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our to throw new lights on our  
northern fortifications.

...A Soldier of 1775—yes, 1764.

...From an Onondaga paper.

...THE GRAND CANAL.

...The Canal commenced by the  
of New-York, is to extend  
Lake Erie to the tide waters  
of Hudson. The distance in a  
line exceeds 300 miles; on  
oute pursued it will be about  
miles. It is to be 40 feet wide  
the surface of the water, and 24  
feet bottom. The water to be 4  
feet deep. The whole space will  
be divided into a number of levels,  
carried as far as the face of the  
country will admit, and connected  
by the next succeeding level by  
locks. The locks are to be  
90 feet long, and 12 wide,  
and properly constructed, carry  
60 tons, may pass the locks, &  
each other on the Canal.—  
There is to be a tow path on one side  
of the Canal for one or more horse-  
men to draw the boats. The usual  
rate of loaded boats is about 2 1/2  
cents per hour; passage boats some-  
times go as fast as 4 miles per hour,  
each section of the Canal, be-  
tween any two locks, will be level,  
and will be no current in the wa-  
ter, except so much as to supply  
the water for the next descend-  
ing locks.

...The body of the Canal is to be  
excavated in the earth; but when  
crossed by water or gulleys inter-  
secting, which cannot be passed on  
the surface of the earth, without  
digging the canal too far out of its  
course to round their heads, the  
water must be raised, by an embank-  
ment, to the proper level, of such  
width for the canal to pass  
safely, with their sides of such a  
height as to prevent their sliding or  
being off. Through these embank-  
ments must be made culverts or pas-  
sages for the water from the upper  
level, under the canal, to prevent its  
drying there, and endangering the  
bankment. When the streams are  
large, aqueduct bridges will be  
necessary.

...We will now proceed to examine  
the route surveyed for the Canal.  
It commences in the Buffalo creek,  
the level of Lake Erie, from  
ence it passes along the bank of  
Niagara river 15 miles to the  
Niawanta creek. Here a dam is  
across the creek, 4 feet high, raising  
the water to the level of Lake Erie,  
and also produce a level surface  
water in the creek for 11 miles  
this channel, which with a tow  
path on one side would be the canal  
that distance. Here it leaves  
Tonawanta, and turning to the  
right, crosses the ridge which forms  
Niagara falls—this is passed by  
deep cutting of about 25 feet.  
The canal falls, by 8 locks 65  
feet to the level of Genessee ri-  
ver. On this level it continues to  
the river, where a dam of 10 feet  
will raise the river to its level, and  
boats on the canal may pass a-  
cross without an aqueduct. About  
4 miles east of Genessee ri-  
ver, after passing about 70 miles on  
this level, the canal falls 49 feet, by  
locks. It then proceeds on one  
level about 16 miles to the valley of  
Seneca river, opposite Montea-  
na.—On the east side of the Se-  
neca, it again rises, by 3 locks, and  
crosses the summit in Camillus, in  
Onondaga county, where it again  
descends by one lock to the level of  
plain south of Salina. Here it  
again rises, by 3 locks, to the Rome  
level, on which it passes about 60  
miles, to Utica. Below this it fol-  
lows the valley of the Mohawk,  
passing between the river and hill,  
coming down as the face of the lan-  
guage, to the Hudson river.  
Lake Erie is 564.85 feet high  
above the Hudson river at Albany.

...and 142 1/2 feet higher than the  
long level between Salina & Utica.  
The fall from Buffalo to Seneca  
River, is 194 feet, with 25 locks;  
the rise from there to the summit  
of Camillus, is 27 feet, with 4 locks;  
the fall to the Salina plain, is 10  
feet, with 1 lock; rise to the Rome  
level, 28 feet, with 3 locks; fall to  
Schoharie, and which level may be  
carried to the hill above Albany  
129.85 feet, with 15 locks; fall to  
the level of the river, 283.50 feet,  
with 50 locks; total rise and fall  
675.10 feet, 78 locks.

