St Michaels, July 4, 1811.

A number of the citizens of this Town & the vicinity thereof met for the purpose of celebrating the glorious anniversary of American Independence—The following sentiments were given, each succeeded by a gun and three cheers.

1. *The Day we celebrate:* May the commemoration thereof be commensurate with Time.

2. *The Land we live in:* May perfect liberty for ever be enjoyed by the inhabitants thereof; may those whose words or actions avow hostility to the peace and union of these states, meet with the indignant frowns of a virtuous people.

3. *The Illustrious Washington:* The heart of every virtuous republican is a monument, upon which his memory is inscribed; may it never be forgotten.

4. *The President of the United States:* May his prudent and patriotic measures be attended with the desired success.

5. *The Governor of Maryland:* May the benevolent and patriotic virtues which so conspicuously adorn him, be imitated by the opulent citizens of Maryland, and serve to correct the aristocratic habits that too generally are attendants upon wealth.

6. *The Militia of Maryland:* May they be inspired with a spark from the patriotic fire of '76, and in the hour of danger every man be found at his post.

7. *General Armstrong:* Our late minister to France.

8. *Mr. Pinkney:* Our late minister to Great Britain.

9. *The Constitution of the United States, the palladium of our liberty:* May it forever continue inviolate, preserved from false, forced construction.

10. *The memory of the departed patriotic heroes, who nobly assisted in achieving our independence:* May their sons emulate their virtues.

11. *The surviving Sages and Veterans of '76:* May their days be many to enjoy the fruits of their wisdom in council, and their valour in the field.

12. *The United States:* May it forever continue to be an asylum for the oppressed of every nation; may no invidious distinctions ever be raised between native and adopted citizen.

13. *The Congress of the United States:* May its councils at all times be directed by wisdom and integrity.

14. *Foreign Nations:* Justice to all—a surrender of our rights to none.

15. *Commodore Rogers*, the skillful corrector of a British mistake

16 *The Navy of the U. States:* May they always be ready to defend but never to enslave their country.

17. *The Infant Manufactories of our country:* May every citizen cherish them.

18. *The American Fair:* May our arms be ever ready to defend, and our hearts to reciprocate with them in affection.

Centre Ville, July 4, 1811.

A number of gentlemen having convened at Mrs Handy's Tavern in Centreville, to celebrate the glorious day which gave birth to American Independence, Major Bruff was appointed President, and Mr. John Beard, Vice President. After dinner the following toasts were drank.

1. *The Day:* Which gave to the United States a free constitution and set the people of Europe inquiring into their natural rights.

2. *The United States of America:* May the rights of her citizens be more respected by foreign nations and more warmly defended by her own citizens.

3. *The Executive as the constitution has made him:* Responsible to the people who elects him and not to capricious ministers, whom he selects and for whose conduct he is accountable.

4. *The Vice President of the United States:* A revolutionary patriot, he deserves well of his country.

5. *Heads of department as they ought to be:* The wheels, pullies and pointers, but not the mainspring, weight or pendulum, which puts in motion and *regulates* our political time piece.

6 *The memory of General Washington:* Will never cease to be dear to the American bosom.

7 *The democratic members in Congress:* May they merit the applause of their constituents.

8. *Foreign Trade:* May we never submit to any but on equal and honorable terms, and inforce a non-intercourse with such nations as make *their* exclusive interest the terms of it.

9. *The Patriots who fought & bled for American Independence:* Their memories will ever be cherished by the sons of freedom.

10. *Revenue:* May the U. States no longer pay one exacted on its own raw materials manufactured in European workshops and re-exported back to this country.

11 *The American heroes who fought at Tripoli.*

10. *Mechanics of Europe:* Who oppressed and needy in their own country might be free and abounding in this.—They would be a more profitable importation to themselves and us—and are more in demand than any other foreign commodity.

13. *The fomentors of rebellion and discord:* May they soon find what they richly deserve, hemp collars.

14 *The looms and workshops of America, the real source of our future independence:* May they be so proportioned as to supply the wants and conveniences of the agriculturists, who furnish them with provisions and materials.

15. *Domestic & public manufactories:* Honor and profit to those who have patriotism and industry to make and wear their own clothes and sell a surplus.

16. *The militia of the United States:* To make it the efficient force of the nation it must be classed, organized, equipt and trained. The youth made the advance corps ready to march, suffer, fight and die as their fathers have done before them.

17. *The American Fair:* And may the fairest of the fair be wives to patriots and nurses to heroes.

