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ing, and the diseases of this invaluable animal is particu-
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ed execution of the Emperor Napoleon, by a Frenchman.
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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Saturday, January 28th.

Mr. Duvall presented a memorial of sundry
citizens of New Market election district, in
Frederick county, praying for a law to establish
primary schools in said county.

Mr. Richardson presented a memorial of sun-
dry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying a
change in the present License system.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of Sarah
Hill, of Frederick county to be divorced from
her husband John H. Hill.

Mr. Worthington presented a petition of the
Inspectors, Shippers, and Agents, for the sale of
Tobacco, in the city of Baltimore, praying the
erection of a new warehouse in the said city.

Mr. Carpenter presented a report from the
judges of the Orphans court of Charles county,
of the application made by them of the free
school fund of said county.

And, Mr. Wharton presented a petition of
sundry citizens of Washington county, praying
the repeal of the second section of the act, passed
December session 1825, chapter 223, relat-
ing to the manner of taking Superadues.

On motion of Mr. Heard, the house took up
for consideration the order submitted by Mr.
Dunkinson, instructing the committee on in-
spections to inquire into the expediency of con-
structing a tobacco warehouse in the city of
Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. Heard, said order was a-
mended by striking out the words, "the com-
mittee on inspections," and inserting in lieu
thereof, the following, "a select committee of
five, to be appointed by the chair."

The said order was then read the second
time and amended and adopted.

In pursuance whereof, the Speaker appointed
Messrs. Heard Worthington, Kent, Brown and
Iglehart, to compose the committee.

Mr. Jones obtained leave to bring in a bill,
to alter and amend the constitution and form of
government, so as to require the assent of two
thirds of each branch of the Legislature, to an-
null a marriage contract.

Mr. Ridgely obtained leave to bring in a bill,
to regulate constables fees in Anne Arundel
county.

On motion of Mr. Fowler,
Ordered, that the committee on the colored
population be instructed to inquire into the ex-
pediency of reporting a bill, providing for the
more effectual banishing out the children of free
people of colour in this State.

Mr. Larnore submitted the following or-
der.

Ordered, that a select committee of five mem-
bers be appointed to enquire into the expediency
of procuring a sword, with appropriate orna-
ments, and presenting the same to John W.
Holding, on behalf of the General Assembly of
Maryland, as a testimonial of the admiration and
gratitude of his native State, for his distinguish-
ed gallantry, and highly valuable services dur-
ing the late war with Great Britain.

Which was twice read and adopted.

Mr. Duckett, chairman of the committee on
grievances and courts of justice, delivered the
following report.

The committee on grievances and courts of
justice, to whom was referred the petition of
sundry citizens of Anne Arundel county pray-
ing for the election of Constables in said coun-
ty, the people, and allowing them the sum of
\$1000 per annum, in lieu of their fees as at
present regulated by law, have had the same under
consideration, and beg leave to report, that they
deem it inexpedient to grant the prayer of the
petitioners, and that they have leave to withdraw
their petition.

Mr. Toackle reported a bill, to provide for
establishing an Agricultural School and Pattern
Farm in each of the counties of this State.

Mr. Duckett, chairman of the committee on
grievances and courts of justice, reported a sup-
plement to an act, relating to certain fees in
Anne Arundel county, court, passed at Decem-
ber session 1831, chapter 100.

Mr. Richardson reported a bill, to incorpo-
rate the Band of United Brethren of the State of
Maryland.

And Mr. Merrick, chairman of the committee
on ways and means, reported a bill, to incorpo-
rate the Chesapeake Bank.

Mr. Annan, reported a supplement to the act,
for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed
at November session 1835.

On motion of Mr. Carroll, of St. Mary's, the
house took up for consideration, the resolution
submitted by him on the 6th inst. requesting his
Excellency the Governor, to procure a sword
with suitable ornaments and devices, and pre-
sent it in the name of his native State, to Capt.
John A. Webster, for his gallant defence of the
battery committed to his charge, during the me-
morable attack against the city of Baltimore,
September 12, 1814.

The said resolution was then read the second
time.

Mr. Merrick moved to lay said resolution on
the table.

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Merrick then submitted the following
order.

Ordered, That the resolution, requiring the
Governor to procure a sword for Capt. John A.

Webster, be referred to a special committee of
seven, to ascertain and report, what officers of
the United States army and navy, citizens of this
State, or of the militia of the State have, by
their valour in the late war, merited the distin-
guished honour of having a sword voted to them
by the legislature, and who have not heretofore
received that honour, and to report by bill or
otherwise.

Which was twice read.

On the question being put, will the House a-
dopt said order.

It was determined in the negative.

Mr. Brown, (seconded by two other members
that voted in the majority) moved to reconsider
the vote of the House, laying said resolution, in
relation to procuring a sword for Capt. John A.
Webster, on the table.

Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, will the House
assent to said resolution.

Resolved in the affirmative.

So the resolution was assented to.

Mr. Gough submitted the following.

Ordered, That the committee on claims be
instructed to inquire into the expediency of al-
lowing William B. Bond, of Harford county,
and George R. Richardson, of Baltimore city, a
sufficient compensation for prosecuting the
cases of the State, against Evan T. Poulney
and others, in Harford county court.

Which was twice read.

Mr. Burchenal moved that said order be re-
jected.

Resolved in the affirmative.

The house then adjourned.

Monday, January 25th.

Mr. Richard presented a petition of one
hundred and thirty citizens of the city of
Baltimore, praying for a change in the present
License system.

And Mr. McLean presented a petition of
sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, pray-
ing for an act to incorporate a Real Estate
Company in said city, with a capital of five millions
of dollars.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of William
Wheat, of Prince George's county, and State of
Virginia, praying the passage of an act, to au-
thorize him to bring into this State, certain ne-
gro slaves therein mentioned.

And Mr. Miller presented a petition of Eze-
kiel Foreman a free negro of Kent county,
praying for relief therein mentioned.

Mr. McLean presented a petition of Mary E.
Lewis, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a
divorce from her husband, William W. Lewis.

Mr. Travers presented a petition of sundry
citizens of Dorchester county, praying that the
present Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal
Church at Buck town, may be invested with
the same power and authority, as the original
Trustees of said Church, and now deceased.

Mr. Carpenter presented a petition of sundry
citizens of Charles county, praying that there
may be no legal interference with the
Fisheries on the Potomac river.

Mr. McLean presented a memorial of And-
rew Martin, Philip Rely, James Webb, and
others, praying to be incorporated as "The Cal-
vert Beneficial Society of Baltimore."

Also, presented a memorial of Ashton Alex-
ander, Edward Gray, S. D. Walker, and others,
praying to be incorporated as "The Phoenix
Fire Insurance of Baltimore."

And Mr. Bayly presented a petition of J. B.
Monroe, praying the Legislature to take the
necessary measures, to insure to him the bounty
land due to his late father, as a soldier of the
revolution in the Maryland line.

The bill reported by Mr. Carpenter, chair-
man of the committee on divorces, to divorce
Susan Stewart, of Charles county, from her
husband John W. Stewart, And.

The bill reported by him, to divorce Andrew
Young, of the city of Baltimore, from his wife
Mary A. Young.

Were taken up for consideration,
and the action thereon, passed, and sent to the
Senate.

The bill reported by Mr. Carpenter chairman of
the committee on divorces, to divorce Eli Un-
glebach of Frederick county, from his wife Lavi-
us Unglebach.

And, the bill also, reported by him to divorce
Jacob Christ, of Washington county, from his
wife Amelia Christ.

Were severally taken up for consideration,
and the second time, and severally rejected.

The clerk of the Senate returned the bill,
further to continue an act passed at November
session, 1795, entitled, an act to incorporate an
Insurance Company in Baltimore town, endor-
sed, "will pass," ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolution in favour of Sarah East-
on and Mary Holland, severally endorsed, as-
sented to, and ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house took up
for consideration the bill from the Senate, enti-
tled, a further supplement to the act, to incor-
porate the Stockholders of the Marine Bank of
Baltimore.

The said bill was then read the second time
and passed.

The clerk of the Senate, returned the bill,
authorizing the judges of the Levy court of
Frederick county, in their discretion, to levy a
sum of money to build a bridge over the Catoe-

tin creek, on the public road, leading from Mid-
dletown.

Also, the bill, for the relief of the old citizens
of Frederick city, in Frederick county.

Also, the bill, to confirm an act, passed De-
cember session 1834, chapter 160, to alter and
change a part of the division line between the
second, third and fourth election districts in
Washington county.

And, the supplement to an act, passed De-
cember session 1833, chapter 144, for the re-as-
sessment and re-valuation of all the real and per-
sonal property in Washington county, severally
endorsed, "will pass," and severally ordered to
be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. McLean, the house took
up for consideration, the bill reported by him as
chairman of the committee on corporations, enti-
tled, an act to incorporate the Patuxent Com-
pany.

