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PROPOSALS
For Publishing by Subscription, at the Air,
Harford County, Maryland,
A HUMOROUS PUBLICATION,
TO BE ENTITLED
THE MIRROR OF MIRTH.

Who that twinkled care decides,
And laughter holding both its sides."

THE subscriber, fully aware himself, that
the present world tends more to blunt the ar-
dent feelings of youth, and to promote health and hap-
piness, than to excite the passions, and to lead to
the commission of crimes, is induced to try
the experiment of starting a publication which
shall be the mirror of mirth. It is unnecessary
to say, that he will expect, before
the publication, the names of a
large number of persons to pay all the ex-
penses which will be incurred, and when he
sees his friends that his calculations on the
expense are not very extravagant, he
will be inclined to be more inclined to
be a contributor to the publication.

The pages of the MIRROR OF MIRTH will be
entirely free from all party spirit, whether in
religion or politics. And while the most ac-
curately devoted will find nothing to condemn,
those who make no profession of religion will
find in every line something to please, to amuse,
and to delight.

The publication will contain witty Anec-
dotes, Epigrams, Bon Mots, Enigmas,
Puzzles, Riddles, Choice Sentiments,
and the best writers of the age; and a col-
lection of the best Maxims, on various subjects,
which are to be found in the most approved
authors. The Editor of the MIRROR OF MIRTH
will strive to make it worthy of the support of
the community in all parts of this State, and
of the friends of the country.

TERMS.
The MIRROR OF MIRTH, will be printed on
good paper, and on good type, and will
contain 8 octavo pages weekly, at the
price of \$1 per annum, payable on
the first of the first No. \$1.25 if paid at
the end of six months; and \$1.50 if payment
be deferred until the end of the year. Fifty
numbers will comprise a year, or one volume
of 416 pages.

Should a sufficient degree of encourage-
ment be given, the MIRROR will be embellished
occasionally, with numerous engravings.
Gentlemen procuring five or more copies
will be entitled to a sixth copy gratis.
Those who procure ten, or more subscrip-
tions, will receive a copy gratis, and a per cent.
on all money paid by subscription.

If a sufficient number of names shall be
obtained to justify the expense, the publication
will be commenced as soon after the first of
January as practicable; of which due notice
will be given.

Persons holding subscription papers will
return the same previous to the first day
of January, 1834.

Is there no work of the kind print-
ed in Maryland, and as the price will suit the
circumstances of almost every one, the subscriber
will calculate on a large number of
readers.

LYNDE ELLIOTT.
Our Editorial brethren who copy the a-
bove, will confer a favor on the publisher, and
will entitle themselves to the publication
of their papers. Please mark the
manuscript when you insert.

TO LET,
A FARM in Maryland, containing two hun-
dred and fifty acres of land, and being
the estate of the late Miss Ann Jarvis.
The property is partly situated on the Bay
shore, where Oysters and Wild Fowl abound,
and is good. For further particulars ap-
ply to the undersigned.

JAMES F. BRICE,
Trustee of Miss A. Jarvis.
Possession can be had immediately.

THE JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES.
A NEW AND STRIKING CHARACTER ADDED TO
WALDIE'S
CIRCULATING LIBRARY.
THE Proprietor of this work, anxious to gra-
tify his readers to as great an extent as his
means will allow, respectfully announces to the
public that the very liberal patronage he has
received has enabled him to add a new feature
to this periodical, which he believes cannot fail
to prove interesting and valuable.

THE JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES, embrac-
ing three to four pages of additional new mat-
ter, will be given every week as an accom-
paniment to the Circulating Library, and will
contain:

1. Early reprints of the reviews and notices
of new books, from the weekly and monthly
periodical press of London, &c. These reviews
will be carefully selected with reference both
to imparting correct information respecting
such new books as are reprinted in America,
and to convey literary intelligence in regard to
works which rarely find their way across the
Atlantic. As great exertions will be used to
make this department instructive and enter-
taining, the proprietor is confident that it will
be considered an important addition, by means
of which his numerous subscribers will be
enabled to avoid the expense of purchasing such
books as are printed on the calculation that
their titles or the reputation of their authors
will sell the edition. This part of the Journal
will embrace a considerable amount of ex-
tract from new books of travels, memoirs, biography,
novels, and in fact present a bird's eye view
of new publications, early diffused through the
Union, by means of the facilities of mail trans-
portation.

The London Literary Gazette will be culled
for this purpose, while the "Critical Notices,"
of the London Metropolitan, the Monthly,
New Monthly, the Gentleman's, Blackwood's,
Fair's, Edinburgh, Fraser's, and other Maga-
zines, already regularly received by the editor,
will be freely used.

2. Varied, embracing literary anecdotes,
new discoveries in science and the arts, sketches
of society and manners abroad, literary and
learned transactions, short notices of new books,
and every species of information interesting
to lovers of reading, with occasional spec-
imens of the humorous departments of the
London press, which are within the bounds of
good taste, and are now published in no other
journal in America.
3. A regular list of the new books published
and in progress in London and America.
4. Occasional original notices of new Amer-
ican publications, with extracts embracing
their prominent features of excellence or de-
fect.

No additional charge will be made for
this great increase of a living matter. It will
be contained on the pages of the cover of the
Library, and the subject-subscribers who
receive their numbers by mail to no additional
expense of postage.

A. WALDIE.
Several applications having been made to
ascertain the manner in which the original de-
partment of notices of new books will be con-
ducted, we take the present early opportunity
of stating that, at least they shall meet one
quintessence of the UNBROUGHT. The presenta-
tion of a copy by the publisher shall not be a
passport to praise, when the merits of the work
do not warrant it; so that our readers may be
assured of two things: First—books shall not
be noticed the next day after they are received;
and, secondly, they shall not be reviewed be-
fore they have been read. We have no royal
road to puffing, and will be the less likely,
therefore, to fall into the error of an unskilful
writer, who, in his anxiety to be the first to blow
the bellows of criticism, read the preface only
of a duodecimo, and gravely entered his ap-
probation of two chapters which, unfortunately
for his critical acumen, had been omitted, while
the preface reference to them had been, by mis-
take, retained! This predicament was worse
than that of the London editor, who, who
criticized some passages of Cooke's acting, and
found when he rose next morning, and his paper
was all over London, that the play had been
postponed.

For the rest, time must develop our course
and our capabilities; in cases where the usual
courtesy of the trade is not extended to this
journal, unlike most of our contemporaries, we
shall buy what books we want, and give to such
as deserve it a careful perusal.

The prospectus, and some technical difficul-
ties always attending the first issue of a new
journal, make the present number but a partial
specimen of its future promise.

July 4.

GEORGE M'NEIR,
MERCHANT TAILOR.
AS just returned from New York, Phila-
delphia and Baltimore, where he has sup-
plied himself, direct from the importers, with a
LARGE and HANDSOME assortment of
CLOTHS, CASSIMERS AND
VESTINGS
In his assortment there is to be found all col-
ours and quality. He invites his friends and
the public, to whom he feels himself under man-
y obligations, to call and examine for them-
selves, as to price and quality.

ALSO:
An assortment of GLOVES, STOCKS,
SUSPENDERS and SILK HOSE, &c. &c.
Oct. 17.

WILLIAM BRYAN,
MERCHANT TAILOR.
TAKES this method of returning his sincere
thanks to his friends, and the public in
general, for the liberal patronage they have
heretofore bestowed upon him, and begs leave
to inform them, that he has been compelled,
from the heavy calamity which befel him on
the 29th October, to remove his shop to the
brick building owned by Washington G. Tuck,
Esq., one door below the Store of Messrs. Hart
& Franklin, and nearly opposite the residence
of Dr. Dennis Claude, where he intends carry-
ing on his business in his usual manner; and
where he will be happy to accommodate his
friends in the line of his profession. He was,
by the aid of his fellow-citizens, enabled, on
the morning of the 31st of October, to save a
portion of his stock on hand, and, in a short
time, to be enabled to reinstate his whole
stock. He therefore confidently solicits the
former patronage of his friends, together with
that of the public at large.

Nov. 7.

RICHARD THOMPSON,
PAINTER AND GLAZIER.
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and
the public that he has removed from his
former residence near the Ball Room to the
House in the vicinity of the Bath, by the
South-west of the Court House, where he may
be found at all times, and he will be happy
to receive any orders in his line of business.

Oct. 31.

LINNEAN BOTANIC GARDEN
AND NURSERIES,
FLUSHING, NEAR NEW YORK.
WILLIAM PRINCE & SONS, announce
to the public that, from the immense
extent of their establishment, they are enabled
to furnish such Trees of the various kinds as
cannot fail to give satisfaction by their superior
size, vigour, &c. and that Nurseries at present
contain more than a million of Trees and Plants
in the most thrifty state. Among these are above
50,000 Pear trees of 3 and 4 years growth, from
the graft, comprising the most choice new Flem-
ish and other varieties of modern origin. Their
new Catalogues, with the reduced prices, will
be forwarded to every applicant, and are as
follow:

1. Fruit and Hardy Ornamental
Trees, Shrubs and Plants, p p
93.
2. Bulbous and Tuberous rooted
Plants and Dahlias, &c. p p
24.
3. Greenhouse Trees, Shrubs and
Plants, p p 50.
4. Catalogue of Vegetable, Field
and Flower seeds.

To the Proprietors of Nurseries, and to
those who may wish to establish new Nurseries,
they will furnish and articles desired at a liberal
discount and a convenient credit; and in all
other cases where large quantities are wanted,
a reasonable abatement will be made. They
will also supply all vendors of Seeds, and those
who wish to engage in this business, with every
variety of Vegetable, Field and Flower Seeds,
at very low rates. These seeds possess the
advantage of being raised under their own su-
pervision, or when imported, of being tested
to their satisfaction, and their accuracy and vi-
tality are expressly guaranteed. Many new
and choice varieties will be found in the Cata-
logues which have never before been offered to
the public. The collection of Bulbous Flower
roots and Dahlias is particularly rich and
extensive, and of the latter they have a spec-
imen bed covering an acre of ground, and com-
prising 600 varieties now in full splendour—
Bulbous roots and Dahlias can be easily trans-
ported, and may be vendid in a day state in
seed stores &c. and an establishment for the
sale of these articles ought to exist in every
town in the Union.—It will be readily per-
ceived that the great number of Trees, &c.
always in the Nurseries, enables the Proprietors
to make superior selections, and accords
to all applicants this particular advantage.

It is desired that all orders be sent direct per
mail to the Proprietors, and the utmost atten-
tion will be given to forwarding them by the
speediest route, &c.

Catalogues may be seen at this of-
fice.

Oct. 10.

NOTICE
To the Stockholders of the Tobacco
Inspection Warehouse.
THE Stockholders of the said Tobacco In-
spection Warehouse are hereby notified
to pay to Mr. Adam Miller, secretary of said
company, one dollar and sixty cents on
each share they may hold, agreeable to the de-
cision of the president and directors of said
company, this amount being necessary to dis-
charge a judgment of Adam and John Miller,
amounting to \$319.50, and other claims a
mounting in the whole including said judg-
ment, to \$439.24.

H. MAYNARD, President.
R. JONES, Directors.
J. MILLER,
Nov. 21.

TATE OF MARYLAND, SC.
Anne Arundel County, Orphans Court.
November 19th 1833.
ON application by petition of Robert Welch
of Ben. and Stephen L. Lee, Executors
of the last will and testament of Stephen Lee,
late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is
ordered that they give the notice required by
law for creditors to exhibit their claims against
the said deceased, and that the same be pub-
lished once in each week for the space of six
successive weeks, in one of the newspapers
published in Annapolis.

SAM'L BROWN, Junr.
Reg. Wills A. A. county.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
THAT the subscribers of Anne Arundel
county, have obtained from the Orphans Court
of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters
testamentary on the personal estate of Stephen
Lee, late of said county deceased. All per-
sons having claims against the said deceased,
are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the
vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at or be-
fore the 19th day of May next, they may other-
wise by law be excluded from all benefit of the
said estate. Given under our hands this 19th
day of November 1833.

STEPHEN L. LEE, Executors.

IN CHANCERY,
Dec 23, 1833.
Robert Oliver, Adm'r. pendente lite of Charles
Carroll of Carrollton.
Edmund Harding, and others.
THE Bill Original in this case states—That
before the year 1818, Charles Carroll, of
Carrollton, sold to Edmund Harding, of Mont-
gomery county, a tract of land, lying in said
county called "Heritage"—That about twenty-
six hundred dollars of the purchase money is
still due. It prays a sale of the said land
for the payment of this money. It is stated,
that the said Edmund Harding is dead; that
Edmund Harding, the son, and Charles J.
Queen, and Maria his wife, who are Defen-
dants, live out of the state. A petition of re-
vivor has been filed in this case by Robert Ol-
iver, administrator pendente lite of the said
Charles Carroll of Carrollton, stating that each
of the said Carroll, and that Josiah Harding,
one of the defendants, has removed beyond the
limits of this state.

Whereupon it is ordered by this court, that
unless the said absent defendant, Josiah Hard-
ing, appear in this court, and file his answer,
on or before the 21st day of March next, the
said original bill and petition of revivor shall
be taken pro confesso against him; and unless
the said absent defendants Edmund Harding
and Charles J. Queen and wife, appear and file
their answer to the said petition of revivor on
or before the said last mentioned day, the same
shall be taken pro confesso against them; Pro-
vided a copy of this order, and the sub-
stance of said bill and petition, be published
in some news paper of Annapolis three suc-
cessive weeks before the first day of February
next.

True copy—Test.
RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Can.
Dec. 26.

A CARD.
CHARLES W. DORRIS & SAMUEL
W. DORRIS, Attorneys at Law, have as-
sociated themselves in the practice of their pro-
fession in Montgomery and Anne Arundel
counties, and in the various courts held
in the cities of Baltimore and Annapolis.—
Charles S. W. Dorris may be seen at his
firm near Elliott's Mills. Samuel W. Dor-
ris at his Office in Court and Street Baltimore.
Dec. 12—3w*

FOR ANnapolis, CAMBRIDGE AND
EASTON.
The Steam Boat MA-
RYLAND, commenced
her route on TUESDAY,
the 9th inst, leaving the
lower end of Dugan's
Wharf, at 7 o'clock, P. M. for Annapolis,
(Cambridge by Castle Haven,) and Easton, and
return from the Eastern Shore on every Wed-
nesday and Saturday, leaving Easton at 7 A.
M. by Castle Haven and Annapolis. She will
commence her Chestertown Trip on Monday,
22d April, leaving Baltimore at 6 o'clock, and
return the same day, leaving Chestertown at 1
o'clock, calling at Corsica wharf, for the Cen-
treville passengers.
N. B. All baggage at the owners risk.
Passage to or from Easton or Cambridge, 82.50
Passage to or from Annapolis, 1.50
Passage to Chestertown or Corsica, 2.00
Children under 12 years of age half price.
LEWIS G. TAYLOR, Master.
May 2

CASH IN MARKET.
THE subscriber wishes to
purchase a number of Slaves
of both sexes, for which he will
pay in Cash a higher price than
any other purchaser in the mar-
ket. Persons having them to
dispose of will communicate with him at Mr.
James Hunter's Tavern.
WILLIAM HOOPER,
Annapolis Oct. 24—11.

WALDIE'S
CIRCULATING LIBRARY.
NOTICE.—For the sake of combining the
old and new series, and making the third
volume correspond both in date and manner,
the subscriber has concluded to print thirteen
additional numbers to the second volume of
the first or old series. These numbers will be
furnished gratuitously to those who commen-
ced with No. 1 and No. 6, and who have paid
their subscription, or who shall have paid it
before the 26th No. of Volume 2 is issued.
Those whose subscriptions remain unsettled at
the publication of that No. will be struck off
the list, and charged six dollars, as lately
announced.

To those who have really patronized the
"Library," by prompt payment of their sub-
scription, very sincere acknowledgments are
tendered, and a continuance of their patron-
age respectfully requested.

ADAM WALDIE.
Sept. 5

A TEACHER WANTED.
PRIMA School District, No. 11, is
without a teacher. Application, accom-
panied with satisfactory testimonials of abili-
ties, and exemplary character, to be made to
the subscribers.
LEO AND IGLEHART,
ISAAC H. HOPKINS,
SAMUEL E. DUVAL, Trustees.
Nov. 7—3w

WANTED,
A LAD, 16 or 17 years of age, who writes a
fair hand, well versed in Arithmetic, of
good morals and respectable connections, as an
apprentice to the Mercantile business in a
Country Store, where an extensive business has
been done for a number of years. For further
information application can be made to the
Editor, or Thomas G. Waters, Esq. Annapolis,
by letter in the hand writing of the applicant.
Oct. 17

PUBLIC SALE.
BY virtue of two deeds of trust from Dr.
John W. Hammond to the subscriber, and
in pursuance of an agreement between John
Gruen, Esq. trustee of the said Hammond, and
the subscriber, will be sold at public sale, on
the premises, on Monday the 13th day of
January next, at 12 o'clock, M.

A FARM,
Situated on the Anne Arundel county side of
Patuxent river, opposite Fort Mifflin, and
adjoining the Farm of Rd. Cromwell, Esq.,
containing about

486 ACRES.
This Farm is well wooded, and from its situ-
ation, being distant about two and a half miles
from Baltimore, and convenient to the water,
offers a desirable and advantageous mode of
investment for capitalists.

THE TERMS OF SALE ARE,
One third of the purchase money to be paid in
cash, one third in six months, and the balance
in twelve months from the day of sale, or at
the option of the purchaser, one third of the
purchase money in twelve months, one third in
two years, and the balance in three years from
the day of sale. Bonds or notes with good
security, to be given for the several instal-
ments, securing the payment of the interest
semi annually.

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY.
Dec. 12—18.

FOR RENT
For the ensuing Year.
The Case known as the Half-
way House between Baltimore and
Annapolis. This place has all the
necessary accommodations, such as
good Stables, Garden, Ice House, and has
also attached to it a small Farm of good Land.
Possession if desired, can at once be obtained,
as the present tenant is willing to give it up.
For terms apply to Dan'l. Murray Esq. near
Elk Ridge Landing, or the subscriber living in
Annapolis.
J. MURRAY.
Sept. 19.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
THAT the subscriber hath obtained from
the Orphans Court of St. Mary's county,
letters of Administration De Bonis Non on the
personal estate of John Leigh, Lewis, late
of said county, deceased. All persons having
claims against said deceased, are hereby warn-
ed to exhibit for same, with the vouchers
thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 1st
day of June next, they may otherwise by law
be excluded from all benefit of the said es-
tate. Given under my hand this 18th day of
November, 1833.
CLEMENT BROWN, Adm'r.
D. B. N.
Nov. 23.

NOTICE
THAT the subscribers of Anne Arundel
county, have obtained from the Orphans Court
of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters
testamentary on the personal estate of John Leigh,
Lewis, late of said county, deceased. All per-
sons having claims against the said deceased,
are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the
vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or be-
fore the 1st day of June next, they may other-
wise by law be excluded from all benefit of the
said estate. Given under my hand this 18th day
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AT THE BRICK BUILDING ON THE PUB-
LIC CIRCLE.
PRICE—THREE DOLLARS PER ANNUM.
LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND
HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Tuesday, December 31st, 1833.

Present the same members as on yester-

day. Wesley Litchum, Esq. a delegate returned for Anne Arundel county, William W. Brady, Esq. a delegate returned for Somerset county, Josiah Hawkins, Esq. a delegate returned for Charles county, and Jacob Lantz, Esq. a delegate returned for Allegany county. Generally appeared, qualified, and took their seats.

The house proceeded to ballot for a speaker. The ballots of the members being collected in the ballot box, on examination thereof, it appeared that Thomas Wright, Esq. received forty votes, and that Hugh Ely, Esq. received thirty-eight votes.

Whereupon, Thomas Wright, Esq. was elected speaker of the house, and accordingly took the chair. The house proceeded to ballot for chief clerk, the ballots of the members being collected in the ballot box, on examination thereof, it appeared that Louis Gassaway received forty-one votes, and that George G. Brewer received thirty-seven votes.

Whereupon Louis Gassaway was declared elected chief clerk of the House of Delegates, who qualified as such.

The house proceeded to ballot for assistant clerk, the ballots of the members being collected in the ballot box, on examination thereof, it appeared that George W. Sharp received forty-one votes, and that S. H. Taggart received thirty-nine votes.

Whereupon, George W. Sharp was declared elected assistant clerk of the House of Delegates, who qualified as such.

Mr. Blakistone submitted the following order, which was read and adopted.

Ordered, That two persons on the West shore, and three on the Eastern Shore, having the highest number of votes, be the committee clerks to this house.

The house then proceeded to ballot for five committee clerks, the ballots of the members being collected in the ballot box, on examination thereof, it appeared that Thomas Johns, William B. Dorsey, for the Western shore, and Levin Jones, Robert B. A. Tate, and Henry L. Gale, for the Eastern Shore, were elected, who generally qualified as such.

The clerk of the senate delivered the following message:

Members of the House of Delegates, The senate is ready to proceed with the business of the session. They have chosen Benjamin S. Forrest, President, Joseph H. Johnson, clerk. The senate will meet at 10 o'clock A. M. and sit until 3 o'clock P. M. for the dispatch of public business.

Mr. Blakistone submitted the following message:

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Members of the Senate, We have received your message informing of your organization and readiness to proceed with the business of the session; this we are also ready to proceed to business, we elected the Hon. Thomas Wright, Esq. speaker and Louis Gassaway, Esq. clerk, and adjourned to sit from 10 o'clock, in the morning till 3 P. M. for the dispatch of public business.

On motion by Brewer, Ordered, That Messrs. Brewer and Maffit, sit on the Rev. Mr. Gere, and request his attendance on this house every morning at 10 o'clock, during the present session, to perform his service.

Mr. Brewer submitted the following message:

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Blakistone was ordered to lie on the table.

Members of the Senate, We propose with the consent of your honorable body, to appoint a committee to consist of five members of this house, conjointly with such gentlemen as may be appointed by senate on their part, to contract for and print the public printing. We have appointed Messrs. Brewer, Schley, Harris, and Sutton, on the part of this house.

On motion by Mr. Sutherland, Ordered, That Gottlieb T. Grammer, be appointed Sergeant at Arms, and John Quynn, be keeper, to this house, during the present session; who severally qualified as such.

On motion of Mr. Miller, of Charles, Ordered, That the clerk cause the members of this house, to be furnished during the present session, with such newspapers as they may direct, the expense whereof for each member not to exceed the price of one daily paper.

Mr. Blakistone, submitted the following message:

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

and inform him we are prepared to receive any communication he may be pleased to make. We have appointed Messrs. Blakistone and Wharton to join such gentlemen as may be appointed by your honorable body.

On motion by Mr. Moores, Ordered, That the rules and regulations for the government of the last house of delegates, be adopted as the rules for the government of this house, until they be revised or other rules be adopted, and that the clerk cause a copy to be furnished to each of the members.

Mr. Brewer, and Mr. Maffit, appointed to wait on the Rev. Mr. Gere, and request his attendance on this house to perform divine service, informed the speaker that they had performed that duty, and that he would attend accordingly.

The house then adjourned, until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, January 1, 1834.

The House met. Mr. Roberts presented a memorial of George W. Cummings and Jacob Raymond, of the state of Delaware, praying for the passage of a law authorizing them, to remove into and all in the state of Delaware a certain negro woman in whom John Cummings, deceased, possessed an undivided term.

Mr. Jones, of Somerset, presented a petition of sundry citizens of Somerset county, praying for an additional election district in said county.

Mr. White presented a petition of Henry W. Talbot of Montgomery county, praying the passage of a law to authorize the introduction of certain slaves into this state from the state of Virginia.

Mr. Mann obtained leave to bring in a bill authorizing the revaluation and reassessment of the real and personal property in Washington county.

Ordered, That Messrs. Mann, Grove and Wharton, report the same.

Mr. Palmer obtained leave to bring in a bill to extend the powers of the court of Chancery, and the county courts as courts of equity.

Ordered, That the committee on the judiciary to be hereafter appointed report the same.

Mr. Fassitt obtained leave to bring in a bill to change the manner of electing the senate of Maryland.

Ordered, That Messrs. Fassitt, Gantt, Jones of Baltimore, Bruff and Blakistone, report the same.

Mr. Wharton obtained leave to bring in a bill, to extend the jurisdiction of magistrates, in Washington county.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wharton, Hunt, house and Mann, report the same.

Mr. Palmer obtained leave to bring in a bill, to alter and change the manner of electing the Governor of this state.

Ordered, That the committee on elections to be hereafter appointed report the same.

Mr. Wharton obtained leave to bring in a bill, to prevent the sending of medicines in this state, by any other than regularly established and licensed apothecaries.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wharton, Nichols and Day, report the same.

Mr. Handy obtained leave to bring in a bill, concerning guardians and wards.

Ordered, That Messrs. Handy, Long and Jones of Somerset, report the same.

Mr. Berry obtained leave to bring in a bill, to abolish the Executive Council of Maryland.

Ordered, That the committee on elections to be hereafter appointed, report the same.

Mr. Sifford obtained leave to bring in a bill, altering the present manner of electing Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States.

Ordered, That the committee on elections to be hereafter appointed, report the same.

On motion by Mr. Crabbs, Ordered, That the message relative to the public printing, be made the order of the day for Friday next.

Mr. Barchenal, submitted the following resolution which was read the first and second time by special order and assented to.

Resolved, by the General Assembly of Maryland, that Joshua R. Barwick, of Caroline county, be and he is hereby authorized to sell at public or private sale, the wheels and fragments of a cannon which exploded in Greensborough at the celebration of fourth of July last, and pay over to the Treasurer of the Eastern shore, the proceeds after deducting the usual fees allowed on executions, as compensation for his trouble.

Mr. Ely, submitted the following order, which was read and adopted:

Ordered, That a committee of seven be appointed by the chair to take into consideration the present constitution of Maryland, what parts thereof should be abolished, and what improvements and amendments ought to be made therein, and report to this house by bill or otherwise.

The Speaker, appointed Messrs. Ely, Pratt, Smith of Worcester, Unkefer, Blakistone, Jones of Baltimore, and Wailes, to constitute the said committee.

The house then adjourned, until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Thursday, January 2d, 1834.

The resolution authorizing the sale of the wheels and fragments of a cannon, was sent to the Senate.

Mr. Wright of Dorchester, presented a memorial of sundry citizens of this state, praying the passage of a law to incorporate the Choptank steam boat and navigation company of Maryland.

Mr. Moores presented a petition of George Carnes, of Harford county, praying for the passage of a law authorizing the judges of Harford county court to confirm the proceedings of the commissioners, appointed to divide the real estate of Richard Hope, deceased.

Mr. Scott presented a petition of Zadok Robinson, of Prince Georges county, praying to be authorized to bring certain slaves into this state from the state of Virginia.

Mr. Willson presented a petition of John Griffith and others of Montgomery county, praying for a road to be laid out and opened from Clarksburg in said county, to intersect the Barnsville road, at or near William Sellman's Mill.

Mr. Willson, also presented a petition of Joseph Hall, of Montgomery county, praying for support.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore, presented a memorial of Jacob Myers, and others, praying for an act of incorporation of the Peoples Gas Light Company, of Baltimore.

Mr. Day, presented a petition of David Du Vall, of Prince Georges county, praying for an increase of his pension.

Mr. Willson, presented a petition of Massey Dowlen, of Montgomery county, praying for support.

Mr. Scott, presented a petition of Mackal S. Cox, and others, of Prince Georges county, praying to have Jane Elizabeth and Mary Houck, infants, placed upon the pension list.

Mr. Rolgey, presented a petition of John Gauer, of Allegany county, praying that the Register of the Land Office for the western shore, be authorized and directed to issue a patent to him for certain land, and that he may be released from the payment of the caution money, and improvement thereon.

The Speaker laid before the House a memorial and petition of sundry citizens of Maryland, praying the establishment of a State Bank, which was read and referred to the committee on ways and means, to be hereafter appointed.

The Speaker also laid before the house a report from the Trustees of Charlotte Hall School, which was read and referred to the committee on Education, to be hereafter appointed.

Mr. Handy obtained leave to bring in a bill, to restrain the owners of vessels from navigating the same under the sole command of negroes.

Mr. Hillen obtained leave to bring in a bill, to provide for the payment of state witnesses in Baltimore County Court.

Mr. Pelegoy obtained leave to bring in a bill to incorporate the Carroll Beneficial Society of Baltimore.

Mr. Carroll obtained leave to bring in a bill to extend the jurisdiction of the Magistrates of Baltimore County.

Mr. Palmer obtained leave to bring in a bill supplementary to the act limiting the time of bringing actions at law in this state.

Mr. Palmer also obtained leave to bring in a bill to extend to the Chancellor, and to the several county courts of this state, sitting as courts of equity, jurisdiction in cases of divorce.

Mr. Barchenal obtained leave to bring in a bill to establish Magistrates courts in this state.

Mr. Fassitt obtained leave to bring in a bill supplementary to the act of 1798, chapter 101.

On motion, Ordered, That the committee on pensions and revolution claims, inquire into the expediency of allowing a pension to Samuel Baldwin, a revolutionary soldier.

Mr. Gantt submitted the following resolution, which was read the first and second time by special order, assented to and sent to the Senate.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to George G. Brewer, eight dollars, for two days attendance as chief clerk to the present house of delegates.

On motion by Mr. Crabbs, Ordered, That the Treasurer of the western shore, report to this house, the amount paid for printing for the legislature, during the session of December, 1833, and the names of the persons to whom the said payments were made, and the amounts paid to each respectively.

Mr. Crabbs, submitted the following orders which was read the first time, and made the order of the day for to-morrow.

Ordered, That Messrs. be appointed a committee to contract for the printing of this house, during the present session.

Mr. Snowden, submitted the following order, which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western shore, be directed to report to this house, at as early a day as possible, what instalments have been paid on the part of this state to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, and to the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, also on the lateral road from Baltimore to Washington city, also what instalments on the states' stock in those companies are now due, and also what amount of dividends has been received from the said companies respec-

tively, for dividends on stock held by the state.

Mr. Handy, reported a bill, concerning Guardians and Wards.

