sion, he should be obliged to vote against its rejection.

The question was then taken on excusing Mr. Goldsborough from voting, and passed in the affirmative—Ayes 58—Noes 51.

Mr. Kelly then asked a similar indulgence.

Mr. Thomas spoke against excusing Mr. Kelly.

Mr. D. R. Williams spoke in favor of rejecting the bill.

On excusing Mr. Kelly the House divided—Ayes 49—Noes 58.

Mr. Conrad was in favor of a postponement, tho' hostile to the bill.

Mr. Smilie declared himself of the same opinion.

A motion was then made and carried, to reconsider the decision of the House relative to Mr. Goldsborough—Ayes 63—when the question was again taken on excusing him from voting, and passed in the negative—Ayes 44—Noes 64.

Mr. J. Randolph again spoke at considerable length in favor of rejecting the bill.

Mr. Sailly regretted the being obliged to give a vote without full information, which he said, would compel him to vote against rejecting the bill.

The Yeas and Nays were then taken on the question, "shall the bill be rejected"—and were, Yeas 62—Nays 54—So that the bill is rejected.

Mr. J. Randolph moved that the House adjourn. He said that a few days ago the House had adjourned on account of the death of General Jackson. He hoped they would now adjourn on account of his resurrection. For he had told him, that if he could give a death blow to the Yazoo business, he should die in peace.

Adjourned—Ayes 58.

(Debate and other business transacted to-day hereafter.)

Appointment by the Council of Maryland.

JOSEPH HOPPER NICHOLSON, Chief Judge of the sixth Judicial district.

JOHN LANGDON is re-elected Governor of the state of New-Hampshire without opposition.

EBENEZER PURDY has resigned his situation as a Senator in the legislature of New York on the plea of *indisposition.*

The court martial held in England on admiral Calder, sentenced him to be reprimanded.

The crime of which sir R. Calder has been proved guilty, is the same for which admiral Byng was shot—*error of judgment.* But the law, as it then stood, was altered, soon after admiral Byng's sentence was put in execution.

Mr. Curran, the Irish orator, is to be attorney-general in Ireland.

Extract of a letter dated Nantz, 1st February.

"Our Emperor is returned to Paris, he was preceded by a quantity of waggons loaded with specie.

"The day after his arrival the bank paid their notes* a bureau overt, and we hope the return of the emperor and of cash will revive commerce, which has greatly suffered from the late disasters among the bankers of the first repute."

* *This no doubt means without the necessity of military force to prevent riot.*

From the Albany Register.

A bill has passed both branches of the Legislature, constituting the north part of the county of Chenango a new county, by the name of Madison; and in compliment to colonel German, that distinguished patriot, who so nobly resisted the corrupt offers in favor of the Merchants Bank, a new town has been erected in the former county by the name of German.

New-York, March 27.

Captain Wheaton, of the ship Beaver, who arrived yesterday morning from Canton, informs that the Cape of Good Hope was taken by the British about the middle of January. Capt. W. received this information from the commander of the Montezuma, whom he spoke on the 5th of February, and who had been embargoed 40 days at St. Helena, in consequence of the expedition against the Cape.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 22.

A gentleman of this city has obligingly favored us with the following letter. dated Kingston, (Jam.) Feb. 3, 1806.

The question of the intercourse with the United States excites the most lively sensibility in all ranks of the people in the island of Jamaica, but more especially in the planters of the island, they being more immediately interested than any other class of inhabitants. The house of assembly have also taken it up very warmly, and after a long and minute examination of the merchants and several respectable planters, the report they have made is, "That the stopping the American intercourse is distressing the colony in the extreme, and if persisted in, it must be eventually ruinous to the island." Strange as it may appear, the prohibition is only supported by thirty-four, who are inhabitants of Kingston, several of whom are not concerned or interested in the trade at all. But three or four rich mercantile houses in Kingston are so much interested that they spare neither time, trouble nor expence to carry their measures, and have the prohibition finally continued.

But much is hoped from the new governor as the friend of the trade with the United States, and he takes the oath and enters upon the duties of his office this day. Some publications have appeared in the Kingston papers upon the continuance of the trade to the United States in the bitterest and most galling terms, and every engine is set at work to impress the new governor with sentiments hostile and unfriendly to it.

KINGSTON, Feb. 3.

It may be of importance to the citizens of the United States generally, and particularly to the inhabitants of New Orleans, to know that vessels bound to this island, with articles on board, inadmissible by virtue of the governor's proclamation, are subject to seizure and in some cases may also subject the vessel to seizure, although they may be entered for exportation, and security offered for their taking away or exporting such articles. There are two recent cases the one of the brig Union, captain Stout, and another whose name I forgot, that has established the practice.