...Should the canal end in a basin  
on the hill west of Albany, and be  
connected with the river by an em-  
banked plane, as is common in Eu-  
rope, where a great descent occurs  
in a short distance, the total rise  
and fall would be reduced to 399  
feet, and the locks to 48.

...The distance from Buffalo to Se-  
neca river, is 163 miles 2 1/2 chains.  
From Seneca river to Utica, the  
part now in rapid course of exca-  
vation, is about 93 miles. From there  
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Baltimore, Sept. 7, 1818.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel County Orphans Court,

September 23, 1818.

On application by petition of Thom-  
as Benson, administrator of Basil  
Smith, late of Anne-Arundel coun-  
ty, deceased, it is ordered that he  
give the notice required by law for  
creditors to exhibit their claims against  
the said deceased, & that the same be pub-  
lished once in each week, for the space  
of six successive weeks in the Maryland  
Gazette and Political Intelligencer.

John Gassaway, Reg. Wills,  
A. A. County.

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber of Anne-Arundel  
county, hath obtained from the orphans  
court of Anne-Arundel county, in Mar-  
yland, letters of administration of the  
personal estate of Basil Smith, deceased,  
late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased.  
All persons having claims against the  
said deceased, are hereby warned to ex-  
hibit the same, with the vouchers there-  
of, to the subscriber, at or before the  
1st day of December next; they may  
otherwise by law be excluded from all  
benefit of the said estate. Given under  
my hand this 23d day of September,  
1818.

Thomas Benson, adm'r.

October 1.

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To all whom it may Concern.

William R. Swift, Esquire, having  
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of Maryland, an Exequatur signed by  
the President of the United States, and  
sealed with the seal of the said States,  
recognizing him as Vice Consul of His  
Most Faithful Majesty the King of the  
United Kingdom of Portugal, Brazil  
and Algarves, for the Port of Balti-  
more, Ordered, that the said recogni-  
tion be published for the information  
and government of the people of this  
State.

Given under my hand and the seal of  
the State of Maryland, this thirty-  
first day of August, in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hun-  
dred and eighteen.

C. RIDGELY, of Hampton.

By the Governor,

NINIAN PINKNEY,

Clerk of the Council.

JAMES MONROE,

President of the United States of  
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To all whom it may Concern,

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exercise & enjoy such functions, privi-  
leges and prerogatives, as are allowed to  
Vice Consuls of the most favoured na-  
tions in the United States.

Testimony whereof, I have caused  
his letters to be made patent and  
seal of the United States to be  
hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the city of  
Washington, the ninth day of Ju-  
ly, A. D. 1818, and of the Inde-  
pendence of the United States of  
America, the forty third.

JAMES MONROE.

By the President,

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS,

Secretary of State.

Ordered, That the foregoing be pub-  
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zette and Telegraph, at Baltimore; the  
Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the  
Frederick Town Herald, the Forch  
light, the Allegany Federalist and the  
Evening Monitor.

October 8.

JOHN THOMPSON,

Merchant Tailor,

Tenders his acknowledgments to his  
readers and the public for the favours  
expressed by him in the line of his pro-  
fession, and takes this opportunity to  
inform them that he has just received  
a complete assortment of cloths, &c.  
suitable to the present and approaching  
season.

AMONG WHICH ARE

Superfine black, blue, brown, olive,  
mixed, and double milled Drab  
Cloths,  
do. do. do.  
Cassimeres, same colours and qualities  
and one Cord  
Supply of Vestings of various colours  
and qualities  
The worsted Drawers and Shirts  
Hosiery, &c.  
A number of other articles not  
necessary to enumerate.

All any of the above will be made  
up in the most fashionable style, on  
the shortest notice, and on the most  
reasonable terms. He respectfully in-  
vites gentlemen to call and examine for  
themselves.

Oct. 8.