Mr. Roberts, reported a bill, to authorize George W. Cummings, and Jacob Raymond, administrators of John Cummings, deceased, of the state of Delaware, to remove into the said state, a negro woman, named Rachel, and to sell the same in said state, in which said negro woman the said John Cummings possessed an undivided term.

The Speaker laid before the house, reports from the clerks of Montgomery, Queen Ann's, Harford, Anne-Arundel, Frederick, Washington, Worcester and Talbot counties, relative to the attendance of Judges of their respective courts.

Also, reports from the clerks of Anne-Arundel, Harford, Frederick, Queen Ann's and Worcester counties, relative to monies paid by them into the treasury.

Also, a report from the clerk of Montgomery county relative to the taxable property in said county.

Also, a report from the justices of the Orphans court of Prince Georges county, relative to the School fund.

Mr. Sutherland, submitted the following message:

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We propose an interchange of services between the Rev. Mr. Gere, who is appointed to perform divine service in this house, and the Rev. gentleman appointed by your honorable body.

The clerk of the senate delivered the following message:

Which was read.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message, proposing the appointment of a joint committee to wait on the Governor, and on the part of the senate, we have appointed Messrs. Chapman and Groome, to join the gentlemen named by you.

Messrs. Blakistone and Wharton the committee appointed to wait on his excellency the governor, and inform him that a quorum of the house having convened, were ready to proceed to business, and receive any communication he might be pleased to lay before them, reported that the committee had performed the duties of their appointment, and that the governor had answered, that he would transmit a communication to the house to-day at 12 o'clock.

The clerk of the council delivered the following communication from the executive:

Which was read.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

ANNAPOLES, JANUARY 1, 1834.

Gentlemen of the Senate and

of the House of Delegates:

The recurrence of the stated period has again brought together the Representatives of a free, enlightened and happy people.

Honoured as we have been by the high trust reposed in us, by your immediate predecessors; bound, as we are, to you and our common constituents, by every tie known to the virtuous bosom, we cannot but feel and endeavor to express, upon meeting you, the most profound sentiments of gratitude to the giver of all good, for the abundant share of his favor, with which he has been pleased to bless our state during the past season.

Plenty has crowned our harvests; enterprise, industry and skill on the part of our individual citizens, have added largely to our wealth and prosperity, and the blessings of health were never more generally enjoyed.

It is truly gratifying to contemplate such scenes, and the pleasure of this interesting retrospect is heightened by the opportunity now afforded of congratulating you upon it, and by the confident reliance to be placed upon your wisdom, patriotism and virtue, to preserve and perpetuate these blessings, so far as depends upon you, to us and to posterity.

By ancient and approved custom, it becomes our duty upon the assembling of the Legislative Representatives of the people of Maryland, to render an account of our proceedings in the discharge of our executive duties, and to make such suggestions upon the general interests and concerns of the state, as appear to us to be called for, and proper for your consideration.

In relation to the special duties enjoined upon us by Laws and Resolutions, we beg leave to state, in general terms, that they have all received our respectful attention, and such action upon them, respectively, as appeared to us necessary and proper for carrying into effect the intentions of the General Assembly. And we proceed to a more particular notice of such of them, as from their importance or character seem to require it, or as relate to subjects proper for your attention and for further Legislative action.

By the Resolution of the last General Assembly, in relation to the sounds which run parallel with the sea coast between Cape Charles and Lewis Town Creek, with a view to their connection by such canals as may be found necessary to effect a safe and direct navigation through the said sounds, it seems to have been considered very desirable to obtain the aid of an experienced engineer from the United States corps, to aid in making the contemplated survey. An application had been made to the President of the U. States

in January, 1831, for the services of such an engineer, and although, at first refused, a communication was subsequently received from the Secretary of War, tendering the services of an engineer, provided all other expenses than his regular salary should be paid by the state. No provision having, at that time, been made, by the Legislature, for the payment of such expenses, or the state, the services of the engineer could not be accepted by the then executive, upon the terms offered. The correspondence between this department and the President of the U. States and the Secretary of War, having been submitted to the general assembly, provision was made at the last session, for the payment of all such expenses as might be incurred in making the survey. And, in May last, application was again made to the President of the U. States for an engineer. The paper herewith marked A, is a copy of that application: to which no reply has been received. In October last we appointed an engineer on the part of this state, to make the said survey, in conjunction with the commissioner who had previously been appointed, and with such commissioners or engineers as had been, or might be, appointed by states of Virginia and Delaware. It was hoped that some progress in the survey might be made before the meeting of the general assembly; but we understand that it has not yet been found practicable to commence the work. We presume that it will receive the attention of the engineers and commissioners of the three states early in the ensuing spring, and be completed within the current year.

We took great pleasure in communicating to the family of the late Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, the Resolutions of the General Assembly, commemorating his eminent worth, distinguished services and ardent patriotism. And we engaged Mr. Thomas Sully, a distinguished artist, to paint a full length likeness of the deceased. Mr. Sully came on to this city, in the past Summer, to view the Chamber and ascertain the position the painting is to occupy, and we presume has since been engaged upon the work, but has not yet completed it.

This testimony of the impressive merits and exalted worth of the venerable deceased, who had the distinction to survive all that inestimable band of patriots with whom he was associated in proclaiming our Independence, will be most appropriately placed in the same Chamber, where, half a century past, occurred the sublime spectacle of the surrender of Military Authority, by the father of his Country,—with those honours the deserts of Carroll are entwined.

A recall of that interesting spectacle in connection with the painting, will indicate to posterity, two noble models of public spirit and pure patriotism, and keep alive to future ages of the Republic the cherished recollection of, and highest veneration for, the useful lives and glorious examples of Washington and Carroll.

We have employed Mr. Thomas Fletcher, (the artist from whom several other awards had been heretofore procured by the State, and whose work we understand had given satisfaction,) to make the awards directed by the last General Assembly to be procured and presented to Colonel Nathan Towson, now paymaster General of the United States Army, and to Captain John Gallagher of the United States Navy. These awards are intended as testimonials of the admiration and gratitude of their native State, for the distinguished gallantry and highly valuable services of those officers during the late war with Great Britain. They have but recently been ordered. The delay has been occasioned by our desire to procure before ordering them, all the information and aid in our power, necessary to having them designed correctly and executed in a manner worthy the State, and corresponding to merits of the gallant officers for whom they are intended.

Under the resolution relative to a State Map, John H. Alexander, Esquire, was, in May last, appointed an engineer to examine and collect all the information, plans, and reports of surveys, for Canals, Rail Roads and other public works, which have been made by, or under the authority of this state, or any company incorporated by the state, or under the authority of the corporation of the city of Baltimore. And under the resolution relative to a Geological Survey, Doctor Julius T. Ducat, was, at the same time, appointed an assistant, to act in conjunction with said engineer, and to make the necessary geological researches, and report to us upon the expediency and probable cost of a geological survey of the state.

The report of these gentlemen has not been received, but we have been informed by them that it is in preparation, and will shortly be ready to be submitted to your consideration.

In pursuance of the resolution authorizing and requesting us to contract for the rebuilding of the centre division of the State Tobacco Warehouse, No. 2, in the city of Baltimore, and for such other repairs as might be found requisite to put the said warehouse in complete repair, in May last, we employed Mr. John N. Murphy, a builder of experience and competency, to superintend the said work. Mr. Murphy's report and account have just been received. He has finished the centre building, but has not been able to complete the necessary repairs to the other parts of the warehouse, on account, as he states, of the

quantity of tobacco therein, which could not be removed until the completion of the central division.

At the same time, we appointed Jeremiah L. Boyd, another builder of competency and experience, to examine the roof of the state house, and report to us what repairs were necessary to remedy its defects, and for the preservation of the building. At a subsequent session we received Mr. Boyd's report, and employed him to recover the roof with tin, and to make the repairs to the dome necessary for the preservation and safety of the house. We had the most explicit assurances from Mr. Boyd that he would have the work completed before the meeting of the legislature, but in this we have been in part disappointed.

Under the resolution directing us to have the arms in the several armories cleaned and put in good order, we deemed it necessary and proper to have an authentic report of their condition before proceeding to carry the resolution into effect, and for that purpose, instructed the Adjutant General, whose duty it was made by the resolution, annually to inspect the arms, to have such inspection made and to report to us their condition, designating such as required, and were found worthy of cleaning or repair, and such as should be found useless or unworthy of the expense necessary to render them fit for service. After receiving the Adjutant General's report, we furnished each armorer with a copy of that part of it relating to arms in his care, with instructions to proceed to have the arms, not condemned, put in order as required by the resolution. A part of those in the armory here have been put in order, and reported to us, by the Adjutant General, to have been done faithfully and to his entire satisfaction. It is presumed that the whole, in all the armories, will be made fit for use within the year.

We have not had the new library contemplated by the legislature fitted up. Upon an examination of the law, and the part of the bill of the state house designated for the library, we did not feel ourselves warranted in fitting it up in the manner which was deemed by the library committee, the librarian and ourselves, most proper. To do so, we should have had to bring down the present floor, and so contract the cellar, heretofore appropriated to contain the wood necessary to be consumed in the public use, as to render it inadequate for that purpose. This would have created the necessity of building a wood-house, for which we had no authority, or of having a large portion of the wood kept out of doors. Under these circumstances, we deemed it most advisable not to proceed with the work, but to refer the matter to your consideration, for such further legislative action upon it as you may deem expedient. Being authorized by resolution to allow to the gentleman employed to supervise the printing of the report on the Digest of the Laws, by John Buchanan and Reverend John H. Equities, such compensation as we should deem just and proper, Mr. Raymond and Mr. Trinkle, who had been appointed to that duty, in May last, each presented separate accounts, differing in amount for their respective services, which were rejected by us, as exorbitant and greatly disproportionate to the services rendered. By the presenting of these accounts, and the explanations and representations which their consideration called forth, we ascertained to our surprise, that but a very small portion of the work directed to be performed, had been completed. We therefore deemed it our duty to arrest the printing, until we should be furnished with satisfactory evidence that the work was ready for the press; which we and by the adoption of the resolution of which we herewith submit a copy. At a subsequent session, having received from Messrs. Buchanan and Johnson the letter, of which a copy is herewith sent, we allowed to the supervisors, each, two hundred dollars, in full compensation for the services they had rendered under their appointment. No further communication having been received from the printers, the printing of the work remains suspended.

Our investigations and reflections upon this subject have resulted in the full conviction that supervisors of the printing of the work, before it shall be acted on by the legislature, are wholly unnecessary. The laws annually passed, have heretofore been printed without any other supervision than that of the printers themselves. We are wholly unaware of any sufficient reason for an extra supervision of the printing, and therefore, respectfully recommend the repeal of the resolution authorizing the appointment of supervisors thereof.

Under the resolution of December session, 1831, No. 29, we caused to be forwarded by mail to each state and territory, in the Union, a complete set of the reports of decisions in our court of appeals. We have received from the states of New Hampshire, Connecticut and Ohio, a set of the judicial reports of those states, respectively, which have been placed in the state library.

From those states, and also from Maine, Massachusetts, and Virginia, we have been advised of the receipt of the reports sent by us to the said states, but we have no advice from any of the other states, nor from any of the territories, of the receipt of the reports sent to each of them. One set directed to the governor of the state of Mississippi, was arrested in the mail, at Nashville, Tennessee, by an agent of the General Post Office, and sent back to the Post Office here, and we are apprehensive that other sets, intended for other States have been, by like agency, stopped in their progress, and by that means, withheld from their respective destinations.

The letter from the clerk of the council, to the Post Master General, (to which, we are informed, no reply has been received,) and the letters from the agent of the General Post Office, and from the assistant Post Master General to Jonas Green, Esq. Post Master in this city, of which copies are herewith sent,

explain the whole transaction. The assistant Post Master General's letter, instructing Mr. Green not to mail books, until the backs are taken off, puts it out of our power to send by the mail any books without so mutilating them, as materially to lessen their value. It has been the constant practice uninterrupted, so far as we are advised, until the case we have spoken of, to send from, and receive at, this department, by the mail, books and documents of every kind, bound and unbound, in reciprocal exchanges, with other states. Such exchanges, of Laws, Judicial decisions, and other state papers, we consider highly interesting and valuable and, between some of the states, can only be certainly and safely effected through the Post Office.

You will receive herewith, the annual report, from the Directors of the Penitentiary, which has just been made to this department, as required by law. This is a subject of much importance, and is submitted to your consideration in the hope and confident expectation, that you will give it a thorough investigation, and if any defects or imperfections should be found in the system, or in the principles or details of its administration, that you will apply the proper corrective.

We submit for your consideration the several proposals for furnishing stationary for the public use, for the ensuing year, which have been received under an advertisement, (a copy of which is also submitted,) by the clerk of the council, in pursuance of a resolution of the General Assembly.

The communication from his excellency the governor of Virginia, in relation to the long unsettled boundary line, between that commonwealth and this state, and the act of the general assembly, of which his excellency enclosed the authenticated copy herewith transmitted, it seems to us, leaves no ground to hope for settlement of the pending controversy in the mode hitherto pursued. Under this impression, and feeling that the fair, impartial and certain mode of terminating the controversy, by commissioners to be appointed by the two states, respectively, with full and unrestricted powers, and in case of their disagreement, by the impartial umpirage of his excellency the governor, (for the time being,) of the state of Delaware, which we had several years since proposed, and which was recommended under the resolution of December session 1831,—that the legislature of Virginia is not disposed to treat upon the subject, but upon the assumption, on their part, of an important, if not the main point in dispute, we deemed it proper to forbear any further correspondence in relation thereto. And we now submit the matter to your consideration under the fullest conviction that, in its present posture, we cannot consistently with the dignity of the state, make any further advances for an adjustment by negotiation,—that we have no other alternatives but to yield the contest, and relinquish our claims, or to assert our rights before the tribunal constitutionally authorized, judicially, to decide upon them.

We submit for your consideration, communications from the executive of the states of Massachusetts and Pennsylvania, proceedings by the legislatures of those states, respectively, for the suppression of lotteries. These documents, relating as they do, to a subject connected by our legislation with the fiscal affairs of the state, are entitled to your serious consideration.

A report of a committee, and sundry resolutions of the legislature of the state of Massachusetts, in relation to the public lands of the United States, and the bill which was passed by the last congress for a distribution of the proceeds of their sales amongst the states, are laid before you in compliance with the request of his excellency Governor Lincoln.

We also lay before you two other communications from Governor Lincoln enclosing reports and resolutions adopted by the general assembly of Massachusetts, upon the several propositions of South Carolina and Georgia, for a convention of the people to revise the constitution of the United States; also a communication from his excellency A. M. Scott, governor of the state of Mississippi, with a report, and resolutions of that state upon the same subject; also a communication from his excellency Samuel E. Smith, governor of the state of Maine, with a report, and resolutions of the general assembly of that state, in relation to recent proceedings of South Carolina for nullifying certain laws of the United States; also a communication from his excellency Henry W. Edwards, governor of the state of Connecticut, with resolutions of the general assembly of that state, on the subject of the tariff laws, internal improvements, and amendments of the constitution of the United States proposed by the state of Georgia; also a communication, from his excellency Samuel Dinsmore, governor of the state of N. Hampshire, with resolutions of the general assembly of that state, in favour of a more perfect and more uniform organization of the militia, by the general government; also a communication from his excellency William L. Marcy, governor of the state of New York, with a report, and resolutions of the general assembly of that state, upon the same subject; also a communication from his excellency William Lumpkin, governor of the state of Georgia, correcting an error which occurred on the 28th day of December last in transmitting to the executive of this state, a resolution purporting to have been approved on the 23d of said month, which was not in fact approved, but which was rejected, and a substitute adopted which is printed with the laws of Georgia received with said communication.

These several communications, and documents, being submitted for your consideration in compliance with the requests contained in the said communications, we respectfully recommend them to your attention.

Among the subjects most worthy of being brought to your notice, on the present occasion, you will permit us to mention our great works of internal improvement. Next to the promotion of virtue and general diffusion of

knowledge, it appears to us, that there is no more noble task, none more worthy the patriotic exertions of a Republican people or their Representatives, than that of improving the conveniences, and facilitating the means of social and commercial intercourse.

Looking into history, we shall find those portions, both of the ancient and modern world, most renowned for the cultivation of the arts of peace, or which have transmitted to posterity, or now exhibit, the brightest examples of wealth, prosperity and liberal institutions, or in which, we see the nearest approximation to the only true and legitimate ends of Government—the happiness and prosperity of the People—have ever been most distinguished for works of this description.

Could Egypt ever have been what she once was, the home of Myriads of happy and prosperous human beings,—the chosen seat of the arts, elegance, literature, and refinement—the store house and granary of the world—but for her numerous channels of internal communication—her noble works of internal improvement? But for these, could so vast an Empire have long endured, in the then condition of the world? But for these, would it not have fallen to pieces by its own weight? Could sympathies and affections have been kept alive between its various parts, but for the easy, free, and frequent intercourse of all her citizens, by means of her internal improvements?

Look to Holland—to France—to England, see the striking contrast in favour of the liberty, prosperity and happiness of their people, when compared with the neighbouring nations; and see, too, their great progress in, and still zealous prosecution of, internal improvements.

With such examples before us, and others more recent, but not less striking, within the limits of our own confederation, can we hesitate to do every thing in such a cause, consistent with our other duties, and a just regard to the equal rights of all our fellow citizens?

It is with unfeigned pleasure, we announce to you, and herewith submit the accompanying official evidence of the happy termination of the collisions, which have heretofore existed between the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road companies. Upon this auspicious termination, and amicable adjustment of the controversy so long pending between these public spirited companies, engaged in the prosecution of magnificent schemes of internal improvement, in the success of both of which, the state is deeply, if not equally interested, we beg leave to offer to you, and to the respective companies, our sincere congratulations.

We trust that the good feeling and harmony which has thus been established, between the companies and friends of these truly great enterprises, will hereafter suffer no interruption,—that the only spirit of contest between them, may be a noble and generous rivalry, which shall furnish the best and safest medium of social and commercial intercourse, and by that means, most advance their own, as well as the public interest.

In consequence of the compromise thus happily effected, and the arrangements mutually agreed upon, and in progress of execution, the Rail Road will soon be completed to Harper's Ferry, on the other side of the Potomac, at which point it will unite with the Winchester Rail Road, in making and passing through a large portion of the most fertile territory of Virginia, to some of her most thriving inland towns; whence again, there can be no question, but that other branches will be extended, augmenting at every step, the usefulness and profits of our work, and pointing a constantly increasing amount of agricultural and mineral productions into the great commercial emporium of the state. And whilst these improvements are progressing on the other side of the Potomac, the patriotic, enterprising and intelligent Directors of the company, are left free to push their work, as first contemplated, to the Ohio river, either through the Western counties of our state, or by any other route, (except only the Maryland shore of the Potomac,) as future experience and examination, may dictate, or require.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Canal too, seems to give earnest of its steady advancement, and of ultimately realizing all the hopes of its friends and projectors. Hitherto it has had many difficulties to contend with, but a brighter day begins to dawn upon its prospects. Maryland, the cities of the District of Columbia, and a comparatively limited appropriation from the national treasury, have hitherto furnished the chief means of prosecuting this great work. Now however, there are cheering indications of awakening as well as increasing interests in its success. Virginia extended to it a favouring hand at the last session of her legislature. Pennsylvania has, more recently spoken in its favour; Ohio, and other western states cannot have become indifferent to it. Both this work, and the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, highly important as they undoubtedly are to this state, are of a character and magnitude so truly and clearly national, that we cannot but indulge the hope that they will each receive the aid of the national treasury in a manner, and upon a scale correspondent to the dignity and abundant means of the nation, and to the magnitude and importance of the works themselves.

With the limited resources for such stupendous undertakings much has been done; an impetus has been given to public opinion; the eyes of the nation are upon them; doubts of their practicability have been dispelled; the legitimate, appropriate, and adequate support of the general government is alone wanting to ensure their final completion and triumphant success, and this support we cannot allow ourselves to believe, will be much longer withheld. We therefore confidently anticipate, that at no very distant day, these great works will be fully completed, and that, whilst they will afford the means and facilities of social and commercial intercourse,

they will be of inestimable value, as amongst the strongest ligaments of the primary object of the patriotic desire of all good citizens,—the perpetual, indissoluble union of the states.

Among our works of internal improvement in progress of execution, the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road deserves notice. It is much to be regretted that the policy of our sister on the north, has hitherto denied to this work the privilege of pursuing its course beyond the confines of Maryland. It may, however, be profitably extended in another direction; nor can we abandon the hope, that Pennsylvania will yet relax her policy in this respect, and deal with it in that spirit of liberality, hitherto, in other respects so peculiarly characteristic of that great state.

The rail road from Baltimore to Washington has been commenced, and the whole of the capital believed to be necessary for its completion having been subscribed, there can be no doubt of its being finished within the time prescribed, and as little of its great public utility as well as productiveness, when completed.

Whether any, and if any, what legislation may be necessary during your present session in reference to any of our works of internal improvement, is left to your wisdom and consideration, when you shall have received and examined, the particular reports which will, no doubt, be submitted to you in reference to each.

We earnestly press upon your consideration the necessity of providing for the better organization and discipline of the militia. The experience of all ages has taught that the only safe, the only secure reliance of a free people for protection against outrage and aggression is upon the militia—upon themselves. But this reliance is far from being either safe or secure, unless there be constantly kept up a certain degree of organization and discipline; at present we cannot be said to have either: how soon we may have occasion for both can tell.

It is not perhaps attainable, nor does it appear to be essential, that the whole body of the militia should be skilled, or even all instructed in the discipline of the camp or of the field; but it appears to us that a system might be devised, which by providing effectually for the regular enrollment of all the citizens subject to militia duty, and for the exercise and instruction of the commissioned officers in camp and field duty, would ensure to us all the essential benefits of a well organized militia, without in the least encroaching upon the time and convenience of the great body of the people, or exacting of the commissioned officers any sacrifice, which their patriotism would not be forward in making, for so desirable an object.

The state of our finances will be made known to you by the treasurer of the western shore, in the performance of the duties devolved upon him by the general assembly. That excellent and valuable public servant, will lay before you a particular and detailed report upon this subject, from which you will learn all material facts in relation thereto, and by which you will be enabled to judge more correctly than from any suggestions of ours, of the nature and extent of the public exigencies and resources. A prudent economy in all our expenditures is so obviously proper as to need no recommendation from us.

There is no subject upon the mention of which the patriot's heart will more freely expand, or upon which the enlightened republican statesman more lights dwell, than the education of the rising generation. Upon them, and upon their wisdom and virtue, will greatly depend the liberty, prosperity, and happiness of thousands unborn. They are destined to fill the places of each and all of us; they are to be the heirs of all our possessions—the first objects of our affections; let them be also the first, as well as last objects of our bounty.

In vain do we boast of a government of equal liberty, if a large portion of our fellow citizens be incapable of appreciating its advantages. In vain do we talk of equality, while the light of science sheds its beams upon the minds of a few only of our citizens. In vain do we calculate upon the perpetuity of our free and happy form of government, if those who come after us, shall be too unlettered to learn from the instructive page of history, its origin and its great comparative advantages. The strength, prosperity, and general well being of all republics, emphatically depend upon the virtue and intelligence of the great body of the people; and in a government so purely republican as ours, where it is not only the right but the duty, of every citizen, at short intervals, to exercise his full and equal share of the sovereign power, it would seem to be peculiarly the duty of the body politic to take care that every one shall have the means afforded of becoming capable of exercising that power, and performing that duty understandingly. The mental capabilities of her youth, constitute the richest mine; the greatest resource of the state; assuredly then, we should provide that this mine be worked; that this great resource be developed. How often do we see youths of superior natural endowments, who might become if educated, the pride and ornament of their country, growing up in ignorance and vice, because their parents have the misfortune to be too poor to furnish the means of educating them; and how many instances of this sort, will not our state afford! Superior intellectual capacity is peculiar to no class; no to no particular description of persons; and consequently, is oftener to be found in the cottage, than in the palace—most frequently occurring among the most numerous class.

We earnestly invite your special attention to this all-important subject, in the confident assurance that you will, as far as existing means and circumstances will enable you, to promote the great and deeply interesting object.

Reposing, with perfect confidence, upon your patriotism and zeal for the public good, we submit the accompanying bill, for the purpose of providing for the better organization and discipline of the militia, to your consideration, and respectfully recommend it to your passage.

On motion by Mr. Carter of Montgomery, Ordered, That so much of the executive

and humbly hoping for a speedy and successful divine blessing and favor, we subscribe ourselves, your obedient servants, JAMES THOMAS, Speaker of the House of Delegates.

On motion by Mr. Blakistons, Ordered, That five hundred copies of the Governor's message be printed for the use of the legislature.

On motion by Mr. Heard, Ordered, That so much of the executive message as relates to the Tobacco Inspectors' ware-houses, of the city of Baltimore, be referred to a select committee of seven, to be appointed by the chair.

M. Franklin Smith submitted the following order, which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Ordered, That so much of the executive message as relates to the controversy between this state and the state of Virginia, on the subject of the unsettled western boundary of this state, be referred to a select committee, to consist of seven members, with instructions to report what course it now becomes the duty of this state to pursue.

The house then adjourned, until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.

Friday, Jan. 3d, 1834.

The House met. Mr. Lantz presented a petition of Anna Postlewait, praying to be placed on the pension list.

Mr. Smith of Worcester, presented a petition of Patsy Blake, widow of John Blake, late of Worcester county, a soldier of the revolutionary war, praying for a continuation of the pension allowed to her deceased husband.

Mr. Larrimore presented a petition of Nathan Allen, of Q. Anne's county, a soldier of the revolutionary war, praying for a pension.

Mr. Smith of Worcester presented a petition of Maria Berry, of Worcester county, praying for support.

Mr. Lantz presented a petition of Joseph Roberts, of Allegany county, praying for special act of insolvency.

Mr. Harris presented a petition of sundry citizens of Saint Mary's county, praying for a change in the law establishing a school fund.

Mr. Palmer presented a petition of James Taylor, praying for a law to authorise the county court of Frederick county, to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned.

Mr. Millar of Charles, presented a petition of John R. Evans and Catharine Evans, his wife, of Charles county, praying for a divorce.

Mr. Gaither presented a petition of John Stewart and Aden Darby, of Montgomery county, praying for a law to shut up a coal-sant county.

Mr. Warfield presented a petition of Mary Igglehart, of Frederick county, praying to be divorced from her husband Michael Igglehart.

Mr. Jones of Balt. presented a petition of Henry Crook, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a pension.

Mr. Ganitt obtained leave to bring in a bill to provide for the inspection of Plaster in the town of Bladensburg.

Mr. Sellman obtained leave to bring a bill to change the manner of appointing commissioners of A. Arundel county and the city of Annapolis.

Mr. Sellman also obtained leave to bring in a bill to make valid a certain deed therein mentioned.

Mr. Snowden obtained leave to bring a bill to increase the salaries of judges of the court of appeals.

Mr. Franklin Smith obtained leave to bring in a supplement to an act, to provide for the repairs of the public roads, in Calvert county, passed at December session, 1833, chapter 223.

Mr. Pratt obtained leave to bring in a bill to provide for the repairs of the public roads in P. George's county.

Mr. Schley obtained leave to bring in a bill authorizing the revaluation and reassessment of the real and personal property in Frederick county.

Mr. Carroll obtained leave to bring a bill to alter and amend the constitution of this state, with regard to the present mode of electing the representatives of the house of delegates, so as to make the representation more consistent with the increased population of the more city, and of several counties of the state.

Mr. Moores obtained leave to bring a bill to change all such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state, as relate to the appointment of registers of wills and clerks of the county courts of this state.

The Speaker laid before the house, a report from the trustees of Rockville Academy.

Also, a report from the register of the land office, for the eastern shore, showing the amount of money paid into the treasury.

Also, a report from the clerk of the court of appeals for the eastern shore, relative to the attendance of judges.

On motion by Mr. Jones of Balt. city, Ordered, That so much of the Governor's message, as relates to the Penitentiary, be referred to a select committee of five, with duty it shall be to visit the Maryland Penitentiary, examine into the present condition and policy, whether any defects or improvements are connected with its present organization, and report thereon to this house.

The speaker appointed Messrs. Jones, Balt. Spencer, Harris, Smith of Worcester, and Ely, to constitute the said committee.

On motion by Mr. Carter of Montgomery, Ordered, That so much of the executive

Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS:
Thursday, January 9, 1854.

COMMUNICATED.

The public are respectfully informed that a FAIR for the benefit of The Female Orphan Society of the City of Annapolis, will be held on Tuesday, the 28th day of January instant, at the Assembly Room, in the city, commencing at 12 o'clock, when a variety of fancy articles will be exhibited for sale. The friends of humanity are requested to give their attendance and support upon this occasion. This invitation the Managers trust will be considered a general one, for they believe few, if any, can close their hearts against the claims of actual want when convinced of its existence, or shut their ears to the pleadings of the houseless orphan—there are chords in the human breast that must vibrate to the touch of sympathy. The Managers of this Institution calculate on the liberal support of the benevolent—their claim, or rather the claim of their interesting proteges, has been so often publicly presented, that they deem it unnecessary to say much at the present period. It is, they believe, generally understood, that the object they have in view is the protection and support of destitute female Orphans, and that the money they receive for that purpose, is appropriated in the manner they conceive most conducive to the prosperity of the Institution. A kind Providence has so far enabled them to continue their operations, and they feel a confidence that their efforts will not fail to receive that encouragement without which they must be exerted in vain. The Almighty has styled himself the "Father of the Fatherless," and therefore they believe that he will not withhold his blessing from such means as are pursued with an humble reliance on his aid, to better the condition of those who have no parent on earth. You are now called upon, friends and fellow mortals, to give of your abundance an offering to those that are ready to perish. What you so give will not be lost. The words of inspiration declare, that "he who giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord, and that which he has given will he pay him again."