The said bill was then read the second time
amended, and passed.

The house then adjourned.

Tuesday, January 26th.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of sundry
citizens of Emmittsburg, and its vicinity, in Fre-
derick county, praying for a donation from the
State, to the Union Academy of Emmittsburg.

Mr. Duvall presented a petition of William
J. Thompson of Frederick county, praying the
passage of an act to authorize him to sell a mu-
latto girl for a term of years, to some person
beyond the State.

Mr. Brown presented a petition of Alexan-
der Gilias, and Greenbury Shipley, praying
that an act may pass, authorizing and requiring
the commissioners of Baltimore county, to let a
sum of money to pay for opening a road there-
in mentioned.

Mr. Long presented a petition of sundry
citizens of Somerset county, praying the State
Virginians, respecting processing and adjusting
boundaries of land, may be enacted in this
State.

And Mr. Ely presented a petition of Alex-
ander Kerr of Baltimore county, praying a spe-
cial act to make valid a certain will therein
mentioned.

Mr. McCullough presented a memorial of sun-
dry citizens of Cecil county, counter to the na-
tional of sundry citizens from Prince George's
county, relative to the fisheries on the Potomac
river.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of the Presi-
dent and Students of Mount St. Mary's College,
in Frederick county, setting forth that they had
organized a uniform and permanent rifle corps,
and praying to be furnished with fifty rifles,
from the armory of the State.

Mr. Drury presented a petition of Mattha
Green of Montgomery county, praying to be
placed on the pension roll of said county.

And, Mr. Spence presented a petition of Sa-
rah Birch and others of Worcester county, pray-
ing to be placed on the pension roll of said coun-
ty.

Mr. Hood presented a petition of sundry ci-
tizens of Anne Arundel county, praying an al-
teration of the present license laws of the
State.

Mr. Shriver presented a petition of sundry
citizens of Frederick county praying the pas-
sage of an act, authorizing the Orphans court of
said county, to distribute certain funds therein
mentioned.

Mr. Winder presented a memorial of John
B. Morris, of the city of Baltimore, praying an
inquiry into the facts therein set forth, and the
causes which led to the mob in Baltimore.

Mr. Winder, then submitted the following
message, and asked to be excused from serving
upon the joint committee, if one should be di-
rected by the House.

Gentlemen of the Senate.

We propose with the concurrence of your
honourable body to appoint a joint committee of
the two Houses to consist of nine members, to
consider and report upon the memorial of the
sufferers by the late riots in the city of Balti-
more. We have named Messrs.

to join such gentlemen as may be named on the
part of your honourable body to perform this
service.

The blank in said message was then filled by
the chair, with the names of Messrs. Merrick,
Pratt, Travers, McLean and Wharton.

Mr. McLean asked to be excused from serv-
ing upon said committee.

On the question being put,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The speaker then appointed Mr. Ely on said
committee, in place of Mr. McLean, who was
excused.

The said message was then read the second
time, and assented to.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house took up
for consideration the memorial of John B. Mor-
ris, praying an inquiry into the facts therein set
forth and the causes which led to the mob in
Baltimore, &c.

On motion of Mr. Burchenal, said memorial
was referred to the joint committee already ap-
pointed on that subject, and ordered to be print-
ed.

Mr. Berry submitted the following order.

Ordered, That the committee on the coloured
population, be instructed to enquire into the ex-
pediency of compelling free people of colour
to emigrate from this State, in a stated period.

Mr. Pratt, chairman of the committee on Internal Improvement, reported a bill, entitled, a supplement to the act incorporating the Annapolis and Potomac Canal Company.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, passed and sent to the senate.

The bill reported by Mr. Duckett, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, entitled a supplement to an act relating to certain fees in Anne Arundel county court, passed at December session, 1831 chapter 100, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and passed.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill to authorize the commissioners of Washington county, to appoint commissioners to review a certain road in said county, and for other purposes.

Also, the bill to provide for certain improvements and alterations in the court house in Washington county, severally endorsed "will pass," ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Berry, The house then adjourned.

Wednesday, January 27th.

Mr. Willis presented a memorial of the stockholders and directors of the Westminster Savings Institution, praying for an extension of the charter of said institution.

And, Mr. Richardson presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore praying a change in the present license system.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, against a separation of said county, and in favour of a separation of said county, from the city of Baltimore.

Mr. Brown presented a petition of Adam Dell, Robert Barnes, and others, citizens of Baltimore county, praying the passage of an act in regard to a certain road therein mentioned.

Mr. Kirby, of Kent, presented a petition of the Trustees of the Shrewsbury Academy, in Kent county, praying for a donation from the State.

Mr. Shriver presented a petition of Jacob Eschert, of Frederick county, praying the redress of grievances therein set forth.

And, Mr. Duvall presented a petition of Richard Blowers, of Frederick county, praying to be discharged from his wife, Ann Blowers.

On motion of Mr. Richardson, Ordered, that the Speaker of the house appoint a select committee of five, whose duty it shall be to enquire into the causes of the increase of Intemperance, Pauperism, and Crime, and to suggest the best remedies for the prevention thereof.

In pursuance whereof, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Richardson, Bruff, Ferry, McMahon, and Quinn, to compose the committee.

The clerk of the senate, returned the bill to authorize the clerk of Kent county, to record a deed therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass," ordered to be engrossed.

Also, a resolution in favour of Samuel Carey, and John E. Carey, severally endorsed, "assented to," ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house took up for consideration the bill reported by him, from the committee on ways and means, entitled, an act to incorporate the Atlantic Company of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. Duckett, said bill was amended by striking out in the fourth section, ninth line, after the word "such," the words "lands."

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On the question being put, on referring it to a committee of the whole House,

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By resolution No. 41, passed at December session 1832, it is required that a joint committee shall be appointed to investigate and report to the General Assembly, the proceedings of the Visitors and Governors of St. John's College, to enquire whether they are in conformity to law and the design of the Legislature in endowing the same.

Pursuant to this resolution we have nominated and appointed Messrs. Page and Sappington, on the part of the senate, to join such gentlemen as shall be appointed by your body.

Mr. Pratt, chairman of the committee on Internal Improvement, reported a bill, entitled, an act supplementary to an act, to incorporate a Company to be styled The Allegany Coal Mine Rail Road, Company, passed at December session 1831, chapter 169.

Mr. Teackle submitted the following message, which was read and assented to: Gentlemen of the Senate,

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Pursuant to said resolution, we have appointed Messrs. Teackle, Winder, Long, McLean, Hambleton, Wharton, and Hemmely, on the part of the house, to join the Gentlemen appointed by your honorable body.

The house then adjourned.

Saturday January 30th.

Mr. Townsend presented a petition of Mary Tyson, of Cecil county, praying for a divorce from her husband Joseph Tyson.

Mr. Merrick presented a petition of Jane Albritton, of Charles county, praying to be allowed a pension by county assessment.

Mr. Pratt presented a memorial of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, showing the progress of their work, and praying further aid from the state.

Mr. Richardson presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying a change in the present license system.

And, Mr. McLan presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying for the incorporation of a Real Estate Bank, in that city, with a capital of five millions.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, praying the passage of an act to regulate the Baltimore Markets.

Mr. Matthews presented a petition of Philip Jackson and Dicey, his wife, free people of colour and residents of the District of Columbia, praying to be allowed to return to, and resume in the State of Maryland.

Mr. Richardson presented a petition of Joseph S. Merriken, praying for a special act of insolvency.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of sundry citizens of Frederick and Baltimore counties, praying for the passage of an act, to regulate the Baltimore Markets.

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Townsend presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Cecil county, counter to the memorial presented by the inspectors of Lumber in the city of Baltimore.

Which was read and referred to the committee on inspections.

Mr. Townsend also presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Cecil county, praying the establishment of a new Election District in said county.

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Fowler presented a petition of sundry citizens of Saint Mary's county, praying an amendment to the Oyster Law, passed December Session 1833, chapter 254.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Fowler, Howard, and Carroll of St. Mary's.

Mr. Brookhart presented a petition of Mary Alexander, widow of Jacob Alexander, a soldier of the revolution, praying to be placed on the pension roll.

Which was read and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Mr. Hemmely presented a report of the commissioners of Queen Anne's county School Fund, relative to the school fund of said county.

Which was read and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Carter obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, an additional supplement to an act, entitled, an act to encourage internal improvements.

Ordered, that Messrs. Carter, Hoarn, Travers, Teackle, Kirby, of Kent, Hummely and Nowland, report the same.

Mr. Ridgely submitted the following resolution: Whereas, it appears by the report of the Adjutant-General, that there are many of the military stores in each of the State Armories condemned and totally unfit for service, and not worth repair, and will be wholly lost to the State if not disposed of; therefore,

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Governor and Council be, and they are hereby authorized, to cause to be disposed of at public auction, under the superintendence of the respective Armories, upon the

most advantageous terms, at such times and places as the Adjutant-General shall direct, all such military stores as he may deem expedient, and that the proceeds of the sale be paid into the Treasury of the State, to be appropriated as the legislature may deem proper.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, and assented to.

