOMAN

who understands House Work, for which  
a liberal price will be given. Inquire at  
this Office.

Sept. 17.

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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 25.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.  
The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a bill to con-  
firm an old road in Worcester county. Read.

The bill for the benefit of Thomas Col-  
ston, and the resolution relative to letters and  
packets addressed to the presiding members of  
the legislature, were sent to the senate.

Mr. Stonefreet delivers a petition from  
Thomas Stone, and others, the heirs of John  
H. Stone, praying that money heretofore  
paid for lands in Allegany county, may be  
refunded. Mr. Hogg a petition from sundry  
inhabitants of Cecil county, praying a road  
may be altered and amended. Mr. Stansbury  
a petition from sundry inhabitants of Bal-  
timore county, praying a road from Soldier's  
Delight to Thomas Owing's mill. Mr. A. E.  
Jones a petition from John Landreth, of So-  
merlet county, an insolvent debtor, praying  
relief. Referred.

On motion by Mr. Randall, Ordered, That  
the bill to correct a mistake in the deed there-  
in mentioned, be committed for amendment.

Mr. Bowles delivers the following report.

The committee to whom was referred the  
memorial of the President and Directors of  
the Potomac Company, report—That they  
have had the same under consideration, and  
therefore beg leave to submit the following  
resolution:—

Resolved, that Benjamin Harwood, Trus-  
tee of the State, be and he is hereby author-  
ized and directed, to transfer the amount of  
thirty thousand dollars of the six per cent.  
stock of the United States, to the President  
and Directors of the Potomac Company, up-  
on their pledging the funds of said company,  
and giving such other security as the treasur-  
er may approve of, for the reimbursement of  
the same, in instalments of three, four and five  
years, with interest upon the whole from the  
date of the transfer, which interest shall be  
paid annually.

Read, and ordered to have a second read-  
ing on Friday.

Mr. Evans delivers a bill to incorporate a  
company under the name of The Elkton Li-  
brary Company. Mr. Bayly a bill to alter  
and change the name of Theodore Gunby.

Read.

Mr. Belt delivers a petition from Richard  
Stringer, counter to the petition of Thor. B.  
Dorsey and John Sappington. Mr. Claude a  
petition from Richard Watts, of Annapolis,  
praying the levy of a sum of money for the  
support of William Priestly. Referred.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for  
the relief of John Mitchell, sen. and Rich-  
ard Dove, the bill to change the names of  
Henry and Charlotte Cochran, the supple-  
ment to the act granting a loan to Charlotte  
Hall school, and the bill supplementary to the  
act to facilitate the draining of lands, sever-  
ally, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be  
engrossed. And the bill to appoint commis-  
sioners to review the road from New Bremen  
to New Market, endorsed "will not pass."

And the bill to change the place of holding  
the election in the third election district in  
Cecil county, endorsed, "will pass with the  
proposed amendment;" which was agreed to,  
and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Claude delivers a bill for the relief of  
William Priestly of Annapolis. Mr. Ran-  
dall a bill to correct a mistake in a deed there-  
in mentioned. Mr. Potts a bill authorizing  
Ezra Mantz to complete his collection.—  
Read.

The bill to repeal all such parts of the acts  
of assembly of this state as require the pay-  
ment of twenty-five shillings for a marriage  
license, was read the second time, and the  
question put, Shall the said bill pass? De-  
termined in the negative.

The bill for the relief of the Moravian So-  
ciety at Graceham, in Frederick county, was  
read the second time and passed.

Mr. A. E. Jones delivers a report, and the  
following resolution.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the wel-  
fare store pay to his Excellency the Govern-  
or, or his order, the residue of the sum which  
still remains in the treasury appropriated under  
an order of the last session for the purpose of  
furnishing the Government House and such  
additional sum as may be deemed requisite for  
the repairs necessary thereto, and furnishing

the same, not exceeding five hundred dol-  
lars.

Read.

The bill authorizing John Crefwell to com-  
plete his collections, was read the second and  
passed.