On Monday the Legislature proceeded to the election of Governor, which resulted in the re-election of his Excellency James Thomas. The votes stood:
For James Thomas 48
Edward Lloyd 46
Wm. H. Marriott 1

On Tuesday the following gentlemen were elected to the Council to the Governor, to wit:
Samuel Mass 53 votes.
George C. Washington 50
John S. Martin 49
Thomas W. Vanezy 43
Robert W. Bowie 48

ANNIVERSARY OF THE EIGHTH JANUARY 1815

In the House of Delegates yesterday morning, on motion of Mr. Sifford, of Frederick county, the following order was adopted without objection:
Ordered, That the Armorer of the state be directed to hoist the Flag forthwith, in honor of the glorious anniversary of the victory of the 31st January, 1815, achieved at New Orleans by the U. S. Forces under General Andrew Jackson.

Communicated.

Mr. GREEN:—Subjoined to the supplement to the act for the construction of a Rail Road from Baltimore to the city of Washington, passed last session, is the following section:
"And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful at any time for the state to construct, or to charter a company to construct a rail road from the city of Annapolis, or from any other part of the state, to intersect the road herein intended to be constructed, at such point on said road as the legislature may see fit, and that the state, or such company, when chartered, shall have power and authority to establish a depot at the intersection of said roads." To Mr. Blakistone, of St. Mary's, are we indebted for the insertion of the above section; and we think, that were the subject to be taken up for the action of the legislature at its present session it would be of advantage to the community at large, for the sooner provision is made for the carrying the law into operation, the better it will be for those that are interested in the contemplated movement. Were we to point out all the benefits that would result from the measure it would exceed the limits prescribed for this communication.

R. VIATOR.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE.

THE Board of Trustees, at their next meeting, will elect one scholar from Anne Arundel county, to be educated gratuitously, under provisions of acts of assembly, passed for that purpose. By a late order of the Board, applications are to be made to the subscribers; and it is desirable that the statement concerning the age, circumstances, talents, acquirements, &c. of the candidates, should be full, and accompanied with good references. The notice is also repeated, that provision has been made by the Trustees to receive, free of tuition, one student from each county in the State, if possessed of good moral character and superior abilities. Application to be made as above. This privilege is of the average annual value of fifty dollars. Editors friendly to science will confer a favor by copying this notice.
HECTOR HUMPHREYS,
President of St. John's College.
Annapolis, Jan. 9.

A CARD

THE Lectures to the Senior Class in St. John's College, will commence next week. A Public Lecture may be expected every Wednesday afternoon, at half past three o'clock, during the winter session, which Gentlemen in either Branch of the Legislature, and Ladies, are respectfully invited to attend.— Subject for Wednesday, the 8th, HYDROSTATICS.
Jan. 9.

NOTICE

THAT all Trespassers on the subscribers lands in Aberdeen, and the lands formerly of James McCulloch, will be dealt with according to law.
WM. STEUART.
Jan. 9.

NEW BOOT & SHOE FACTORY.

At No. 11 North Howard street, second door above Mr. Hossey's tavern.

JAMES H. LEE & ANDREW DAYHUFF respectfully inform their friends and the public in general, that they have commenced the Boot and Shoe business, and solicit the patronage of a generous public, assuring them that nothing shall be wanting on their part to give every satisfaction to their patrons. We have now on hand of our own make gentlemen's sewed and pegged Boots—morocco do—Franklin Shoes, (a beautiful article)—men's walking and dancing Pumps—water proof Boots, coarse and fine—boys' lace Shoes and Pumps, coarse and fine—ladies gaiter and lasting Boots, kid, tasing and morocco Slippers—half and seal skin walking Shoes—Boys' Boots & Socks. We have in store a good assortment of Eastern made Boots and Shoes, all of which we will sell on pleasing terms, wholesale or retail.

We shall keep on hand a good assortment of Trunks. Those who want good Boots and Trunks would do well to call at Lee & Dayhuff's before they buy, and examine our stock.
Baltimore Jan. 9.

STATE OF MARYLAND SC. Anne Arundel County, Orphans Court.

January 7th 1854.
ON application by petition of George W. Linstead Administrator of William Linstead late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAM'L BROWN, Junr.
Reg. Wills A. A. County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of William Linstead, late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 7th day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of January 1854.
GEORGE W. LINSTAD, Adm'r.
Jan. 9.—6w

STATE OF MARYLAND SC. Anne Arundel County Orphans Court.

January 7th, 1854.
ON application by petition of Charles A. Waters, administrator of Jacob Waters late of Anne Arundel county deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAM'L BROWN, Junr.
Reg. Wills A. A. County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Jacob Waters, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 7th day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of January 1854.
CHARLES A. WATERS Adm'r.
Jan. 9.—6w

BASIL SHEPARD, MERCHANT TAILOR.

OFFERS to the citizens of Annapolis and the public generally, a selection of new and fashionable FALL AND WINTER GOODS, from the New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore markets, consisting of Black Blue, Dutch Rife Duhla, Invisible Green, and Russia Raven; Brown, double milled Dab, Olive, and Gray.

CLOTHS.

AND ALSO

CAMBLET, for Over Coats.
Diagonal, Zogzag, Polish Mixed and Printed, Mixed Ribbed and Plain CASSIMERES, and Printed CASSINETS.
Merinos, Matelasse Silk, Satin, plain and twilled Silk, Florentine, Medley Silks, Cashmere & Tulle.

VESTINGS.

White, Black and Fancy Silk HANDKERCHIEFS, HOSE, GLOVES, SUSPENDERS, SHIRT SHAMS, STOCKS, COLLARS and ORIENTAL DRESSING GOWNS.

All of which he respectfully invites the public to call and examine.
Jan. 2, 1854—1f.

THEATRE

BENEFIT OF MR. ANDERSON.

This Evening, Thursday, January 9, 1854.

Will be acted the 3d, 4th and 5th acts of Shakespeare's Tragedy of

OTHELLO.

MOOR OF VENICE.

Othello, Mr. Anderson.

Song, by Miss Meadows.

After which the Trial Scene from the

MERCHANT OF VENICE.

Shylock, Mr. F. Brown.

Antonio, Mr. Anderson.

Portia, Miss MEADOWS.

After which a MUSICAL OLIO, consisting of Songs, Duets, &c.

To conclude with the Farce of The

MOGUL TALE;

Or, the Cobbler's Descent in an Air Balloon.

Do. for Pedant, Mr. Anderson.

Johnny Atkins, Mr. F. Brown.

Fanny, Mrs. F. Brown.

BOXES and PIT 75 cents, GALLERY 25.

Curtain to rise at half past seven.

Jan. 9, 1854.

TYCHICUS.

THE celebrated Race-Horse Tychicus will stand at the Stables of H. G. S. Key, Esq., Leonardtown, St. Mary's County, Maryland, the ensuing season, commencing 1st of March next, (1854.) Tychicus was got by Clifton, his dam (bred by Col. Taylor, of Mount Airy, Va.) by imported Chance, grand dam by the Arabian Selim, g. g. d. by the Prince of Wales, Pegasus (in England), g. g. d. Peggy, the famous Plate Mare, imported when in foal, 1799—see her pedigree and performance in the American Turf Register, Vol. 4, Page 557. She was by Trumetrot, her dam sister to Postmaster, by Herod, granddam by Snapgrass, granddam by Tower Stallion, (son of the Godolphin Arabian,) and her dam by Flying Childers.

Clifton was got by Doctor Brown's celebrated running horse Wonder, out of a thoroughbred Bismarck mare. Wonder was got by the imported horse Wonder, he by Florizel, his dam Z. charize, got by Matchem, out of Aurora, by the Duke of Northumberland's Golden Arabian. Florizel was got by Herod out of a Cygnet mare, her dam by Cartouch—Ebony by Childers. On the dam side—Irish, the dam of Clifton, was got by the imported horse Stirling; her dam by the imported horse Cour de Lion; her granddam was Mr. Mead's celebrated running mare Oracle, who was got by the imported horse Obscurity; her g. g. dam by Celer; her g. g. dam by the imported horse Partner; her g. g. dam by the imported horse Janus; her g. g. dam by the imported horse Valiant; her g. g. dam by the imported horse Jolly Roger, out of an imported mare, the property of Peter Randolph, Esq.

JOSEPH LEWIS.

DEAR SIR:—I have extracted, as you requested, from the English Stud Book, the Pedigree of the imported horse Wonder, the granddam of your young horse Clifton, which is annexed. The Pedigree of your horse, on both sides, is equal to any in America. His dam, Iris, portakes of the most approved crosses for the turf, in Virginia, and his sire, by the imported horse Wonder, is inferior to none in England. I was very much pleased with the appearance of your horse, and it is, I think, to be regretted, that you have never trained him for the turf, where, I think, from his blood and form, he would have made a distinguished figure. His fine appearance and excellent blood certainly entitle him to the attention of those who wish to improve the breed of good horses; and I have no doubt, under the auspices of the gentlemen who will patronize him, that he will, as he certainly ought make a good season. Yours, truly,

JOHN TAYLOR.

To JOSEPH LEWIS, Esq.
Tychicus became celebrated by being twice a winner over the Washington City Course, beating Helen, Ace of Diamonds, Reform, Tyoni, and others, once over the central course, Baltimore, beating Lary, Celeste, Honny Black, Lady Relief, and others—At Free Hill, Va. beating Wm. R. Johnson's Annet, at Dismal, Betsey Graves, (Betsey Baker,) distanced, at Taylorsville, Va. beating a holla, Yellow Jacket, (Donald Adair,) and Liza Wharton—At Fairfield, running the seven furlong and most splendidly in modern times, four mile heats, taking the first heat in 7m. 55sec. and contending severely with British the fourth heat, (Z. A. wasanced,) which was six seconds quicker than Eclipse and Henry ran their third heat, he being 12m. who had before beaten Gullish at Free Hill, and Quarter Master ruled out, how Gullish drawn, and Clarence distanced—and again at Fairfield, the four mile heats, coming out ahead of Pizarro, Mohawk, Ariadne, Dolly Dixon, and others. Handbills with pedigree, performances, and terms, will appear in due time—\$2500 were offered and refused for half of Tychicus after his last race.

WM. H. & J. TAYLOR.

Mount Airy, Va Jan. 9. 1854w.

The Annapolis and Eastern papers will please publish the above and forward their accounts to this office.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of two deeds of trust from Dr. John W. Hammond to the subscriber, and in pursuance of an agreement between John Glenn, Esq., trustee of the said Hammond, and the subscriber, will be offered at public sale, on the premises on Monday the 13th day of January next, at 12 o'clock, M.

A FARM,

Situated on the Anne Arundel county side of Patuxent river, opposite Fort M. Henry, and adjoining the Farm of Rd. Cromwell, Esq., containing about

480 ACRES.

This Farm is well wooded, and from its situation, being distant about two and a half miles from Baltimore, and convenient to the water, offers a desirable and advantageous mode of investment for capitalists.

THE TERMS OF SALE ARE.

One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, one third in six months, and the balance in twelve months from the day of sale, or, at the option of the purchaser, one third of the purchase money in twelve months, one third in two years, and the balance in three years from the day of sale. Bonds or notes with good security, to be given for the several payments, securing the payment of the interest semi annually.

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY.

Dec. 12—1s.

The Baltimore Gazette and Republican will please publish the above twice.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.
THE subscribers have entered into a Co-partnership, which will be conducted under the firm of **HART & FRANKLIN**, who will carry on the general business of Merchandizing, at their stores, the one on Church st. formerly occupied by Shaw & Claude, the other on West st. just above Hunter's Tavern, heretofore kept by Daniel Hart, where they have a general assortment of
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,
and other Articles of Merchandize, which will be sold low.

**DANIEL HART,
G. E. FRANKLIN.**

NEW YORK HATS.
Received yesterday, 5 Cases NEW YORK HATS of the latest fashions, suitable for persons of all ages.

HART & FRANKLIN.

LIST OF LETTERS.
Remaining in the Post Office at Annapolis, on the 21st of December, 1853.

J. Anderson.
Walter Byrnes, (2)
Jno. T. Barber, (3)
Brice B. Brewer,
George G. Bell,
Philip G. Byrnes,
Arch. Brewster,

John Carr,
John Calvert,
Mrs. Steward Cross,
John Carr,
Osborn Connaway,

Thomas Duffey,
Rich'd. Duffey,
Vernon H. Duffey,

John Ennis, (2)

Mr. Gaspy,
Jno. B. Gilpin,
Private Guericke,

Catherine Howard,
George Howard,
Mr. Hemon,

Dorsey Johnson.

Rev. Chas. Kalbfus.

Stephen Lee, (2)
Philip Lansdale, (2)

R. W. Marriott, (2)
Ann Marriot,
Gilbert Murdock, (4)
Wm. H. McKane,
Elizabeth Murdock, (2)
Philip Marshall,
Wm. McNeir, (3)

Jos. Nicholson, (near Annapolis)

Mrs. Rebecca Owens.

Jos. R. Phelps,
Thomas Phelps,
Wm. Popham,

Clement Ruet,
Jno. Roberson,

Mrs. E. A. Sewell,
John Smith,
Wm. W. Seeders,
Julia M. Sears,

Jacob Tome,
William Taylor,
Thos. Taylor,

Jnn. W. Whittington,
Thos. G. Weeks,
Thos. G. Waters,
Miss Anne Wilmot,
Jno. Willoughby,

Jos. B. Brewer, (2)
Josiah Byrd,
James Bus,
Mr. Beardsfoot,
Wm. Fry n,
Martha Brogden.

Milton Colburn,
Mary. Lady, Mary Carroll,
Thos. B. Church,
Benj. Chaney,
John Causin.

Eusea Dorsey,
Mary Duvall,
Zach. Duvall.

Susan Earle.

John Glenn,
Jno. M. Galtier,
George Grundy.

Jacob Hurst, (2)
Dr. Herbert,
Rev. Sam. Henson.

Col. Lawrence,
John S. Lloyd.

Robert Macenbhin,
Dr. Z. Merriken,
Jos. May, (2)
Jas. Mills,
Peter Miller,
Wm. Murdock.

Rev. Dr. Pitt, (2)
Walter Phelps.

Stephen Rummels,
Anthony Robinson.

Col. N. Stonestreet,
Peter Sausar, (2)
Eliza Sewell,
George Shaw, (2)

Miss Tyler,
Rachel Troy,
J. H. Teller, (9)

Daniel H. Wiggins,
Lucy Ward, (2)
Nathan Warfield,
Wm. Weaver,
Rachel Wood,
J. GREEN, P. M.

IN CHANCERY.
December 18, 1853.
James J. Chart
vs
Richard Stewart and Louisa his Wife, Joseph Stewart, Elizabeth Ann Harwood, Louisa Harwood, Eleanor Stewart and Maria Stewart.

ORDERED that the sale of the mortgaged estate mentioned in this case made and reported by Somerville Pinkney the Trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 18th day of February next, provided copy of this order be published once in each of three successive weeks before the 18th day of January next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$2000 00.
True copy—Test,
RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Can.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
Dec. 19.
BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of the Tobacco Warehouse Company, of the city of Annapolis, at the suit of Adam & John Miller, I have seized and taken in execution the **LOT** and premises, with the improvements thereon, in the city of Annapolis, the lot is near the Steam Mill, on the wharf the improvements consist of a large and commodious **BRICK WAREHOUSE**, (see proof,) together with all the fixtures and implements thereunto belonging. And I hereby give notice, that on **THURSDAY** the 23rd January instant, I shall proceed to sell the said property above described, to satisfy the debt due as aforesaid. Sale to commence at the premises at 11 o'clock. Terms Cash.

R. WELCH, of Ben. Sheriff.

WANTED,
THREE OR FOUR LOVELY NEGROES.
For further information apply at the Office of the Maryland Gazette.

Nov. 5

LAND FOR SALE.
THE subscriber offers a private site a Tract of Land, near the city of Annapolis, containing about Eight Hundred Acres of Land more or less. This land adjoins the Farm of the late Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq. and is bounded on one side by Severn River, and on the other by the land of the late Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq. constituting good landings for vessels to take wood from the shore; there are on this land an almost inexhaustible quantity of wood, principally Pine, intermixed with Oak and Hickory; it has been estimated that thirty thousand cords of wood may be cut from this land for Market, and from its proximity to the different landings upon the river, will make it a desirable property to Gentlemen engaged in the wood business, or Farmers requiring this most indispensable article. The improvements upon this estate are indifferent; the soil is well adapted to the growth of Indian Corn, Rye, and fine Tobacco may be made upon it. Any person who may be inclined to purchase, is invited to view the premises; and the Terms, which shall be accommodating, can be known by application to me on Elk Ridge, near Elk cott's Mills, or to Robert Welch, of Ben. in the city of Annapolis, who will at any time show the premises.

HENRY H. PUE.

NOTICE.
THE commissioners for Anne Arundel county will meet at the court house in the city of Annapolis on Thursday the 23rd day of January next, for the purpose of settling with the Inspectors of Tobacco.
By order,
R. J. COWMAN, Clk.

WALDIE'S CIRCULATING LIBRARY.
NOTICE—For the sake of combining the old and new series, and making the three volume correspond both in date and manner the subscriber has concluded to print thirteen additional numbers to the second volume of the first or old series. These numbers will be furnished gratuitously to those who commenced with No. 1 and No. 6, and who have paid their subscription, or who shall have paid before the 15th Nov. of Volume 2 is issued. Those whose subscriptions remain unsettled in the publication of that No. will be struck off the list, and charged six dollars, as lately announced.

To those who have really patronized the "Library," by prompt payment of their subscription, very sincere acknowledgments are tendered, and a continuance of their patronage respectfully requested.
ADAM WALDIE.
Sept. 5

A TEACHER WANTED.
PRIMARY School, District No. 11, without a teacher. Application, accompanied with satisfactory testimonials of ability, and a recommendation, to be made to the subscribers.
LEO ARD IGLEHART,
IS AC H. HOPKINS,
SAMUEL E. DUVALL, Trustees.
Nov. 7—3w

WANTED,
A LAD, 16 or 17 years of age, who writes a fair hand, well versed in Arithmetic, of good morals and respectable connections, as an apprentice to the Mercantile business in a Country Store, where an extensive business has been done for a number of years. For further information application can be made to the Editor, or Thomas G. Waters, Esq. Annapolis by letter in the hand writing of the applicant.
Oct. 17

IN CHANCERY.
Dec. 20, 1853.
ORDERED, That the sale made and reported by Alfred Clark, the Trustee in the case of Alfred Clark against Sylvester Clark, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 20th day of February next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper once a week for three successive weeks before the 20th day of January next. The report states, that the property sold for Two Hundred Dollars.
True copy—Test,
RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Can.

FOR ANNAPOLIS CAMBRIDGE AND KASTON.

The Steam Boat **MARYLAND**, commencing her route on **TUESDAY** the 9th inst. leaving lower end of Dugan's Wharf, at 7 o'clock, A. M. for Annapolis, (Cambridge by Castle Haven,) and Easton, and return from the Eastern Shore on every Wednesday and Saturday, leaving Easton at 7 A. M. by Castle Haven and Annapolis. She will commence her Chesterdown Trip on Monday, 22d April, leaving Baltimore at 6 o'clock, and return the same day, leaving Chesterdown at 1 o'clock, calling at Corcoran wharf, for the Centreville passengers.
N. B. All baggage at the owners risk.
Passage to or from Easton or Cambridge, \$2.50
Passage to or from Annapolis, 1.50
Passage to Chesterdown or Corcoran, 2.00
Children under 12 years of age half price.
LEWIS G. TAYLOR, Master.

CASH IN MARKET.
THE subscriber wishes to purchase a number of Slaves of both sexes, for which he will pay in Cash a higher price than any other purchaser in the market. Persons having them to dispose of will communicate with him at Mr. James Hunter's Tavern.
WILLIAM HOOPER.
Annapolis Oct. 24—4f.

WILLIAM BRYAN, MERCHANT TAILOR.
TAKES this method of returning his sincere thanks to his friends, and the public in general, for the liberal patronage they have heretofore bestowed upon him, and begs leave to inform them, that he has been compelled, from the heavy calamity which befel him on the 29th October, to remove his shop to the brick building owned by Washington G. Tuck, Esq. one door below the Store of Messrs. Hart & Franklin, and nearly opposite the residence of Dr. Dennis Claude, where he intends carrying on his business in his usual manner; and where he will be happy to accommodate his friends in the line of his profession. He was, by the aid of his fellow-citizens, enabled, on the morning of the above calamity, to save a portion of his Stock in hand, and hopes, in a short time, to be enabled to reinstate his whole stock. He therefore confidently solicits the former patronage of his friends, together with that of the public at large.
Nov. 7.

RICHARD THOMPSON, PAINTER AND GLAZIER.
RESPECTFULLY informs his Friends and the Public that he has removed from his former residence near the Bay Room to the House in the vicinity of the Bath, to the South west of the Court house, where he may be found at all times, and he will be happy to receive any orders in his line of business.
Oct. 31.

LINNÆAN BOTANIC GARDEN AND NURSERY N. Y.
FLUSHING, NEAR NEW YORK.

WILLIAM PRINCE & SONS, announce to the public that, from the immense extent of their Establishment, they are enabled to furnish such Trees of the various kinds as cannot fail to give satisfaction by their superior size, vigour, &c. and their Nurseries at present contain more than a million of Trees and Plants in the most thrifty state. Among these are above 50,000 Pear trees of 3 and 4 years growth, from the graft, comprising the most choice new Flemish and other varieties of modern origin. These Catalogues, with the reduced prices, will be forwarded to every applicant and are as follows:
No. 1. Fruit and Hardy Ornamental Trees, Shrubs and Plants, p p 93.
2. Bulbous and Tuberous rooted Plants and Dahlias, &c. p p 24.
3. Greenhouse Trees, Shrubs and Plants, p p 50.
4. Catalogue of Vegetable, Field and Flower seeds.

To the Proprietors of Nurseries, and to those who may wish to establish new Nurseries they will furnish all articles desired at a liberal discount, and a convenient credit, and in all other cases where large quantities are wanted, a reasonable abatement will be made. They will also supply all varieties of Seed, and those who wish to engage in that business, with every variety of Vegetable, Field and Flower Seeds at very low rates. These seeds possess the advantage of being raised under their own observation, at which imported, of being tested to their satisfaction, and their accuracy and vitality are expressly guaranteed. Many new and choice varieties will be found in the Catalogue which have never before been offered to the public. The collection of Bulbous Flower roots and Dahlias is particularly rich and extensive, and of the latter they have a specimen bed covering an acre of ground, and comprising 600 varieties in full splendour. Bulbous roots and Dahlias can be easily transported, and may be vended in a dry state in seed stores, &c. and an establishment for the sale of these articles ought to exist in every town in the Union. It will be readily perceived that the great number of Trees, &c. always in the Nurseries, enables the Proprietors to make superior selections, and secure to all applicants this particular advantage.
It is desired that all orders be sent direct per mail to the Proprietors, and the utmost attention will be given to forwarding them by the speediest route, &c.
Catalogues may be seen at this office.
Oct. 10.

NOTICE
To the Stockholders of the Tobacco Inspection Warehouse.

THE Stockholders of the Tobacco Inspection Warehouse are hereby notified to pay to Mr. Adam Miller, secretary of said company, one dollar and sixty four cents on each share they may hold, agreeable to the decision of the president and directors of said company, this amount being necessary to discharge a judgment of Adam and John Miller, amounting to \$319.66, and other claims amounting in the whole, including said judgment, to \$439.24.
H. MAYNARD, President.
R. J. JONES, J. MILLER, Directors.
Nov. 21.

FOR RENT
For the ensuing Year.
The Tavern known as the Half-way House between Baltimore and Annapolis. The place has all the necessary accommodations, such as good Stables, Gardens, Ice House, and has also attached to it a small Farm of good Land. Possession if desired, can at once be obtained, as the present tenant is willing to give it up.
For terms apply to Dan'l. Murray Esq. near Elk Ridge Landing, or the subscriber living in Annapolis.
L. MURRAY.
Sept. 19.

THE JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES.
A NEW AND STRIKING CHARACTER ADDED TO WALDIE'S CIRCULATING LIBRARY.
THE Proprietor of this work, anxious to gratify his readers to as great an extent as his means will allow, respectfully announces to the public that the very liberal patronage he has received has enabled him to add a new feature to this periodical, which he believes cannot fail to prove interesting and valuable.
The JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES, embracing three to four pages of additional new matter, will be given every week as an accompaniment to the Circulating Library, and will contain:
1. Early reprints of the reviews and notices of new books, from the weekly and monthly periodical press of London, &c. These reviews will be carefully selected with reference both to imparting correct information respecting such new books as are reprinted in America, and to convey literary intelligence in regard to works which rarely find their way across the Atlantic. As great exertions will be used to make this department instructive and entertaining, the proprietor is confident that it will be considered an important addition, by means of which his numerous subscribers will frequently avoid the expense of purchasing such books as are printed on the calculation that their titles or the reputation of their authors will sell the edition. This part of the Journal will embrace a considerable amount of extracts from new books of travels, memoirs, biography, novels, and in fact present a bird's eye view of new publications, early diffused through the Union, by means of the facilities of mail transportation.
The London Literary Gazette will be culled for this purpose, while the "Critical Notices," of the London Metropolitan, the Monthly, New Monthly, the Gentleman's Blackwood's, Tatler, Edinburgh, Fraser's, and other Magazines, already regularly received by the editor, will be freely used.
2. Varieties, embracing literary anecdotes, new discoveries in science and the arts, sketches of society and manners abroad, literary and learned transactions, short notices of new books, and every species of information interesting to lovers of reading, with occasional specimens of the humorous departments of the London press, which are within the bounds of good taste, and are now published in no other journal in America.
3. A regular list of the new books published and in progress in London and America.
4. Occasional original notices of new American publications, with extracts embracing their prominent features of excellence or defect.
No additional charge will be made for this great increase of reading matter. It will be contained on the pages of the cover of the Library, and therefore subject subscribers who receive their numbers by mail to no additional expense of postage.

Several applications having been made to ascertain the manner in which the original department of notices of new books will be conducted, we take the present early opportunity of stating that, at least they shall most unequivocally be **UNBOUGHT**. The presentation of a copy by the publisher shall not be a passport to praise, when the merits of the work do not warrant it; so that our readers may be assured of two things: First—books shall not be noticed the next day after they are received; and, secondly, they shall not be reviewed before they have been read. We have no royal road to puffing, and will be the less likely, therefore, to fall into the error of an unlucky writer, who, in his anxiety to be the first to blow the bellows of criticism, read the preface only of a duodecimo, and gravely entered his approbation of two chapters which, unfortunately for his critical acumen, had been omitted, while the prefatory reference to them had been, by mistake, retained! This predicament was worse than that of the London editor, who, criticized some passages of Cook's acting, and found when he rose next morning, and his paper was all over London, that the play had been postponed.
For the rest, time must develop our course and our capabilities; in cases where the usual courtesy of the trade is not extended to this journal, unlike most of our contemporaries, we shall buy what books we want, and give to such as deserve it a careful perusal.
The prospectus, and some technical difficulties always attending the first issue of a new journal, make the present number but a partial specimen of its future promise.
July 4.

GEORGE MNEIR, MERCHANT TAILOR.
HAS just returned from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, where he has supplied himself, direct from the importers, with a **LARGE AND HANDSOME** assortment of **CLOTHS, CASSIMERS, AND VESTINGS**
In his assortment there is to be found all colours and quality. He invites his friends and the public, to whom he feels himself under many obligations, to call and examine for themselves, as to price and quality.
ALSO:
An assortment of **GLOVES, STOCKS, SUSPENDERS AND SILK HOSE, &c. &c.**
Oct. 17.

TO LET,
A FARM on Annapolis, containing two hundred and sixty acres of land, and belonging to the estate of the late Miss Ruth Davis. This property is partly situated on the Bay Shore, where Oysters and Wild Fowl abound. The soil is good. For further particulars apply to
JAMES F. BRICE,
Trustee of Miss M. A. Davis.
Possession can be had immediately.
Nov. 19.

THE MIRROR OF MIRTH.
A HUMOROUS PUBLICATION.
TO BE EDITED
"Mirth that wrinkles care descends,
And laughter holding both its reins."

THE subscriber, fully aware himself of the innocent mirth tends more to banish the rows of adversity, and promote health and business among mankind, than almost any means which can be used, is induced to the experiment of starting a publication which will bear the above title. It is a prospectus, perhaps, to state, that he will expect, when he commences the publication, the number sufficient number of persons to pay all the expenses which will be incurred, and also assures his friends that his calculations on score of expense are not very extravagant, hopes the public may be the more inclined to favour the contemplated publication.
The pages of the MIRROR OF MIRTH are perfectly free from all party spirit, religious or political. And while the humorously devoted will find nothing to censure who make no profession of religion, find in every line something to please, amuse, and delight.
The publication will contain witty anecdotes, pithy Epigrams, Bon Mots, Epigrams, Epitaphs, Choice Sentences from the best writers of the age and a collection of the best Maxims, on various subjects which are to be found in the most approved writers. The Editor of the MIRROR OF MIRTH will strive to make it worthy of the respect the community in all parts of this State, indeed of the country.

TERMS.
The MIRROR OF MIRTH, will be printed on a royal sheet of beautiful paper, and will contain 8 octavo pages weekly, at a very low price of 81 per annum, payable the delivery of the first No. \$1.25 if paid the end of six months; and \$1.50 if paid deferred until the end of the year. Two numbers will comprise a year, or a volume of 416 pages.
Should a sufficient degree of encouragement be given, the MIRROR will be published, occasionally, with humorous engravings.
Gentlemen procuring five regular subscribers will be entitled to a sixth gratis. Those who procure ten or more subscribers, and forward the money, will receive extra copy and ten per cent. on all which they collect.
If a sufficient number of names that obtained to justify the expense, the publication will be commenced as soon after the first January as practicable; of which due notice will be given.
Persons holding subscription papers please return the same previous to the 1st of January, 1854.
As there is no work of the kind published in Maryland, and as the price will be the convenience of almost every one, the subscriber confidently calculates on a large number of patrons.
LYNDE ELLIOTT.
Oct. 24.

Our Editorial brethren who copy above, will confer a favour on the publisher, thereby entitle themselves to the publication without sending their papers. Please send advertisement when you insert.