Mr. Burchenal, from the select committee, delivered the following report:

The committee to whom was referred, the petition of Jacob W. Gibbons and others, praying for the opening of a road therein mentioned, have had the same under consideration, and your committee are of opinion that the object of the petition is fully provided for by an act of the General Assembly, passed at December session 1829, chapter 234; and that your petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition.

All of which is respectfully submitted, Which was read the first and second time by special order, and concurred in.

Mr. Winder, from the committee on education, submitted the following resolutions:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore be authorized and directed to pay, to the Trustees of Govanstown Academy in Baltimore county, or their order, the sum of 200 dollars; and also to the Trustees of Oakland Academy, or their order, the like sum, which sums shall become due on the first day of April next, in virtue of this resolution, and annually thereafter, the same sums severally.

Resolved, that the trustees of Govanstown Academy, in consideration of the above donation shall educate gratuitously five boys, and the trustees of Oakland Academy be required to do the same.

Which was read the first and second time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. McCullough submitted the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Governor and Council be, and they are hereby authorized and required, to cause to be transcribed and preserved in the appropriate department of the Government, such papers and documents of a valuable or interesting character as may have been found in the late examination and arrangement of the unarranged papers in the public buildings, by virtue of a resolution of the last General Assembly of Maryland, and which are in such a condition as to require a transcription; And be it further resolved, that the Governor and Council be authorized to draw on the Treasurer of the Western Shore, for such sum of money as may be necessary to defray the expense of this service.

Mr. Pratt reported a bill, for the relief of the devise of William Hill, late of Prince George's county, deceased.

Which was read the first and second time by special order and passed.

Mr. McLean, chairman of the committee on corporations, reported a bill, to incorporate the Maryland Print works Company.

Mr. Burchenal, reported a bill, to extend real Estate.

Mr. Ely reported a bill, relating to Baltimore markets.

The bill reported by Mr. Ridgely, entitled, an additional supplement to the act, to provide for the public instruction of youth in primary schools throughout this State, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, to alter and change the name of Thomas Dawson, of Dorchester county, to the name of Thomas McKenzie.

Also, a supplement to the act, incorporating the Annapolis and Potomac Canal Company.

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Also, the bill, to incorporate the Columbia Beneficial Society of Maryland; severally endorsed, "will pass," and severally ordered to be engrossed.

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Which amendment was assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolutions in favour of Capt. John A. Webster, and St. Peter's free school, in Baltimore, severally endorsed, "assented to," ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolution in favour of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals for the Western Shore, endorsed, "assented to with the proposed amendment."

Which amendment was assented to, and the resolution ordered to be engrossed.

And, delivered a bill, originated in and passed by the Senate, entitled, a supplement to an act, relating to conveyances in the several counties of this State, passed at December session, 1833, chapter 88.

The house adjourned.

SHERIFFALTY.

THE subscriber has been induced by the friendly solicitations and assurances, of a numerous circle of acquaintances, to offer himself as a candidate for the next Sheriffalty of Anne Arundel county. No effort to deceive the confidence of the Voters of the County, shall be wanting so far as he has capacity.

JAMES CLARK.

Clarkeville, A. A. Co. December 5, 1833.

ANNAPOLIS.

Thursday, February 4, 1834.

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COURT OF APPEALS, December Term, 1833.

Thursday, Jan. 29th.—Present as yesterday. The argument of No. 77, Kirkpatrick Esq. and Wife vs. Moore, Adm'r. of Moore et al. was continued by Lloyd for the Appellants, and Campbell for the Appellees.

Friday, Jan. 29th.—Present as yesterday. The above case was further argued by Campbell and Johnson for the Appellants.

Saturday, Jan. 30th.—Present as yesterday. Johnson continued the argument in the above case for the Appellees.

Monday, Feb. 1st.—Present as on Saturday. The argument of the above case was continued by Richardson and Meredith for the Appellants.

Tuesday, Feb. 2d.—Present as yesterday. The argument of the above case was continued by Meredith for the Appellants.

Wednesday, Feb. 3d.—Present as yesterday. Stephen Judge, delivered the opinion of the Court in No. 61, Thomas, Adm'r. of Braden, vs. The Frederick County School, affirming the decree of Frederick county court as a Court of Equity, with costs.

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No. 84. George Harman vs. George Zellinger. The argument of this case was continued by Dixon for the Appellant, and William Schley for the Appellee.

THE MEDIATION OF GREAT BRITAIN.

The following articles from the Washington Globe and the National Intelligencer, contain all the information upon this interesting subject which the mails afford to-day.

From the Washington Globe of Monday.

We understand that the British sloop of war Pantaloon, brought despatches to Mr. Bannock, authorizing him to tender the good offices of the British Government, as a mediator, in adjusting the difficulties now existing between the United States and France.

Whether any decision has been made upon this offer, or if so, what it is we have not been advised; but we cannot but hope, that the good offices of Great Britain in the character of a mediator, equally friendly to both the parties, may be so employed as to restore that amicable intercourse which has so long existed between the people and the Governments of the two countries, without any abandonment or prejudice to the principle in which our Government has taken its stand, and in a manner satisfactory to France.

In any event, however, as a considerable period of time must elapse before the result of this mediation can be known, it must be obvious that the necessity for adopting the measures of defence recommended by the President in his special message remains unchanged.

From the National Intelligencer.

Our Relations with France.—No doubt now exists that Mediation has been offered between the United States and France by the Government of Great Britain. We have reason to believe that the Executive of the United States without consulting the Senate—we do not know that it was necessary it should be so—has acted on this proposition, and that despatches announcing its determination are already on the way to the seaboard.

We do not know any thing of the particulars of either the proposition or the reply. Perhaps this morning's official journal may furnish some information respecting both. Meanwhile, let us for diplomatic reasons, a studied silence be observed in that quarter, we think it proper to the information of our readers to state our impression that the proffered mediation by Great

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On motion of Mr. Barry,

The house then adjourned.

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And, Mr. Duvall presented a petition of Richard Blowers, of Frederick county, praying for a change in the present License system.

On motion of Mr. Richardson,

Ordered, that the Speaker of the house appoint a select committee of five, whose duty it shall be to enquire into the causes of the increase of late year taxes, and to report thereon to the next session of the assembly.

In pursuance whereof, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Richardson, Pratt, Barry, McLean, and Duvall, to compose the committee.

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And, the bill, to limit the sitting of the commissioners of the tax in Montgomery county, severally endorsed, "will pass," and severally ordered to be engrossed.

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By resolution No. 41, passed at, December session 1832, it is required that a joint committee shall be appointed to investigate and report to the General Assembly, the proceedings of the Visitors and Governors of St. John's College, to enquire whether they are in conformity to law and the design of the Legislature in endowing the same. Pursuant to this resolution we have nominated and appointed Messrs. Page and Sappington, on the part of the senate, to join such gentlemen as shall be appointed by your body.

Mr. Pratt, chairman of the committee on Internal Improvements, reported a bill, entitled, an act supplementary to an act, to incorporate a Company to be styled The Allegany Coal Mine Rail Road, Company, passed at December session 1831, chapter 169.

Mr. Teackle submitted the following message, which was read and assented to: Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received your message, proposing the appointment of a joint committee, in conformity with resolution No. 41, of 1832, to investigate, and report to the General Assembly, the proceedings of the Governors and Visitors of St. John's College—and to enquire whether they are in conformity to law, and the design of the legislature in ordering them, and concur therein.

Pursuant to said resolution, we have appointed Messrs. Teackle, Winder, Long, McLean, Hamilton, Wharton, and Hensley, on the part of the house, to join the Gentlemen appointed by your honorable body.

The house then adjourned.

Saturday January 30th.

Mr. Townsend presented a petition of Mary Tyson, of Cecil county, praying for a divorce from her husband Joseph Tyson.

Mr. Merrick presented a petition of Jane Albritton, of Charles county, praying to be allowed a pension by county assessment.

Mr. Pratt presented a memorial of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, showing the progress of their work, and praying further aid from the state.

Mr. Richardson presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying a change in the present License system.

And, Mr. McLean presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying for the incorporation of a Real Estate Bank, in that city, with a capital of five millions.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, praying the passage of an act to regulate the Baltimore Markets.

Mr. Matthews presented a petition of Philip Jackson and Dicey, his wife, free people of colour and residents of the District of Columbia, praying to be allowed to return to, and reside in the State of Maryland.

Mr. Richardson presented a petition of Joseph S. Merrick, praying for a special act of insolvency.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of sundry citizens of Frederick and Baltimore counties, praying for the passage of an act, to regulate the Baltimore Markets.