LONDON, FEB. 12.

Parliament have appropriated 40,000 pounds for the payment of Mr. Pitt's debts. The vote was unanimous. Mr. Pitt was a few years since offered 100,000 pounds by the merchants, to remove his embarrassments; but he declined accepting it.

FEB. 14.

As soon as Mr. Fox was re-elected yesterday, for Westminster, he got into the chair prepared for him, which was crimson damask, richly guilt, and covered with laurels. He was chaired round Covent Garden, amidst the loud acclamations of the populace. When he quitted the chair, he went into Hudson's hotel, Covent Garden, the inst. he got out of the chair, the populace tore the laurels off and carried it in triumph.

In the afternoon, the friends of Mr. Fox dined at the Crown and Anchor Tavern. Mr. Fox in the chair. Mr. Sheriden sat on his right hand, and lord R. Spencer, on his left. The dinner was served up about 6 o'clock. After dinner, the first toast proposed by Mr. Fox, was—

"The King, with three times three."

The next toast was—

"The Electors of the city of Westminster."

After which, Mr. Sheridan rose and said, he would not detain the company, by one word of preface, from drinking a health which he was sure was dear to them; that was the health of Mr. Fox—(Rapturous applause.)

"The Prince of Wales."

was next given by Mr. Fox, and received with enthusiastic applause—Mr. Fox then gave.

"Earl St. Vincent, and success to his command."

"The Duke of Bedford, and success to the government of Ireland."

Mr. Fox, after observing that he had not intended to propose the healths of any member of that administration of which he had the honor to form a part, said, that he meant notwithstanding, to make one exception, and that was,

"The Lord High Chancellor of England, and the trial by jury."

Mr. Fox then observed, that as he not only labored under some degree of indisposition, as must have been observed on the hustings that day, but also had some business to transact, he would beg leave to retire, after giving a toast which he had long been in the habit of proposing—

"The cause of LIBERTY all over the world."

After Mr. Fox had retired, Mr. Alderman Combe was unanimously called to the chair. He observed that although his Right Hon. Friend, and those who acted with him, could of themselves have formed a complete administration, yet, in the present critical circumstances of the country, they have judged it advisable to unite with men of talents and consequence in the state. He wished them a long and perfect unanimity; and concluded by drinking the health of

"Lord Grenville,"

which was received with the most cordial and unanimous applause.

"Mr. Byng, Sir Francis Burdett, and the independent freeholders of Middlesex,"

were next given by Mr. Alderman Combe.

Mr. Alderman Combe, on his health being drank, addressed the company in a few words, in which he said, that he had always been attached to Mr. Fox, and to his principles; he had frequently declared it at public meetings, as well as maintained it in private life, and he had no difficulty in confessing that that attachment was, in his opinion, his chief recommendation to the notice of the public. He proposed the health of

"Sir Wm. Milnor, and the independent electors of the city of York."

The hon. Baronet returned thanks to the company; and observed, that his sentiments had always been the same as those of Mr. Fox, his now right honorable friend he might call him, as with the exception of a short interval, he had been always able so to call him; and now that his right honorable friend was come into office, he hoped we should all recover those privileges of which we had in some measure, been deprived of late years; for these reasons he could not help congratulating the country on the appointment of Mr. Fox to the high office which he now fills, the duties of which he will, no doubt, discharge with honor to himself, and benefit to the world—The toasts were—

"Mr. Whitbread, with three times three."

"Mr. Sheridan, with three times three."

A Song from Mr. Dignum—

"Whilst happy in my native land,
"I boast my country's charter."

Then followed the healths of—

"Lord Lauderdale," "the friends of freedom in Scotland," and "the Duke of Norfolk."

Mr. Dignum sung the popular song, of Burns:—

"Scots, wha hae wi' Wallace bled."

And several other appropriate songs, and the evening concluded with the utmost conviviality.

MADRID, JAN. 5.

Government has sent orders to the seaports of the monarchy for arming forty ships of the line, twenty-five of which are to be ready to put to sea by the beginning of March next. For this purpose all the old ships capable of being put in a state of service are to be repaired with all possible dispatch, and commissaries have been sent to accelerate these dispositions at Ferrol, Corunna, Cadiz and Carthagena. A considerable number of shipwrights and other workmen fit for the work of the dock-yards, have been collected to hasten the equipment of this fleet. On the other hand, the city of Cadiz has come to a resolution of building a ship of the line, at its own expence, and this example, it is believed, will be generally imitated. Persons of all classes, among whom military corps, ecclesiastics, &c. have offered gifts which government has accepted, and the destination of which is the restoration of our navy.—This patriotic emulation is the more worthy of praise, as trade is absolutely at a stand at this moment, and money become extremely scarce.