VOLUNTEERS.

By Major Bruff. The ex-secretaries of state who have been tried by the successive masters of our political mint have not stood the test of standard coin—Therefore have been prudently put out of circulation.

By Mr. Beard. "Firm united let us be."

By Mr. Edward Clayton. Our foreign ministers, may they act with firmness.

By Mr Wm. G. Elbert. The Governor of Maryland, may he ever be respected.

By doctor James K. Harper. Robert Smith, if he is wronged, may his wrongs be avenged.

By Mr. Gideon Davis. The representative to Congress from the seventh district of Maryland, may he be continued till his resignation.

By Mr. Wm. Wilmer. Commodore Rogers, the scourger of British insult.

By Mr. Philemon B. Hopper. The illustrious Thomas Jefferson, late president of the United States, may he long continue to enjoy health, and the encomiums, &c. justly bestowed by his fellow citizens.

Note. Some of the volunteer toasts were not drank by all present.

Major Bruff having retired, the following toast was drank unanimously

Major Bruff, a patriot in the revolution, may he always be respected by Americans.

Centreville, July 4, 1811.

The mechanics of the village, after taking a frugal repast at their respective places of abode, convened at 2 o'clock in the Market House, for the purpose of paying their grateful tribute of respect to the day that gave birth to American freedom, when the following toasts (which were the extemporaneous effusions of the moment) were drank each accompanied by a discharge of cannon, and the acclamations of the company.

1. *The Day:* May no political disputes or party distinctions disturb the tranquility of those who may meet to celebrate it.

2. *The President of the United States:* May he always consult and pursue the true interest of his country without partiality.

3. *The Representative and Executive branches of the Union:* May their conduct and decisions ever be directed by the dictates of patriotism and justice.

4 *The memory of General Washington:* May he ever reign in the breast of every American freeman.

5. *The Governor of the State of Maryland.*

6. *The General Assembly of Maryland.*

7. *Agriculture, Commerce and Freedom*

8. *The manufactures of America.*

9 *The Army of the United States*

10. *The militia of Maryland:* May they be always ready to repel every invading foe

11. *The navy and mariners of the United States:* May they be ever prepared to protect and defend our commerce against the tyrannical systems of spoliation adopted by the despots of Europe

12 *The citizens throughout the union who may meet for the purpose of celebrating this glorious day:* May peace and concord pervade every breast.

13. *The Mechanics:* May they properly appreciate their own importance in society, and treat with merited contempt all those who consider themselves degraded by associating with a poor but honest citizen.

14. *The memory of all those who by physical or mental exertions, contributed to the independence of America.*

15. *Commodore Rogers:* May his example in repelling British insolence be imitated by his cotemporaries.

16. *Centreville:* May no distinctions ever be countenanced between the professional, mercantile, and mechanical interest; but may they always meet upon reciprocal terms of equality and true republican principles.

17. *The American Fair:* May they dedicate a larger portion of time to the spinning wheel, than to the *toilet.*

The most perfect peace, order and harmony reigned throughout the evening, at the close of which each retired to their respective homes, exulting in the pleasing idea that providence has placed him in a land of freedom, where he may enjoy his own sentiments without control.

Chester Town, July 5th, 1811.

On yesterday, a number of the Democratic Republican Citizens of Kent county, convened as usual at this place to commemorate the day which gave to this country a rank amongst the nations of the earth, and secured to her citizens the rights of freemen.

The honorable Judge Houston addressed the company in an impressive and appropriate oration admirably calculated to inspire sentiments of sacred regard for those principles which were proclaimed on that eventful day—After which the Declaration of Independence having been read by Joseph Wickes, esq. The company sat down to a dinner, the style & abundance of which evinced the attention of the committee of arrangement.

Gen. Benjamin Chambers, president, & Judge Houston, V. president for the day.

The following Toasts were then drank each accompanied by a discharge from the Chester Town Artillery company commanded by Capt. James Morrison

1. *The Day.*—May each return of it find us in the enjoyment of honorable peace, liberty and independence.

2. *The Constitution of the United States*—May the late as well as all future attempts to violate it, meet with the decided reprobation of the country.

3. *The President of the United States.*

4. *George Clinton, Vice President of the United States.*—The saviour of the Constitution.

5. *The memory of Washington, Franklin, and other departed heroes and sages of the revolution.*

6. *The surviving officers and soldiers of the revolutionary army.*

7. *Thomas Jefferson Author of the Declaration of Independence.*—May he enjoy in retirement the unsullied pleasure which must be derived from a recollection of an useful and honorable life devoted to the public.