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Townsend presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Cecil county, counter to the memorial presented by the inspectors of Lumber in the city of Baltimore.

Which was read and referred to the committee on inspections.

Mr. Townsend also presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Cecil county, praying the establishment of a new Election District in said county.

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Fowler presented a petition of sundry citizens of Saint Mary's county, praying an amendment to the Oyster Law, passed December Session 1833, chapter 254.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Fowler, H. and, and Carroll of St. Mary's.

Mr. Brookner presented a petition of a Mary Alexander, widow of Jacob Alexander, a soldier of the revolution, praying to be placed on the pension roll.

Which was read and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Mr. Hensley presented a report of the commissioners of Queen Anne's county School Fund, relative to the school fund of said county.

Which was read and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Carter obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, an additional supplement to an act, entitled, an act to encourage internal improvements.

Ordered, that Messrs. Carter, Hearn, Travers, Teackle, Kirby, of Kent, Hensley and Nowland, report the same.

Mr. Ridgely submitted the following resolution: Whereas, it appears by the report of the Adjutant General, that there are many of the military stores in each of the State Armories condemned and totally unfit for service, and not worth repair, and will be wholly lost to the State if not disposed of; therefore,

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Governor and Council be, and they are hereby authorized, to cause to be disposed of at public auction, under the superintendence of the respective Armories, upon the

most advantageous terms, at such times and places as the Adjutant General shall direct, all such military stores as he may deem expedient, and that the proceeds of the sale be paid into the Treasury of the State, to be appropriated as the legislature may deem proper.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, and assented to.

Mr. Burchenal, from the select committee, delivered the following report.

The committee to whom was referred, the petition of Jacob W. Gibson and others, praying for the opening of a road therein mentioned, have had the same under consideration, and your committee are of opinion that the object of the petition is fully provided for by an act of the General Assembly, passed at December session 1829, chapter 234; and that your petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition.

All of which is respectfully submitted, Which was read the first and second time by special order, and concurred in.

Mr. Winder, from the committee on education, submitted the following resolutions.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore be authorized and directed to pay, to the Trustees of Govanstown Academy in Baltimore county, or their order, the sum of 200 dollars; and also to the Trustees of Oakland Academy, or their order, the like sum, which sums shall become due on the first day of April next, in virtue of this resolution, and annually thereafter, the same sums severally.

Resolved, that the trustees of Govanstown Academy, in consideration of the above donations, shall educate gratuitously five boys, and the trustees of Oakland Academy be required to do the same.

Which was read the first and second time and ordered to be on the table.

Mr. McCullough submitted the following resolution.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Governor and Council be, and they are hereby authorized and required, to cause to be transcribed and preserved in the appropriate department of the Government, such papers and documents of a valuable or interesting character as may have been found in the late examination and arrangement of the unarranged papers in the public buildings, by virtue of a resolution of the last General Assembly of Maryland, and which are in such a condition as to require a transcription; And be it further resolved, that the Governor and Council be authorized to draw on the Treasurer of the Western Shore, for such sum of money as may be necessary to defray the expense of this service.

Mr. Pratt reported a bill, for the relief of the devise of William Hill, late of Prince George's county, deceased.

Which was read the first and second time by special order and passed.

Mr. McLean, chairman of the committee on corporations, reported a bill, to incorporate the Maryland Print Works Company.

Mr. Burchenal, reported a bill, to extend real Estate.

Mr. Ely reported a bill, relating to Baltimore markets.

The bill reported by Mr. Ridgely, entitled, an additional supplement to the act, to provide for the public instruction of youth in primary schools throughout this State, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The bill reported by Mr. Carpenter, to authorize the appointment of commissioners, and the division of Charles county, into school districts, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, to alter and change the name of Thomas Dawson, of Dorchester county, to the name of Thomas McKenzies.

Also, a supplement to the act, incorporating the Annapolis and Potomac Canal Company.

Also, the bill, to incorporate the Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Buckstown, in Dorchester county.

Also, the supplement to the act, to incorporate the town called and known by the name of Vienna, in Dorchester county.

Also, the bill, to incorporate the Columbia Benevolent Society of Maryland; severally endorsed, "will pass," and severally ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the supplement to an act, relating to certain fees in Anne Arundel county Court, passed at December session, 1831, chapter 100, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendment."

Which amendment was assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolutions in favour of Capt. John A. Webster, and St. Peter's free school, in Baltimore, severally endorsed, "assented to," ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolution in favour of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals for the Western Shore, endorsed, "assented to with the proposed amendment."

Which amendment was assented to, and the resolution ordered to be engrossed.

And, delivered a bill, originated in and passed by the Senate, entitled, a supplement to an act, relating to conveyances in the several counties of this State, passed at December session, 1833, chapter 89.

The house adjourned.

SHERIFFALTY.

THE subscriber has been induced by the numerous circle of acquaintances, to offer himself as a candidate for the next Sheriffalty of Anne Arundel county. No effort to deceive the confidence of the Voters of the County, shall be wanting so far as he has capacity.

JAMES CLARK
Clarkeville, A. A. co.

December 5, 1835.

Baltimore Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS
Thursday, February 4, 1836.

POST OFFICE, ANNAPOLIS.
WINTER ARRANGEMENT OF MAIL
DURING THE SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.
From Baltimore and Washington, Daily.

The Calvert Mail will close on Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 P. M.

EASTERN SHORE.

Arrives, Sundays, and Wednesdays. Departs, Mondays, and Thursdays, immediately after the arrival of the Baltimore mail.

The daily mails, in every instance, are closed at Nine o'clock, P. M.
The office opens on Sundays at 12 o'clock, M. and closes at 2 two o'clock P. M.

COURT OF APPEALS, December Term, 1835.

Thursday, Jan. 28th.—Present as yesterday. The argument of No. 77, Kirkpatrick Esq. and Wife vs. Moore, Adm'r. of Moore et al. was continued by Lloyd for the Appellants, and Campbell for the Appellees.

Friday, Jan. 29th.—Present as yesterday. The above case was further argued by Campbell and Johnson for the Appellants.

Saturday, Jan. 30th.—Present as yesterday. Johnson continued the argument in the above case for the Appellees.

Monday, Feb. 1st.—Present as on Saturday. The argument of the above case was continued by Richardson and Meredith for the Appellants.

Tuesday, Feb. 2d.—Present as yesterday. The argument of the above case was concluded by Meredith for the Appellants.

Wednesday, Feb. 3d.—Present as yesterday. Stephen, Judge, delivered the opinion of the Court in No. 61, Thomas, Adm'r. of Braden, vs. The Frederick County School, affirming the decree of Frederick county court as a Court of Equity, with costs.

Archer, Judge, delivered the opinion of the Court in No. 73, Boteler and Belt vs. John Brooks, reversing the order of the Chancellor, and dismissing the petition with costs in both Courts.

The same Judge delivered the opinion of the Court in No. 41, James F. Brice et al. vs. John Randall, affirming the judgment of the County Court.

Dorsey, Judge, delivered the opinion of the Court in No. 58, Benjamin Eccleston vs. State of Maryland, affirming the judgment of the County Court.

The same Judge delivered the opinion of the Court in No. 74, Boteler and Belt vs. John Brooks, affirming the order of the Chancellor, with costs.

Stephen, Judge, delivered the opinion of the Court in No. 72, Mullikin vs. Union Bank of Maryland vs. Gabriel Duvall, terre-tenant of Lewis Duvall, affirming the judgment of the County Court.

No. 80, Andrew Ellicott vs. The United States Insurance Company. This case was argued by Johnson for the Appellant. No Counsel argued for the Appellee.

No. 84, George Harman vs. George Zallinger. The argument of this case was commenced by Dixon for the Appellant, and William Schley for the Appellee.

THE MEDIATION OF GREAT BRITAIN.

The following articles from the Washington Globe and the National Intelligencer, contain all the information upon this interesting subject which the mails afford to-day.

From the Washington Globe of Monday.

We understand that the British sloop of war Pantaloon, brought despatches to Mr. Bankes, authorizing him to tender the good offices of the British Government as a mediator in adjusting the difficulties now existing between the United States and France. Whether any decision has been made upon this offer, or if so, what it is, we have not been advised; but we cannot but hope, that the good offices of Great Britain in the character of a mediator, equally friendly to both the parties, may be so employed as to restore that amicable intercourse which has so long existed between the people and the Governments of the two countries, without any abandonment or prejudice to the principle in which our Government has taken its stand, and in a manner satisfactory to France.

In any event, however, as a considerable period of time must elapse before the result of this mediation can be known, it must be obvious that the necessity for adopting the measures of defence recommended by the President in his special message remains unchanged.

From the National Intelligencer.