IN CHANCERY.
Dec. 23, 1853.
Robert Oliver, Adm'r. pendente lite of Carroll of Carrollton
vs.
Edmund Harding, and others.

THE Bill Original in this case stated before the year 1818, Charles Carroll of Carrollton, sold to Edmund Harding of Montgomery county, a tract of land, lying in a county called "Hermitage"—That about six hundred dollars of the purchase money is still due. It prays a sale of the land for the payment of this money. It is that the said Edward Harding is dead, and that the said Charles Carroll, the son, and Charles Queen, and Maria his wife, who are defendants, live out of the state. A petition for a writ of habeas corpus has been filed in this case by Robert Oliver, administrator pendente lite of the said Charles Carroll, stating that one of the defendants, has removed beyond the limits of this state.
Whereupon it is ordered by the court, unless the said absent defendant, do appear, appear in this court, and file an answer on or before the 21st day of March next, said original bill and petition of Robert Oliver, be taken pro confesso against him, and the said absent defendant Edmund Harding, and Charles J. Queen and wife, appointed their answer to the said petition of Robert Oliver, before the said last mentioned day, or before the said last mentioned day, shall be taken pro confesso as against them. Provided a copy of this order, and a statement of said bill and petition, be published in some news paper at Annapolis three successive weeks before the first day of February next.
True copy—Test,
RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Can.

A CARD.
CHARLES S. W. DORSEY & SONS
W. DORSEY, a Solicitor at Law, has associated themselves in the practice of the law in Montgomery and Anne Arundel counties, and in the various courts in the cities of Baltimore and Annapolis. Charles S. W. Dorsey may be seen at his office in Courtland Street Baltimore, or at his office in Annapolis.
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—THREE DOLLARS PER ANNUM.
LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.
HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Monday, Jan. 6th, 1834.

Mr. Sellman presented a petition of Caleb Seward, of Anne Arundel county, a revolutionary soldier, praying for a pension. Mr. Wharton presented a petition of the Georgetown Female Society and others, praying the passage of an act authorizing the commissioners of Washington county, to pay to said society a certain sum out of the school fund of said county.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, presented a petition of Patty Brooks, of Montgomery county, praying the passage of a law authorizing the administrator of her deceased husband to pay her a sum of money therein mentioned.

Mr. Handy presented a memorial and petition of George Parsons, former sheriff and collector of Worcester county, praying the passage of a law to authorize him to complete collections.

The Speaker laid before the house a communication from the Hon. John Buchanan and Reverend Johnson, Esq's. on the subject of the revised code.

Mr. Day obtained leave to bring in a bill to revise an act to authorize the obtaining a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of building an academy in or near the town of Bladensburg.

Mr. Scott obtained leave to bring in a bill to provide for the education of poor children in George's county.

Mr. Ely obtained leave to bring in a bill to secure to mechanics and others, payment of labour done and materials furnished, in erection of buildings and machinery, or other of them, within this state.

Mr. Jones, of Somerset, presented a petition of sundry citizens of Somerset county, praying for a law authorizing a new road and erection of a bridge over Johnson's creek said county.

Mr. Spencer presented a petition of Ennals Smith, of Talbot county, praying to be placed on the pension list.

On motion by Mr. Spencer, Resolved, That the Treasurer of the western district, report to this house a statement of the aggregate cost of public printing for each year, from the year 1823, to the present time, specifying the amount paid for printing the house, as for printing the laws and to whom

on motion by Mr. Gaither, Resolved, That five members be appointed a committee, from the select committee on so on of the governor's messages, as relates to Tobacco Inspection Warehouses in the city of Baltimore, to visit the same and report to the house their condition.

On motion by Mr. Gaither, Resolved, That the speaker appoint Messrs. Gaither, Day, Heard, Lantz and Jones, of Somerset, to constitute the said committee.

On motion by Mr. Jones of Somerset, Resolved, That so much of the executive message, as relates to the deaf and dumb of state, be referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Maffitt reported a bill for building a levee over little north east creek, in Cecil county, near McCauley's mill.

On motion by Mr. Maffitt, Resolved, That the house proceed to the election of a governor, conformably with arrangements made with the committee for that purpose, and the ballots of members being collected in the ballot box, sealed up and delivered to the committee appointed on the part of the house, to meet at the joint ballot of both houses, to report the result.

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Mr. Perego presented a petition of Francis Seward, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a divorce.

Mr. Hayne presented a petition of Thomas C. of Kent county, praying the passage of a law authorizing his daughter to return to the state.

The Speaker laid before the house a report from the clerk of the court of appeals, for the eastern shore, relative to the attendance of judges of that court.

At a communication from the cashier of the Mechanic Bank of Baltimore, relative to the affairs of that institution.

Also a communication from the Inspector of Tobacco Warehouse No. 2, relative to the money paid by him into the public treasury.

Mr. Baily reported a bill, for the relief of John Gale.

Mr. Maffitt reported a bill, to make valid a deed of conveyance therein mentioned.

Mr. P. obtained leave to bring in a bill, to provide for the relief of the poor of Prince Georges's city.

Mr. Merrick presented a petition of Catherine Acton, of Charles county, praying for a pension.

Mr. Grove obtained leave to bring in a bill to confirm an act, to alter and repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government, as relate to the division of Washington county, into seven election districts, and for other purposes, passed at December session, 1832, chap. 92.

Mr. Harris, reported a further supplement to an act, for the distribution of a certain fund, for the purpose of establishing Free Schools in the several counties therein named.

The house then adjourned, until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Wednesday, January 8th, 1834.

The Speaker laid before the house a memorial of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal company, praying for additional subscriptions to the capital stock of said company.

Mr. Purnell presented a petition of Henrietta Porter of Worcester county, praying for a support by county assessment.

Mr. Roberts presented a petition of James Stafford of Queen Anne county, praying for a support by county assessment.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore city, presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Baltimore, praying the passage of an act to incorporate 'The Merchants Bank of Baltimore.'

Also, a petition of Sarah Ann Day, alias Sarah Ann Rutter, of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband George R. Rutter.

The Speaker laid before the house a report from the Trustees of West Nottingham academy, in Cecil county, shewing the situation of that institution.

Mr. Grove obtained leave to report a bill to provide for the payment of jurors in Washington county.

Mr. Unkefer obtained leave to bring in a bill to make valid a certain deed therein mentioned.

Mr. Unkefer also obtained leave to report a bill to change the manner of electing and limiting the time of service of the Collector of the taxes in Frederick county.

Mr. Sifford obtained leave to bring in a bill to provide for electing the Judges of the Levy court of Frederick county, and extending their powers and duties.

Mr. Lantz obtained leave to bring in a bill, or otherwise to release Thomas B. Bowden, Joseph Everstine and others of Allegany county, from all responsibility created by a bond, executed by them, now in the council file and records of the state, said bond being for the safe keeping of arms, which have been destroyed by the late disastrous fire in the town of Cumberland.

On motion by Mr. Burchenal, Resolved, That the committee on the Militia inquire into the expediency of collecting in the arms belonging to this state.

On motion by Mr. Roberts, Resolved, That so much of the Executive message as relates to the subject of education, be referred to the standing committee on that subject.

On motion by Mr. Schley, Resolved, That the committee on Ways and Means be permitted to sit for the transaction of business, during the session of the house.

Mr. Franklin Smith submitted the following order, which was read.

Resolved, That the committee on the constitution enquire into the expediency of abolishing all that part of the constitution and form of government of this state, which relates to the geographical limits of the several counties therein, so that the territory of said counties may be equalized.

Mr. Burchenal moved to amend the said order, so as to exempt the Eastern Shore, and the question was put and determined in the negative.

The question was then put on the adoption of the order resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Sellman submitted the following resolutions, which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Resolved, That the tenure of all offices of profit and trust (except the judiciary) should be limited to a definite number of years.

Resolved, That the executive council is an useless appendage, tending to divide responsibility, productive of no advantage to the state, and ought to be abolished.

Resolved, That one branch of the Legislature ought to be based on popular representation and to effect this purpose, the present manner of electing the Senate, in which the people have but a remote agency, ought to be changed, the state laid off into districts, and Senators elected directly by the people, from each district.

Resolved, That the governor be required to submit all nominations to a senate thus constituted and elected, for confirmation or rejection.

Resolved, That it be made obligatory upon the Governor to reside at the seat of government.

Mr. Palmer reported a bill, to authorize the Levy Court of Frederick county to allow an additional compensation to James Taylor for building a bridge over the Monocacy river.

Also, a bill, to extend the powers of the Chancery Court, and the county courts as Courts of Equity, which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Jones of Somerset, reported a bill, to amend an act, passed at December session, 1832.

On motion by Mr. Handy, the bill reported by him, to restrain the owners of vessels from navigating the same, under the sole command of Negroes, was made the order of the day for to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Maffitt, the bill reported by him, for building a bridge over Little North East Creek, Cecil county, near McCauley's Mill, was read a second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate, delivered a bill originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, a supplement to an act to incorporate The Commercial Savings Institution of Baltimore.

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Jones, of Baltimore city, Perego and Ely.

And the following message: Which was read.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates, We have received your message, in which you propose with the concurrence of the senate, the appointment of a joint committee of the two houses, upon so much of the governor's message, as relates to the controversy between this state, and the state of Virginia, on the subject of the unsettled western boundary of this state.

We beg leave to suggest to the house of delegates, that the controversy with Virginia, comprehends our southern and western limits, and not our western limits alone; and as it will be the duty of the legislature, some time in the present session, to take some final step for the settlement of the whole matter in dispute, great care ought to be taken to leave nothing ambiguous in the commencement of our proceedings. It is true, by the original charter from the King of Great Britain, to Lord Baltimore, that all the tract of land is embraced within the metes underwritten, that is to say, passing from the said bay called Delaware bay, in a right line by the degree aforesaid (fourteen degrees north latitude) unto the true meridian of the first fountain of the river Potomac, thence verging towards the south, unto the further bank of the said river, and following the same on the westward south. But the southern as well as the western boundary of this state, must remain unsettled until the first fountain of the Potomac river is ascertained. The senate will cheerfully agree to the appointment of a joint committee of the two houses when a message shall be received from your house comprehending the whole matter in dispute.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore city, from the committee made a favourable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled, A supplement to an act to incorporate the Commercial Savings Institution of Baltimore.

Which was read.

The said bill was then read a second time by special order, and passed.

The house then adjourned, until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Thursday, January 9th, 1834.

Mr. Burchenal presented a petition of Sarah Ann Rutter, of Caroline county, praying for a divorce.

Mr. Schley presented petitions from sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying an increase of the salary of John Buchanan, Esq. chief justice, and the objections thereto heretofore referred to the committee of grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Wharton presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Washington county, praying an increase of the salary of the chief justice of the state.

Mr. Berry presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Allegany county, praying an increase of salary of the chief justice of the state.

Mr. Palmer presented a petition of Abraham Reaver, of Frederick county, praying for a divorce.

Mr. Price presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the eleventh election district of Baltimore county, praying that the place of holding the elections in said district may be changed.

Mr. Jones of Somerset, presented a memorial of Thomas King Carroll, and others, in behalf of the trustees of Washington Academy, in Somerset county, praying indemnity for a lottery grant.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore city, presented a memorial of the Susquehanna Rail Road Company, praying the passage of an act, to enable them to avail themselves with advantage of the act of 1832, chapter 230.

On motion by Mr. Harris, Resolved, That the committee on elections and privileges, be instructed to enquire and report, whether any sitting member of this house holds such an office under the government of the United States, or receives the profits or any part of the profits of any such office or place under the aforesaid government, as render him incompetent under the constitution of this state, to hold a seat in this present house of delegates.

And further ordered, That said committee have power to send for persons and papers.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, submitted the following order, Which was read.

Ordered, That the committee on lotteries, be instructed to enquire into the expediency of abolishing the lottery system, to prohibit the sale of lottery tickets and the drawing of lotteries in this state, and report to this house by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Gaith moved to refer the said order to the committee on ways and means.

Determined in the negative.

The question was then put on the adoption of the order.

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Lattimore obtained leave to bring in a bill to authorize appraisers on real and personal estate to qualify each other.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Somerset, leave of absence was granted to Mr. Smith of Worcester.

Mr. Wharton reported a bill for the benefit of the Hagerstown Female Society, for the instruction of the poor.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore city, reported a bill to incorporate the Merchants Bank of Baltimore.

The bill for the relief of John Gaith, and the bill, to make valid a deed of conveyance therein mentioned, were severally read the second time and passed.

Mr. Burchenal submitted the following resolutions, which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland; That it shall be, and hereby is made the duty of the judges of election in each of the election districts of the several counties on the Eastern Shore of this state to ask every voter who may vote in the several districts in said counties, whether he is in favour of a union of said counties with the state of Delaware; and it is hereby made the duty of the clerk to said elections respectively, to enter on the poll books in a column which it is hereby made the duty of the Sheriffs of the different counties on the shore aforesaid, to prepare for that purpose, the result of which shall be returned by the return judges of elections in each of said counties to the Chancellor of this state, together with the returns of the county elections in October next, all of which to be reported to the next General Assembly.

Further Resolved, That the Executive are hereby requested to cause a copy of these resolutions, to be published in at least one of the newspapers in each county on the eastern shore of this state, in which there is a newspaper published, for four successive weeks, and at least one month previous to the next October election, of 1834.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore city, presented a petition of John H. Royn of the city of Baltimore, praying for a divorce.

Mr. Schley presented memorials from the grand and petit jurors at the last May and December terms of Frederick county court, praying an increase of the salary of John Buchanan, Esq. chief justice of the state.

The clerk of the Senate returned the further supplement to an act, for the distribution of a certain fund for the purpose of establishing free schools in the several counties therein named, endorsed 'will pass.' Ordered to be engrossed.

And delivered a bill originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, an act relating to Poppleton street, in the city of Baltimore.

Also, a bill originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, an act to alter and change the name of the corporation known by the name of The President and Directors of the Susquehanna Bridge and Bank Company.

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day, the house proceeded to the consideration of the message submitted by Mr. Brewer, relative to the public printing, together with the order submitted by Mr. Crabb on the same subject.

On motion of Mr. Crabb, the order submitted by him was withdrawn.

Mr. Wharton moved the following as a substitute for the said message.

Whereas, the act passed at December session, 1831, chap. 303, authorizing the appointment of a joint committee to contract for the printing of this house, was a palpable violation of the constitution, and a direct usurpation of the rights and privileges of this house, and that the contract made in pursuance thereof, is therefore null and void.

Ordered, That a committee of members be, and are hereby appointed to contract for the printing of this house during the present session, and that they be instructed to employ the individual or individuals now engaged, and upon the terms agreed upon, between him or them, and the joint committee of the last session.

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Somerset, the said substitute proposed was amended by inserting at the end of the preamble the following words, 'as far as respects the printing of this house.'

Mr. Heard moved to amend the substitute proposed by Mr. Wharton, by striking out the preamble.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wharton, the substitute proposed by him was withdrawn.

Mr. Spencer then moved the following as a substitute for said message.

Whereas, in the opinion of this house, the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at December session, 1831, chapter 303, is a palpable violation of the rights and privileges of the House of Delegates of Maryland, and that to submit to it, would evince on our part a want of proper vigilance over the rights secured by our constitutional charter to the representatives of the people; Therefore,

Ordered, That a committee of this house, consisting of members be appointed by the chair, to contract for the ordinary printing of the house for the present session, and that in forming that contract, they give a preference to the individual or individuals with whom the contract for such printing was entered into by the joint committee of the last Legislature, and on the terms of said contract.

Which having been read the speaker decided that the said preamble was not in order.

Mr. Hillen moved to amend the substitute proposed by Mr. Spencer, by striking out after the word 'ordered,' to the end thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: 'That the committee on the constitution be instructed to enquire into the constitutionality of the law passed at December session, 1831, chap. 303, entitled, An act to provide for the public printing of the state, and that they report to this house by bill or otherwise;'

Which was read.

Mr. Heard proposed to amend the substitute offered by Mr. Hillen, by adding the following, 'provided the said enquiry and said report by bill or otherwise shall not go to vacate any contract made under the said law.'

On motion by Mr. Heard, the amendment proposed by him was withdrawn.

Mr. Handy moved to amend the substitute offered by Mr. Hillen, by striking out the following words 'constitutionality of the law passed at December session 1831, ch. 303, entitled, an act to provide for the public printing of the state, and that they report to this house by bill or otherwise;'

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Ely, then moved to amend the substitute proposed by Mr. Hillen, by striking out the committee on the Constitution, and inserting in lieu thereof, 'the committee on grievances and courts of justice.'

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Jones of Somerset, the said substitute proposed was amended by inserting at the end of the preamble the following words, 'as far as respects the printing of this house.'

Mr. Heard moved to amend the substitute proposed by Mr. Wharton, by striking out the preamble.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wharton, the substitute proposed by him was withdrawn.

Mr. Spencer then moved the following as a substitute for said message.

Whereas, in the opinion of this house, the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at December session, 1831, chapter 303, is a palpable violation of the rights and privileges of the House of Delegates of Maryland, and that to submit to it, would evince on our part a want of proper vigilance over the rights secured by our constitutional charter to the representatives of the people; Therefore,

Ordered, That a committee of this house, consisting of members be appointed by the chair, to contract for the ordinary printing of the house for the present session, and that in forming that contract, they give a preference to the individual or individuals with whom the contract for such printing was entered into by the joint committee of the last Legislature, and on the terms of said contract.

Which having been read the speaker decided that the said preamble was not in order.

Mr. Hillen moved to amend the substitute proposed by Mr. Spencer, by striking out after the word 'ordered,' to the end thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: 'That the committee on the constitution be instructed to enquire into the constitutionality of the law passed at December session, 1831, chap. 303, entitled, An act to provide for the public printing of the state, and that they report to this house by bill or otherwise;'

Which was read.

Mr. Heard proposed to amend the substitute offered by Mr. Hillen, by adding the following, 'provided the said enquiry and said report by bill or otherwise shall not go to vacate any contract made under the said law.'

On motion by Mr. Heard, the amendment proposed by him was withdrawn.

Mr. Handy moved to amend the substitute offered by Mr. Hillen, by striking out the following words 'constitutionality of the law passed at December session 1831, ch. 303, entitled, an act to provide for the public printing of the state, and that they report to this house by bill or otherwise;'

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Ely, then moved to amend the substitute proposed by Mr. Hillen, by striking out the committee on the Constitution, and inserting in lieu thereof, 'the committee on grievances and courts of justice.'

Resolved in the affirmative.

The question then recurred and was put on the substitute offered by Mr. Hillen as amended.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Merrick, the order of the day was suspended.

Mr. Merrick, then submitted the following order, which was twice read and adopted.

Ordered, That a special committee of three members be appointed by the chair to superintend the printing for the house of delegates, during the present session.

Whereupon the speaker appointed Messrs. Merrick, Perego and Spencer, to constitute the said committee.

The house according to the order of the day, took up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Handy, entitled, An act to restrain the owners of vessels, from navigating the same under the sole command of Negroes.

On motion by Mr. Burchenal, the bill was amended by striking out the words 'passage of this act,' in the 2d line of the first section, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, 'twentieth day of August next.'

On motion by Mr. Wright of Dor. the bill was further amended by inserting after the word 'registered' in the 3th line of the same section, the words 'or lies used.'

Mr. Scott moved to amend the bill by adding at the end of the fourth section the following proviso; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to extend to scows or lighters employed on the creeks or rivers of this state.

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Burchenal moved to recommit the bill. Determined in the negative.

Mr. Fassitt moved that the house adjourn. Determined in the negative.

Mr. Fassitt then moved that the further consideration of said bill be postponed until Monday next, and that the bill be made the order of the day for that day.

Determined in the negative.

The bill having been read a second time as amended, the question was put, shall the bill pass.

Resolved in the affirmative.

The clerk of the Senate returned the resolution in favour of George G. Brewer.

The resolution authorizing the sale of the

whole and fragments of a cannon, and the resolution in favour of the members and officers of both houses, severally endorsed and assented to, ordered to be engrossed.

And, delivered the annual report of the Treasurer of the Western Shore, endorsed, referred to the consideration of the house of Delegates.

Mr. Willson reported a bill, to lay out and open a road in Montgomery county.

The house then adjourned.

Friday, January 10th, 1834.

Mr. Ridgely presented a petition of Michael C. Sprigg, of Allegany county, praying for compensation as a commissioner, to represent the stock of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company.

Mr. Nichols presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Dorchester county, praying that a law may pass regulating fences in cases of suits for trespass, so far as relates to said county.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore city, presented a petition of Sarah Wells, of the city of Annapolis, praying for support.

Also, presented a petition of Thomas Gowen, praying for a special act of insolvency.

And, also presented a memorial of the President and managers of the Washington Monument, praying for legislative aid.

Mr. Schley presented a petition of Eliza Nelson, of Frederick county, widow of Roger Nelson, a revolutionary officer, praying to be placed on the pension list.

Mr. Sellman, submitted the following order:

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Ordered, That so much of the Governor's Message, as relates to the printing and supervision of the printing of the report on the Digest of the Laws, by John Buchanan and Reverdy Johnson, Esquires, be referred to a select committee of three, and that they have leave to report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Ridgely presented a report from the trustees of Allegany County Academy.

Mr. Day reported a bill, to authorize Samuel Phillips to bring into this state, from the District of Columbia, certain slaves therein named.

The bill reported by Mr. Palmer, to authorize the Levy Court of Frederick county, to allow an additional compensation to James Taylor for building a bridge over the Monocacy river, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed, and sent to the Senate.

The bill to incorporate The People's Gas Light Company of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration.

When, on motion of Mr. Jones, of Baltimore city, the bill was ordered to lie on the table, and made the order of the day for Monday the 13th inst.

The house took up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Peregrino, to incorporate The Carroll Beneficial Society of Baltimore.

The bill having been read a second time and amended, the question was put, shall the bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill reported by Mr. Jones of Somerset, to amend an act, passed at December session, 1832, was taken up for consideration.

The bill having been read a second time and amended, the question was put, shall the bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Mann reported a bill, for the reassessment and revaluation of all the real and personal property in Washington county.

Mr. Jones of Baltimore city, made a favourable report upon the bill from the senate, to alter and change the name of the corporation known by the name of The President and Directors of the Susquehanna Bridge and Bank Company.

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Scott.

Ordered, That the committee appointed to visit the State Tobacco Inspection Warehouse in Baltimore, be directed to enquire into the expediency of concentrating the said Warehouse, and of reducing the number of inspectors to two.

Mr. Nichols obtained leave to bring in a bill for the condemnation of half an acre of land, for the repairs of the public causeway at Cratcher's Ferry, in Dorchester county.

Mr. Spencer obtained leave to bring in a bill supplementary to the act to provide for the public instruction of Youth in Primary Schools, throughout this state.

The clerk of the senate returned the resolution granting indulgence to Isaac G. Magruder, collector of Prince George's county, endorsed, assented to.

Mr. Grove, chairman of the committee appointed on the coloured population, to which was referred the bill to authorize George W. Cummins and Jacob Raymond, administrators of John Cummins dec. of the state of Delaware, to remove into the said state a negro woman named Rachel, and to sell the same in said state, in which said negro woman the said John Cummins possessed an unexpired term, reported the same with the following amendment.

Amendment proposed:

Add the following as the 2d section:

Sect. 2d. And be it enacted, That the said negro woman shall be at liberty to return to the State of Maryland, after the term of her servitude shall have expired.

Which was read.

The house then adjourned, until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Saturday, Jan. 11th, 1834.

Mr. Burgess presented a petition of Elizabeth Legg, of Q. Anne's county, praying for support.

Mr. Wharton presented a petition of Eleanor L. Mayhugh, praying to be placed on the pension list.

Mr. Fountain presented a petition of Edward Lyden, administrator of Shadrack Lyden, of Caroline county, praying for a law authorizing him to collect the balance due on

the books of said Lyden, as former collector of said county.

Mr. Ridgely presented a petition of sundry citizens of Allegany county, setting forth the propriety of the state granting aid for the building a bridge across the Tuscarora river, in said county.

Mr. Unkefer presented a petition of Eleanor Evans of Frederick county, widow of Thomas Evans, deceased, praying that his pension may be continued to her.

On motion by Mr. Wharton,

Ordered, That the committee on the library be instructed to examine a copy of the proceedings of the convention of the province of Maryland, now in the possession of Jonas Green, of Annapolis, and to report to this house the expediency or in expediency of purchasing the same for the use of the library.

On motion by Mr. Sellman,

Ordered, That his excellency the governor be requested to report to this house, the number of agents or representatives, accompanied with their names, that have been appointed to represent the interest of this state in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, the compensation that has been allowed to such agents or representatives, and the vouchers on which such compensation has been allowed.

On motion by Mr. Ely,

Ordered, That the committee on grievances and courts of justice, be instructed to inquire into the propriety and expediency of allowing to state's witnesses, compensation for their attendance at court in the several counties in this state, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

On motion by Mr. Sellman the house took up for consideration the order submitted by him relative to referring so much of the Governor's message, as relates to the printing and supervision of the printing of the report on the Digest of the Laws, by John Buchanan and Reverdy Johnson, Esquires, to a select committee of three.

When on motion by Mr. Sellman, the order was amended, by striking out the word 'three' and inserting in lieu thereof, the word 'five,' to constitute the said committee.

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

In pursuance whereof the speaker appointed Messrs. Sellman, Long, Bruff, Wharton and Carroll, to compose the said committee.

Mr. Wharton obtained leave to bring in a bill authorizing the sale of real estate therein mentioned.

Mr. Burchenal obtained leave to bring in a bill supplementary to an act passed at December session 1831, chap. 244.

Mr. Roberts obtained leave to bring in a supplement to an act, entitled, An act to provide for electing the levy court of Q. Anne's county, by the people.

Mr. Sifford obtained leave to bring in a supplement to the act, for the education of the indigent Deaf and Dumb of this state.

Mr. Merrick obtained leave to bring in a bill to incorporate the Steam Milling Company, of Charles county.

Mr. Crabb presented a petition of Jane Carroll, praying for support, by county assessment.

Mr. Jones of Balt. city, moved that the bill to alter and change the name of the corporation known by the name of The President and Directors of the Susquehanna Bridge and Bank Company, be taken up for consideration.

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Peregrino, from the committee to which was referred the bill from the senate relating to Poppleton street, in the city of Baltimore, made a favourable report thereon.

Which was read.

The bill reported by Mr. Wharton, for the benefit of the Hagerstown Female society for the instruction of the poor.

And, the bill reported by Mr. Willson, to lay out and open a road in Montgomery county.

Were severally taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Day the bill reported by him, to authorize Samuel Phillips to bring into this state from the District of Columbia certain slaves therein named, was taken up for consideration, read the second time by special order, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Wright of Dor. reported a bill to incorporate the Choptank Steam Boat Navigation Company of Maryland.

Mr. Blakistone submitted the following message, which was read and assented to.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We propose with your concurrence, the appointment of a joint committee of the two houses, upon so much of the governor's message as relates to the controversy between this state and the commonwealth of Virginia, in regard to the southern and western boundary this state, and that they report to the two houses respectively what course they deem most expedient for the state to pursue.

We have appointed on the part of this house, Messrs. Blakistone, Franklin Smith, Jones of Somerset, Knight and Palmer, to join such gentlemen as shall be named by your honourable body.

Mr. Jones of Somerset, submitted the following order,

Ordered, That for the purpose of affording time to the standing and special committees to prepare their business for the action of the house, that this house will until otherwise ordered, meet every morning at 11 o'clock, instead of ten, as heretofore ordered.

Which, having been twice read—The question was put, will the house adopt the order?

Resolved in the affirmative.

The house then adjourned until Monday morning, 11 o'clock.

Monday, January 13th, 1834.

Mr. Evans presented a petition of Hester

Egan, of Cecil county, praying relief by county assessment.

The speaker laid before the house, a report from the clerk of Montgomery county, showing the amount of money paid by him into the treasury.

Also a report from the Inspector of Tobacco Warehouse No. 3, showing the amount paid by him into the Treasury.

On motion by Mr. Palmer,

Ordered, That the committee on Lotteries, be instructed to inquire into the expediency of reducing the number of the lottery commissioners to two, and of making it their duty to reside in the city of Baltimore, and report to this house by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Roberts obtained leave to bring in a bill, relative to appointing a surveyor in Queen Anne's county, to have all the powers of a county surveyor.

Mr. Jones of Somerset, obtained leave to bring in a bill, to provide for the appointment of certain commissioners in Somerset county.

Mr. Hurtt, obtained leave to bring in a bill to regulate division fences, in Kent county.

Mr. Dulany presented a petition of Francis Horner, widow of Doctor Gustavus Horner, of the Maryland line, praying for a pension on account of the revolutionary services of her husband.

Mr. Moore presented a petition from sundry citizens of Harford and Baltimore counties, praying an additional levy on said counties, to complete a bridge over the Little Falls of Gunpowder.

The clerk of the senate, returned the resolution authorizing the armorer to deliver to Captain Alexander Cheves, arms, &c. endorsed assented to.

Ordered to be engrossed.

And delivered a memorial and petition of a number of citizens of different counties in Maryland, praying for the establishment of a State Bank.

The clerk of the council delivered the following communication from the Executive, in obedience to an order of the house.

Which was read and referred to the committee on claims.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Annapolis, Jan. 11th, 1834.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates.

In compliance with your order of this day, requesting me to report to you the number of agents or representatives, accompanied with their names, that have been appointed to represent the interest of this state, in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, the compensation that has been allowed to such agents or representatives, and the vouchers on which such compensation has been allowed.

I have the honour to state, that it appears from the records of this department, that, in virtue of the act of December session, 1829, chap. 212, the following gentlemen were appointed on the several days specified, to represent the state of Maryland, at all future meetings of the stockholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company.

1830, May 3d. Michael C. Sprigg, Esquire, of Allegany county.

1831, Feb. 3d. Benjamin S. Forrest, Esq. of Montgomery county.

1832, Feb. 6th. Benjamin S. Forrest, Esq. of Montgomery county.

1833, Jan. 29th. Benjamin S. Forrest, Esq. of Montgomery county.