8. *American Seamen*—A cessation of impressment a sine qua non to accommodation.

9. *Commodore Rogers and the Officers and crew of the frigate President*—Their brave conduct in chastising the insolence of one of the manstealing monsters affords a worthy example for the rest of our Navy.

10. *Agriculture and Commerce.*

11. *Domestic Manufactures.*—A proper encouragement of them will effectually release us from all foreign dependence.

12. *The State of Maryland.*—The approaching elections will prove her faithful to the cause of republicanism.

13. *The Governor of Maryland.*

14. *Our Foreign Relations*—May the solid interests of the United States be steadily pursued through all the mazes of diplomacy.

15. *Gen. James Wilkinson.*—The persecuted Patriot and Soldier, the good sense of the people of this country will ere long do him justice.

16. *The factious "assemblage" of Boston, who encourage open violation of the laws of the Union.*—A better cause would be justly damned by such advocates.

17. *The Fair Daughters of Columbia.*—May they smile on those only who are ready to defend the liberties of their country.

The company adjourned at a late hour in the evening, the whole day having passed in the utmost hilarity and most perfect good order.

Head of Chester, July 5.

The Birth Day of our Liberties was celebrated by the citizens of the Head of Chester and the vicinity, in that social, friendly manner, which will always characterise those who feel a spark of the sacred fire, which on that day glowed in the hearts of our ancestors. At two o'clock the company sat down to an elegant Dinner, provided for the occasion, furnished also with a variety of choice liquors, and a profusion of the most delightful beverage, in which was combined the spruce, the sweet and the acid, made more refreshing by the addition of a sufficiency of ice. Major J. Parker being appointed President, and George Little, Esq. Vice President; and the Declaration of Independence being first read, the following Toasts were drank, accompanied by a discharge of cannon:

1 The Day which aroused a slumbering world from apathy, gave birth to liberty, and made men feel and respect their rights.

Tune—"Stand to your arms"

2 The Authors of the Declaration of Independence: may those who disapprove their principles never enjoy the blessings of free government.

"We are free and will be so."

3. The Constitution of the United States, dictated by the spirit of wisdom, drew order out of confusion, gave life to industry, and energy to liberty.

"Hail Columbia."

4. The People—sensible of their rights, ready to assert and defend them.

"Peace still guard our happy shores"

5. The President of the United States; he had a considerable share in forming the Constitution, and is qualified to administer it advantageously to his constituents.

"Madison's march"

6. The Vice President of the United States, the Soldier and Statesman; ever ready to pull down the bulwarks of tyranny and oppression.

"Merit shall be rewarded."

7. The memory of General Geo. Washington, the hero who victory could not corrupt; his country's greatest ornament and boast.

"Happy in Heaven."

8 Thomas Jefferson, the consummate Statesman and Philosopher; an undeviating republican and inflexible friend to his country.

"Happy in rural shades reclin'd,
Blest with his country's love."

9. The militia of the United States, the bulwark of the republic.

"Yankee doodle."

10. Education generally diffused will preserve us from corruption.

"The country school master"

11. The heroes of the Revolution, who valiantly drew their swords in defence of their rights, and virtuously sheathed them the moment they were secured.

"The Soldier's return."

12. Agriculture, Commerce and Manufactures dependent on; may they mutually support each other.

"The Whistling Ploughman."

13. The Governor and State of Maryland: may her next Electors select a Senate who will have no interest in opposing equal taxation, and the wishes of their constituents.

"Though our burthen is light,
"We must all bear a part."

14. Commodore Rogers, and his gallant crew: animated with the spirit of '76, they have honorably supported the American Flag, by chastising the tyrants of the ocean for their usurpation and arrogance.

"The hardest fend off."

15. The Governor of Massachusetts: a vigilant Centinel, who never slumbers at his post.

"Beware ye base seditious few."

16. The freedom of the Seas: may those who arrogate to themselves the sovereignty thereof, register their title at the bottom.

"Here too our rights we will maintain."

17. The State of Virginia: may she no longer burthen the right of suffrage with pecuniary qualification.

"Freedom of Election."

18. The American Fair Sex: may they only enjoy their smiles who are willing to protect and defend them.

"A sweet reward for all our toils."

A great number of patriotic volunteer Toasts being also drank, the company dispersed at a seasonable hour, highly gratified at the proceedings of the day.

Washington City, July 4.