Our Relations with France.—No doubt now exists that Mediation has been offered between the United States and France by the Government of Great Britain. We have reason to believe that the Executive of the United States, without consulting the Senate—we do not know that it was necessary it should be so—has acted on this proposition, and that despatches announcing its determination are already on the way to the seaboard.

We do not know any thing of the particulars of either the proposition or the reply. Perhaps this morning's official journal may furnish some information respecting both. Meanwhile, let, for diplomatic reasons, a studious silence be observed in that quarter, we think it proper, or the information of our readers, to state our impression that the proffered mediation by Great

Britain, as a common friend, has been accepted by the Executive of the United States. Such an offer could not indeed be declined by any nation not disposed to place itself out of the pale of the Law of Nations.

The reader must, however, bear in mind that, between nations, mediation and arbitration are not the same thing. Arbitration, accepted by both parties, would, to a certain extent, be obligatory on both. The acceptance of mediation concludes nothing between the parties, but only leaves the door open for conciliation and adjustment, through the medium of a common friend, interested, with all the rest of the world, in preventing wanton or unnecessary disturbance of the peace of nations.

It is much, however, that intercourse between the two countries has been thus re-opened, through a channel so respectable as to furnish a reasonable security that nothing that is not respectful and conciliatory will be attempted to be transmitted through it from either side; nothing that is not worthy of the generous spirit in which this mediation has been entered into by the British Government. Whilst, therefore, the new code which things have taken, we have never no certainty of the amicable adjustment of our disputes with France, we see, with the greatest satisfaction, that all apprehensions are dissipated of a precipitated quarrel between the two countries.

From the New York Evening Post.

The people have at last obtained the power in both Houses of Congress. The election of Mr. Walker, from Mississippi, as settled the long-contested question between the sovereign power and that miserable faction which has as yet been and distracted the country for the last several years, disgraced the nation abroad, and, as it firmly believes, been the sole cause of our difficulties with France, by their wretched and unreasonable opposition to the best interests of the country. The people are restored to their rights—the Union is safe!

The following are the administration members of the new Senate:

MAINE—Mr. Ruggles, Mr. Shepley.
NEW HAMPSHIRE—Mr. Hill, Mr. Hubbard.
CONNECTICUT—Mr. Niles.
NEW YORK—Mr. Wright, Mr. Tullamagoe.
NEW JERSEY—Mr. Wall.
PENNSYLVANIA—Mr. McKean, Mr. Buchanan.
NORTH CAROLINA—Mr. Brown.
GEORGIA—Mr. King, Mr. Cuthbert.
ALABAMA—Mr. King.
LOUISIANA—Mr. Nicholas.
MISSISSIPPI—Mr. Walker.
FLORIDA—Mr. Grundy.
ILLINOIS—Mr. Robinson, Mr. Ewing.
INDIANA—Mr. Hendricks, Mr. Tipton.
MISSOURI—Mr. Benton, Mr. Linn.
OHIO—Mr. Morris.

Making twenty-four members. Mr. Hendricks and Mr. Tipton have authorized a publication that they support the Baltimore nomination, and we add with confidence, that Mr. White will support the principles and measures of the administration as he has heretofore done. Mr. Black, of Mississippi, has publicly expressed his determination to abide by the decision of his own State, which has just decided largely in favour of Mr. Van Buren—the result on all the nominations now pending is due to the Senate, as well as one other matter not less interesting to the great body of constituents, and on which they have spoken with a unanimity not to be misinterpreted—the people will be heard and obeyed.

PHILO.

INDIAN MASSACRE IN INDIAN KEY.

INDIAN KEY, 14th Jan. We are in a state of consternation and dismay. The Indians have broken in upon the settlements at New River and Cape Florida, and plundered, destroyed and laid waste everything that came in their way. We have been expecting an attack here for the last ten days, and have made the best preparation that we could to receive the enemy; by throwing up breast-works which will protect us so long as we can prevent them from landing, but our feeble force will be nothing if they succeed in effecting a landing.

Among the sufferers were Mrs. Rigby, her two daughters and one son. They were compelled to run 12 miles through the woods, and when they reached Cape Florida they had scarcely any clothes on their backs (they having been torn off by the bushes) and no shoes. So completely were they exhausted that they could not walk for several days. All of those who were compelled to fly from the main land took refuge at Cape Florida, Key Biscayne, being about sixty in number. Here it was proposed to make a stand—and these individuals accompanied by Mr. Dubose, the keeper of the light, retreated into the Light House. But not having a sufficient supply of provisions and water for so many persons, they were compelled to remove. Fortunately a vessel here in sight; they hoisted signals of distress and she took them off and brought them to this place on the 10th inst. The light at Cape Florida is therefore of necessity abandoned for the present.

By a boat which passed the Cape a day or two afterwards, we learn that the Indians were there in considerable numbers, and also that they had plundered every house on New River. All the inhabitants of the Keys have quit and gone to Key West, as well as those who came to this place from the Cape, and we were left almost alone to contend against the savage foe. Truly the scene is distressing, and the prospect alarming. There is a large body of Indians at Cape Sable, a little back from the sea shore, a distance of not more than 20 miles from us, and the well known fact that the Island has but few inhabitants, and that much plunder is to be had, I anticipate that it will be the next place attacked.

It is of importance that troops should be sent to Cape Sable and New River, as it will cut off the supply of arrow root, which is the principal food of the Indians, and which is manufactured by their women. These places abound in that article, and it is said that they can cross the river Glades from Cape Sable and New River, in a day.

You can form no adequate idea of the distress which prevails along the coast. Several families have but recently settled, and had just got themselves comfortably situated when they were obliged to fly for their lives, leaving everything they possessed in the world behind them, arriving almost naked at a place of safety. What is to become of so many distressed families I know not. Can nothing be done for their relief? They have gone to Key West for safety. The troops stationed at Key West were sent to Tampa Bay, but I understand that the United States Frigate Constellation is now at that place for the protection of the inhabitants.

The Seminoles, who are opposed to emigration have expressed their determination to die before they leave the country. So that we may anticipate a fierce and determined resistance in any effort made to subdue them.

ANOTHER BATTLE AND SUCCESS OF THE INDIANS.

The Savannah Georgian of the 25th Jan. has the following extract from the Jacksonville Courier of the 21st, detailing the particulars of another engagement with the Indians, with far the unpleasant intelligence from the Seat of War.

Mr. Hatch was barbarously murdered by the Indians at 300 yards from the outposts of the Garrison Picolata on the 18th inst., while employed in getting wood for the Steam Boat Florida.

From the Jacksonville Courier, 21st Jan.

INDIAN HOSTILITIES. Another battle.—Mr. Dexter with the Mail from St. Augustine, has this morning arrived, at 10 o'clock, A. M. bringing the following melancholy and alarming intelligence.

On Monday, the 18th inst., Major Putnam, who was at the head of the Independent Company, styled the St. Augustine Guards, stationed at Mosquito, proceeded to Mrs. Anderson's plantation on the Halifax River, to see in what condition the Indians who some time ago visited it with fire and devastation, had left it, and to take away what provisions had not been destroyed. While there this company composed of the generous spirited young men of St. Augustine, joined by a few from Mosquito, making in number about 40 men, was attacked by a party of it supposed 150. Messrs. Geo. Anderson, and Douglas Dammit, standing on guard saw two Indians approaching, upon whom they fired, killing one and wounding the other. Mr. Dammit ran towards the fallen Indian and while stooping over him received a wound in the back of the neck. At this moment, the Indians rushed out of a scrub, distant little more than musket-shot, and commenced a furious attack upon Mr. Anderson's company, who from behind the fragments of the broken walls of the burned buildings, gave the advancing Indians a warm reception.

The Indians were in the open field, exposed to the fire of the Independent band, who although so inferior in numbers to the enemy, from the rate of accurate shooting, kept the Indians at bay the space of an hour—some of our men and desperate fighting. The Indians, thinking their position and about to surround them, they ran to the water. The Indians pursuing, crossed on their destruction, for a while embarking upon the boats. In the hurry, all the guns but one were rendered useless by being wet. With this one, the Indians were kept back for a moment, when they were driven back, and the boats were landed. The Indians, who were on the shore, they were in an instant, they succeeded in pushing out into the river, beyond the reach of the Independent shot, and proceeded to Bulow's. Mr. Dammit was the only man wounded, till the retreat to the boats, during which 17 were wounded, several mortally, it is supposed. Two negroes were killed. It is supposed that 16 Indians were killed.

We have a partial list of those said to be wounded but lest we should give erroneous information in this particular, and thereby create unpleasant sensation we withhold it till we receive more full information.

Up to the time, 2 o'clock this morning, Mr. Dexter left St. Augustine, nono. A J. Putnam's company now arrived at St. Augustine. Mr. Putnam a despatch from that officer to Gen. Hernandez has been received detailing as it was presumed, the particulars of the above distressing affair, yet the General had not for reasons best known to himself permitted the contents to be promulgated to the public.