ITALY, JAN. 18.

Massena addressing his soldiers, informs them, "The emperor and king has entrusted to me the honor of conducting you to a new theatre of war. While his arm was laying firm the foundation of civilised Europe, a perjured court was opening its ports to the English, those eternal disturbers of the continent, and to those Russians we have vanquished and humbled on the plains of Austerlitz." *He thus closes his orders.* "But soldiers, remember, if we ought to punish a power faithless in its treaties, we are not at war with the people. The annals of our country more than once afford an example of a union and good understanding between the French and Neapolitans."

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100 DOLLARS REWARD.

RUNAWAY from the fubfcriber living near Montgomery Court Houfe in the ftate of Maryland on Thurfday the 26th of December laft, a likely black man named BEN, about 38 years of age, ftraight and well made, 6 feet 1 or 2 inches high, thin vifage, has a fmall fcar in his forehead above the right eye, has remarkable long hair for a black perfon in plats if not cut, and when cut fhort it don't nap as the general run of black people's do in common, his clothing is unknown, as he took away feveral fuits of cloths with him, and he being an artful fellow I make no doubt but he has changed his name and cloths; and on the fame day ran away from George Town in the diftrict of Columbia, a likely negro woman named LETTY, the property of Mrs. Charity Wilfon, Montgomery county Maryland, (near me.) Letty is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, ftraight and well made, she has a fcar on one of her elbows, her clothing is unknown as fhe took away feveral fuits and it is fuppofed that the two negroes are gone in company and will endeavor to pafs as free. I make no doubt but they have obtained a pafs to that effect. Letty was hired, as a cook, to Mr. John Cox of George Town—Thofe negroes were feen in company together the evening they went off. Whoever takes up and fecures the faid negroes in any jail fo that I get them again, fhall receive the above reward, or 50 DOLLARS for either.

THOMAS CLAGETT.

March 31—w3t

THE fubfcriber at his ftore near the Navy yard, offers for fale the following articles, viz.

Cogniac, & French } Brandy, pipe or gallon.
Jamaica, Antigua & New-England } Rum, hhd. or gal.
Brown and Loaf } Sugars.
1000 weight fuperior green coffee
6 years old Brazil Madeira, London particular, do. Particular Teneriffe and Malaga } Wines,
Cherry bounce of a very fuperior quality.
Imperial, Hyfon, Young Hyfon, & Hyfon Skin } Teas.
A few tierces of rice.
14 kegs chewing tobacco, and
A parcel of excellent bacon, ALL of which WILL be fold on moderate terms for cafh or approved papers.

JOSEPH CASSIN.

ALSO—A few cafes of genuine Florence wine, and

Whifkey by the barrel.

March 21——2w.

Wafhington Building Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in conformity to the articles of the inftitution, a quarterly meeting will be held at Myer's tavern, oppofite the Centre Market, on Tuefday evening next 7 o'clock.

THOMAS HERTY, Sec.

March 28—2t

The Subfcriber will go to the Weftern country (or any other part) as a SURVEYOR—any gentleman choofing to employ him, he will ufe his utmoft ability to pleafe.

JOHN LOWRY, Jun,

March 28——3t

N. B. Gentlemen may direct their letters, poft paid, as above and they will be duly attended to. J. L.

ON Monday the 21ts day of April next, if fair; if not the next fair day, will be fold on the premifes at 12 o'clock at public fale to the higheft bidder, the dwelling plantation of the late Wm DIGGES, containing 230 acres of Land—there is on the premifes a handfome commodious dwelling houfe, ftable, barn and negro quarters—the Land lies level, is of good quality and well fuited to plaifter—there is an excellent garden and a great deal of choice fruit—the dwelling houfe is fituate 4 miles from George town; and from the beauty of its fituation, its healthinefs and other advantages, a more defirable place for the refidence of a gentleman cannot be offered. It is at prefent fubject to the life eftate of a Lady upwards of 70 years old, and will be fold under that incumbrance. And at the same time and place will be fold. plantation on Rock-creek, containing 215 acres, of which 100 acres is in wood—This tract has on it a fine Mill feat, diftant about 5 miles from the city of Wafhington. And at the fame time and place will be fold between 15 & 20 valuable likely negroes—men, women and children, among the former are fome valuable tradefmen and farmers—the negroes are orderly and fober, and all raifed in the family, and nothing but the embarraffments of the eftate could compel a fale of them—Terms of fale for the negroes, notes with approved indorfers payable 1-3 in 60, 1-3 in 90 and 1-3 in 120 days—the land on a credit of 1, 2, and 3 years with intereft from day of fale—If any default in payment of any inftalment, the whole to become due.