And, in virtue of the act of December session, eighteen hundred and thirty two, chap. 318, on the 9th day of May last, Benjamin S. Forrest, Esq. of Montgomery county, James W. McCulloch, Esq. of Baltimore county, and Charles Goldsborough, Esq. of Dorchester county, were appointed to represent the state of Maryland at all future meetings of the stockholders of any, and all joint stock companies which had been, or might hereafter be, incorporated to make roads or canals.

No compensation appears by the records of this department to have been allowed to any of the aforesaid representatives, by the Governor and Council, nor does it appear that any claim has ever been presented by them, or any of them, to the Executive, for services rendered or expenses incurred in virtue of said appointments, or any of them.

All which is respectfully submitted,

By your obedient humble servant,

JAMES THOMAS.

On motion by Mr. Sellman,

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the western shore be directed to report to this house, the compensation that has been allowed to each of the agents or representatives of this state, to represent its interest in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal company, with a copy of the vouchers on which such compensation has been made.

On motion by Mr. Carroll,

Leave was granted to bring in a bill to alter and amend the thirty-seventh section of the constitution of this state.

Mr. Larrimore reported a bill to authorize appraisers on real and personal estate to qualify each other.

Mr. Hayne reported a bill for the relief of Maria Cuff, a free woman of colour of the city of Philadelphia.

Mr. Burchenal reported a bill, to establish magistrates District Courts in this state, and prescribing their powers and duties.

Mr. Burchenal also reported a bill, supplementary to an act, passed at December session, 1831, chap. 244; which was read the first and second time by special order, and passed.

Mr. Fassitt from the select committee reported a bill, to abolish all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relates to the time and manner of electing the Senate, and the mode of filling up vacancies in that body, so that each county, and the city of Baltimore may have a Senator, to be elected immediately by the people.

The bill reported by Mr. Mann, for the reassessment and revaluation of all the real and personal property in Washington county,

was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and passed.

Mr. Sifford reported a supplement to the act for the education of the indigent deaf and dumb of this state.

On motion by Mr. Ridgely,

Ordered, That the clerk note on the journal that Mr. Lantz was prevented from attending the house by indisposition.

Mr. Smith of Worcester, who had leave of absence, appeared in the house.

Mr. Handy submitted the following preamble and order:

Whereas, a memorial has been presented to this house by the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road company praying for legislative action in its behalf;

Ordered, That a special committee of the house be appointed to visit and inspect said road and report to this house its condition;

Which having been twice read, the question was put, will the house adopt the same? Determined in the negative.

Mr. Hayne reported a bill for the relief of Maria Cuff, a free woman of colour, of a city of Philadelphia.

Mr. Moore reported an additional supplement to an act to authorize the levy courts of Baltimore and Harford counties to build a bridge over the Little Gunpowder falls, at Lee's mill, on the road leading from Baltimore to Bel Air.

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

The house then adjourned until to-morrow morning 11 o'clock.

Tuesday, Jan. 14th, 1834.

Mr. Hayne presented a petition of George D. S. Handy of Kent county, praying for the passage of a law authorizing him to sell his negro slave Jere, without limits of the state of Maryland;

And, Mr. Snowden presented a petition of George Howard and others, Anne Arundel county, relative to servants for a term of years.

Mr. Sellman presented a petition of Horatio W. Waters of Balt. county, praying for relief.

And, Mr. Peregrino presented a petition of Eliza David of the city of Balt. praying for a divorce.

The Speaker laid before the House a memorial and petition of sundry citizens of different counties of Maryland, praying the establishment of a State Bank.

Also, the following report from the treasurer of the western shore, in obedience to an order of the House of Delegates of the 13th inst.

Which was read.

Western Shore Treasury, January 14, 1834.

To the Honourable The House of Delegates.

The Treasurer of the western shore, in obedience to their order of yesterday, respectfully reports, that funds \$1000 were placed to the credit of Ben. S. Forrest, Esq. on the journal of accounts of the last general assembly, as for services rendered the state in pursuance of resolution, No. .08 of December session, 1831, and as allowed by the committee of claims, under an order of the house.

He finds also, that \$48 were on the same journal, placed to the credit of Ben. L. Gantt, Esq. as for the amount of his account, examined, passed and filed.

These sums were paid at the Treasury accordingly, in pursuance to ch. 310 of the acts of 1832, entitled, An act for the payment of the journal or accounts—and he is not aware that any other payments have been made to those gentlemen, or to any other agents to represent the late's interest in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

The vouchers, on which the allowances reported, were made by the committee of claims, are to be found only in the archives of the house of delegates.

He has the honour to be Most respectfully,

Their obedient serv't,

GEORGE MACKUBIN,

T. W. S.

Mr. Sifford presented a petition of Samuel Thomas of E. Michael Hoffman and others, of Frederick county, praying for the passage of a law, directing the levy court of said county to appropriate a sufficient sum to build a bridge therein stated.

Mr. Wright of Dor. obtained leave to bring in a bill to confirm an act, passed at December session, 1832, ch. 289, to limit the sessions of the general assembly in every alternate year.

Mr. Ely presented a report from the trustees of the Garrison Forest Academy.

Mr. Parnell presented a petition of Polly Jones, of Worcester county, praying for support.

Mr. Sifford presented a petition of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying that Frederick Gardner may be placed on the pension roll of said county.

Mr. Crabb presented a petition of Nelson Evans, of the city of Annapolis, praying for support.

Mr. Schley presented a petition of Sally M. Martin, praying the passage of a law to authorize her to bring into this state certain slaves therein mentioned.

Also, presented a petition of sundry citizens of Frederick and Baltimore counties, contesting the late election in Baltimore county.

Mr. Palmer presented a petition of sundry persons of Frederick county, praying for a law to authorize the levy court of Frederick county, to allow an additional sum to build a bridge over the Monocacy river, at Miller's Ford.

Mr. Fountain presented a petition of Wm. Saulsbury of Caroline county, praying for the passage of a law to enable him to work his servants on his farm, in the state of Delaware, and remove them back into this state, without affecting his title.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the western shore report to the house, the amount of money paid by him into the treasury.

Mr. Hillen submitted the following preamble and order, which was read.

Whereas there has been no settled mode of regulating the expenses of committees, deputed by this house to visit places and examine improvements, distant from the seat of government;

Whereas, at former sessions, large and exorbitant bills have been presented for such services, and paid;

Therefore, with a view to direct the committee on claims, as to the allowances to be made by them in future.

Ordered, That each and every member of such committees, be allowed an extra per diem of two dollars, and their travelling expenses, at the rate already established.

Mr. Blakistone moved that the second preamble be stricken out.

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Scott moved the following resolution as a substitute for the preamble and order submitted by Mr. Hillen.

1st. Resolved, That the situation of the treasury calls loudly for retrenchment in every branch of the government.

2d. Resolved, That this house will sanction any unnecessary expenditure of public money.

3d. Resolved, That the committee of claims be directed to allow each member of the committee appointed during the present session to visit and inspect the public works and institutions, a sum not exceeding seven dollars per day, (including their per diem) for the services as members of this house, and travelling and other expenses, during the time they may be employed on said committee.

Which having been read.

Mr. Handy moved to amend the substitute offered by Mr. Scott, by striking out the resolution, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

Resolved, That the committee on claims be instructed to allow to all members appointed on committees to visit public works, the actual and reasonable expenses, in addition to their per diem, and no more.

Which was read.

Mr. Burchenal moved that the said preamble and order with the proposed substitute be laid on the table.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Scott, the said preamble and order with the substitute proposed, were made the order of the day for Friday, 17th inst.

Mr. Jones of Somerset, reported a bill, to provide for the appointment of certain commissioners, in Somerset county.

Mr. Nichols reported a bill to condemn a lot of land, for the repairs of a public causeway, at Cratcher's Ferry, in Dorchester county.

And, Mr. Johns reported a bill, to amend the constitution and form of government, as it relates to the division of Somerset county into election districts, and to establish an additional election district.

The bill from the senate, entitled, in relation to Poppleton street, in the city of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The bill to incorporate the Merchants Bank of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration.

When on motion of Mr. Nichols, the bill was referred to the committee on vacancies.

On motion by Mr. Snowden, leave of absence was granted to Mr. Warefield, for a few days.

The bill reported by Mr. Wright of Dorchester, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivered a letter from George C. Washington, Esquire, announcing his appointment as a member of the Executive council.

The house then adjourned.

GRAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY,

For Literature and Charities in the States of Delaware, South Carolina, and Louisiana.

CLASS, No. 2, for 1834.

To be drawn at Wilmington, (Del.) on Tuesday January 21, 1834.

Sixty-six Number Lottery, Ten Draw Balls.

SCHEME.		\$20,000
1 prize of		5,000
1 prize of		3,000
1 prize of		2,500
1 prize of		1,000
20 prizes of		500
30 prizes of		200
30 prizes of		150
35 prizes of		100
56 prizes of		50
56 prizes of		40
56 prizes of		30
56 prizes of		25
112 prizes of		20
2184 prizes of		10
15400 prizes of		5

Tickets \$4 50, Halves \$2 25, Quarters \$1 12 1/2.

Tickets and shares for sale at DUBOIS' LOTTERY AND EXCHANGE OFFICE (CROWN STREET, ANNEAPOLIS).

COMMUNICATED.

The public are respectfully informed that a fair for the benefit of the Female Orphan Asylum of the City of Annapolis, will be held Tuesday the 22nd day of January instant, in the Assembly Room, in the city, commencing at 12 o'clock, when a variety of fancy articles will be exhibited for sale. The friends of humanity are requested to give their attendance and support upon this occasion. The Managers of the fair will be glad to receive any contributions of clothing, or other articles of utility, or of value, which they will be glad to receive. The Managers of the fair will be glad to receive any contributions of clothing, or other articles of utility, or of value, which they will be glad to receive. The Managers of the fair will be glad to receive any contributions of clothing, or other articles of utility, or of value, which they will be glad to receive.

COMMUNICATED FOR THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

JOHN CARROLL OF CARROLLTON.

[Continued.] Mr. Carroll, with the rest of the sages of the revolution, stemmed the torrent of despotism, and with Washington at the helm of the vessel of state, resisted the surging billows, which dashing, foamed and raged, until they were rising mountains high, threatening to engulf in their almost interminable waves. But the noble bark successfully rode out the tempest, and was ultimately safely moored in a secure harbour, where the conflict unfurled to the breeze, triantly waved 'er a region which was rescued from thralldom. The names of Carroll and Carroll must ever be associated, as the first in war—the other as surviving signer of that instrument which sealed the tocsin of war to sound, and to echo, till its reverberations reach the peak of the Alleghanies, and again resounded to the remotest borders of the Atlantic. To the memory of Washington a neighbouring city, remarkable for its enterprize, has reared a tribute of renown, and it is proposed that the nation construct a monument commemorative of the disinterested patriotism of Carroll. And we enter the impression that this act of gratitude to this vast republic contribute the considerable piece of silver coin in relation among us, being only the twentieth part of a dollar, and it would constitute a sufficient to form a magnificent structure. And, therefore, this project be carried into effect, the next consideration would be, where monument ought to be placed. We have mentioned Annapolis as the most appropriate place for this purpose; and the site the centroph the lofty hill fronting the formation of Mr. Carroll, since a sublime aspect presents itself from this eminence, which is sufficiently spacious for all purposes connected with the contemplated design. In addition to this, there formerly stood on the thus designated, a large walnut tree, which tradition acquaints us, once sheltered the wide spreading branches, both General Washington and Mr. Carroll on some memorable occasion, the nature of which has been lost in the lapse of ages.

TACITUS.

[To be continued.] B. The editor of the Maryland Republican, and other editors throughout the union, confer a favour by giving the above attention in their respective papers.

Communication.

Mr. Horton: In obedience to a request of Mr. Horton, Esq. Teacher of Primary School No. 19, of our county, I attended the examination of his pupils which took place on Friday the 20th ultimo. Feeling a deep and lively interest in the progress of education, particularly in the success of the primary school system, you can imagine, sir, the pleasure I enjoyed in witnessing the exhibition of talent made by many of the youths who were under your instruction. Entertaining the opinion that public eulogies of the performances of scholars are calculated to awaken and excite emulation in their studies, I propose, through the medium of your columns, to introduce to the view the names of those pupils whose examinations afforded the best evidence of talent, industry, and industry. In consequence of

the limited time the examination of the scholars was confined to those useful branches of education, Geography, English Grammar, History and Education. Among those composing the classes engaged in the study of the three first mentioned branches, I noticed two young ladies named St. Maria Lanthier and Ann Smith, who went through their various exercises with such extraordinary readiness and facility as to remove all doubts of their superior talents, or the attention and industry which must have distinguished their scholastic course. The first mentioned, particularly merits commendation for her peculiar correctness in parsing a number of sentences in Kirkeham's False Syntax. In the second class of Geography, I cannot omit mentioning the names of Robert Norwood, Charles Lanthier, and Thomas Pumphrey, whose progress in this interesting and useful study merits my favourable notice. After the examination in the above mentioned studies had closed, a number of select speeches and orations were pronounced by the scholars composing the higher classes, and sir, I must say that the elegance of delivery and appropriateness of action displayed by the performers, exceeded the expectations, and commanded the applause of every beholder. The foremost in the list was a small boy, not yet nine years old, named William H. Pitcher, who rehearsed two lengthy pieces in a most pleasing and masterly style. The Oration of Mark Anthony over the dead body of Caesar, was delivered by Master James Pitcher in a manner chaste, solemn and impressive.

Another youth, whose name I believe is Samuel Norwood, was much applauded for the animation and dignity he displayed in the pronunciation of a speech of Lord Chatham on American affairs. I should do injustice to another small boy named Henry H. Thomas, were I to refuse a tribute of praise due him for his admirable recital of the equestrian race of John Gilpin. The dialogue between David and Goliath was performed by Samuel Norwood and William H. Pitcher with all the spirit and fervour it is calculated to inspire. At the conclusion of the examination the audience were entertained by B. Marriott and John M. Jones, Esqrs. who addressed them to a considerable length upon the important subject of education. I cannot close this communication without expressing my inadequacy to do justice to the performances, and stating that the examination of the pupils on that day affords the most satisfactory evidence of the ability and attention of their instructor. And sir, permit me to add, that the conduct and behaviour of the scholars were truly laudable and praiseworthy, shewing at once the high moral influence exercised in their government and regulation.

A Friend of Primary Schools.

To the qualified Teachers of Primary Schools in Anne Arundel County.

Gentlemen: You will perceive by the public notices, that we are requested to meet on the first of February at the Waterloo Tavern, to take into consideration matters of great importance. We have long remained inactive; we have long silently deplored the disgraceful condition of the majority of the primary schools—we are now summoned to assemble, that we may, by united exertion, effect a general reformation. Let not the benevolent intentions of the patriotic founders of these institutions be frustrated! Let not the liberal grants of the legislature be misapplied with impunity! Upon us depends the prosperity of these schools. Without our energetic co-operation, legislative interference is useless. We must, if possible, eradicate the ignorance and indifference that have hitherto impeded our exertions.

The superiority of similar institutions in most of the other states of the confederacy, is principally owing to the combined efforts of able and zealous instructors. Let us imitate their example, and attend the Convention with a determination to do all in our power for the holy cause in which we are engaged. We have the favourable wishes of our best and wisest citizens, who approve our designs and anticipate much benefit from our deliberations. I have the honour to be, gentlemen, Your most ob't. serv't.

J. M. J.

ALABAMA.

Our readers will be no less pleased than surprised to learn that the controversy between Alabama and the General Government has been peaceably settled. Governor Gale, in a message transmitted to the Legislature on the 20th instant, announces an arrangement with Mr. Key, the agent despatched by the Government to Alabama, which seems to think is perfectly satisfactory. The settlers in the new counties are to remain in the undisturbed possession of their improvements, and the orders of the Secretary of War are to be confined exclusively to the locations which were reserved for the Indians by the treaty. It is believed, the Governor says, that the plan which has been adopted by the General Government, and the exertions which are made to purchase the reservations, will effectually prevent any future collision.

Balt. Gaz.

THE VETERAN LAFAYETTE—AND HIS FLORIDA LANDS.

Certain paragraphs which have lately appeared in the American papers, might lead the public to suppose that General Lafayette, who takes so much pleasure in being called an American Veteran, had parted with the entire tract of land given him by Congress, in consideration of his sacrifices and devotion in the cause of America; when she was in the greatest need; foregoing the enjoyments of rank and opulence at home, to risk his life and fortune for our independence. But we are pleased to be informed by his friend and agent, Mr. Skinner, that the old General has never wavered in his determination under any circumstances to retain a portion of the land, as a memorial of

his gratitude, for what he is pleased to acknowledge as the liberality of Congress; and his instructions have always been rather to lose the most advantageous sale of the whole, than not to retain a part for his family.

In his last letter dated four November last, he says that whilst he regrets the obligation to part with this tract, he feels more than ever attached to the spot, which he can allow himself to retain. 'I depend,' he says, on your and Mr. Williams' kind preparations, at the same time that I request him to be very attentive to the selection of the spot which is to remain for myself and my children, a precious relic of the munificence and goodness of Congress in my behalf.'

The following poem is characteristic of the old Patriot:—The birds you have been pleased to announce are not arrived. The breed of Wild turkeys is preserved, yet one or two large ones would do very well. Your breed of Hogs do admirably well. My American Deer are dead—leaving no progeny. I would much like to try once more, the Patridge, and fresh water Terrapins. I have been awarded five prizes at the late departmental cattle show—two of which for Boar and Sow. A Boar, destined to come to the largest size, would be very welcome, and so would a Sow.

So large a body of uncultivated land, in the immediate neighbourhood of Tallahassee, has necessarily retarded the growth of that town; and hence the General's anxiety to sell, if on no other account. The business has been transacted by Col. Robert W. Williams, of that place, a gentleman of the highest character, and with anxious and honourable attention to General Lafayette's interests, of which he is fully sensible.

The 'precious relic' stipulated for by the old American Veteran, for himself and his family, consists of about 1600 acres, adjoining Tallahassee. The balance of the tract is for sale, in smaller portions, by the purchasers of the whole, — is well adapted to Sugar and Cotton, and offers a profitable investment to capitalists.

A few mornings since, a Mr. Lewis, a journeyman printer, arose from being in Boston, in a state of mental arrangement, and went down stairs for a drink, but before he could put the draught to his lips, he fell down and expired.

FRUITLESS HEROISM.

In the town of St. George, Me. lately, a boy, one of a large skating party, fell through the ice of a pond. His comrades fled in all directions; but his cries having alarmed his own family, living near the pond, one of his sisters made her appearance, and plunged into the pond, without a moment's hesitation, to her rescue. She did not, however, succeed in her effort, the lad being drowned; and it was not without difficulty that the spectators recovered her own almost lifeless body from the water.

FORGERY.

M. W. M. Chesney, a leather dealer in Jacob street, has been missing since Monday, and it has come out, that he has forged the name of a respectable neighbour, to the amount of fifteen or twenty thousand dollars. Chesney, it is ascertained, has sailed as a passenger on board the ship Arkansas, for New Orleans, and has taken considerable property with him. He is a tall and slender man with prominent features. —lb

From the Washington Globe.

TARIFF OF COTTONS.

The resolution of the senate of Friday last, and the publication in the Newspapers on the same subject, may create the impression that some recent decision has been made by the secretary of the Treasury highly injurious to the manufacturers of cotton. As such an impression would naturally create ungovernable alarm among a numerous class of our citizens, whose interests would be affected, we have taken pains to inform ourselves upon the subject, and take the first opportunity of laying before our readers the result of our inquiries.

As long ago as last April, a circular letter was issued from the department, stating the construction which was placed on the compromise bill of the last session; and pointing out the manner in which the duties were to be calculated and reduced. This letter was published at the time in the newspapers of the commercial cities. Recently the Comptroller of the Treasury, as is usual in such cases, has issued his instructions to the different collectors, directing the mode in which their accounts are to be kept, and the duties to be calculated. And, in these instructions, he refers to the circular before mentioned as his guide, and directs the manner of stating the accounts according to the principles as he understood them to be settled by that decision.

The circular letter of the Secretary of the Treasury stated that the rate of duty on manufactures of cotton or of which cotton should be a component part, were to be ascertained according to the act of the 14th July, 1832—in other words that the amount of duty on the 31st December, 1833, payable on these articles, was to be ascertained on the minimum principle, and the reduction under the act of March 3, 1833, to begin from that point. The circular also prescribed the manner in which the amount of reduction is to be ascertained.

The rules then laid down have since been considered as the law of the department; and if there be any discrepancy between the instructions of the Comptroller and the circular letter of April last, before mentioned, it has arisen from oversight on his part, and will no doubt be promptly corrected. The present Secretary of the Treasury has given no decision whatever on the subject. The construction of the law was settled at the Treasury, and, we believe, rightly settled, by the proper authority before he came into office.

We have mentioned to lay these facts before the public, that the parties interested may be satisfied that nothing has recently been done to change the construction heretofore given to the law; and that it is intended to be administered, as far as the Treasury Department is concerned, upon the principles which have long since been made known to them; that is, by calculating the duties according to the minimum principle, and making the deduction in the manner prescribed by the circular above mentioned.

VALUABLE ARRIVAL.

The ship Peruvian, Capt. Watson, arrived yesterday from Canton. She has been out a hundred and eighty days, and was considered out of time. Ten per cent was offered to insure her on Thursday, but was refused. —N. Y. Daily Ad.

HORRIBLE.

This morning, between 7 and 8 o'clock, at the house of Patrick Fogarty, 95 Chery st., a French sailor had his throat cut, and was robbed of his gold watch and \$200. He was taken to the Hospital, and there is little hope of his recovery. The perpetrators are in the hands of the Police.

M. Y. Com. Adv.

The owners of the English ship Dorothy, Messrs. Horsfall, Son & Co. of Liverpool, have presented a handsome piece of plate to Captain A. G. Palmer, of Stonington, as a testimony of their sense of approbation of his generous conduct towards the officers and crew of the Dorothy, whom he picked up at sea, received on board his vessel with the greatest kindness, and afterwards landed at Pernambuco.

Three new banks have just been chartered by the legislature of North Carolina, with an aggregate capital of three millions of dollars. The charter of the bank of Cape Fear has also been renewed, with a capital of \$800,000.

A verdict of \$1200 damages was returned in the Court of Common Pleas, at Providence, R. I. last week against a young man for slandering a young lady in that most delicate and essential point, her chastity.

MR. GREEN—Sir, you will please to announce me as a candidate to represent Calvert County in the next General Assembly of Maryland.

JOHN A. WHITTINGTON.

A CARD.

A PUBLIC LECTURE, on some branch of Natural Philosophy, may be expected, at St. John's College, every Wednesday, Saturday, at four o'clock. Visitors are requested to be in the Room a few minutes before the time. —Subject for Wednesday, the 22nd, PHENOMENA OF RIVERS.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

THE MAIL STAGE, to be run, via Wy Mills and Queenstown to Broad Creek will leave Easton every Sunday and Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock, and reach Broad Creek at 2 o'clock, P. M. in time for passengers to arrive at Annapolis at an early hour in the evening in the mail packet.

Returning, leave Broad Creek at 12 o'clock, M. or immediately after the arrival of the Mail Packet from Annapolis, and reach Easton every evening.

The MAIL leaves Easton every Tuesday and Saturday afternoon at half past 3 o'clock for Cambridge, and returns same evening.

The MAIL STAGE for Centerville leaves Easton every Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon, at half past 1 o'clock, and reaches Centerville in time for an early supper. Returning, leaves Centerville at 6 o'clock, A. M. and arrives at Easton by 12 o'clock.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE.

THE Board of Trustees, at their next meeting, will elect one scholar from Anne Arundel county, to be educated gratuitously, under provisions of acts of assembly, passed for that purpose. By a late order of the board, applications are to be made to the subscribers; and it is desirable that the statement concerning the age, circumstances, talents, acquirements, &c. of the candidates, should be full, and accompanied with good references.

The notice is also repeated, that provision has been made by the Trustees to receive, free of tuition, one student from each county in the State, if possessed of good moral character and superior abilities. Application to be made as above. This privilege is of the average annual value of fifty dollars.

Editors friendly to science will confer a favour by copying this notice.

HECTOR HUMPHREYS, President of St. John's College.

Annapolis, Jan. 9.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT all Trespassers on the Lands now in the occupation of Thos. Burley and Richard Boston, will be dealt with according to law.

B. LOUCKHART.

Dec. 5.

Primary School Convention.

THE QUALIFICATION of Teachers of Primary Schools in Anne Arundel county, will meet at the Waterloo Tavern on Saturday the 22nd day of January next. The Commissioners, Inspectors, and Teachers, are requested to attend, or to appoint delegates.

NOTICE.

THAT all Trespassers on the subscribers lands, Ab-rdeen, and the lands formerly of James McCulloch, will be dealt with according to law.

WM. STEUART.

Jan. 9.

NEW BOOT & SHOE FACTORY.

At No. 11 North Howard street, second door above Mr. Hussey's tavern.

JAMES H. LEE & ANDREW DAYHUFF, respectfully inform their friends, and the public in general, that they have commenced the Boot and Shoe business, and solicit the patronage of a general public, assuring them that nothing shall be wanting on their part to give every satisfaction to their patrons. We have now on hand of our own make gentlemen's sword and pegged Boots—motorcycle Boots—Franklin Shoes (a beautiful article)—men's walking and dancing Pump—water proof Boots, coarse and fine—boys' Boots and Pump, coarse and fine—ladies' gaiter and lasting Boots, kid, last ing and Morocco Slippers—half and sea skin walking Shoes—Also, Boys & S. ks. We have in store a good assortment of Eastern made Boots and Shoes, all of which we will sell on pleasing terms, wholesale or retail.

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC.

Anne Arundel County, Orphan's Court.

January 7th 1834.

ON application by petition of George W. Linslead, administrator of William Linslead late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that they be published once in each week for the space of four consecutive weeks in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAM'L BROWN, Jm.

Reg. Wils. & A. County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphan's Court of Anne Arundel county in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of William Linslead, late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 7th day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of January 1834.

GEORGE W. LINSLEAD, Adm'r.

Jan. 9.—6w

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC.

Anne Arundel County Orphan's Court.

January 7th 1834.

ON application by petition of Charles A. Waters, administrator of Jacob Waters late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that he be published once in each week for the space of four consecutive weeks in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

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CHARLES A. WATERS, Adm'r.

Jan. 9.—6w

BASIL SHEPARD.

MERCHANT TAILOR.

OFFERS to the citizens of Annapolis and the public generally, a selection of new and fashionable FALL AND WINTER GOODS, from the New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore markets, consisting of Black Blue, Dutch R. de D. Blue, Invisible Green, and Rosin in R. de B. Brown, double milled D. de Olive and Gray.

CLOTHS.

AND ALSO.

CAMLET, for Over Coats.

Diagon. Zigzag, Patch Mixed and mixed, Mixed. Rub-d. and Plain CASHMERE, and Printed CASHMERE.

Merino, Marcellase Silk, Satin, plain and twilled Silk, Flannel, Madras Silks, Cashmere & Tullinette.

VESTINGS.

White, Black and Fanc. Silk HANDKERCHIEFS, HOSE, GLOVES, SUSPENDERS, SHIRT SHAMS, STOCKS, COLLARS and ORIENTAL DRESS.

ALL of which he respectfully invites the public to call and examine.

Jan. 3, 1834.—16.

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CO-PARTNERSHIP.
THE subscribers have entered into a Co-partnership, which will be conducted under the firm of **HART & FRANKLIN**, who will carry on the general business of Merchandizing, at their stores, the one on Church street, formerly occupied by Shaw & Claude, the other on West st. just above Hunter's Tavern, heretofore kept by Daniel Hart; where they have a general assortment of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,
and other Articles of Merchandize, which will be sold low.

DANIEL HART & FRANKLIN.
NEW YORK HATS.
Received yesterday, 5 Cases NEW YORK HATS of the latest fashions, suitable for persons of all ages.

HART & FRANKLIN.
LIST OF LETTERS.
Remaining in the Post Office at Annapolis, on the 21st of December, 1832.

J. Anderson.
Walter Byrnes, (3)
Jno. T. Barker, (3)
Bice B. Barber,
George G. Bell,
Philip O. Bly,
Arch. Brewer.

John Carr,
John Calvert,
Mrs. Steward Cross,
John Carr,
Osborn Connaway.

Thomas Duffey,
Rich'd. Duffey,
Vernon H. Duffey.

John Ennis, (2)

Mr. Gaspy,
Jno. H. Gilpin,
Private Guericke.

Catherine Howard,
George Howard,
Mr. Henson.

Dorsey Johnson.

Rev. Chas. Kalbfus.

Stephen Lee, (2)
Philip Lansdale, (2)

B. W. Marriott, (2)
Ann Merriken,
Gilbert Murdock, (4)
Wm. H. McKane,
Elizabeth Murdock, (2)
Philip Marshall,
Wm. McNeir, (3)

Jos. Nicholson, (near Annapolis)

Mrs. Rebecca Owens.

Jos. R. Phelps,
Thomas Phelps,
Wm. Popham.

Clement Rust,
Jno. Roberson.

Mrs. E. A. Sewell,
John Smith,
Wm. W. Seeders,
Julia M. Sears.

Jacob Tome,
William Taylor,
Thos. Taylor.

Jno. W. Whittington,
Henry A. Works,
Thos. G. Waters,
Miss Anne Wilcox,
Jno. Willoughby.

Jan. 2.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of **Fieri Facias**, issued out of Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of the Tobacco Warehouse Company, of the city of Annapolis, at the suit of Adam & John Miller, I have seized and taken in execution the LOT and premises, with the improvements thereon, in the city of Annapolis, the lot is near the Steam Mill, on the left, the improvements consist of a large and commodious **BRICK WAREHOUSE**, (free proof), together with all the fixtures and implements thereunto belonging. And I hereby give notice, that on **THURSDAY** the 23d day of January instant, I shall proceed to sell the property above described, to satisfy the due as aforesaid. Sale to commence at the premises at 11 o'clock. Terms Cash.

R. WELCH, of Ben. Sheriff.

Jan. 2.