The above information was brought to St. Augustine, by some negroes belonging to Mrs. Anderson, who escaped, and brought to their mistress the melancholy tidings. The greatest distress prevails in St. Augustine, wives, mothers and children, are in the extreme of anxiety, and grief, for their husbands, sons and fathers, who may be slain or mortally wounded.

AUGUSTA, Ga. Jan. 25.

AUGUSTA VOLUNTEERS.

These brave fellows left our wharf, in the Washington, on Saturday at 5 o'clock, to rescue their Florida friends from Indian massacre. They embarked in the presence, it appeared to us, of our assembled population of both sexes, and were cheered with a fervor and admiration, that still tingles through our nerves. They were escorted to the river bank by the Richmond Hussars, now waiting orders to follow their example, and the Augusta guards, organized for the emergency.

On entering the boat, they were addressed by Col. Wm. Cummings, who was answered by Capt. Robinson, after which the Chaplain of the Arsenal offered up a short prayer, for the success of the expedition, and the safe return of the gallant soldier to his family and home. Hamburg, ever burning with public spirit, cheered their embarkation by the firing of cannon, while their friends and acquaintances on this side, stood enough till the moment of departure, had about as well to almost too great a tension to be untrayed in the general shout, which bade them, God speed. Heaven grant, that none may be deaf to the grateful cheering, with which our city will hail their return!

MORE INDIAN MURDERS.
The Mason Telegraph of the 21st inst. says: News arrived in town yesterday, of two men being killed in Baker county, by a party of 40 or 50 Creek Indians, and several others wounded. We have no time to state particulars. It thus appears, as though the Creeks and Seminoles were acting in concert in their savage warfare.

TOBACCO LANDS.

THE subscriber offers for Sale his valuable Real Estate, situated on the north side of Severn River, opposite the city of Annapolis, containing upwards of

ONE THOUSAND ACRES.

About Six Hundred covered with wood and heavy timber, consisting of White Oak, Black Walnut and Poplar, &c. the residue for the most part under good fence, the whole nearly surrounded by the water of Severn River, and a wide navigable creek, emptying into the Chesapeake Bay, which affords convenient water carriage for wood and produce from almost every part of the land.

It is at present divided into two farms, both in a promising state of improvement, and possessing large banks of oyster shells, and other sources of manure in great abundance. Plaster has been found to act with great effect on those lands in promoting the growth of clover—the soil is naturally of an excellent quality, for grain and other crops, and particularly well adapted to the culture of first quality Tobacco. There is a good water mill adjoining these lands, and a steam mill in Annapolis, both very convenient to the estate.

The buildings on both the farms are beautifully situated on eminences commanding extensive views of the river and bay, and are in tolerable repair. As persons inclined to purchase will view and judge for themselves, it is deemed unnecessary to be more particular in the description of this property. It will be found on examination to be worthy the attention of those who may have money to invest in real estate, and particularly of such as are skilled in cutting and setting timber, of which there is a great quantity near the water, and none more remote than half a mile.

These farms will be divided, to suit purchasers. The terms will be moderate and a long credit given for part of the purchase money, or for the whole, it will be secured—possession may be had at any time.

For further particulars enquire of N. Brice Baltimore, or to the subscriber living on the premises.

CHARLES C. BRICE.

Feb. 4.

THE THIRD VOLUME OF

THE CULTIVATOR

WILL be commenced on the first of March next. The terms will continue to be FIFTY CENTS per annum, payable in advance.

We tender our thanks to gentlemen who have kindly aided in the circulation of the CULTIVATOR, and respectfully solicit a continuance of their good offices in its behalf. If this paper circulates one man, by the publication it does him, to add to his knowledge, has taken ten dollars a year, and a gentleman inquisitive in our suggestions, it will be profitable to men who take it, and our object is—and it will effect the most good in a short time, and hence very necessary, that we wish to print the interests of his country, and who does not? It will be able to do so by increasing its circulation.

The CULTIVATOR is a semi-annual publication of 16 quarto pages, devoted to Agricultural Improvement.

J. BUEL, Conductor.

Subscriptions to THE CULTIVATOR and COMMON SCHOOL ASSISTANT received at the Post Office, Annapolis, by

A. COWAN.

February 4.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY

Class No. 3, for 1836.

To be drawn at Baltimore on Monday, January 8, 1836.

Approved by William R. Stuart, Esq. Wm. Hughes, and J. S. Williams, Commissioners. D. S. GREGORY & Co. Successors of Yates and M. Lytle, Managers.

SPLENDID SCHEME.

1 prize of	\$20,000
1 prize of	10,000
1 prize of	5,000
1 prize of	4,000
1 prize of	3,100
10 prizes of	1,000
10 prizes of	800
10 prizes of	600
30 prizes of	500
100 prizes of	400
18 prizes of	250
128 prizes of	200
128 prizes of	100
128 prizes of	70
128 prizes of	50
128 prizes of	30
2752 prizes of	16
2276 prizes of	8

25-61 prizes, am'tg. to \$432,160

Tickets, 28—Halves, 34—Quar's. 22.

Tickets and Shares for sale at

DUBOIS'

LOTTERY & EXCHANGE OFFICE,

(Church-street, Annapolis.)

NOTICE.
The Commissioners for Anne Arundel County will meet at the Court House in the city of Annapolis on MONDAY the 25th day of February next, for the purpose of ascertaining the expenses of the County, and laying the levy for the year 1835.

By order, J. COWMAN, Clk.

Feb. 4.—tm.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Saint Mary's county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Dr. William Thomas, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, at or before the 9th day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 26th January, 1836.

RACHEL THOMAS, Ex'r.

Feb. 4.

NOTICE IS TO GIVE NOTICE.

THAT the subscriber has obtained from the orphans court of Saint Mary's county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Adolphus Madison, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, properly authenticated, on or before the 4th day of August next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of January 1836.

GEORGE F. MADDOX, Adm'r. D. B. N.

Feb. 4.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Court of Chancery, the subscriber, as trustee, will offer at Public Sale, at the Court House in the city of Annapolis, on MONDAY, the 8th day of February next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. that part of the real estate of the late Dr. Matthias Hamilton, which was in and to be sold to his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton, lately deceased, for her dowry. This parcel of Land contains

655 1-2 ACRES,

more or less. It is about 12 miles from the city of Annapolis, and on the road from said city to White Oak Point. The title to this property is unquestionable and the purchaser may obtain possession on the ratification of the sale.

The Terms of Sale Are,

That one fourth part of the purchase money shall be paid on the ratification of the sale, and the residue in two equal annual instalments from the day of sale, the whole to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by bond, with security to the approval of the trustee.

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655 1-2 ACRES,

more or less. It is about 12 miles from the city of Annapolis, and on the road from said city to White Oak Point. The title to this property is unquestionable and the purchaser may obtain possession on the ratification of the sale.

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J. S. ALEXANDER, Trustee.

Jan. 14.—tm.

IN CHANCERY.

18th Jan'y 1836.

ORDERED, That the report of the real estate of the late Dr. Matthias Hamilton, and reported by Daniel D. Dyer, Esq. trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown before the 18th day of March next, previous a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper at least once in each three successive weeks before the 18th day of February next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$3708 00.

True copy—Test.

RAMSAY WATERS,

Reg. Cur. Can.

Jan. 21.

FOR ANNAPOLIS AND EASTON.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

The Steam Boat MARYLAND, will leave Baltimore, on Sunday morning, the 27th inst.

at 9 o'clock, for Annapolis, and return in the afternoon; on Monday morning, at 7 o'clock for Annapolis, and return same day; on Tuesday at 7 o'clock, A. M. for Annapolis and Easton, return on Wednesday; and on Friday at 7 o'clock, A. M. for Annapolis and Easton, return on Saturday, starting from the lower end Dugan's wharf, passage same as last winter.

N. B.—All baggage at the owner's risk.

LESLIE G. TAYLOR.

PUBLIC SALE.
BY virtue of a decree of the Court of Chancery, the subscriber, as trustee, will offer at Public Sale, at the Court House in the city of Annapolis, on MONDAY, the 25th day of February next, for the purpose of ascertaining the expenses of the County, and laying the levy for the year 1835.

By order, J. COWMAN, Clk.

Feb. 4.—tm.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Saint Mary's county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Dr. William Thomas, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, at or before the 9th day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 26th January, 1836.

RACHEL THOMAS, Ex'r.

Feb. 4.

NOTICE IS TO GIVE NOTICE.

THAT the subscriber has obtained from the orphans court of Saint Mary's county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Adolphus Madison, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, properly authenticated, on or before the 4th day of August next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of January 1836.

GEORGE F. MADDOX, Adm'r. D. B. N.

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Fourth Year of Waldie's Library.

BOOKS BY MAIL. PROSPECTUS OF TWO NEW VOL- UMES FOR 1836.