JOSEPH W CLAGETT, PHILIP B. KEY, } Truftees.

March 17——ep4w.

War Department, March 1, 1806.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT feparate propofals will be received at the office of the Secretary for the Department of War, until 12 o'clock at noon of the firft Wednefday in June next, for the fupply of all rations that may be required for the ufe of the United States, from the 1ft day of October 1806, until the 30th day of September 1807, both days inclufive, at the following places, viz.

Firft, At Niagara, Detroit, Michilimackinac, Fort Wayne, Chikago, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited within the ftate of Ohio, and territory of Michigan, and at any place or places within the Indiana territory north of the 41ft degree of north latitude.

Second, At South-Weft Point, Tellico, Knoxville, Nafhville, and within the Cherokee nation between Tenneffee and Georgia, and on the Tenneffee river, and on the road between faid river and Nafhville, and at any place or places where troops are or may be ftationed, marched or recruited within the ftates of Kentucky and Tenneffee.

Third, At the garrifon near Vincennes on the river Wabafh, at Fort Maffac, New Madrid, Chickafaw Bluffs, Arkanfas, Natches, & Fort Adams, and at any place or places where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited in the Miffiffippi territory, except the county of Wafhington, and at any place or places in the Indiana territory fouth of the 41ft degree of north latitude and fifty miles eaft of the Miffiffippi river.

Fourth, At St. Louis, St. Charles, Kafkafkia, Cahokia, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched or recrited within the territory of Louifiana north of New Madrid, and at any place or places in the Indiana territory within fifty miles eaft of the Miffiffippi river, & fouth of the 41ft degree of north latitude, Fort Maffac excepted.

Fifth, At New Orleans, Placquimines, Point Coupee, Oacheta, Natchitoches, Appeloufas, Attakapa, Fort Stoddert, Fort St. Stephens, and at any place or places where troops are or may be ftationed, marched or recruited within the territory of Orleans, or in the county of Wafhington in the Miffiffippi territory, and at any place or places on the weft fide of the Miffiffippi river below Arkanfas.

Separate propofals will alfo be received as aforefaid for the fupply of all rations, which may be required for the ufe of the United States, from the 1ft day of January 1807, to the 31ft day of December of the fame year, both days inclufive, within the feveral ftates hereinafter mentioned, viz.

Sixth, At Fort Wilkinfon, Cockfpur Ifland, and at any place or places where troops are or may be ftationed, marched or recruited, within the ftate of Georgia, and on the Indian boundary between Georgia and the Creek nation.

Seventh, at Charlefton, Rocky Mount, on the head waters of the Santee, and at any place or places where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited, within the ftates of North and South Carolina.

Eighth, At Norfolk, and at any place or places where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited, within the ftate of Virginia.

Ninth, At Fort M'Henry, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited, within the ftate of Maryland and the diftrict of Columbia.

Tenth, At Fort Mifflin, Carlifle, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited, within the ftate of Pennfylvania, eaft of the Mountains, and within the ftates of New Jerfey, and Delaware.

Eleventh, At Pitsburg, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited, within the ftate of Pennfylvania, weft of the mountains.

Twelfth, At Fort Jay, Weft Point, Albany, Shenectady, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched or recruited, within the ftate of New York, Niagara and its dependencies excepted.

Thirteenth, At Fort Trumbull, Fort Wolcott, and at any place or places where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited, within the ftates of Connecticut, Rhode Ifland and Vermont.

Fourteenth, At Fort Independence, (Bofton harbor) and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited, within the ftate of Maffachufetts, the town of Springfield, and the diftrict of Maine, excepted.

Fifteenth, At Portfmouth, Portland, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited within the ftate of New Hampfhire and the diftrict of Maine.

Sixteenth, Propofals will alfo be received as aforefaid, for the fupply of all rations, which may be required by the United States, for the troops which are or may be ftationed, marched, or recruited within the town of Springfield in the ftate of Maffachufetts, and for the armorers and other perfons employed in the United States' armory at that place, from the 1ft day of January 1807 to the 31ft day of December in the fame year, both days inclufive.