NOTICE.

THE commissioners for Anne Arundel county will meet at the court house in the city of Annapolis on Thursday the 23d day of January next, for the purpose of settling with the Inspectors of Tobacco.

By order,

R. J. COWMAN, Clk.

IN CHANCERY,

Dec. 20, 1833.

ORDERED. That the sale made and reported by Alfred Clark, the Trustee in the case of Alfred Clark against Sylvester Clark, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 20th day of February next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper once a week for three successive weeks before the 20th day of January next. The report states, that the property sold for Two Hundred Dollars.

True copy—Test,

RAMSAY WATERS,

Reg. Cur. Can.

Dec. 26.

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LAND FOR SALE.
THE subscriber offers at private sale a Tract of Land, near the city of Annapolis, containing about Eight Hundred Acres of Land, more or less. This land adjoins the Farm of the late Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq. and is bounded on one side by Severn River, and on the other by the land of the late Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq. and is situated on the shore of the river, and is well adapted for the growth of Indian Corn, Rye, and fine Tobacco may be made upon it. Any person who may be inclined to purchase, is invited to view the premises, and the Terms, which shall be ascertained, can be known by application to me on Elk Ridge, near Elk Neck, or to Robert Welch, of Ben. in the city of Annapolis, who will at any time show the premises.

Jan. 2.

MANSION HOUSE HOTEL.

JAMES MILLS.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends,

and the public, that he has taken that

SPACIOUS HOUSE on the Church Circle

where he has opened a **HOTEL**. The location

is central as regards the business of the place, and the House is conveniently arranged

for the accommodation of **Families or Single persons**, either as **regular or transient Boarders**.

His Board and Furniture throughout are

new, and by his efforts himself, **superior**. His

Table and Bar will always be furnished with

the best market affords, and no pains will

be spared to render comfortable and agreeable

all who may favour him with their custom.

Convenient stabling is provided for the accom-

modation of such as may favour him with their

custom. He has provided an attentive Ostler

and Waiters.

He has attached to his House, an **Ordinary**,

where Terrapins, Oysters, Wild Fowl, &c.

can be had at the shortest notice.

He respectfully solicits a share of the public

patronage.

He likewise keeps Saddle Horses for hire

for either Ladies or Gentlemen.

CLERK'S OFFICE.

City of Annapolis, Dec. 9th 1833.

WHEREAS Richard Ridgely Collector of

the Tax for the city of Annapolis, for

the year 1833, hath returned to the Corpora-

tion of said city, the following List of Real

Property in said city, on which there is no

Personal Property to pay the same, viz:

Names of persons assessed Property Amount of tax due.

J. L. Boyd, House and lot \$4 50

William Cox, do do 15 00

James Mefford, do do 3 75

Tobacco Warehouse Co., do do 15 00

Thos. Morgan's heirs, do do 1 50

Joseph A. Barrett's heirs, do do 3 00

Acres of Briggs's heirs, do do 2 25

Hallam Turner, do do 7 50

Joseph Williams, do do 3 25

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT unless the City charges aforesaid are

paid within thirty days after the publication

of this notice, that the said property, or

such parts thereof, as will be sufficient to pay

the Tax and costs thereon, will be sold to the

highest bidder, agreeably to the directions of

Act of Assembly, entitled, An act to amend

the charter of the City of Annapolis, &c. passed

Jan. 10, 1832, chapter 20.

JOHN H. WELLS, Clk.

BOARDING HOUSE.

Mrs. Ann Hickman, begs leave, respectfully,

to inform the public, that she has been

formerly engaged in the business of

boarding, and is now prepared to

accommodate the public, in a

boarding house, which she has

opened in the city of Annapolis,

and is prepared to receive

WILLIAM BRYAN, MERCHANT TAILOR.
TAKES pleasure in expressing his sincere thanks to his friends, and the public in general, for the liberal patronage they have heretofore bestowed upon him, and begs leave to inform them, that he has been compelled, from the heavy calamity which befel him on the 29th October, to remove his shop to the brick building owned by Washington G. Tucker, Esq. one door below the Store of Messrs. Hart & Franklin, and nearly opposite the residence of Dr. Dennis Claude, where he intends carrying on his business in his usual manner; and where he will be happy to accommodate his friends in the line of his profession. He was, by the aid of his fellow-citizens, enabled, on the morning of the above calamity, to save a portion of his Stock in hand, and hopes, in a short time, to be enabled to regulate his whole stock. He therefore confidently solicits the former patronage of his friends, together with that of the public at large.

Nov. 7.

TYCHICUS.

THE celebrated Race-Horse Tychicus will stand at the Stables of H. G. Key, Esq., Leonardtown, St. Mary's County, Maryland, the ensuing season, commencing 1st of March next, (1834).

Tychicus was got by Clifton, his dam (bred by Col. Taylor, of Mount Airy, Va.) by imported Clance, grand dam by the Arabian Schim, g. g. d. by the Prince of Wales, Pegasus, (in England), g. g. d. Peggy, the famous Plate Mare, imported when in foal, 1799—see her pedigree and performances in the American Turf Register, Vol. 4, Page 357. She was by Trumpeter, her dam sister to Postmaster, by Herod, granddam by Snap; great granddam by Tower Stallion, (son of the Godolphin Arabian), and her dam by Flying Childers.

Clifton was got by Doctor Brown's celebrated running horse Wonder, out of a thoroughbred Diomed mare. Wonder was got by the imported horse Wonder, he by Florizel, his dam Zuchbarina, got by Matchem, out of Aurora, by the Duke of Northumberland's Golden Arabian. Florizel was got by Herod out of a Cygnet mare, her dam by Gortouch—Epony by Childers. On the dam side—Fris, the dam of Clifton, was got by the imported horse Stirling; her dam by the imported horse Cœur de Lion, her granddam was Mr. Mead's celebrated running mare Orsley, who was got by the imported horse Ousebury, her g. g. dam by Geler, her g. g. dam by the imported horse Partner, her g. g. dam by the imported horse Janus, her g. g. dam by the imported horse Valant, her g. g. dam by the imported horse Jolly Roger, out of an imported mare, the property of Peter Randolph, Esq.

JOSEPH LEWIS.

Dear Sir—I have extracted, as you requested, from the English and Book, the pedigree of the imported horse Wonder, the grand sire of your young horse Clifton, which is annexed. The pedigree of your horse, on both sides, is equal to any in America. His dam, Fris, partakes of the most approved crosses for the turf, in Virginia and his sire, the imported horse Wonder, is inferior to none in England. I was very much pleased with the appearance of your horse, and it is, I think, to be regretted, that you have never placed him in the turf, where, I think, from his blood and form, he would have made a distinguished figure. If his appearance and excellent blood certainly entitle him to the attention of those who wish to improve the breed of good horses, and I have no doubt, under the auspices of the gentlemen who will patronize him, that he will, as he certainly ought make a good season. Yours, truly,

JOHN TAYLOR.

To Joseph Lewis, Esq.

Tychicus became "celebrated" by being twice a winner over the Washington City Course, beating Helen, Ace of Diamonds, Reform, Tyrant, and others, once over the central course, Baltimore, beating La-Celeste, Penny Black, Lady Relief, and others—At Tree Hill, Va. beating Wm. H. Johnson's Annet, Donald, Helen Grayson, (Miss Baker), distanced, at Taylorsville, Va. beating Rolla, Yellow Jacket, (Donald Adair), and Eliza Wharton—at Fairfield, running the severest and most splendid race in modern times, four mile heats, taking the first heat in 7m 55sec and continuing severely with Goliath the fourth heat, (2 A. distanced), which was six seconds quicker than Eclipse and Henry ran their third heat, beating Pizarro, who had before beaten Goliath at Tree Hill, and Quarter Master ruled out, Row Galley drawn, and Clarence distanced—and again at Fairfield, the four mile heats, coming out ahead of Pizarro, Mohawk, and many other horses, and others.

Handbills with pedigree, performances, and terms, will appear in due time—\$2500 were offered and refused for half of Tychicus after his last race.

W. H. & H. A. TAYLOR.

Mount Airy, Va. Jan. 9. 1834.

To Annapolis and Eastern papers will please publish the above and forward their accounts to this office.

WALDIE'S

CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

NOTICE.—For the sake of combining the old and new series, and making the third volume correspond both in date and manner the subscriber has concluded to print thirteen additional numbers to the second volume of the first or old series. These numbers will be furnished gratuitously to those who commenced with No. 1 and No. 6, and who have paid their subscription, or who shall have paid it before the 26th No. of Volume 2 is issued. Those whose subscriptions remain unsettled at the publication of that No. will be struck off the list, and charged SIX DOLLARS, as lately announced.

To those who have really patronized the "Library," by prompt payment of their subscription, very sincere acknowledgments are tendered, and a continuance of their patronage respectfully requested.

ADAM WALDIE

Sept. 5

DIVIDEND.

THE President and Directors of the South River Bridge Company have declared a Dividend of Three Cents per share, for the last six months on the capital stock of said company. The same will be paid on or after the first day of January next to the stockholders in person, or to their order.

By order of the President and Directors.

TH. FRANKLIN, Treasurer.

WILLIAM HARWOOD, Attorney at Law, offers his professional services to the public. His Office is on Church street, a few doors below the Church.

Dec. 12

EDWARD HAMMOND, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

HAS taken an Office in the city of Annapolis, and respectfully tenders his professional services to the public.

Nov. 14

THE JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES.
A NEW AND STARTLING CHARACTER ADDED TO WALDIE'S CIRCULATING LIBRARY.
THE Proprietor of this work, anxious to gratify his readers to as great an extent as his means will allow, respectfully announces to the public that the very liberal patronage he has received has enabled him to add a new feature to this periodical, which he believes cannot fail to prove interesting and valuable.

THE JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES, embracing three to four pages of additional new matter, will be given every week as an accompaniment to the Circulating Library, and will contain:

1. Early reprints of the reviews and notices of new books, from the weekly and monthly periodical press of London, &c. These reviews will be carefully selected with reference both to imparting correct information respecting such new books as are reprinted in America, and to convey literary intelligence in regard to works which rarely find their way across the Atlantic. A great exertion will be used to make this department instructive and entertaining, the proprietor is confident that it will be considered an important addition, by means of which his numerous subscribers will frequently avoid the expense of purchasing such books as are printed on the calculation that their titles or the reputation of their authors will sell the edition. This part of the Journal will embrace a considerable amount of extracts from new books of travels, memoirs, biography, novels, and in fact present a bird's eye view of new publications, early diffused through the Union, by means of the facilities of mail transportation.

The London Literary Gazette will be culled for this purpose, while the "Critical Notices," of the London Metropolitan, the Monthly, New Monthly, the Gentleman's, Blackwood's, Tait's, Edinburgh, Fraser's, and other Magazines, already regularly received by the editor, will be freely used.

2. Varieties, embracing literary anecdotes, new discoveries in science and the arts, sketches of society and manners abroad, literary and learned transactions, short notices of new books, and every species of information interesting to lovers of reading, with occasional specimens of the humorous departments of the London press, which are within the bounds of good taste, and are now published in no other Journal in America.

3. A regular list of the new books published and in progress in London and America.

4. Occasional original notices of new American publications, with extracts embracing their prominent features of excellence or defect.

No additional charge will be made for this great increase of reading matter. It will be contained on the pages of the cover of the Library, and therefore subject subscribers who receive their numbers by mail to no additional expense of postage.

Several applications having been made to ascertain the manner in which the original department of notices of new books will be conducted, we take the present early opportunity of stating that, at least they shall most unequivocally be **UNBOUGHT**. The presentation of a copy by the publisher shall not be a passport to praise, when the merits of the work do not warrant it; so that our readers may be assured of two things: First—books shall not be noticed the next day after they are received; and, secondly, they shall not be reviewed before they have been read. We have no royal road to puffing, and will be the less likely therefore, to fall into the error of an unlucky writer, who, in his anxiety to be the first to blow the bellows of criticism, read the preface only of a duodecimo, and gravely entered his approbation of two chapters which, unfortunately for his critical acumen, had been omitted, while the preface reference to them had been, by mistake, retained! This predicament was worse than that of the London editor, who criticised some passages of Cook's acting, and found when he rose next morning, and his paper was all over London, that the play had been postponed.

For the rest, time must develop our course and our capabilities in cases where the usual courtesy of the trade is not extended to this journal, unlike most of our contemporaries, we shall buy what books we want, and give to such as deserve it a careful perusal.

The prospectus, and some technical difficulties always attending the first issue of a new journal, make the present number but a partial specimen of its future promise.

July 4.

FOR ANNAPOLIS, CAMBRIDGE AND EASTON.

The Steam Boat **MARYLAND**, commenced her route on **TUESDAY** the 9th inst, leaving the lower end of Dogan's Wharf, at 7 o'clock, A. M. for Annapolis, (Cambridge by Castle Haven), and Easton, and return from the Eastern Shore on every Wednesday and Saturday, leaving Easton at 7 A. M. by Castle Haven and Annapolis. She will commence her Chestertown Trip on Monday, 22d April, leaving Baltimore at 6 o'clock, and return the same day, leaving Chestertown at 1 o'clock, calling at Corsica wharf, for the Centreville passengers.

N. B. All baggage at the owners risk.

Passage to or from Easton or Cambridge, \$2.50

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Children under 12 years of age half price.

LEWIS G. TAYLOR, Master.

MAY 2

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY, ATTORNEY AT LAW

HAS removed his Office, in West street, between the Office of Alex'r. Randall and J. H. Nicholson, Esquires, opposite the Farmers Bank of Maryland.

Nov. 14

THE MIRROR OF MIRTH.
For Publishing by Subscription, at the Office of the Proprietor, No. 11, South Street, Annapolis, Md.
A HUMOROUS PERIODICAL, TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE MIRROR OF MIRTH.
"Mirth that wrinkles care from men,
And laughter holding both in check."

THE subscriber, fully aware himself, of the innumerable evils which attend the want of mirth, and the promotion of health and peace among mankind, than almost any means which can be used, is induced to the experiment of starting a publication, which will bear the above title. It is unnecessary, perhaps, to state, that he will expect, as he commences the publication, the most sufficient number of persons to pay all the expenses which will be incurred, and who assures his friends that his calculations on score of expense are not very extravagant, hopes the public may be the more inclined to favour the contemplated publication.

The pages of the MIRROR OF MIRTH will be perfectly free from all party spirit, religious or political. And while the most religiously devout will find nothing to condemn, those who make no profession of religion will find in every line something to please, amuse, and delight.

The publication will contain witty notes, pithy Epigrams, Bon Mots, Epigrams, Conundrums, Epitaphs, Choice Sentences from the best writers of the age; and a collection of the best Maxims, on various subjects, which are to be found in the most approved writers. The Editor of the MIRROR OF MIRTH will strive to make it worthy of the support of the community in all parts of this State, indeed of the country.

TERMS

The MIRROR OF MIRTH will be printed on a royal sheet of beautiful paper, and will contain 8 octavo pages weekly, at a very low price of 81 per annum, payable in advance, or 81 25 if paid at the end of six months; and 81 50 if paid in two numbers will comprise a year, or volume of 416 pages.

Should a sufficient degree of encouragement be given, the MIRROR will be enlarged, occasionally, with humorous engravings.

Gentlemen procuring five reprints, subscribers will be entitled to a sixth copy gratis. Those who procure ten or more reprints, and forward the money, will receive extra copy and ten per cent. off all due which they collect.

If a sufficient number of names shall be obtained to justify the expense, the publication will be commenced as soon after the first of January as practicable; of which due notice will be given.

Persons holding subscription papers please return the same previous to the first of January, 1834.

As there is no work of the kind published in Maryland, and as the price will be convenient of almost every one, the editor confidently calculates on a large number of patrons.

LYNDE ELLIOT.

Oct. 24.

Our Editorial brethren who copy the above, will confer a favour on the publisher, by sending their names to the publisher, without sending their papers. Please mark advertisement when you insert.

IN CHANCERY,

Dec. 23, 1833.

Robert Oliver, Adm'r. pendente lite of Charles Carroll of Carrollton.

VS.

Edmund Harding, and others.

THE Bill Original in this case states—That before the year 1818, Charles Carroll of Carrollton, sold to Edmund Harding, of Montgomery county, a tract of land, lying in a county called "Hermitage?"—That about six hundred dollars of the purchase money is still due. It prays a sale of the said land for the payment of this money. It is shown that the said Edmund Harding is deceased, and that the said Charles Carroll is dead, and that the said Edmund Harding, the son, and Charles Queen, and Maria his wife, who are defendants, live out of the state. A petition ofivor has been filed in this case by Robert Oliver, administrator pendente lite of the said Charles Carroll of Carrollton, stating that one of the defendants, has removed beyond the limits of this state.

Whereupon it is ordered by this court, unless the said absent defendant, Josiah Harding, appear in this court, and file his answer on or before the 21st day of March next, that the said original bill and petition ofivor be taken pro confesso against him; and that the said absent defendants Edmund Harding and Charles J. Queen and wife appear and answer to the said petition ofivor, on or before the said last mentioned day, the same shall be taken pro confesso against them. Provided a copy of this order, be published in some newspaper of Annapolis three successive weeks before the first day of February next.

True copy—Test,

The Maryland Gazette.

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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND
HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Wednesday, January 15th, 1834.

Mr. Evans presented a petition of sundry citizens of Cecil county, praying the passage of a law to authorize the commissioners of that county to levy a sum of money to build a bridge over the North East creek, at or near North East, in said county.

Mr. Perego presented a petition of the Washington Beneficial Society of Baltimore, praying for an act of incorporation.

Mr. Lantz presented a petition of the Rev. Mr. Miller, and Sarah his wife, praying a special law authorizing them to convey certain real estate in Allegany county.

Mr. Fountain presented a petition of Sarah Atterfield, wife of James Satterfield, praying for a divorce.

Mr. Millar of Charles, presented a petition of Sarah Simmons, widow of Aaron Simmons, late of Charles county, a revolutionary soldier, praying to be placed on the pension list.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, praying for an act to preserve the breed of Fish, in Bird river, and also to prevent the navigation of said river from being hereafter obstructed.

Mr. Burchenal presented a petition from Matthias Day, of the state of Delaware, praying to be released from a certain tax therein mentioned.

On motion by Mr. Crabb, the following order was twice read and adopted:

Ordered, That Joseph J. Speed, Esq., be, and he is hereby appointed state director on the part of this house, in the bank of Baltimore for the ensuing year.

Mr. Pratt obtained leave to bring in a bill to allow Henry J. Brent of P. George's county, to bring into this state a negro woman from the District of Columbia.

On motion of Mr. Fassitt, leave was given to bring in a bill to abolish the High Court of Chancery.

Ordered, That the committee on grievances and courts of justice report the same.

Mr. Snowden obtained leave to bring in a bill supplementary to the act to provide for a public instruction of youth in primary schools throughout this state.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, obtained leave to bring in a bill supplementary to an act to distribute the School Fund, in Montgomery county.

Mr. Ely obtained leave to bring in bill, to prevent partiality in sales by Auction, of deceased persons estates.

Mr. Grove from the committee on the coloured population, made an unfavourable report on the petition of Sally M. Martin, praying the passage of a law to authorise her to bring into this state, certain slaves therein mentioned; which having been read.

Mr. Blakistone offered as a substitute for said report, a bill, entitled, an act, for the benefit of Sally M. Martin.

Which was read.

On the question being put,

Will the house adopt the substitute?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said bill was then read the first and second time by special order, and passed.

Mr. Palmer from the committee on grievances and courts of justice, reported a bill, to repeal an act of assembly, in relation to the public printing of this state, passed at the December session, 1831, chap. 303.

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

And made the order of the day for the next instant.

Mr. Sutton reported a bill, to authorise the granting Writ of Habeas Corpus, by justices of the peace, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

Mr. Lantz reported a bill, to confirm an act, to provide for an alteration in the constitution, so as to make certain alterations and changes in several election districts in Allegany county.

Mr. Franklin Smith submitted the following order.

Which was read.

Ordered, That a select committee of Charles Carroll, John H. Carroll, and John H. Carroll, be appointed by the chair to examine and report to this house, the amount of money to the different committees that have been appointed during the last five years by this house, or conjointly with the senate to Public Institutions or Works of Internal Improvement, and also to report to this house the number of days that they were allowed for their services.

Mr. Handy moved to amend the said order, by striking out the word 'five' and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'ten.'

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Handy then moved the following resolution as a substitute for said order.

Resolved, That a committee of be appointed to investigate and report to this house, whether there have been any and what has been a profuse expenditure of the public money, for the last five years.

The question was put

Will the house adopt the substitute?

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Unkefer reported a bill, to make valid and enforceable the provisions of the act, passed at the December session, 1831, chapter 303, relating to the public printing of this state.

And Mr. Wright of Dorchester, reported a bill, to limit the sessions of the General Assembly, in every alternate year.

Mr. Johns, chairman of the committee on grievances, reported a bill to divorce Eliza Davidson from her husband Victor David.

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

Mr. Bruce presented a petition of William K. Armistead, praying to be authorised to remove certain slaves into Allegany county, Maryland, from the state of Virginia.

The clerk of the senate returned the additional supplement to an act, to authorise the courts of Baltimore and Harford county, to build a bridge over the Little Gunpowder Falls, at Lees's Mill, on the road leading from Baltimore to Bel Air, endorsed, 'passed' ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolution authorizing the Register of the Land Office for the western shore,

to issue a warrant in favour of Lydia Brown and Ann Dunkler, in lieu of the one lost, endorsed, 'assented to.'

The bill reported by Mr. Larrimore, entitled, an act to authorise appraisers on real or personal estate to qualify each other, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The house proceeded to take up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Sifford, entitled, a supplement to the act, for the education of the indigent deaf and dumb of this state.

Mr. Harris moved to amend the bill by striking out the word 'twelve,' in the 4th line first section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'six.'

Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Ely the word 'or,' in the 3d line of the 2d second was struck out, and the word 'and,' inserted in lieu thereof.

The bill having been read a second time and passed.

The house proceeded to take up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Palmer, entitled, an act to extend the powers of the Chancery court and the county courts as courts of Equity.

Which having been read a second time and amended was passed.

The house then adjourned.

Thursday, January 16th, 1834.

The Speaker laid before the house a report from the trustees of the University of Maryland.

Also, reports from the clerks of Dorchester, Somerset and Prince George's county, relative to the attendance of the judges of their respective courts.

Also, reports from the clerks of Somerset and Dorchester counties, shewing the amount of money paid by them into the Treasury.

Also, an abstract of the Levy list of Worcester county, for the year 1833.

Mr. Jones of Somerset, presented a memorial and petition of sundry citizens of Maryland, praying the establishment of a state bank.

On motion by Mr. Palmer.

Ordered, That the committee on the constitution be enlarged to nine.

In pursuance whereof, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Palmer and Spencer, on the said committee.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, obtained leave to bring in bill supplementary to an act to distribute the School Fund, in Montgomery county.

Mr. Ely obtained leave to bring in bill, to prevent partiality in sales by Auction, of deceased persons estates.

Mr. Grove from the committee on the coloured population, made an unfavourable report on the petition of Sally M. Martin, praying the passage of a law to authorise her to bring into this state, certain slaves therein mentioned; which having been read.

Mr. Blakistone offered as a substitute for said report, a bill, entitled, an act, for the benefit of Sally M. Martin.

Which was read.

On the question being put,

Will the house adopt the substitute?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said bill was then read the first and second time by special order, and passed.

Mr. Palmer from the committee on grievances and courts of justice, reported a bill, to repeal an act of assembly, in relation to the public printing of this state, passed at the December session, 1831, chap. 303.

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

And made the order of the day for the next instant.

Mr. Sutton reported a bill, to authorise the granting Writ of Habeas Corpus, by justices of the peace, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

Mr. Lantz reported a bill, to confirm an act, to provide for an alteration in the constitution, so as to make certain alterations and changes in several election districts in Allegany county.

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

Mr. Grove, chairman of the committee on the coloured population, made a favourable report on the bill entitled, an act for the relief of Maria Cuff, a free woman of colour of the city of Philadelphia.

Which was read.

Mr. Johns, chairman of the committee on divorces reported a bill, for the relief of Horatio W. Waters, of Baltimore county.

The Speaker laid before the house, a report from James Anderson, President of the Board of Trustees of the Rockville Academy.

A report from Jacob Geiger, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the condition of the Manchester United Academy in Baltimore county.

A report from the President of the Board of Visitors of Frederick College.

And a report from the President of the Board of Trustees of Hagerstown Academy.

Mr. Blakistone chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, to which was referred an order of the house, requiring them to inquire into the expediency of increasing the salary of the chief judge of the Court of Appeals delivered the following report:

The committee of grievances and courts of justice to whom was referred an order of this

house, requiring them to inquire into the expediency of increasing the salary of the chief judge of the Court of Appeals, have had the same under consideration and beg leave to submit the following report and resolution.

The office of chief judge is one of high responsibility, and the duties incident thereto, render it necessary that the undivided attention of the incumbent should be devoted to the station, with a view to the promotion of the public interest. Your committee cannot impress too strongly upon the house the necessity of having called to this station a man of the best legal attainments, whose mind has been trained to judicial investigations. A man of this description should be entitled to a compensation somewhat commensurate with the duties to be performed and the ability with which they are discharged; believing the present salary of chief judge of the Court of Appeals not to bear any proportion to the duties, responsibilities, and character of the office.—Therefore,

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the western shore, pay unto the chief judge of the Court of Appeals, annually hereafter, in addition to the present salary the sum of \$500 to be paid quarterly.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That the committee on ways and means communicate with the several Banking Institutions, in the city of Baltimore, (except the Susquehanna Bridge and Bank Company, and the Bank of Maryland,) and learn from them the amount of stock subscribed for and paid in each, and the terms on which they will consent to open again their subscription books for the purpose of increasing the number of subscribers for the stock unsubscribed for each of said institutions, and that said committee report to this house.

On motion by Mr. Snowden,

Ordered, That the committee on ways and means be directed to inquire whether any loans have been made by any of the Banks of Baltimore, to citizens or Banks of other states, or any investments made of the funds of said banks in the stocks or funds of other states, and if so, to what amount such loans or investments have been made.

Mr. Grove, chairman of the committee on the coloured population made an unfavourable report on the petition of Zadock Robinson, praying to be permitted to bring into this state certain negroes therein named.

Mr. Scott offered as a substitute for said report, a bill, entitled, An act to authorise Zadock Robinson, to bring into this state certain negroes therein mentioned.

Which having been read, the question was put, will the house adopt the substitute.

Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill reported by Mr. Fassitt, to abolish all such parts of the Constitution and form of government, as relates to the time and manner of electing the senate, and the mode of filling up vacancies in that body, was taken up for consideration.

When on motion by Mr. Sellman, the said bill was referred to the committee on the constitution.

The bill to amend the constitution and form of government, as it relates to the division of Somerset county, into election districts, and to establish an additional election district.

The bill to provide for appointment of certain commissioners, in Somerset county.

The bill to appoint Mary Jordan, of Harford county, trustee for the sale of certain land therein mentioned.

And the bill, to condemn a lot of land, for the repair of a public causeway at Cratcher's Ferry, in Dorchester county.

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

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, reported a supplement to the act, to lay out and open a road in Montgomery and Frederick counties, passed at December session eighteen hundred and thirty one, chapter thirty nine.

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

Mr. Snowden, reported a supplement to the act, to provide for the Public Instruction of Youth, in Primary Schools, throughout this state.

And, Mr. Perego, reported a bill to incorporate the Washington Beneficial Society, of Baltimore.

The house then adjourned.

Friday, January 17th, 1834.

The bill to extend the powers of the Chancery Court and the County Courts, as courts of Equity, the supplement to the act, for the education of the Indigent Deaf and Dumb of this state; the bill, to authorise appraisers on real and personal estate, to qualify each other; the bill to amend the constitution and form of government, as it relates to the division of Somerset county, into election districts, and to establish an additional election district; the bill to provide for the appointment of certain commissioners in Somerset county; the bill to appoint Mary Jordan, of Harford county, trustee for the sale of certain land therein mentioned; the bill to condemn a lot of land, for the repair of a public causeway at Cratcher's Ferry, in Dorchester county; the bill to confirm an act to provide for an alteration in the constitution so as to make certain alterations and changes in several election districts in Allegany county; the bill for the benefit of Sally M. Martin; the supplement to the act, to lay out and open a road in Mont-

gomery and Frederick counties, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty one, chap. thirty nine; and the message proposing to go into the election of Bank Directors, on the part of the state,

Were sent to the senate.

Mr. Ridgely, presented a petition of Samuel P. Smith, and Reuben Worthington, of Allegany county, praying for relief as therein mentioned.

Mr. Hillen presented a petition of Henry Rhoads, and others, holding as trustees a certain piece of land in Baltimore county, and praying the passage of an act authorising them to transfer the said piece of land by deed, to the Methodist Protestant Church.

Mr. Wharton presented a petition of Christopher Flory, and Conrad Meitzer, and others praying the passage of an act authorising the sale of Real Estate, therein mentioned.

Mr. Merrick presented a memorial of the Chesapeake and Ohio Rail Road Company, praying for an advance of part of the states subscription for the stock of that company.

Also, presented a memorial of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, praying for an alteration in the rate of interest fixed by a law of the last session upon the stock subscribed for by the state, for the construction of the Baltimore and Washington Rail Road.

Mr. Snowden presented a petition of sundry citizens of Anne Arundel and Baltimore counties, praying for an act to incorporate the Patapsco Bank of Maryland.

Mr. Crabb presented a petition of Samuel P. Walker administrator of the estate of the late Sarah Smith, widow of the late Major Nathaniel Smith, praying that the pension allowed her husband for revolutionary services may be paid to him.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That it be a rule of this house that the Speaker shall forthwith, and at the commencement of every succeeding session, appoint a standing committee on corporations, whose duty it shall be to investigate all such bills for creating corporations as may be referred to them, and report if any, and what inconvenience may result to the state from the passage of such bills.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That a select committee of three be appointed to inquire and report by what authority the institution known by the name of the Susquehanna Bridge and Bank Company carry on banking operations in the City of Baltimore, and whether said institution has not forfeited its charter.