Land for Sale.

Will sell the land whereon I live,  
situated on Herring Bay, in Anne-A-  
rundel county, about 20 miles from the  
city of Annapolis, and about 50 miles  
from Baltimore; it contains between  
400 and one thousand acres,  
situated by judges to be inferior  
land in the country for the cultiva-  
tion of tobacco; and is acted upon by  
the river and capable of great improve-  
ment by clover, a great proportion of  
the land is covered with wood timber,  
and is easily carried to market; hav-  
ing the advantage of fine landing place  
being bounded by the water. Per-  
sons inclined to purchase it is presum-  
ed will view the premises, which they  
are invited to do. (The terms will be  
commodating on payment of part in  
advance, money in hand. For  
further particulars apply to Nicholas Brewer, who  
is authorized to contract for the land.

GEORGE HOGARTH.

July 9.

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## WANTED

To purchase, a coloured GIRL, from  
the country, honest and well disposed,  
between fifteen and twenty years of  
age. Enquire at this Office.  
Annapolis, October 22.

Coarse Lincn Shirts.

The Charitable Society, having em-  
ployed the industrious poor of this city,  
in manufacturing the above article,  
they are deposited for sale at the stores  
of Joseph Sands and George Shaw.  
Annapolis, June 18, 1818.

Anne-Arundel county,

State of Maryland:

This is to certify, that on the 8th day  
of September, 1818, Dr. James Mew-  
burn brought before me, one of the jus-  
tices of the peace for the county aforesaid,  
two brown bay Mares, which he al-  
leges had been taken up by him in the  
act of trespassing on his enclosures.  
The marks of one, about 6 or 9 years  
old, about 14 hands high, a small star  
in the forehead, a natural trotter. The  
other about 14 hands and an half high,  
a small white mark in her forehead,  
some small saddle spots, about 4 years  
old, trots and canters. The two beasts  
came to the subscriber's early in the  
spring, and were shot all round. Given  
under my hand and seal, this 8th  
day of Sept. 1818.

ABNER LINTHICUM (Seal.)

The owner or owners are requested  
to call on me, at Major Philip Ham-  
monds, (Head of Severn,) prove prop-  
erty, pay charges, and take them a-  
way.

JAMES MEWBURN.

Sept. 17.

6w.

Wanted to purchase,

By a person residing in this city, a  
Woman of good character who un-  
derstands plain cooking. One from the  
country would be preferred. Inquire  
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## AUGUST HAMMER,

No. 173, Baltimore street.

Has received an extensive additional  
supply of the following articles, viz:

Full'd Stockings, Socks and Gloves,

a complete assortment and very low  
priced.

Looking Glasses of various sizes and  
well assorted.

100 boxes Looking Glass Plates 8 by  
10, 12 by 10, 14 by 19 and 17 by 10.

Also, Hollow Glass, fine and common  
Combs, Tortoise Shells, Mock Shell,  
Ivory and Horn, &c. at lowest manu-  
factory prices.

Violins and Violin Strings, Guitars,  
Clarionets, Flageolets and Flutes,

Guns and Gunlocks, Pistols, Oil  
Cloth, Beads completely assorted, Mar-  
bles, Flint, Steyer-mark Cutting  
Knives, Scythes, Scythe Stones, Coffee  
Mills, Iron Lamps, Spring Lancets,  
Cotton Lace and Thread Edgings, Rib-  
bons, assorted Gallons, Crapes, do for  
hats, Hat Covers & Hat Linings, Boot  
Web and Boot Cord, Snuff Boxes, a  
variety of Plated and Glass Buttons,  
Sewing Silk and Twist, Thread, Tapes,  
&c. Also,

A few boxes of Toys, suitable for  
Christmas gifts.

Which, together with a great variety of  
other plain and fancy articles (too nu-  
merous to specify) will be sold on ac-  
commodating terms.

October 1.

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New & Cheap

GOODS.