Mr. Belt delivers a petition from sundry  
voters of the second election district in A. A.  
county, praying the place of holding the e-  
lection for the said district may be changed.  
Referred.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

THURSDAY, NOV. 26.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.  
The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Wm. Hall delivers a petition from  
sundry inhabitants of Anne-Arundel county,  
praying that persons residing in the city of  
Annapolis, may not be eligible as delegates  
to the general assembly for Anne-Arundel  
county. Read and referred.

Mr. Abram Jones delivers a bill to discon-  
tinue a road therein mentioned. Twice read,  
passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Belt delivers a petition from John  
Hill, of Anne-Arundel county, an old soldier,  
praying relief. Read and ordered to lie on  
the table.

The speaker laid before the house the re-  
port of the clerk of Talbot county court, re-  
lative to the attendance of the judges of that  
court. Read and referred.

The bill to regulate the fees of the regis-  
ter of the court of chancery, was read the  
second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Frey delivers a petition from sundry  
inhabitants of Cecil county, residing at and  
near Crefwell's Ferry, praying that the vil-  
lage at that place may be called and publicly  
known by the name of Port Deposit. Read  
and referred.

On motion Ordered, That the committee  
of grievances and courts of justice, be allowed  
to sit every day from 9 o'clock in the morn-  
ing until 3 in the afternoon, subject to the  
call of the house.

Ordered, That the committee of claims  
pay to each witness summoned by order of  
the committee of grievances and courts of  
justice, to testify relative to the late riots and  
mobs in the city of Baltimore, two dollars for  
every day's attendance, and the usual itinerant  
charges allowed by courts of justice in this  
state.

On motion by Mr. Plater, Leave given to  
bring in a bill, entitled, An act for the bene-  
fit of the trustees of Charlotte Hall school,  
and to repeal the acts of assembly therein  
mentioned.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, Leave given  
to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to autho-  
rize John Newton, late sheriff and collector  
of Dorchester county, to complete his collec-  
tion.

The bills for the relief of Ezra Mantz,  
John Crefwell, and the Moravian Society of  
Graceham in Frederick county, were sent to  
the senate.

According to the order of the day, the  
house proceeded to the second reading of the  
bill for the appointment of the justices of the  
levy courts in the several counties of this  
state by the people; and after reading and a-  
mending the same, the question was put,  
Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays  
being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Cau-  
lin, Graves, Wm. Stuart, Belt, Reynolds,  
Taney, Turner, Emerson, Parnham, Ford,  
Warner, Randall, Hambleton, Caldwell,  
Banning, Seth, Bayly, A. E. Jones, Wal-  
ler, John Stewart, Lecompte, Griffith,  
Evans, Lusby, Hogg, Frey, Somervell, Cal-  
lis, T. N. Williams, Wilson, Handy, Gra-  
hame, Potts, Potter, Young, Hughlett, Bar-  
ney, Abram Jones, Riggs, Perry, McCul-  
loch, Robinson, Crefap.

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NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Marriott, Wm. Hall, Stansbury,  
Claude, L. Duvall, Wright, Emory, Stevens,  
Forwood of Jacob, Bowles, Lewis, Wm.  
Williams, Sprigg.

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So it was resolved in the affirmative, and  
the bill sent to the senate.

Mr. Evans delivers petitions from Jacob  
Allen, and Edward Gerrish, of Cecil county,  
revolutionary soldiers, praying relief. Mr.  
Barney a petition from sundry inhabitants of  
the city of Baltimore, praying indemnifica-  
tion for the injury sustained in consequence of  
an act to fix and establish Argyle alley; and a  
petition from Wm. Smith, of said city, on the  
same subject. Mr. Hogg a petition from  
sundry inhabitants of Cecil county, praying  
that a law may pass to prevent the depreda-  
tions of foreign fishermen who come to fish in  
Elk and North East rivers. Mr. Stansbury  
a petition from the assistant keepers of the  
penitentiary, praying that their salaries may  
be increased; and a petition from Thomas  
Giff, of Baltimore county, counter to the pe-  
tion of sundry inhabitants of said county,  
praying a road from Thomas Owing's mill to

the Reister's-town turnpike. Severally read  
and referred.