THREE years have now elapsed since the proprietor of Waldie's Select Circulating Library laid before the public his original prospectus for a valuable library, the great features of which were cheapness, and the facility of a rapid transportation by mail. The most ample success has attended the enterprise, and the effects upon the reading community, it is believed, have been whole-some.

The fourth year will commence on the first Tuesday of January, 1836, at which period it will be necessary to determine the additional amount of copies to be printed, subscriptions being taken only from January of each year. The entire success of the Library is the best guarantee that can be given of its continuance. It was the first to supply books by mail, a mere per centage of their former cost; it has outlived more than thirty periodicals; it has been imitated and has now an extensive list of patrons who are of the most solid and valuable class of citizens in every part of the Union, as well as in foreign countries.

The object of Waldie's Library, its use and purpose, is enjoyment liberal and intellectual. To all who love a mental banquet, without being compelled to depend on places of public resort, this publication furnishes a most valuable desideratum, supply of public literature of a character to enlighten and improve the mind. The time and attention of the editor, himself a reader from inclination as well as duty, are devoted to the procuring of works of an elevated standard of intellect which may be admitted into every family without hesitation by the most fastidious, and become a rallying point for all its members, promoting social and better reading and conversation. The variety thus collected from the whole mass of published works, mostly in the English language, includes, Novels, and Travels, Fables, Tales, and History, personal memoirs of extraordinary individuals, and curious adventures. It also contains a large number of equal to any London or American volume, and is equal to one of the best of the kind. The plan thus embraces the whole range of popular literature, and the work has become so generally diffused in every part of the Union as to form an indispensable portion of the literature of the country, and a work which acquaintance has become nearly necessary to those who mix in society.

The Library has now conducted disseminates books to all parts of the country in from five to six weeks after their issue in London. Five dollars per annum expended in it will supply good reading for a whole circle or family for a cent and a half a line. postage included, a duodecimo book sent every week, making in the course of the year more than three hundred of 24's of Coleridge. One volume of the Library, containing from fifteen to twenty entire works, can be bound at an expense little exceeding that of binding either separately, and is considered a concentrated collection forming a never failing resource of amusement and instruction, and which must always be worth the price that has been paid for it. The most ample testimony to its value is contributed to the pleasure of thousands, and a bit for the resource it affords, must be left with minds unoccupied, or turned into unprofitable and unenjoyable society. This immense supply of periodical reading has thus been welcomed every where as a means of improvement, and a substitute for the small talk or idle listlessness so apt to employ a large portion of the time of the many.

Waldie's Library is published every Tuesday, accompanied by a cover of four quarto pages, entitled, The Journal of Belles Lettres, containing reviews of new books, literary intelligence of all kinds, tales, lists of new books, &c. thus combining the advantages of a Library, and the amusement of a magazine and newspaper; the whole for \$5.00 per annum, or for five individuals obtain five copies for \$20.00, a reduction which pays the postage. Payment always in advance.

Waldie's Port Folio and Companion to the Library.
This periodical contains half as much matter as the Library, at half its price; or both are furnished to clubs of five for \$6.00. Its contents consist of a reprint of the best matter from the London Magazines and Reviews, more especially Chambers's Edinburgh Journal. Its object is popular instruction and amusement, combined in such a manner as to excite the feelings of every member of the social circle. It enjoys an extensive circulation; price to single subscribers not taking the Library, \$3.50, postage paid.

A very limited number of complete sets of Library and Port Folio at the original subscription price, may be had for a short period. The Library has been published three years and the Port Folio one; an individual may now form a club by himself, and by paying for the past three years and the volumes for 1836 of the Library, and the Port Folio for 1835 and 1836, the whole can be had for \$20.00. For this an amount of matter may be procured which public approbation has stamped as truly valuable and unique for its kind. This privilege must, however, be of brief continuance.

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Vol. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Elizabeth Chaney, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them, legally authenticated, and those indebted are desired to make immediate payment to

SOLOMON GACHANEY, Esq.
Jan. 14.—Sw.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned respectfully apprises his friends and the public at large that he will attend at all times to the preparation of DEEDS OF MANUMISSION, BILLS OF SALE, BONDS, LETTERS OF ATTORNEY, ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT, &c. Office in Church street—nearly opposite the City Hotel.

FRANCIS M. JARBOE.
N. B. Having an approved form of Insolvent Blanks he will also attend to business having relation thereto, on moderate terms—for Cash.

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French, Italian, German, British and American Prints,
CONSISTING of the most beautiful Female Portraits; Sporting Landscapes; Historical, Sentimental, Caricature Engravings and Lithographs, ever offered in this city; all of which will be exhibited to such persons as will purchase to the amount of fifty cents, the frequent handling tending considerably to soil and otherwise retard the sale of them. The above beautiful collection of articles have just been received.—for sale by

F. M. JARBOE.

PROSPECTUS OF THE

WASHINGTON MIRROR.
Second Volume.

THE subscriber having purchased the Washington Mirror from its former proprietor, will in future be its conductor. The general plan of the Mirror, as heretofore, satisfactory to all our subscribers, and forming a comprehensive view of the city affairs in a manner unattempted by any other paper. This plan will be strictly adhered to. Our leading object being to lay hold of all local subjects and occurrences which have not been noticed in the daily papers, including Police reports, and all such matter as is of general interest, we have engaged the valuable services of Mr. WILLIAM THOMPSON as assistant editor, whose spirited and untiring exertions to establish this paper have been so eminently successful.

We propose to furnish brief abstracts of all political decisions which shall more particularly interest the citizens of this District. Also, a brief but comprehensive summary of Congress and proceedings thereon.

We propose to publish, during the session of Congress, a new edition, by which arrangement our constant subscribers will receive the latest Congressional Intelligence one day and a half sooner than through any other Washington paper.

We intend, if possible, to furnish a weekly list of all New Patents; a Bank note Table, and Prices Current of Washington, Alexandria, and Georgetown, corrected with the greatest accuracy; also, Stage, Steamboat, and Rail Road Registers.

We shall exert our best endeavours to elevate the literary character of the Mirror.—This can only be done by the co-operation of those minds which are able and willing to aid in the advancement of letters. We cannot, however, be so unjust to our subscribers as to make the Mirror an arena for the unskillful, since far more desirable must be allowed, would be judicious selections than mediocre originality.

We believe that the prospects of Washington demand such a paper as we intend to publish. She is already closely allied, by her soil, to a great and flourishing city, and is destined to be her competitor rather than rival, in exchanging the products of the country by means of her stupendous canal, she is about to be thrown, as it were, into the centre of an immense territory, where the resources of industry defy the reach of imagination, and where an amount of capital must soon be created which will astonish the most sanguine economist. Washington and Baltimore, as one mighty heart, must receive and return the current which will give vitality to the commerce of twenty millions of men.—Such, in fact, are our advantages, that prosperity must come in spite of causes which conspire to oppress us; but a sense of duty, carried into action, will relieve our embarrassments, and produce results of incalculable magnitude.

We propose, then, to supply a paper in some degree adapted to the wants of an important community; literary and miscellaneous family paper; a journal of current literature; a repository of commercial intelligence. And we appeal to an enlightened and liberal community to sustain us in our undertaking. Terms of the paper—two dollars, payable in all cases semi-annually in advance.

Washington, D. C.
CASH FOR ANY NUMBER OF NEGROES, including both sexes, from 10 to 35 years of age.
PERSONS having likely Servants to dispose of, and wishing the highest prices, will do well to give me a call, as I am determined to buy and give higher prices than any other purchaser, who is now or may come into this market. I can at all times be found at Mr. James Hunter's Tavern, in Annapolis. All communications directed to me will be promptly attended to.
ISAAC F. PURVIS.

Patapsco Bank of Maryland.

NOTICE is hereby given, to the Stockholders of this Institution, that the balance of fifteen dollars on each share of stock is required to be paid at the Banking House, in the following instalments, viz:

The third instalment of five dollars per share, on the 15th December next, of which due notice has been given.
The fourth instalment of five dollars per share on the 5th of February next.

The fifth and last instalment, of five dollars per share, on the 1st of April next. Stockholders who pay their instalments before the periods above designated, will be allowed to participate in the profits of the Institution from the first day of the month, next ensuing the date of their respective payments.

By order of the President and Directors,
H. CAMPBELL, Cashier.
Nov. 5, 1835.

A BARGAIN.

THE undersigned intending to transfer his Publication office to the Eastward, offers to sell the PRESSES, TYPE and MATERIALS used in the Public Work. If there be an Editor printer of the party who dares to become a competitor for the printing, we will furnish an office and the materials to do the work, and take orders on the Clerk of the House of Representatives in payment. The patronage of the Department is worth from twelve to twenty thousand dollars per annum, and that of the House as much more. Will editors with whom we exchange give this one or two insertions.
DUFF GREEN.
Nov. 5.

