

## FRUITS OF FEDERALISM.

The people of Maryland have experienced the effects of federal ascendancy, in having careful, capable men ousted from office, on account of their attachment to their country, and ignorant partizans and sycophants substituted in their places. In Frederick county alone, we have become acquainted with several federal appointments that must disgust every reasonable and considerate man. Surely it could not have been designed by those men, who, from illusion, supported the "*peace party*" ticket at the last election, that such disgraceful measures should result from that support.

The fact is, the leaders of the faction, who have *usurped* the title of *federalists*, have so uniformly duped even their own party, that the most reflecting portion of it has lost all confidence in them, and begin to recover their independence of mind. This presages well. The federalists must begin to perceive that their interests are involved in the fate of their own country, and that by harassing government, they are but opposing their own prosperity.