On Tuesday last, AUG. J FOSTER, Esq. was presented by the Secretary of State to the President of the U. States, and exhibited his credentials as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from Great Britain to the U. States.

Mr. MORIER was also presented, as Secretary of Legation, and Mr. BAKER attached to the Legation.

GEORGE POINDEXTER, Esq. is re-elected Delegate to Congress from the Mississippi Territory, by a large majority.

From Halifax, June 12, 1811.—"The frigate Guerrier, capt. Pechell, arrived here yesterday, and this day we made application for the release of William Harding, producing copies of his protection and other documents you sent us from Mr. Doane, of Cape Cod! and Mr. Harding was discharged immediately; and now only waits a conveyance to Eastport to return to his family and friends."

A gentleman from Halifax informs, that Commodore Rogers' statement had been published there, & had tended ed to check the public ferment; and that such an account had been anticipated by many there. A board of inquiry has been instituted at Halifax, in which all the officers of the Little Belt have been examined on oath; and the result has been transmitted to Washington and England.

A gentleman lately from Natchez, in passing through Augusta a few days ago, stated that Colonels Cushing and Sparks, of the United States' army, under arrest at Baton Rouge, had been both honorably acquitted. [Augusta Chronicle.]

Married in Hager's town, on Tuesday the 25th ult. by the rev. Mr. Schaefer, *William Brown*, Editor of the Hager's town Gazette to Miss *Sally Protzman*, of the same place.

Departed this life on Saturday morning last, in the 84th year of his age, *John Fisher*, Esquire, of this county—In the death of this man society has lost a useful and worthy member, who continued those friendly offices of the industrious and intelligent neighbour, the humane and benevolent friend, as well as the entire transaction of a very large and extensive concern of his own, until a few days of his death.

CAVALRY ORDERS.

☞ THE "*Talbot Patriot Troop*" will meet at the usual place of parade, at Easton, on *Saturday*, the 13th July. Each member must be prepared with ten blank cartridges

Robt. H. Goldsborough, Capt.

july 9——1

FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND.

Branch Bank at Easton, July 3d 1811.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stock holders in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, on the Eastern Shore, that an election will be held at the court house in Easton on Monday the 5th day of August next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. for the purpose of choosing thirteen directors to manage the affairs of the said Branch Bank at Easton.

JOHN KENNARD, Cash'r

july 9——5

LOOK HERE.

WILL be sold, on *Saturday*, August 10th, at Georgetown Cross Roads Kent county, several *Houses & Lots*, in George Town, belonging to the subscriber. Sale to commence at 4 o'clock, P. M. and terms made known by

ROBERT ELLIOTT.

City of Washington, july 9——5

NEWARK ACADEMY.

THE school in this Academy is now open, and superintended by Mr. Hindman, under the direction of the *Board of Trustees.* The healthiness and general character of the place, and reasonable rate of board, offer strong inducements to Parents and Guardians who wish their children and wards to receive the advantages of a classical education. By order of the Board of Trustees,

J. R. BLACK, *Sec'ry*

Newcastle, july 9——4

IN CHANCERY, June 25, 1811.

ORDERED, That the sale made by Elias Glenn, trustee for the sale of the real estate of *Samuel Stevens*, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the 15th day of September next, provided a copy of this order be inserted three successive weeks in the Star, at Easton, before the 15th day of August next The report states that 200 acres of land, in Talbot county, sold for $2000. True copy. Test,

NICHS. BREWER, Reg. Cur. Can

july 9——3q

TO BE RENTED,

A commodious Farm in Tuckahoe Neck, Caroline county, containing 400 acres, with an excellent orchard and good improvements.

THIS property adjoins that of Henry Nicols, Esq and is now occupied by James Higgins.

ALSO—*A Farm at the Head of Choptank*, containing upwards of 200 acres, with good improvements; for which apply to James Pierce, Esq.

ALSO—*A Farm on Double Creek, Queen-Ann's county*, will be rented on accommodating terms: It contains about 200 acres, chiefly cleared, with good improvements.

ALSO—*About 250 Acres of Land, with a* good two story dwelling house, barn, smoke house, kitchen a good garden, &c. near the Trappe. This farm will be leased to an industrious man on moderate terms.

ALSO—*The Dwelling House and Garden*, with a stable and carriage house, cow house and yard enclosed, on Washington street, in Easton, at this time occupied by Mr. John Harwood.

DAVID KERR.