In pursuance whereof the Speaker appointed Messrs. Harris, Palmer and Dale, to constitute said committee.

On motion by Mr. Moores,

Ordered, That the committee on education be and they are hereby instructed to report a bill providing for the distribution of the common Free School fund, among the several counties of this state.

On motion by Mr. Lantz,

Ordered, That the standing committee on the coloured population be instructed to inquire into the expediency of repealing, revising or new modelling the acts of December session, 1831, and December session, 1832, relative to the coloured population, and report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Berry obtained leave to bring in a bill to extend the jurisdiction of magistrates of Allegany county.

Mr. Palmer submitted the following leave—leave to bring in a bill to prohibit the circulation, in this state, of corporation notes, under the denomination of five dollars, of the corporation of Washington City, Georgetown and Alexandria in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Perego obtained leave to bring in a supplement to an act to incorporate the Mechanics' Saving Fund Society of Baltimore.

Mr. Unkefer obtained leave to bring in a bill to repeal certain parts of an act relating to the people of colour in this state, passed at December session, 1831, chapter 281, and impose a tax upon each slave brought into this state, to be applied to the benefit of the Maryland Colonization Society.

Mr. Dulany obtained leave to bring in a bill relative to the introduction of slaves into this state acquired by marriage.

On motion by Mr. Pratt, the house proceeded to take up for consideration the bill from the senate, to alter and change the name of the corporation, known by the name of the President and Directors of the Susquehanna Bridge and Bank Company.

Which was read a second time, amended, and passed.

Mr. Ely reported a bill to prevent partiality in sales by auction of deceased persons estates.

Mr. Burchenal reported a bill to extend real estate.

And, Mr. Evans reported a bill to build a bridge over North East Creek, near North East, in Cecil county, on the Main Road, leading from North East to Charles Town.

The bill reported by Mr. Unkefer, to make valid a deed therein mentioned, was read the second time passed and sent to the senate.

The bill reported by Mr. Burchenal, to establish Magistrate's Districts courts in this state, and prescribing their powers and duties, was taken up for consideration.

When, on motion by Mr. Fassitt, the said

bill was ordered to lie on the table, and made the order of the day for Thursday the 30th inst.

On motion by Mr. Scott, the bill to authorise Zadock Robinson, to bring into this state certain negroes therein mentioned, was read the second time by special order, and the question put,

'Shall the bill pass?'

Resolved in the affirmative.

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day, the house proceeded to take up for consideration the order submitted by Mr. Hillen, relative to the expenses of committees deputed by the house, to visit places and examine improvements, distant from the seat of government, with the substitute offered for the same.

When on motion by Mr. Scott, the same were ordered to lie on the table, and made the order of the day for to-morrow.

The clerk of the senate, returned the bill to authorise a public road and landing in Somerset county, and the construction of a bridge in said county, endorsed, 'will pass.'

Ordered to be engrossed.

And, delivered a bill originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, An act to close certain streets on the land of James Carroll, in the city of Baltimore.

Also, A further supplement to an act to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the name of 'The Cumberland Bank of Allegany.'

Mr. Snowden reported a supplement to the act, regulating the manner of levying on the assessable property in Anne Arundel county for the support of primary schools in said county.

Mr. Roberts reported a bill relating to the surveyor of Q. Anne's county.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, reported a supplement to an act to distribute the school fund in Montgomery county.

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

The clerk of the senate returned the bill to incorporate the Choptank Steam Boat, and Navigation Company of Maryland, endorsed, 'will pass with the proposed amendment.'

Which amendment was read the first and second time by special order, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

And, delivered a communication from Hector Humphreys, president of Saint John's College, endorsed, 'referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.'

Which was read and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Dulany reported a bill for the relief of Thomas Gowen of the city of Baltimore.

The house then adjourned.

Saturday, Jan. 18th, 1834.

Mr. Humrickhouse presented a petition of Griffin Taylor, praying authority to bring into this state certain slaves therein mentioned.

Mr. Mann presented a petition of Julian Trago, praying to be divorced from her husband Abiahm Trago.

Mr. Harris presented a petition of sundry citizens of St. Mary's county, praying for a change of the road law.

Mr. Scott presented a petition of Cornelius Wells, of the District of Columbia, a revolutionary soldier, praying for a pension.

And Mr. Crabb presented a petition of Mary Huhue, of the city of Annapolis, praying for a pension for the revolutionary services of her husband.

Mr. Sifford presented a petition of Captain John Thomas, Jr. of the Jefferson Grays, praying for an act of incorporation.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of sundry citizens of the eleventh election district in Baltimore county, counter to the petition praying that the place of holding the election in said district may be changed.

Mr. Moores presented a petition from the commissioners of Harford county, relating to the public lots in the town of Bel Air.

Mr. Merrick presented a memorial of Albert Battle, a free man of colour, praying to be permitted to reside in the state of Maryland.

Mr. Snowden presented a petition of sundry citizens of A. Arundel county, praying that the name of 'Elk Ridge Landing,' may be changed to 'Ashton.'

Mr. Pratt presented a petition of John Davidson, of P. George's county, praying for support by county assessment.

Mr. Nicols presented a memorial and petition of sundry citizens of Dorchester county, praying the establishment of a State Bank.

Mr. Sifford presented a petition of William Gowens, praying for relief as therein mentioned.

On motion by Mr. Carter, of Montgomery, the house reconsidered their vote on the adoption of the order submitted by Mr. Harris on yesterday, relative to the Susquehanna Bridge and Bank Company.

Mr. Carter, of Montgomery then submitted the following as a substitute for said order:

Ordered, That the committee on corporations be instructed to inquire and report to this house if any corporations in this state have violated their charter, and if so, whether such violations be not a forfeiture of the same.

On the question, being put will the house

adopt the substitute, in was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Lantz obtained leave to bring in a bill to provide for the allowance and pay of witnesses in Allegany county.

Mr. Merrick chairman of the committee on internal improvement, delivered the following report.

The committee on internal improvements have had under consideration the Memorial of the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road Company, referred to them by order of the house, of the ninth of January inst. and beg leave to report.

That they would have greatly rejoiced, could they have found in the condition of the financial resources of the state, or in the situation and prospects of the particular work under consideration, any sufficient reason to justify them in recommending the prayer of the memorialists to the favourable consideration of the house, and in proportion to the gratification they would have felt under other circumstances in their regret, that under the existing state of things, they are obliged to make an adverse recommendation. The great object contemplated by the Legislature when the charter was originally granted and the patronage of the state extended to this company, was to penetrate the extensive and fertile valley of the Susquehanna, and afford additional facilities to the valuable and increasing trade of that region, in reaching its great natural mart, the city of Baltimore, but the policy of the State of Pennsylvania has so far interposed an insurmountable obstacle to the accomplishment of that desirable object.

Failing thus, however, innocently on their part, to accomplish, and without any probable prospect of soon being enabled to accomplish the great end of their institution, neither this company nor the work they have commenced can now be regarded as objects of primary importance by the friends of the great schemes of internal improvement, in which the state has liberally embarked her capital and her credit. And it appears to your committee that the great and prevailing interests of the whole state, when viewed in connection with the present limited amount of the pecuniary resources, imperiously demand that she should suffer a diversion of any of her means which the wisdom of her Legislature may deem disposable for such objects, from the encouragement and further prosecution of her works of this nature, confessedly of primary importance.

Your committee therefore respectfully state that in their judgment it is inexpedient to grant the prayer of the memorialists, and recommend that they have leave to withdraw the same.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Which was read the first and second time, by special order and concurred in.

On motion by Mr. Heard, the house reconsidered their vote on the adoption of the said report, and the same was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Franklin Smith chairman of the select committee to which was referred an order of the house, directing them to examine and report the amount of money paid to the different committees that have been appointed for the last five years by this house, or jointly with the senate to visit public institutions or works of internal improvement, and also to report to this house the number of days that they were allowed pay for their services, delivered the following report:

Which was read.

The select committee to whom was referred an order of this house, "To examine and report to this house the amount of money paid to the different committees that have been appointed for the last five years by this house or jointly with the senate to visit public institutions or works of internal improvement, and also to report to this house the number of days that they were allowed pay for their services."

Have had the same under consideration and beg leave to present the following statement as their report.

December session 1829, select committee appointed to visit the Maryland Penitentiary January 6, 1830, composed of five members to wit, Messrs. Buchanan, Grason, Sellman and Shriver.

They left here 11th and returned the 14th Jan. absent 4 days, amount of their expenses was \$49 50, which was by order of the house paid by the Committee of Claims to James M. Buchanan Esq.

December session 1831, a joint committee was sent this session to visit the Penitentiary, composed of five members, three of this house, Messrs. Fearckle, Pearce and Stewart, and two of the senate, Messrs. Chapman and Haggett, the amount of expense incurred by said joint committee was \$104, and paid by order of the house to L. D. Fearckle, Esq., nothing noted on the journal of proceedings by which we can come at the number of days they were absent.

December session 1832, the standing committee on internal improvement were appointed to visit the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road and Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, the number of days they were absent was seven.

The amount of exp. incurred was \$326 paid by order of the house to Henry Elly Esq. The committee was composed of members of the house and two of the senate and one clerk.

Dec. Session, 1832 a committee of three Messrs. Heard, White and Mudd, was sent to inspect State Tobacco Ware Houses—amount of money paid \$36 75—\$12.00 to Mr. Heard, \$22.25 to Mr. Mudd, and \$12.50 to Mr. White, same session a joint committee was appointed to visit the Maryland Hospital and Medical College, composed of two members of the house and one on the part of the senate.

To wit, Messrs. Wilson and Pratt of the house, and Mr. Montgomery of the senate. expenses incurred \$74.00 which were paid to Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Snowden reported a bill, to incorporate the Patapsco Bank of Maryland.

Mr. Berry reported a bill, to extend the jurisdiction of Justices of the peace, in Allegany county.

And, Mr. Wharton reported a bill, to extend the jurisdiction of the justices of the peace, in Washington county.

Mr. Johns, chairman of the committee on divorces, reported a bill, to divorce John H. Romyn, from his wife Clara W. Romyn.

Mr. Perego from the committee to which was referred the bill from the senate to close certain streets on the land of James Carroll, in the city of Baltimore, made a favourable report thereon.

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day, the house proceeded to the consideration of the order submitted by Mr. Hillen, relative to the expenses of committees deputed by the house to visit places and examine improvements distant from the seat of government.

The question being on adoption of the amendment proposed by Mr. Handy, to strike out the 3d resolution proposed by Mr. Scott, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Resolved, That the committee on claims be instructed to allow to all members appointed on committees to visit public works, their actual and reasonable expenses in addition to their per diem, and no more.

Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Scott, the amendment proposed by him was amended by inserting after the word Resolved, in the 3d resolution, the words "by the general Assembly of Maryland."

On motion by Mr. Scott, the said amendment was further amended by inserting after the word "directed" in the 3d resolution the words "in future."

The question then recurred and was put on the adoption of the substitute offered by Mr. Scott, and it was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Lantz the bill for the relief of Horatio W. Waters of Baltimore county was recommitted to the committee that reported it.

The house then adjourned.

Monday, January 20, 1834.

The resolutions relative to the pay of committees appointed to visit and inspect public works, &c. were sent to the senate.

Mr. Galt presented a petition of Mrs. Barbara R. V. of the city of Washington, praying for further legislative aid.

Mr. Lantz presented petitions from sundry inhabitants of Prince Georges County, praying the passage of a law to authorize the passage of a road to the support of a primary school in said district.

Mr. Fountain presented a petition of the citizens of Denton and sundry inhabitants of Prince Georges County, praying for an act authorizing the levy of said county to dispose of the highway leading from the village of Denton to Denton Bridge.

Mr. Fawcett presented a petition of sundry citizens of New Town in Worcester County, praying the passage of a law to authorize the levy of said county to appoint two or more commissioners to negotiate an exchange of land contained for the repair of the causeway leading from Stevens' ferry to New Town in Worcester County.

On motion by Mr. Lantz,

Ordered, That at the committee to whom was referred the petition of the Rev. John Miller and wife of Allegany county, be extended to five in number.

Whereupon the speaker appointed Messrs. Blakistone and Hamrickhouse on the said committee.

On motion by Mr. Hillen,

Ordered, That the committee on ways and means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of revising, reducing, or otherwise remodeling the income law, passed at December session, 1831, ch. 262.

On motion by Mr. Laveille,

Ordered, That the committee on tobacco inspection be authorized to inquire into the expediency of placing the several wharves attached to the state tobacco warehouses in the city of Baltimore under the control of the inspectors thereof.

Mr. Crabb submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the committee on elections and privileges be authorized to send for persons and papers touching the subject of the petition of sundry citizens of Frederick and Baltimore counties, referred to said committee.

Which having been read,

On motion by Mr. Blakistone, the said order was made the order of the day for Thursday the 23d inst.

Mr. Hurtt obtained leave to bring in a bill to repeal the tenth section of the act relating to free negroes and slaves, passed at December session, 1831, ch. 323.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, obtained leave to bring in a further supplement to an act to provide for the purchase of the office papers formerly belonging to the surveyor's office, of Montgomery county, passed at December session, 1829, ch. 126.

The Speaker laid before the House a report from the trustees of Washington Academy, in Somerset county, relative to its condition.

Also, a report from the President of Salisbury Academy.

Mr. Nicols submitted the following message:

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Gentlemen of the senate,

Pursuant to the provisions of resolution No. 41, passed at last session, we propose with the concurrence of your honourable body, to appoint a joint committee to investigate and report to the general assembly the proceedings of the board of visitors and governors of St. John's College.

We nominate on the part of this house Messrs. Nicols, Pratt, Long, Crabb and Soth-

ren, to join such gentlemen as may be appointed by your honourable body.

The clerk of the senate delivered a bill originated in, and passed by the senate, entitled, an act to incorporate the Patapsco Female Institute.

Mr. Blakistone, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, made a favourable report on the bill, relating to the Surveyor of Queen Anne's county.

Mr. Lantz, chairman of the committee, to which was referred the bill from the senate, entitled, a further supplement to an act, to establish a Bank, and incorporate a company under the name of the Cumberland Bank of Allegany county, made a favourable report thereon.

Mr. Grove, chairman of the committee on the coloured population made an unfavourable report on the petition of Griffin Taylor.

Which was read.

Mr. Hamrickhouse offered as a substitute for said report, a bill to authorize Griffin Taylor, of Berkeley county, state of Virginia, to bring into this state certain slaves therein mentioned.

Which was read.

On the question being put, will the house adopt the substitute—It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said bill was then read a second time by special order, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Grove, chairman of the committee, reported a bill for the benefit of William Sansbury, of Caroline county.

Mr. Heard, chairman of the committee on the militia, reported an additional supplement to the several acts of assembly, for the regulation and government of the militia of the state.

Mr. Crabb, chairman of the committee on elections and privileges, reported a supplement to an act, to regulate the several acts of assembly respecting elections, and to regulate such elections.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, reported a supplement to an act, to provide for the purchase of the office papers, for said belonging to the Surveyor's Office, of Montgomery county, passed at December session, 1829, chap. 126.

The bill reported by Mr. Jones, to build a bridge over North East creek near North East in Cecil county, on the main road leading from North East to Charles Town, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The bill reported by Mr. Blakistone, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, limiting the fee for the collection of the fees of attorneys, solicitors, clerks, registers, sheriffs and other officers of this state, was taken up for consideration.

When on motion by Mr. Long, said bill was ordered to lie on the table, and made the order of the day for Thursday the 23d inst.

The bill reported by Mr. Wright of Dorchester, to confer an act to limit the sessions of the General Assembly, in every alternate year, was taken up for consideration.

When on motion by Mr. Wright of Dorchester, said bill was ordered to lie on the table, and made the order of the day for Friday the 24th inst.

The bill reported by Mr. Snowden, entitled, a supplement to the act regulating the manner of levying on the assessable property in Anne Arundel county, for the support of primary schools in said county, was taken up for consideration.

When on motion by Mr. Blakistone, said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

The bill reported by Mr. Dulaney, the chairman of the committee on resolutions, for the relief of Thomas Gowan of the City of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration.

When on motion by Mr. Scott, said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

The house then adjourned.

Tuesday, January 21st, 1834.

Mr. Brewer presented a petition of Aquilla Smith, of the state of Kentucky, a revolutionary soldier.

Also, a petition of Benjamin Fitzgerald, of the state of Kentucky, a revolutionary soldier, severally praying for pensions.

Mr. Perego presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Baltimore, and members of the Baltimore Savings Institution, praying for an act of incorporation.

Also, presented a petition of George Millemann, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from his wife Mary Millemann.

Mr. Hawkins presented a petition of Barbara Mudd, widow of Jeremiah Mudd, a soldier of the revolution, praying for a pension.

Mr. Unkefer presented a petition of Thomas E. Hamilton, praying that he may be authorized to sell certain real estate therein mentioned.

Mr. Evans presented a petition of Francis Kild of Harford county, praying to be divorced from her husband James Taylor Kidd.

Mr. Johns presented a petition of sundry citizens of Harford county, praying the passage of a law to make a general index to the Land Record Books of said county.

Mr. Hyland presented a memorial and petition of sundry citizens of Maryland, praying the establishment of a state bank.

Mr. Gale presented a petition of Cornelius C. Money, of Kent county, praying to be permitted to bring into this state certain negro slaves therein mentioned.

Mr. Wharton presented a petition of sundry citizens of Washington county, praying the passage of a law extending the jurisdiction of Magistrates in said county.

Mr. Brewer presented a petition of Richard I. Jones, of the city of Annapolis, praying to be permitted to bring certain negroes into this state.

Mr. Ridgely presented a petition of Elie Ridgely, of Allegany county, praying that an act may pass authorising him to compound on a certain survey returned by him to the land office for the western shore, and that the same may be made valid.

Mr. Sellman submitted the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, a paper purporting to be a theatrical bill, was laid upon the desk of each member, with the caption in large letters, "under the patronage of the House of delegates"—And,

Whereas, this paper related to a theatrical exhibition of the heroic acts of a distinguished individual of the West, and a member of Congress—And,

Whereas, the Maryland Republican of this morning, has seized upon this circumstance, for the purpose of fabricating a charge by implication against the present house of delegates of an attempt to rule the people of Maryland, at the instigation of some of the highest officers at Washington;

Therefore be it Resolved, That the house of delegates have not, and will not officially give their patronage to any theatrical exhibition.

Resolved, That the bills laid upon the table of each member, with the caption, of "under the patronage of the house of delegates," are calculated to convey false and libelous impressions to the people of this state, of the character and conduct of this house.

Resolved, That the charge in this morning's paper, against the house of delegates, imputed upon these circumstances, is without the least foundation.

And, on motion by Mr. Heard, were ordered to lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Jones of Somerset,

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore report to this house a comparative view of the revenue and expenditures of the government for the last preceding ten years, exhibiting distinctly the aggregate of income from invested capital, licenses, auction duties, lotteries, warehouses, wharves, direct taxes, and other general or miscellaneous sources. As well as disbursements for each of the principal departments severally, and of the militia, penitentiary, hospital, university, monument, warehouses, pensions to officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war and their widows, annuities to Indians, education and colonization, harbour of Baltimore, interest and redemption of debt and miscellaneous charges, together with the aggregate of invested capital, distinguishing the productive from the unproductive, and of the public debts and sinking funds; also of the unappropriated balance or apparent deficit in the treasury for each and every year specifically.

Mr. Berry obtained leave to bring in a bill relative to the distribution of the school fund of Allegany county.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, to authorize the levy court of Frederick county to allow an additional compensation to James Taylor for building a bridge over the Monocacy river.

Also, the supplement to the act to lay out and open a road in Montgomery and Frederick counties, passed at December session, 1831, chapter 39.

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC. Anne Arundel County, Orphans' Court.

IN application by petition of William O'Leary and Humphrey Dorsey, Executors of Samuel O'Leary, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that they give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAM'L. BROWN, Junr. Reg. Wills &c. county.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscribers of Anne Arundel county, have obtained from the Orphans' court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Samuel O'Leary, late of Anne Arundel county deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, to the subscribers, at or before the 21st day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands this 21st day of January 1834.

WILLIAMS DORSEY, Executors. Jan. 23. -6w*

THEATRE LAST NIGHT BUT ONE. THIRD NIGHT OF TECUMSEH. FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE AUTHOR. The ORIGINAL PROLOGUE will be delivered by MR. EMMONS. On Friday Evening, January 24, 1834. Will be presented the National and Patriotic Drama of TECUMSEH; Or, the Battle of the Thames. Tecumseh, (the Indian Chief.) Mr. F. Brown. (Who will appear in the identical Dress worn by that Warrior when he was slain.) Col. R. M. Johnson, (Commander of the Kentucky Riflemen.) Mr. Anderson. (Who will use the same Pistol with which the Hero slew his savage foe.) After which MISS MEADOWS will sing "Hail to the Bonnets of Blue." Duett—Polly Hopkins—Miss Meadows and Mr. Henry. Irish Song, in character, Barney Brallagher, by Miss Meadows. To conclude with a favourite afterpiece. LAST NIGHT OF PERFORM-ANCE ON SATURDAY EVENING. BOXES and PIT 50 cents, GALLERY 25. Curtain to rise at half past seven.

Maryland Gazette. ANNAPOLIS. Thursday, January 23, 1834. COMMUNICATED.

The public are respectfully informed that FAIR for the benefit of The Female Orphan Society of the City of Annapolis, will be held on Tuesday the 23rd day of January inst. at the Assembly Room, in the city, commencing at 12 o'clock, when a variety of fancy articles will be exhibited for sale. The friends of humanity are requested to give their attendance and support upon this occasion. This invitation the Managers trust will be considered a general one, for they believe, if any, can close their hearts against the claims of actual want when convinced of its existence, or shut their ears to the pleading of the human breast that must vibrate to the touch of sympathy. The Managers of the Institution calculate on the liberal support of the benevolent—their claim, or rather their claim of their interesting proteges, has been so often publicly presented, that they deem unnecessary to say much at the present point. It is, they believe, generally understood, that the object they have in view is the protection and support of destitute female orphans, and that the money they receive for that purpose, is appropriated in the manner they conceive most conducive to the prosperity of the Institution. A kind Providence has so far enabled them to continue their operations, and they feel a confidence that their efforts will not fail to receive that encouragement without which they must be exerted in vain. The Almighty has styled himself "Father of the Fatherless," and therefore they believe that he will not withhold his blessing from such means as are pursued with a humble reliance on his aid, to better the condition of those who have no parent on earth. You are now called upon, friends and fellow mortals, to give of your abundance an offering to those that are ready to perish. Will you so give will not be lost. The work of inspiration declare, that "he who giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord, and that what he has given will he pay him again."

PARTIES. POLITICAL, THIRTY YEARS AGO.

The following epistle may be read now with interest, if not with indignation, after a lapse of near thirty years. It is somewhat historical of the spirit of party in olden times, and admirable for its humour and simplicity of style when it is considered that the writer had been recently Secretary of the Navy, until by a "civil revolution" of the political wheel, the elder Adams was carried down on one side, whilst his rival, Mr. Jefferson, was carried up on the other.

"Geo. Town, 8th April, 33.

DEAR SIR: To be a good Federalist is a most fond of power, only that he may use it for the benefit of deserving men. The greatest objection to the present Administration arises from their inability to distinguish who deserves, and who does not, to be eligible, I do suppose that the most able points I have witnessed have arisen from the cause I have assigned, for otherwise I should be obliged to consider that the heart was in fault, and I should be sorry to do so.

Mr. Alex. Skinner, a young man extremely well qualified, has long performed the whole duties of Postmaster for this town, tho' in the humble character of clerk. It is said the Postmaster is to be removed, and if so, I hope you will for once listen to a fellow-recommender, and appoint Mr. Skinner in his place. He is from Calvert county, where his connections are numerous, influential, and very respectable. I have all my life known the whole family, and never knew a bad man, or a fool, belonging to it. Mr. Skinner appears to me to be exactly the rest of the family. Their greatest fault is in opinion, in their determined republicanism as I call it—of Calvert county is cut off by a river and a bay on the other, from much intercourse with the rest of the world, and I make allowance for this circumstance. They are honest enough, Federalists; but would be so no doubt with more information—yet this Mr. Skinner has long many years in George Town, continuing in the family politics. If I know what further we wish to serve a very deserving young man, would do it. Help you never received a more deserved recommendation, and I do not believe ever made a better appointment than Mr. Skinner will be, if you appoint him to the office in George Town. I am, dear sir, With esteem, Your most obedt. servt. BEN. STODOLSKY.

G. GRADY, Esq. Post-Master General."

Communicated for the Maryland Gazette. MEMOIR OF THE LATE HONORABLE CHARLES CARROLL OF CLARKE, ROLLTON, [Continued.] Having mentioned the tree that toppled and was designated as the contemplated site of the mausoleum to the memory of Mr. Carroll, I would remark that there is a remarkable circumstance attending the history of the tree, it having blown down on the fourth of July eighteen hundred and twenty-nine. This happened three years after the death of Mr. Adams and Mr. Jefferson—they, Mr. Carroll, being at that era the three surviving signers of that instrument to which have so often alluded. So that there is a very peculiar number. Mr. Carroll lived three years after Mr. Adams and Mr. Jefferson—the militiamen captured Major Andrew and were three parallels or redoubts thrown up on the siege of York. Other incidents might be adduced to shew the truth of our position. We have adverted to the honours awarded the manes of Mr. Carroll, by the legislative body at their last session; the Governor, in his annual message having called the attention

general assembly to the subject, in the flowing eloquent and impressive language of our country, during the last autumn, has experienced an irreparable loss in the death of the venerable Charles Carroll of Carroll, the last of that fearless band of patriots, in the last of that bright galaxy of liberty and union, who in the times which tried their souls, pledged their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honours, to perpetuate that independence which they had so fearfully proclaimed, has been gathered to the bosom of his fathers. He had lived to see us fully and successfully resisting the oppression and tyranny of an English ministry, and had lived to see us engaged in a second war with that same power, not only without trembling, but which resulted in greatly augmenting our national glory. He had lived to see our limited and diversified resources rapidly developing under the guidance of our national legislature. He had lived to see us striking with gigantic strides to the attainment of the legitimate objects of government, prosperity and happiness of the people. He had lived to see us attain the foremost rank among the nations of the earth, and the place of our example, overturning thrones and despotic institutions, and establishing liberty and the rights of man, upon their ruins, and his heart gladdened at the bright and glorious prospects of his country, and at the ability of that edifice which he had laboured to erect.

That he had likewise lived to see our glorious union lose that reverence in which, until recently, it was universally beheld, and the ability of our institutions threatened by that spirit of anarchy and disunion which the wrong voice of the father of his country, upon us "indignantly to frown upon," it is to proclaim, that the "Union cannot in a moment, be abandoned."

TACITUS.

[To be continued.]

ALOGUE BETWEEN CAPT. ROSS AND CAPT. HUMPHREYS.

(From the Leeds Mercury.)

Capt. R. I have been thinking, Humphreys, of Lord Melville, and Croker, and my old barrow, will say to my discoveries, have prepared despatches for the Admiralty, at least ten times, sealed them firmly, and closed them in a small wooden box, in the hope that they might be found if I perished.

Capt. H. Lord Melville and Croker are long since. Sir James Graham is first and now.

Capt. R. What Sir James Graham? Of course it is not the radical member for Cumberland who makes the motions about sinecures.

Capt. H. The very same, and as strong in life as he was snoring out. Even the King, though so fond of the service, can't stop his raving and loquacity.

Capt. R. The King! why I thought he preferred the army, and neglected the navy.

Capt. H. Ah! I forgot to tell you. Old George is gone. We've now William IV. the Duke of Clarence that was.

Capt. R. Indeed! What sort of a King does make? Is he a strict disciplinarian? I hope has not infringed on the liberties of the people, nor ordered Brougham and Denman, to stand up at the yard-arm? Why, what a pious renege Sir James Graham must be? Under the Duke would take him in.

Capt. H. The Duke! Brougham! and Denman! Re-negade! strict disciplinarian! Ah! good fellow, you are a thousand leagues off of your reckoning; we've changed the Duke of the earth since you left us.

Capt. R. I hope you've not had a revolution.

Capt. H. Oh no, but we've had reform.

Capt. R. What! has Lord John Russell carried his motion to give members to Manchester, Leeds, and Birmingham? Did the Duke feel content?

Capt. H. The Duke has been out three times since Earl Grey and the Whigs are in office.

Capt. R. You make game of me. Why what become of the Tory majorities of parliament?

Capt. H. Reduced to a miserable minority the Commons, and kept in decent order in the Lords. All the large towns have representatives. The rotten boroughs are annihilated. The King turned Reformer, and then was up with the Tories. The Reformed Parliament has emancipated the West India Company, opened the China trade and reformed the Church.

Capt. R. You tell me of miracles. Pray tell me the Whigs found out a way to pay off the national debt?

Capt. H. No, that and the North-West Passage will be discovered together.

Capt. R. But tell me, has the King forgiven Brougham and Denman?

Capt. H. Judge for yourself, the first is a peer, and keeps the King's conscience; the second is Lord Chief Justice of the King's Bench.

Capt. R. Good Humphreys! tell me next, people walk on their hands or their feet in England?

Capt. H. The fashion had not changed in respect when I sailed; but what think you of their travelling at the rate of thirty knots an hour—hundred people or so drawn by an engine!

Capt. R. Now, Humphreys, don't bounce; I'm a traveller, you, at home, are travelling Munchausens now.

Capt. H. As I live, it's true; the Duke of Orleans went the other day from Liverpool to Manchester in an hour and five minutes.

Capt. R. The Duke of Orleans! I hope the French have not invaded us; yet old Charles must have hated the English reform.

Capt. H. To be sure he did; he was running as fast as possible the other way, that is, towards pure despotism; so the French cap-

sized him, and put his cousin the Duke Orleans at the helm. They call him Louis Philippe, and he makes a moderately good King, and keeps the French quiet, though the Liberals say he does not go far enough. His daughter married Leopold.

Capt. R. Prince Leopold, you mean; do they live in England, then?