FOR ANNAPOLIS.

THE STEAM BOAT MARYLAND will go to Annapolis, on Sunday the 20th, and 27th inst. and return same day, leaving the lower end of Dugan's wharf, at 9 o'clock, A. M. Passengers same as last year.
N. B.—All baggage at the owner's risk.
LEWIS G. TAYLOR.
Dec. 24.

Anne Arundel County, &c.

ON application to the subscriber, Chief Judge of Anne Arundel County Court, by petition, in writing, of Henry Watts of Anne Arundel county, stating that he is now in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled, An Act for the relief of sundry Insolvent Debtors, passed at December session 1835, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein mentioned; a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, and of the debts due to him, on oath, so far as he can ascertain the same, being annexed to his petition, and the said Henry Watts having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, and the said Henry Watts having given sufficient security for his personal appearance at the County Court of Anne Arundel county, to answer such interrogatories and allegations as may be made against him, and I having appointed Joshua Watts his trustee, who has given bond as such, and received from said Henry Watts a conveyance and possession of all his property, real, personal and mixed; I do hereby order and adjudge that the said Henry Watts be discharged from imprisonment, and that he give notice to his creditors, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Anne Arundel County, once a week for three consecutive months, before the third Monday in April next, to appear before the said County Court, at the Court House of said county, in the city of Annapolis on the said third Monday in April next, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Henry Watts should not have the benefit of the said Act and supplements as prayed. Given under my hand the eleventh day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.
THOS. B. DORSEY.
Dec. 24.—3m.

Anne Arundel County, &c.

ON application by petition in writing of James Frazier, to me the subscriber, Chief Judge of the Orphans Court for the said county, praying the benefit of the Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session 1835, and the several supplements thereto, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, (on oath so far as he can ascertain them,) being annexed to his said petition, and I being satisfied by competent testimony that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, and the said James Frazier having given sufficient security for his personal appearance at the County Court of Anne Arundel County, to answer such interrogatories and allegations as may be made against him, and I having appointed Henry Meadford his trustee, who has given bond as such, and received from the said James Frazier a conveyance and possession of all his property, real, personal and mixed—I do hereby order and adjudge, that the said James Frazier be discharged from confinement, and that he give notice to his creditors, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in the city of Annapolis, once a week for three successive months, before the third Monday in April next, to show cause, if any they have, why the said James Frazier should not have the benefit of the said Act and Supplements as prayed. Given under my hand the 31st December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.
GIDEON WHITE.
Jan. 7.—3m.

PROSPECTUS OF A NEW PUBLICATION TO BE CALLED

The Catholic Periodical Library.
Which is designed to be a reprint of all the best Catholic Works in the English Language, in weekly numbers, at 8 cents each.

THE dearth and scarcity of the best Catholic works must long have been a source of regret to every intelligent and observing Catholic in America. So limited has been the sale, and so great the expense of printing these books, that but few individuals in the country have been sufficiently enterprising to undertake their publication; and their price, in consequence, has been more than proportionably high. In fact, so dear have Catholic books in general been, that it has been entirely impossible for the poorer members of the Catholic community, who stand most in need of instruction, and for whom the books have in general been compiled, to obtain copies, even of those works which are nearly essential to the practice of their religion.

The subscriber has long since observed this fact with the utmost regret, and may certainly say, that up to this time, he has at least done something to reduce the price of the most necessary Catholic works. Our religious books are still, however, extremely dear, and the Subscriber, depending on the support of a liberal and enlightened Catholic community, has determined to issue a Periodical publication, which, by its cheapness, will place all the best Catholic works within the reach of the poorest individual; and from the neatness and elegance of its execution will be found worthy of a place in the libraries of the rich. Such a publication as that which the subscriber proposes to issue, has long been called for by the exigencies of the Catholic community; and the rapidly increasing number of the members of our Holy Church seems fully to justify him in the expectation that it will meet with sufficient encouragement to enable him to conduct it successfully. He, therefore, notwithstanding the expense and risk attending it, and confiding entirely in the liberality and generosity of his fellow Catholics of the United States and the Canadas has resolved to put it to press forthwith; and he therefore throws himself on his Catholic brethren, and calls on them for their support and patronage.

In this undertaking he is principally encouraged by the hope that it will meet with the cordial approbation of the clergy in general; and that he will be aided by the powerful assistance of that learned and devoted body of men. The undertaking is one which is eminently calculated to disseminate the principles of our holy religion widely throughout the community, and to assist the clergy in the discharge of their parochial duties by affording, at an uncommonly low rate, all the necessary knowledge and instruction. The subscriber, therefore earnestly requests that the Bishops and Clergy in general will exert their powerful influence in order to increase the popularity of the work and to obtain a sufficient number of subscribers to enable him to carry it on with success. By these means they will augment the spiritual comforts of their charges, and contribute, in a great measure, to dispel the prejudices by which our brethren of the other denominations are unfortunately blinded.

TERMS:
The Catholic Periodical Library will be published in Weekly numbers, of fifty pages each, duodecimo size, on fine royal paper and beautiful new type, stitched in handsome wrappers, and will embrace the whole of the most celebrated Controversial and Devotional works, together with a large fund of ecclesiastical history. The first number will be issued on Saturday, November 7th.—Terms of subscription \$4 Per Annum, or Eight Cents per Number, payable in advance.

Liberal commissions will be allowed to Agents. Any six persons, who may live at a distance, remitting a twenty dollar note, may have six copies of the work sent them for one year.
N. B. Postmasters throughout the country are requested to act as agents.
The following is a list of a few of the works which will be issued in this publication, and which will follow each other in rapid succession.

Moore's Travels of an Irish Gentleman in search of a religion; Bossuet's History of the Variations of the Protestant Churches; The Faith of Catholics, by Kirk and Berrington; Hayward's True Church of Christ shown; Hayward's Charity and Truth; Mores Catholicus, or Ages of Faith; Munford's Questions; Munford's Catholic Scriptures; Lingard's History of the Anglo-Saxon Church; Perpetuity of the Faith; Dr. M. Hale's Evidence of the Catholic Church; Fleury's Manners of the Israelites; Fleury's Manners of Christians; Jannet's Ecclesiastical History of Ireland; Bishop Hay's Works; Prince Gallitzin's Controversial Writings; Manning's Works; O'Leary's Tracts; St. Bonaventure's Life of Christ; Challoner's Meditations; Butler's Book of the Catholic Church; Butler's Festivals and Fasts; Butler's Lives of Saints; Dr. Lingard's edition of Ward's Errata.

The above is a collection of Standard Catholic Works, which could not be purchased for less than seventy dollars; and it would be almost impossible to obtain many of the works included in it at any price whatever. The collection can now be obtained in this cheap and elegant Periodical for the uncommonly low price of about Twenty Dollars.

All new Catholic Works will be published in the Periodical Library as soon as received; and able translators will be provided for all the European publications of peculiar excellence.
JOHN DOYLE, Bookseller, N. Y.
Editors of Papers in the country by giving the above a few insertions, and sending the papers containing it to the publisher, will entitle themselves to a copy of the work for one year.

FOR SALE.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, which I at present reside.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, in which the late General Richard Wood resided at the time of his death.
TH. S. ALEXANDER.

TO THE PRINTERS OF THE UNITED STATES.

J. SPITALL,
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RESPECTFULLY announces to the Printers of the United States that he has commenced the manufacture of WOOD LETTERS.

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A liberal discount for cash. Six months credit on the most approved security. Orders from the country promptly attended to. All letters must be post paid.

Editors of papers in the country who will give the above advertisement a few insertions, and forward a paper containing the same to the advertiser, will be paid therefor in any of the above mentioned materials.

Anne Arundel County, &c.

ON application by petition in writing of Edward Holland, to me the subscriber, Chief Judge of the Orphans Court for the said county, praying the benefit of the Act of Assembly, entitled, "An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session, 1835, and the several supplements thereto, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors (on oath so far as he could ascertain them) being annexed to his said petition, and I being satisfied that the said Edward Holland has resided in the state of Maryland for two years next preceding the date of his said petition, and I having appointed James Navy trustee for the benefit of the creditors of the said Edward Holland, which said trustee has given bond to due form for the faithful performance of his trust, and the said Edward Holland having given bond with security for his personal appearance in Anne Arundel County Court, on the third Monday in April next, to answer to allegations or interrogatories of his creditors, and having executed a deed of conveyance to his said trustee for all his property, real, personal and mixed, and the trustee having certified the delivery thereof to him by the said Edward Holland, I do hereby order and adjudge that the said Edward Holland give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the newspapers printed in the city of Annapolis, once a week for the term of three months, to appear before Anne Arundel county Court, to be held in the city of Annapolis on the third Monday of April next, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Edward Holland should not have the benefit of the said act and supplements as prayed.
GIDEON WHITE.
Jan. 14.—3m.

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