Easton, july 9——m

DISSOLUTION *of* PARTNERSHIP

THE co partnership of *James & Samuel Wainwright*, was dissolved on the 6th ultimo by mutual consent—All persons indebted to the said Firm, are requested to call and settle their respective accounts with either of the subscribers

JAS. WAINWRIGHT,
SAML. WAINWRIGHT.

7th mo 9th——3

The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he continues the Cabinet and Chair Business at his present stand, where he will execute all orders in his line with neatness, punctuality and dispatch, and hopes by a strict attention to business to receive a share of their patronage.

JAS. WAINWRIGHT.

7th mo 9th——3.

EDWARD CORNER,
GOLD AND SILVER SMITH,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Easton and the public generally, that he has commenced the Silver Smith's Business in Easton, opposite to Mr. Peacock's tavern, where he intends to execute such orders in his line, with the utmost fidelity and dispatch, as the patrimony of a generous public may confide to his care.

N B. Cash or Work given for old Gold and Silver——july 9——3

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Centreville, July 1, 1811

BENJAMIN ATTWELL. B. A. Mary Blake, Jacob Burce. C. John Clark, Wm. Cather D. Jno. Dames, John Devenish, Jno Duhamel (2) E. Mary Earle. F. Risden Falconer (2) Peter Foster. G. Edward Griffith, Mary Gillet. H. John W. Hacket, Joshua Harlin, Hindman & Clayton J. Alfred Jones, Abijah Johnston. L. Solomon Leaverick., Wm. Legg. M. Henry M. Murray. P John W. Price, Henry Pratt (2) R. John G. Rochester, Stephen Rollings. S. John B. Sparks, James Scott (3) Wm. K. Seth, Mrs. Seath, John Seney. T. Asa Taylor. W. William Watson.

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Remaining in the Post Office at Chestertown, July 1, 1811.

JAMES BIVINS, Darcus Brewer, *B.* Moses Briscoe—*C*—Thos. Colemon, The Clerk of Kent county—*D*—Thomas Dugan—*G*—Dorethea Graves, Wm. Gale, (2) Thos. Gale—*H*—Jno. Hyland—*K*—Ezra Kellogg, John T. Kennard, Allen Kollensworth—*M*—Wm. M'Kenney—*O*—Judy Oliver—*P*—Wm Pearce, Wm. Primrose—*R*—Thomas Reed, Peter Rodenhiser, Benjamin Riley, Amos Reed—*S*—Nathel Sappington, Saml. Smith, Jos. Simmonds, Anna Sudler, Thomas Sudler, Sophia E. Sudler, Thomas Smith—*T*—Richard S. Thomas (2) Matthew Thomas. Wm. Trew, Isaac Turner, jun. (4) Samuel Thomas (2) Matthew Tilghman—*U*—Aquilla Uselton—*V*—Benj. Vickers—*W*—John Wroth, Samuel Wilson, George Watts.—july 9—3

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Remaining in the Post Office at Georgetown Cross Roads, Md June 30, 1811.

DANIEL BRYAN, James Bevans, Cornelius Comegys, Solomon Chew, Ann J. Cavender, Mary Davis, Mordecai Dilahunt, Mr. Davis, Sassafras Neck, Mary Etherington, Elizabeth Forester, John Hoxter, Jesse Jerrum, William Knight, Peter Kennady, John Maslin, Richard Moffett, Benjamin Massey, John Primrose, Bartis Piner, Henry Pennington, David D Padgitt, James Scott (2) John Stoops, Sarah Sparks, Elizabeth Thomas, Lambert Veazey, John Whittington, Joshua Ward, Arthur Wheatley, Banks Wakeman, Cæsar Wilson, John Williamson, Edward P. Wilmer.——july 9——3

NOTICE.

WAS committed to the jail of Washington county, as a runaway, on the 30th of May last, a bright mulatto girl who calls herself *Mary Prout*, about 19 or 20 years of age, about 5 feet 5 inches high stout made, has a scar on her left cheek, immediately under the eye—says she is free—Had on when committed, a green and black spotted calico gown, a black and white striped linsey petticoat, a white handkerchief, a lead coloured bonnet trimmed with black, and a pair of calf skin shoes about half worn—The owner (if a slave) is requested to release her, otherwise she will be sold for her jail fees, &c according to law.

MATTHIAS SHAFFNER, Shff of Washington county, Maryland.

Hager's town june 13 (july 9) 1811—3

☞ The Editors of the National Intelligencer, Baltimore American, and Easton Star, will please to publish the above advertisement once a week for three weeks, and forward their bills to the office of the Maryland Herald for payment.