The clerk of the senate delivers the fol-  
lowing message:

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,  
We have appointed Messrs. Hawkins, Da-  
vis, Brown, Bruce and Wm. Hollingworth,  
a committee to join that selected by you, for  
the purpose of comparing and examining all  
bills that may be engrossed.

Read.

Mr. Hambleton delivers a bill annulling the  
marriage of Vincent P. Taylor, and Eliza-  
beth his wife. Read.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

FRIDAY, NOV. 27.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.  
The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion by Mr. Hambleton, Leave given  
to bring in a bill, entitled, A further supple-  
ment to an act, entitled, An act to regu-  
late and discipline the militia of this state.

Mr. Wilson delivers a petition from the  
visitors of Worcester county school and the  
trustees of Snow-Hill academy, praying that  
the property of the two schools may be united,  
and an additional number of trustees appoint-  
ed. Mr. Lecompte a petition from Samuel  
Brown, of Dorchester county, praying that  
a sum of money heretofore paid by him to the  
state for compulsion on lands in Allegany  
county, the balance whereof he is unable to  
pay, may be refunded. Severally read and  
referred.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a bill authorizing  
John Newton, late sheriff and collector of  
Dorchester county, to complete his collections.  
Read.

On motion by Mr. A. E. Jones, Ordered,  
That the executive be requested to furnish to  
this house a statement of the number of arms  
distributed throughout the state since the com-  
mencement of the present year, to what par-  
ticular counties such arms have been forward-  
ed, and the number and kind to each coun-  
ty.

Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a petitions  
from Cornelius Ennis, John Hancock and Cha-  
rity Tarr, of Worcester county, severally  
praying to be supported by said county. Mr.  
Wright a petition from Thomas Tillot-  
son, praying that a law may pass to confirm  
the title of himself, and others, the heirs of  
John Chaires, to certain lands therein men-  
tioned, which had been purchased of James  
O'Bryon, of Queen Anne's county. Mr.  
L. Duvall a petition from Polly Holland, of  
the city of Annapolis, praying that the levy  
court of Anne-Arundel county may be autho-  
rized to levy a sum of money for the support  
of herself and children. Severally read and  
referred.

Mr. Willson a petition from Jesse Wright,  
of Worcester county, a revolutionary soldier,  
praying relief. Read and ordered to lie on  
the table.

On motion by Mr. Perry, Leave given to  
bring in a bill, entitled, An act to alter and  
repeal such parts of the constitution and form  
of government of this state, as relate to the  
division of Allegany county into election dis-  
tricts.

According to the order of the day the  
house proceeded to the second reading of the  
report on the memorial of the Potomack  
Company, and after reading and amending  
the same, the question was put, That the  
house concur with the report and assent to  
the resolution therein contained? Resolved in  
the affirmative, yeas 46, nays 15.

Mr. Emerson delivers a petition from Ed-  
ward Reynolds, executor of Thos. Reynolds,  
and Richard Mackall, surviving executor of  
Benjamin Mackall of Calvert county, praying  
that certain monies in the treasury of the  
state, arising from the sale of Wm. and Ro-  
bert Mollison's property, may be applied to  
the payment of debts due from the said Mol-  
lison to the testators of the petitioners. Read  
and referred.

Mr. Turner a petition from Wm. R. Sew-  
all, of Calvert county, an insolvent debtor,  
praying relief. Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. A. E. Jones delivers a bill for the re-  
lief of John Landreth, of Somerset county.  
Mr. Perry a bill to alter and repeal such parts  
of the constitution and form of government  
of this state as relate to the division of Alle-  
gany county, into election districts. Sever-  
ally read.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill,  
entitled, An act for the valuation of real and  
personal property within this state, endorsed,  
"will not pass." And the following mes-  
sage:

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,  
We return you the bill, entitled, "An act  
for the valuation of real and personal property  
within this state," having refused to pass the  
same in its present shape, because we con-  
sider it evidently as an infringement of the  
constitution, and as trespassing upon and nar-  
rowing those rights made sacred to us by that  
instrument. It was viewed in this light by

your branch of the legislature last year, and  
if an appropriation of money in the treasury  
can bring it under the denomination of a me-  
ney bill it is clearly one. These we are pre-  
cluded from altering or amending, and you  
also are forbid to blend with such any matter,  
clause, or thing, not immediately relating to,  
and necessary for, the imposing, assessing, le-  
vying, or applying the taxes or supplies to be  
raised for the support of government, or the  
current expenses of the state. The prop-  
riety, therefore, of the course pursued in re-  
lation to this bill will be perceived, more es-  
pecially as the appropriation contained in it  
might be provided for by a separate bill or re-  
solution.