N. J. WATKINS,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Respectfully notifies his Friends and  
the public that he has received an ele-  
gant assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres  
and Vestings of various qualities and  
prices, suitable for the present and ap-  
proaching season.

AMONG WHICH ARE

Best Superfine French and English  
black and blue cloths,

Saxon do. black and blue,

Brown, mixed, and other colours,

Double milled Drab,

Second do.

Black Cassimere,

Grey mixed do.

Light do.

Fashionable Cords,

White and coloured Marseilles,  
Flannels, &c. &c.

And a variety of other Articles too nu-  
merous to particularize.

Any of the above Goods will be  
made up to suit purchasers in the best  
manner and on the shortest notice.

Annapolis, Sept. 21.

tf.

York River and Cove

OYSTERS.

Joseph Daley,

Respectfully informs the Citizens of  
Annapolis, and its vicinity, that he has  
opened an

Oyster House

Nearly opposite Mr. George Shaw's  
Store, in Church-street; which he in-  
tends carrying on in the neatest style,  
with clean Cooks and active Servants.

Private Parties

Can be accommodated with Rooms.

He has also on hand, and intends  
keeping, a supply of

Philadelphia Porter

In bottles, and on draught; and every  
other necessary calculated to give sa-  
tisfaction. He hopes by perseverance  
and industry to merit a share of pub-  
lic favour.

Annapolis, Sept. 24, 1818.

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FOR SALE.

That valuable Lot of Ground No 59,  
opposite the Church, lately in the pos-  
session of Mr Thomas Brown, front-  
ing 82 feet on the Church Circle, and  
running back with Doctor-street, 402  
feet to Cathedral-street, thence with  
Cathedral-street 82 feet, and thence to  
the Church-Circle. The Lot is en-  
closed with a good post and rail fence.  
There is a basement story of Brick for  
a house 30 feet by 40 on it, nearly re-  
ady for the first floor. Likewise may  
be had at moderate prices, Doors,  
Sashes, Shutters, Door and Window  
frames, &c. enough of each kind to  
finish the building. The terms of sale  
will be made known by applying to  
JOHN SHAW.

Annapolis, August 13.

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## LANDS FOR SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Ri-  
chard H. Harwood, Esq. of the city of  
Annapolis, the subscribers offer for sale  
the following lands, to wit: A planta-  
tion on Elk Ridge, in Anne Arundel  
county, on which the said Richard H.  
Harwood resided, about three miles  
above M-Coy's Tavern, containing about  
412 1/2 acres. The roads from M-Coy's  
up the country, and from Owens's mill  
to Baltimore, pass through this land.  
The best judges are of opinion that it  
is capable of being made equal to any  
of the Elk Ridge lands. There are on  
it a good dwelling house, an conven-  
ient out houses, a garden, a spring of  
most excellent water very near the  
house, and an ice house. They will al-  
so sell parts of several tracts of land,  
the whole being in one body, and con-  
taining about 416 1/2 acres, being in  
Charles county, adjoining Bean Town.  
For terms apply to the subscribers,  
HENRY H. HARWOOD, of Thos.  
Annapolis, Sept. 3.

The Editors of the Federal Gazette  
and American of Baltimore, are re-  
quested to insert the above notice a  
week for three weeks, and forward  
their accounts to this office.

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JUST PUBLISHED,

And for Sale, at this Office,

The Laws of Maryland,

Passed December Session, 1817.

Price—\$ 1 50.

ALSO,

The Votes & Proceedings

Of last Session.

Price—\$ 1 50.

JOHN RANDALL, & SON,

Have just made large additions to their  
Stock of

Seasonable Goods,

which they have now for Sale, at re-  
duced prices; consisting of almost ev-  
ery article in the

Woollen, Linen,

& Cotton Line,

with

Groceries

of every description.

Hardware,

Cutlery, Iron-

mongery,

& China, Queen's & Common Ware.