A ration to confift of one pound and one quarter of beef, or three quarters of a pound of pork, eighteen ounces of bread or flour, one gill of rum, whifkey or brandy, and at the rate of two quarts of falt, four quarts of vinegar, four pounds of foap, and one pound and a half of candles, to every hundred rations. The prices of the several component parts of the ration shall be specified; but the U. States reserve the right of making such alterations in the price of the component parts of the ration aforesaid, as shall make the price of each part thereof bear a just proportion to the proposed price of the whole ration. The rations are to be furnished in such quantities, that there shall at all times, during the term of the proposed contract, be sufficient for the consumption of the troops at Michilimackinac, Detroit and Chikago, for six months in advance; and at each of the other posts on the western waters, for at least three months in advance, of good and wholesome provisions, if the same shall be required. It is also to be permitted to all and every of the commandants of fortified places or posts, to call for, at seasons when the same can be transported, or at any time in case of urgency, such supplies of like provisions in advance, as in the discretion of the commandant shall be deemed proper.

It is understood that the contractr of to be at the expence and risk of issuing the supplies to the troops, and that all losses sustained by the depredations of an enemy, or by means of the troops of the U. S. shall be paid by the U. S. at the price of the articles captured or destroyed as aforesaid, on the depositions of two or more persons of creditable characters, and the certificate of a commissioned officer, stating the circumstances of the loss, and the amount of the articles for which compensation shall be claimed.

The privilege is understood to be reserved to the U. S. of requiring that none of the supplies, which may be furnished under any of the proposed contracts, shall be issued, until the supplies which have been or may be furnished under contracts now in force, have been consumed; and that a supply in advance may be always required at any of the fixed posts on the seaboard, or Indian frontier, not exceeding three months.

H. DEARBORN, *Secretary of War.*

March 3—2aw6w.

RUNAWAY NEGRO.

WAS committed to the jail of Wafhington county, in Maryland, on the 6th inftant, as a runaway, negro SALLY about 20 years old, ftout and likely, and a pleafant countenance; fhe fays fhe got away from her mafter, who was taking her and feveral other flaves to the weftward or fouthward, who had purchafed her with others from a certain John Smith of Stafford county in the ftate of Virginia, but does not know (or will not tell) her mafter's name, fhe has on a ftriped cotton jacket or fhort gown, and Joans fpinning petticoat, and appears to be far gone in pregnancy. Her owner is defired to releafe her, or fhe will be fold for jail and other fees, agreeably to law.

N. ROCHESTER, Sheriff
Wafhington county.

Hager's Town, March 3—w3t

Frefh Garden Seeds, &c.

THEOPHILUS HOLT refpectfully informs his friends and the public that he has received from London per fhip Mars to Baltimore, and for fale, a very extenfive affortment of frefh Garden Seeds, garden tools grafs feeds, bird feed. Split peas and flour of muftard by the pound.

He alfo has for fale a variety of bulbous flower roots, fruit trees, flowering fhrubs, Lombardy poplars, &c. &c.

The cuftomary allowance made to Gardeners and thofe who purchafe to fell again.

Wafhington City, Dec. 13—2awtf

P. S. An affortment of the garden seeds are for sale at Dr. OTT's George Town.

To be Sold,

Or EXCHANGED for other property in the CITY, or its vicinity.

TWO valuable and contiguous TRACTS of LAND in the ftate of Kentucky, the one containing 6880 acres, and the other 6152 acres, by late refurvey. They are under old and indifputable titles of more than twenty years, and fituate in a populous county, adjoining flourifhing fettlements. All taxes thereon have been duly paid. Apply to the fubfcriber,

JOHN BECKLEY.

City of Wafhington, November 6—wtf }

Runaways for Sale.

WILL be fold on the 28th day of April next for their jail fees, at the jail in Wafhington county, one negro man named JACK, about 37 years old, five feet 9 inches high, of a black complexion, he has a natural gap in his teeth, he fays he was fold about two years fince to a Mr. Kennell (a trader in negroes) from the eftate of gen. Bradley, in Suffex county, Virginia—ALSO,

A negro man who calls himfelf BILLY EVANS, about 26 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, confiderably marked on his back with the whip, he fays he was born free in Northumberland county, Virginia, where he was raifed, and apprenticed to the fhoe making bufinefs—had on when committed, a blue cloth coat, black hat, fwanfdown veft, and nankeen pantaloons—It is conjectured that he belongs to a Mr. Shadrach Carter, Amherft county, Virginia.

The fale will commence precifely at 11 o'clock

DANIEL C. BRENT, Marfhal of the diftrict of Columbia.

March 19——wtdf.