Read.

Mr. Harryman delivers a petition from  
sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, pray-  
ing that the levy court of said county may be  
authorized to levy an additional sum of mo-  
ney for the purpose of building a bridge over  
Jones's Falls. Read and referred.

The report on the petition of James Hood,  
of John, of Baltimore county, was read the  
second time, concurred in, and the resolu-  
tion therein contained assented to.

Mr. Marriott delivers a petition from Alley  
Smothers, of Anne-Arundel county, praying  
a divorce. Read and referred.

The report of the committee appointed to  
examine the situation of the public property  
at the government house was read the second  
time, and the resolution therein contained as-  
sented to.

On motion, Ordered, That the bill to alter,  
change and abolish all such parts of the consti-  
tution and form of government which relate  
to the time and manner of electing the senate  
of this state, &c. be made the order of the  
day for Tuesday, December 8th.

Mr. Stansbury delivers a bill to lay out  
and open a road in Baltimore county. Read.

Mr. Stonefreet delivers a favourable re-  
port on the petition of the heirs of general  
John H. Stone, deceased. Read.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

SATURDAY, NOV. 28.

The house met. Present as on yesterday.  
The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The Speaker laid before the house reports  
of the clerks of Charles and Montgomery  
county courts relative to the attendance of the  
judges. Read and referred.

Mr. Sanders delivers a petition from sundry  
inhabitants of Harford and Baltimore coun-  
ties, praying that the levy court of Baltimore  
county may be authorized to levy a sum of  
money to build a bridge over the White  
Marsh Run. Mr. Donaldson a petition from  
the board of trustees of Baltimore College,  
praying pecuniary aid from the state; and a  
petition from sundry inhabitants of the city of  
Baltimore, praying that a communication  
may be opened between North-street and Hol-  
liday-street. Severally read and referred.

The bill for extending Green-street in the  
city of Baltimore, and the bill to lay out and  
straighten a road in Baltimore county, were  
severally read the second time and passed.

Mr. L. Duvall delivers a bill for the relief  
of Polly Holland, of the city of Annapolis.  
Twice read, and passed.

Mr. Randall delivers a petition from sun-  
dry inhabitants of Baltimore county, praying  
a lottery to raise a sum of money for the pur-  
pose of building a school-house. Read and  
referred.

Adjourned till Monday.

MONDAY, NOV. 30.

The house met. Present as on Saturday.  
The proceedings of Saturday were read.

Charles J. Kilgour, Esquire, a delegate  
from Montgomery county, appeared, quali-  
fied, and took his seat.

Mr. Harryman delivers a petition from  
sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, pray-  
ing that the commissioners of review appoint-  
ed by a former act of assembly may be au-  
thorized to locate a road from Caton's Lime  
Kiln to Benjamin Price's shop and thence  
to the main road leading to Kellinger's mill.  
And a petition from Richard Britain, and  
others, of Baltimore county, praying for the  
opening of a road. Mr. Bayly a petition  
from sundry inhabitants of Somerset and Wor-  
cester counties, praying for the establishment  
of a bank at the town of Salisbury. Mr.  
Lecompte a petition from Thomas Edmond,  
son, of Dorchester county, praying that a  
law may pass to confirm his title to certain  
lands therein mentioned. Severally read and  
referred.

Mr. Potts a petition from Henry Hickson,  
of Frederick county, an insolvent debtor,  
praying relief. Read and ordered to lie on  
the table.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill to provide  
for opening an alley from Holliday-street to  
North-street in the city of Baltimore. Read.

Mr. Delaplane delivers a bill to incorpo-  
rate the trustees of the Westminster General