Capt. H. Prince Leopold! No, lack-a-day, one has to teach you the whole alphabet over again. King Leopold—King of Belgium; that is a new kingdom sprung up, separated from Holland; the Belgians did not like playing second fiddle to the Dutchman, so they mutinied, and chose a captain of their own, and they've got our Prince Leopold.

Capt. R. And what said the Holy Alliance to that?

Capt. H. Said! Why, Nic was beginning to be saucy, and talked of sending an army to France; but the Poles revolted, and it took a twelvemonth to lick them; they fought like lions, but what signifies that when they were surrounded by such a set of devils? At last Nic got them down, and then he cut their throats. As to Austria and Prussia, they did not like the look of things, as the Frenchmen were clearing for action, and calling all hands on deck. So they thought it better to stand off.

Capt. R. You take my breath. I can't receive all this at once, and I fear your bouncing, Humphreys, or else the world has been turned topsy-turvy, whilst I have been locked up in ice these four years, almost as fast as a toad in a block of freestone. I thought if any body had climbed to the top of the tree in England, it would have been Huskisson.

Capt. H. Poor Huskisson! he's gone; he was run down by an engine at the opening of the Liverpool railway, and killed.

Capt. R. Huskisson! I am almost afraid to ask who is alive. But tell me, how is my old neighbour —, and his daughter, a pretty little girl just left school?

Capt. H. Little girl! She is Mrs. —, and has a fine boy a year old.

Capt. R. You don't say so; the child! Well, I see the world's going on the old principle still; but every thing seems to be done quicker in England than it used to be. What is Walter Scott's last tale?

Capt. H. Ah! he has told his last; we have got to the *Finis*; the bright star has set. But I have news for you—the course of the Niger has been discovered.

Capt. R. Who is the lucky man?

Capt. H. Two young chaps called Lander; one of them was the attendant of poor Clapham. They are well-beloved steady lads, and they have done what so many fine fellows perished in attempting. They have traced the river to the Bight of Benin. One of them has gone out, again, and it will be well if the dysentery does not catch him this time.

Capt. R. (sighing) I was not born under so fortunate a star! But I have done what most could do, and suffered more than most. Even Barrow will confess that.

Capt. H. Every body will confess that. Cheer up, man, you have solved the problem one way at least; you could not find a passage where there was none. Four winters in the ice is what no man ever endured before. The world will give you every credit for bravery, perseverance, and skill, not to be outdone.

Capt. R. Do you think so?

Capt. H. Yes, I do.

Capt. R. CAPTAIN ROSS'S WELCOME BACK.

Captain Ross—Captain Ross! While we grieved for your loss, And feared you would never come back; Captain Dark he came forward, And followed you Northward. While you took a southerly tack, Though we're glad you've come back Safe and sound, with no lack Of marvels (we don't mean to doubt 'em); 'Twas unwell and strange, When Black took such a range To seek you, you should come back without him. When Black's left behind you, Still seeking to find you, Yet we feel little doubt You'll soon have to turn out On a new game of hide-and-go-seek, For should Black not be back In three years with his smack, His instruments, baggage, and men, You'll have to go Northward, And backward and forward, To bring Captain Black back again.

HYMENEAL.

Married, on Thursday evening Jan. 16th, by the Rev. J. Bowen, Mr. WILLIAM WARD, to Miss SARAH JANE, daughter of Capt. Samuel Gover, both of Anne-Arundel county, Md.

A CARD.

THERE will be a PUBLIC LECTURE, at St. John's College, on Wednesday afternoon, (29th) at four o'clock, P. M. Subject CONSTRUCTION OF WATER WHEELS, and other HYDRAULIC MACHINES.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Public Sale, on THURSDAY, the 20th day of February next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the residence of the late John Mathews, (on Magothy), part of the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of Several Valuable Negroes, Stock, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils, and a variety of other articles.

TERMS OF SALE.—Six months credit for all sums over Twenty Dollars, the purchaser giving bond or notes with approved security, all under that sum the Cash to be paid. No article will be delivered until the terms of sale are complied with. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

CHARLES R. STEWART, Adm'r.

Jan. 23.

SALE POSTPONED.

The Sale of the Tobacco Warehouse is postponed until Thursday 16th February next, at the same hour and place, R. WELCH of Ben.

Jan. 23.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Public Sale on the 16th of February next, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the residence of the late John Mathews, (on Magothy), part of the Personal Estate of said deceased, consisting of Several Valuable Negroes, Stock, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils, and a variety of other articles.

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CHARLES R. STEWART, Adm'r.

Jan. 23.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, the subscriber, as administrator, will sell at Public Sale, on TUESDAY the 25th of February next, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the late residence of Col. Jacob Waters, deceased, near the head of South River, all the

PERSONAL ESTATE

of said deceased, (excepting the negroes) consisting of

7 Horses, 4 working mules, about 50 head of Cattle, among which are 7 yoke of Work Oxen, 60 head of Sheep, 50 Hogs, about 100 Barrels of Corn, 30 or 40 Tons of Hay, a Parcel of Blade, and top Fodder, 2 Sets of Blacksmith Tools, a New Sein and Batteaux, a Close Carriage with Harness, Farming Utensils, Household and Kitchen Furniture, and a number of other Articles too tedious to enumerate.

TERMS OF SALE.

For all sums of Twenty Dollars, and upwards, a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving notes with approved security, bearing interest from date. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, and continue from day to day until sold.

CHARLES A. WATERS, Jr.

Administrator.

Jan. 23.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Mary Morgan, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, in writing, to the subscribers, at or before the 26th day of November next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 15th day of January 1834.

RAPHAEL MORGAN } Adm'r.
IGNS MORGAN }

Jan. 23.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Bennett Hammett, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, in writing, to the subscribers, at or before the 15th day of January next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 15th day of January 1834.

THOMAS E. DENT } Adm'r.
HEZEKIAH DENT }

Jan. 23.

\$30,000 CAPITAL.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY.

CLISS NO. 2, for 1834.

Drawn at Baltimore.

On TUESDAY, the 28th of January, 1834.

Sixty-six Number Lottery, Ten Drawn Ballots.

SCHEME.

1 prize of	\$30,000
1 prize of	10,000
1 prize of	6,000
1 prize of	5,000
1 prize of	2,500
20 prizes of	1,500
20 prizes of	500
20 prizes of	400
20 prizes of	200
35 prizes of	150
56 prizes of	100
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18,040 prizes.

Tickets \$9—Halves \$4.50,—Quarters \$2.25.

Tickets and shares for sale at

DUBOIS

LOTTERY AND EXCHANGE OFFICE.

(CHURCH STREET, ANNAPOLIS.)

Jan. 23.

NOTICE

I WILL sell my Farm on South River, at Private Sale. It contains upwards of a THOUSAND ACRES, and possesses more advantages than most farms. Any information which may be required will be afforded to those who will call upon me at my residence in this city, where I am always to be found.

RICHARD HARWOOD, of Thos.

Jan. 23.

The Editors of the Baltimore Gazette, and American Farmer, will insert the above once a week until otherwise required.

WAS COMMITTED to the Jail of Anne Arundel county on the 8th January inst. NEGRO MAN who calls himself Moses Rick, he has no papers of any description, says he was born and raised in Suffolk county, state of Virginia, and that he was set free by a certain Joseph Rick of said county; said fellow is a buff-colored free, two inches high, and about thirty-four years of age, complexion dark, has no perceptible marks, has a large space between his upper fore teeth, his clothing, white yarn pantaloons, blue roundabout, old shoes and socks, and old cap. His owner, (if any) is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or will otherwise be discharged according to law.

R. WELCH, of Ben.

Sheriff A. A. County.

Jan. 23.

Anne-Arundel County, Ect.

On application of J. the Lynch Smith, of the county aforesaid, by petition in writing, stating to me, the subscriber, Chief Justice of the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, that he is in custody of one of the convicts of the county aforesaid for debt only, and praying for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of this state, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the said Jethro Lynch Smith having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided two years next preceeding the time of his application within the state of Maryland, and having appointed Beal-Guthrie trustee for the benefit of the creditors of the said Jethro Lynch Smith, and the said trustee having given bond, with security, approved by me, for the faithful performance of his said trust, and the said trustee being in possession of all the property of the said insolvent debtor, and the said Jethro Lynch Smith having also given bond, with security, approved by me, for his personal appearance before the Judges of Anne Arundel county on the third Monday in April next, to answer such interrogatories as may be propounded to him by any of his creditors, and also to answer such allegations as may be filed against him by any of his creditors, and the said Jethro Lynch Smith having taken the oath before me, as prescribed by the said Insolvent Laws for the delivery of his property. These are therefore to certify, That I have this day granted a personal discharge to the said Jethro Lynch Smith. Given under my hand this tenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

SIDEON WHITE.

Jan. 23.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

THE MAIL LEAVES Easton every Tuesday and Saturday afternoon at half past 12 o'clock for Cambridge, and returns same evening.

The MAIL LEAVES Easton every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoon, at half past 1 o'clock, and reaches Cambridge in time for an early supper.

Returning, leaves Cambridge at 8 o'clock, A. M. and arrives at Easton by 12 o'clock.

Fare from Annapolis to Easton, \$3.50

Or from Annapolis to Broad Creek, 1.00

Or from Broad Creek to Queenstown, 1.00

Or from Queenstown to Wye Mills, .50

Or from Wye Mills to Easton, 1.00

Or from Easton to Cambridge Ferry, 1.00

Or from Cambridge Ferry to Centreville, 1.50

Or from Wye Mills to Centreville, .50

A. B. Baggage at the risk of the owners

Easton Jan. 16.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE.

THE Board of Trustees, at their next meeting, will elect one scholar from Anne Arundel county, to be educated gratuitously, under provisions of acts of assembly, passed for that purpose. By a late order of the board, applications are to be made to the subscriber; and it is desirable that the state ment concerning the age, circumstances, talents, acquirements, &c. of the candidates, should be full, and accompanied with good references.

The notice is also repeated, that provision has been made by the Trustees to receive, free of tuition, one student from each county in the State, if possessed of good moral character and superior abilities. Application to be made as above. This privilege is of the average annual value of fifty dollars.

Editors friendly to science will confer a favor by copying this notice.

HECTOR HUMPHREYS,

President of St. John's College.

Annapolis, Jan. 2.

Primary School Conven-

tion.

THE QUALIFIED Teachers of Primary Schools in Anne-Arundel county, will meet at the Waterloo Tavern on Saturday the first day of February next. The Commissioners, Inspectors, and Trustees, are requested to attend, or to appoint delegates.

Jan. 16.

NOTICE

THAT all Trespassers on the subscribers lands at Ardree, and the lands formerly of James McCulloch, will be dealt with according to law.

WM. STEUART.

Jan. 9.

NEW BOOT & SHOE FACTORY.

At No. 11 North Howard street, second door from Mr. Hussey's tavern.

JAMES H. LEE & ANDREW DAYHUFF, respectfully inform their friends and the public in general, that they have commenced the Boot and Shoe business, and solicit the patronage of a general public, assuring them that nothing shall be wanting on their part to give every satisfaction to their patrons. We have now on hand of our own make gentlemen's sewed and pegged Boots—morocco do do—Franklin Shoes, (a beautiful article)—men's walking and dancing Pumps—water proof Boots, coarse and fine—boys' lace Shoes and Pumps, coarse and fine—ladies gaiters and lasting Boots, kid, lasting and morocco Slippers—calf and seal skin walking Shoes—Alps, Boots & Socks. We have in store a good assortment of Eastern made Boots and Shoes, all of which we will sell on pleasing terms, wholesale or retail.

We shall keep on hand a good assortment of Trunks. Those who want good Boots and Shoes would do well to call at Lee & Dayhuff's before they buy, and examine our stock.

Baltimore Jan. 9.

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC.

Anne-Arundel County, Orphans Court.

January 7th 1834.

ON application by petition of George W. Linstead, Administrator of William Linstead late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAM'L BROWN, Junr.

Reg. Wills A. A. county.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of William Linstead, late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, in writing, to the subscriber, at or before the 7th day of July next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of January 1834.

GEORGE W. Linstead Adm'r.

Jan. 9.—6w

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC.

Anne Arundel County Orphans Court.

January 7th, 1834.

ON application by petition of Charles A. Waters, administrator of Jacob Waters, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAM'L BROWN, Junr.

Reg. Wills, A. A. County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Jacob Waters, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, in writing, to the subscriber, at or before the 7th day of July next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of January 1834.

CHARLES A. WATERS Adm'r.

Jan. 9.—6w

BASIL SHEPARD, MERCHANT TAILOR.

OFFERS to the citizens of Annapolis, and the public generally, a selection of new and fashionable FALL AND WINTER GOODS, from the New York Philadelphia and Baltimore markets, consisting of Black Blue, Dutch Rifle Cloth, Invisible Green, and Russia Raven Brown, double milled Irish Cloth, and Gray

CLOTHS.

AND ALSO

CAMBLE, for Over Coats.

Diagonal, Zigzag, Pious Mixed and Printed, Mixed Ribbed and Plain CASSIMERES, and Printed CASSIMERES.

Merinos, Matelasse Silk, Satin, plain and twilled Silk, Flannel, Medley Silks, Cashmere & Tullings.

VESTINGS.

White, Black and Fancy Silk HANDKERCHIEFS, HANE GLOVES, SUB-PENDERS SHIRT SHAMS, STICKS COLLARS and BRIANTAL DRESSING GOWNS

All of which he respectfully invites the public to call and examine.

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SIGNATURE OF MARYLAND HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Wednesday, January 23d, 1834.

Miller of Kent, presented a petition from sundry citizens of Kent and Q. Anne's counties, praying for an act to provide for the erection of a light house on a site for a house on Love point, in Queen Anne's county.

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Alexander Melhenny, Balt. city, admitted March 4, 1832.

Samuel Adams having on the 29th October last been in the institution five years, the full time allowed by the law for any pupil to remain, we presume has been discharged, and that the number now there is eleven.

The foregoing will afford all the information requested by the resolution, but it may be useful to add other facts in relation to the subject, and we therefore state that the following deaf and dumb persons, who were selected and sent to the institution in Philadelphia, and who are not there now, having voluntarily left, or been taken away by their parents or friends, viz:

William Worthington, Balt. City, admitted Sept. 27, 1828. Left March 28, 1833.
Susanna M. Taneyhill Olver, admitted June 24, 1829. Left July 25, 1833.
Sarah Connelley, } Caroline co. admitted Aug. 4, 1833.
Ann M. Price, }

Robert Lambdin, Talbot, admitted June 6, 1833.

Willy Anne Davis, } Anne Arundel co. Aug. 27, 1829.
Priscilla Davis, }

And the following were selected, but from the accounts received from the institution, it appears that neither had been sent up to the 1st October last, the date of the last account which has been presented, viz:

William Philips of Balt. co. selected June 15, 1829.

Sarah Creager of Frederick, selected Aug. 5, 1829.

William Fox of Baltimore city, selected 1830.

By a letter from John Schley Esq. clerk of Frederick county, in which he returned the certificate sent for Miss Creager, it appears that she died about the time or very shortly after she was selected. Why the others have not been sent to the institution the committee have no information.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
WALTER M. MILL, R. Chair'n.

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

Mr. Dulany, chairman of the committee on insolvency, to which was referred the bill from the senate, for the benefit of Andrew Hook, of the city of Baltimore, made a favourable report thereon.

Mr. Gantt reported a bill, to provide for the inspection of Plaster of Paris, in the town of Bladensburg.

Mr. Perego reported a bill, to incorporate the Baltimore Savings Institution.

Also, reported a supplement to an act, to incorporate the Mechanic's Saving Fund Society of Baltimore.

Mr. Fountain reported a bill, for the benefit of Edward W. Lyden, administrator of Shadrack Lyden, deceased, former collector of taxes for Caroline county. And,

Mr. Ridgely reported a bill, for the relief of Samuel C. Smith, and Reuben Worthington, of Allegany county.

The bill reported by Mr. Dulany, chairman of the committee on insolvency, for the relief of Thomas Gower, of the city of Baltimore;

The bill reported by Mr. Grove, chairman of the committee on the coloured population, for the benefit of William Saulsbury, of Caroline county.

And, the bill reported by Mr. Carter of Montgomery, entitled, a further supplement to an act, to provide for the purchase of the office papers, formerly belonging to the Surveyor of the county of Montgomery county, passed at December session, 1832, ch. 156.

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

The bill reported by Mr. Blakistone, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, relating to the Surveyor of Queen Anne's county, was taken up for consideration.

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

On motion by Mr. Perego, the bill from the senate entitled, an act to close certain streets on the land of James Carroll, in the city of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

On motion by Mr. Heard, the bill from the senate, entitled, an act for the benefit of Andrew Hook of the city of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration, read the second time by special order and passed.

The clerk of the senate, returned the bill, for the relief of John Gauer, endorsed, 'will pass' ordered to be engrossed.

And, the resolution allowing Samuel Pool to compound on his certificate of survey, endorsed, 'assented to with the proposed amendments'.

Which amendment was read the first and second time by special order, and 'assented to' ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the following message, which was read.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your communication of the 20th inst. proposing the appointment of a joint committee to investigate and report to the general assembly, the proceedings of the board of visitors and governors of Saint John's College, and having considered do concur in the same, and nominate Messrs. Morris, Wootton and Emory, to co-operate with the gentlemen named on the part of your honourable body.

On motion by Mr. Carter of Montgomery, the house proceeded to take up for consideration the resolution submitted by Mr. Bell-

man on yesterday, relating to a paper purporting to be a theatrical bill, which was laid on the desks of the members.

Which having been read,

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, moved to refer the said resolutions to a select committee of five with power to send for persons and papers, and with instructions to inquire and report to this house, by what authority the papers relating to a Theatrical exhibition, were laid on the desks of the members of this house, and by what authority the said papers were headed, 'under the patronage of the house of delegates.'

Resolved in the affirmative.

In pursuance whereof the Speaker appointed Messrs. Carter of Montgomery, Sellman, Sifford, Handy and Fassitt, to constitute the said committee.

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day, the house proceeded to take up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Palmer from the committee of grievances and courts of justice, entitled, an act to repeal the act of assembly in relation to the public printing of this state, passed at December session, 1831, ch. 103.

When on motion by Mr. Gantt, said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Fassitt obtained leave to bring in a bill to confirm certain proceedings of the levy court of Worcester county.

On motion by Mr. Maffitt leave was given to bring in a bill, to provide for the support of Martha Gill of Cecil county, by county assessment.

On motion by Mr. Nichols,

Ordered, That the committee on ways and means be instructed to inquire into the propriety and expediency of taxing exhibitions of shows in this state, and report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Moores obtained leave to bring in a bill authorizing James A. Gover of Harford county, to bring into this state, from the state of Virginia, one negro boy acquired by marriage.

Mr. Johns, chairman of the committee on divorces submitted the following order.

Ordered, That the committee on divorces have the privilege of sending for persons and papers, and to examine evidence in all cases referred to them, at the expense of parties applying for divorces.

Which having been read,

Mr. Handy offered the following as a substitute for said order.

Ordered, That the committee on divorces have the privilege of examining such witnesses as may be brought before them on oath.

Which was read.

On the question being put, 'will the house adopt the substitute?'

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The order was then read a second time and adopted.

The house then adjourned.

Thursday, January 23d, 1834.

Mr. Perego presented a memorial of the Gas Light Company of Baltimore, praying that another gas company may not be incorporated.

Also, presented a memorial of James Wilson, Hugh Birchard, J. & C. Baltzell, Asahel Hussey and others, praying that no charter may be granted which would authorize any company to take up the pavements and obstruct the use of the public highways in the city of Baltimore.

Mr. Gantt presented a petition of Anne Welsh, of Prince George's county, praying for an increase of pension by county assessment.

Mr. Wharton presented a petition of sundry citizens of Washington county, praying the passage of an act extending the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in said county.

Mr. Unkefer presented an application from Abraham Shriver, associate judge of the 5th judicial district, for an increase of salary under certain circumstances therein stated.

Mr. Lantz presented a petition of Joseph Howard of New York, a soldier of the revolution, praying for a grant of land from the state of Maryland, on account of his revolutionary services.

On motion by Mr. Grove,

Ordered, That the committee on grievances and courts of justice be instructed to inquire into the expediency of the more speedy payment of states' witnesses in the several counties in this state, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

On motion by Mr. Crabb,

Ordered, That the committee on elections and privileges be and they are hereby authorized to examine on oath, such witnesses as may be brought before them touching the memorial of certain citizens of Frederick and Baltimore counties.

On motion by Mr. Thomas, leave was granted to bring in a bill to provide for the support of Robert Harris, of Cecil county, by county assessment.

On motion by Mr. Roberts, leave of absence was granted to Mr. Schley for a few days.

Mr. Nichols from the committee on ways and means, to which was referred an order of the house, directing them to inquire into the expediency of revising, reducing or otherwise remodelling the license law, passed at December session, 1831, ch. 261, delivered the following report:

The committee on ways and means to which was referred an order of the house, 'to inquire into the expediency of revising, reducing, or otherwise remodelling the license law, passed December session, 1831, ch. 262, beg leave to report, that they have had the same under consideration, and are of opinion that it would be inexpedient at this time, to make any alteration in said license law.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, and concurred in.

Mr. Scott submitted the following order,

Ordered, That the committee of ways and means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of abolishing the land office on the eastern shore, and of transferring the papers relating to said office, to the land office of the western shore.

Which was twice read, and the question put, 'will the house adopt the order?'

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Maffitt, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, to which was referred the petitions of Patay Blake, widow of John Blake, late of Worcester county, and of Noble Butler of the city of Annapolis, and of Caleb Stewart of Anne-Arundel county, severally praying for pensions, made unfavourable reports thereon.

Which were severally read the first and second time by special order, and concurred in.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, from the select committee appointed to inquire and report to the house by what authority the papers relating to a Theatrical exhibition were laid on the desks of the members of the house, and by what authority the said papers were headed, 'under the patronage of the house of delegates—'

Delivered the following report,

The committee appointed to inquire and report to this house, by what authority the papers relating to a Theatrical exhibition were laid on the desks of the members of this house, and by what authority the said papers were headed 'under the patronage of the house of delegates,' respectfully report:—

That in the performance of the duties assigned them, they summoned before them the managers of Theatre, from whose testimony it appears, that at their instance, and by their authority alone a play bill was on Monday last, directed to each member of the house of Delegates, and of the senate, and laid upon the desks of the several members of both houses.

It further appears from the testimony of said managers that some time during the last week a man by the name of Emmius arrived in this place from the city of Washington, via Baltimore, bringing with him the manuscript copy of a play, entitled, 'The Death of Tecumseh, or the Battle of the Thames,' which he represented as having been recently performed in the city of Washington and Baltimore with great effect, and entered into a contract with them for the performance of said play. At the same time producing a flag which he represented as the identical flag taken by Col. Richard M. Johnson, from the British army at the battle of the Thames, and which he stated to them, he had procured from the war department at Washington; also a pistol which he represented as the same pistol with which Tecumseh was killed by Col. Johnson. From the all testimony before them the committee are induced to believe that the managers of the Theatre undertook the performance of the play solely from a desire of gain, and not with a view to any political effect; and that the words 'under the patronage of the house of Delegates,' in the caption of the bills laid on the desks of the members of this house were inserted for no other purpose but to acquire the individual patronage of the members of the Legislature, and to induce the citizens of Annapolis more generally to attend the performance. That it was designed as a compliment by them to the members of this house, and without the slightest intention upon their part to intimate that they had the official authority of the house of Delegates for so doing.

For the further investigation of the matters referred to them, the committee summoned before them Mr. Emmius, the person named by the managers in their testimony who being examined on oath, testified to the fact that the flag exhibited at the performance of the play on Monday night was the identical flag which had been taken from the British army by Col. Richard M. Johnson, at the Battle of the Thames, and that he had procured the loan of it, for the purpose of giving additional effect to the play, from Col. Roger Jones, of the war department at Washington and without the knowledge of the head of that department. That the pistol used upon that occasion was the same pistol with which Tecumseh was shot by Col. Johnson, but desired the committee to note in his own words that he refused to say how it came into his possession. Upon being asked by the committee whether the performance of the play was or was not intended to advance the political views of Col. Johnson, he replied, 'Col. Johnson already stands too high in the opinion of the people, to render it necessary to raise him higher.'

The committee being of opinion that their duty required them to examine Jeremiah Hughes, Esq. the Editor of a newspaper, in which lately appeared a paragraph upon this subject, believed by some to cast improper imputations upon this house, and understood-

ing that from indisposition he would be unable to appear before them, transmitted to him in writing an interrogatory, which together with his answer thereon is contained in the paper accompanying this report.

Your committee believing that their duty is best performed by a plain statement of the facts disclosed by the testimony of the several witnesses examined before them respectfully submit them without comment.

In addition, the committee beg leave further to report, that there was no evidence before the committee to justify the charge contained in Mr. Hughes' paper, and reiterated in his letter to the committee this morning, of an attempt by high officers at Washington to rule the people of Maryland, by the patronage of the house of Delegates.

To the introduction of which additional paragraph Mr. Handy and Mr. Carter dissented.

Wednesday evening, January 23d, 1834. Gentlemen of the committee,

Of the house of delegates,

To the question to which you require my reply—'Upon what authority I undertook to implicate the house of delegates with lending the patronage of the house of delegates at the instance of some of the highest officers of the government, at Washington,' attempting to rule the people of Maryland,' in my paper of the 21st instant, headed 'Electioneering.'

My reply is, that,

I disavow expressly, having in thought or word implicated the house of delegates. The language of the publication was plain and pointedly aimed at those high officers in Washington, who seemed by the process pointed out and quoted from the caption of the play bill, to be attempting to play off a political drama here, for their own benefit.

That the house of delegates, had or would lend themselves to such a measure, I had too much Maryland pride for one moment to imagine, and owed too much for the relation in which I stood to the house, to have dared to utter without foundation. The bold assumption of the play bill,—the striking character of its promises and parade—associating so singularly with the reports of the day (introduced in my remarks) formed associations which were deemed sufficiently striking to be known to the public—they were therefore, uttered for the public inspection, without the remotest idea, that expressions were employed that any one could construe into disrespect to the house.

Jeremiah Hughes.

Which having been read:

Mr. Fassitt, submitted the following resolution:

Which was read.

Resolved, That the editorial remarks contained in the Republican of Tuesday last, emanating from the printer of the state, and insinuating that a gang of strolling players is under the patronage of the house of delegates, call for the unqualified censure of this house.

Mr. Sifford submitted the following resolutions:

Which were read.

Resolved, That in the investigation of this matter, the charges are proved to be slanderous and defamatory to all parties implicated, without a title of proof to support the charges therein contained.

Resolved, That Jeremiah Hughes, editor of said paper, deserves the censure of this house of delegates.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, moved that the said report, with the proposed resolutions be made the order of the day for Wednesday the 29th inst.

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Thomas reported a bill, for the relief of Robert Harris, of Cecil county.

And, Mr. Grove reported a bill, to repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government, as relates to the division of Washington county, into seven election districts and for other purposes, passed December session, 1832, chapter 92.

Mr. Snowden reported a bill, to change the name of Elk Ridge Landing, to that of Ashton.

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

The bill reported by Mr. Hillen, authorizing the sale of land therein mentioned, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

The bill reported by Mr. Perego, to incorporate the Washington Beneficial Society of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, amended and passed.

The bill reported by Mr. Crabb, entitled a supplement to an act, to reduce into one the several acts of assembly respecting elections, and to regulate such elections; was taken up for consideration.

When on motion by Mr. Handy, the said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Gantt, the bill reported by him to provide for the inspection of plaster of paris in the town of Bladensburg, was taken up for consideration, read the second time by special order and passed.

On motion by Mr. Lantz, the house proceeded to take up for consideration the bill from the senate, entitled, A further supplement to an act to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the name of 'The Cumberland Bank of Allegany.'

ATTEST.
Car. Can.

HOOPER.

Mr. Scott moved to amend the said bill by striking out the 4th section.
Determined in the negative.
The said bill was then read a second time and passed.
The clerk of the senate delivered a bill originated, and passed by the senate, entitled, A supplement to an act relating to Parkin street, in the city of Baltimore.
Mr. Burchenal presented a petition of Anne B. Camper, praying to be divorced from her husband James Camper.
And, Mr. Peregruy presented a petition of Jean A. Sicard, praying to be divorced from his wife Frances Ida Sicard.
Mr. Hanly presented a petition of the President and Directors of the Bank of Salisbury, praying for a certain alteration in its charter.
Mr. Larrison presented a petition of sundry citizens of Q. Anne's county, praying the repeal of certain acts of assembly, authorising gates to be kept on the public roads.
On motion by Mr. Lavelle,
Ordered, That the committee appointed to examine the Tobacco Inspection Warehouses in the city of Baltimore inquire into the expediency of having the crumbs or scraps of tobacco taken care of by the inspectors of said warehouses, packed and sold, the proceeds of said tobacco to be paid into the treasury of this state.
The house then adjourned.

Friday, January 24th, 1854.

Mr. Carroll presented a petition of Mary Ann Roach of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband Morris Rosch.
Mr. Hillen presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, praying for an act to incorporate 'Franklin College,' near the town of Franklin, in said county.
Also, presented a memorial of sundry residents in the town of Franklin, in Baltimore county, praying that said town may be incorporated.
Mr. Roberts presented a petition of Sarah Wilkinson of Q. Anne's county, praying the repeal of so much of the act of assembly, passed December session, 1831, ch. 223, as relates to her own lands.
Mr. Jones of Baltimore, presented a petition of Jacob Oldham of the city of Baltimore;
Also, presented a petition of Leonard Forman of the city of Baltimore;
Also, presented a petition of Stephen Riley of the city of Baltimore, severally praying for pensions;
Also, presented a memorial of Charles Hermon and others, praying an act of incorporation for the Union Fire Company of Baltimore;
Also, presented a memorial of the trustees of St. Peter's school, praying relief relative to the several things therein complained of.
Mr. Heard presented a petition of Ignatius Wilford of St. Mary's county, praying to be authorised to register certain negroes.
Mr. Ely presented a petition of Jemima Faha of Baltimore county, praying for a divorce from her husband Henry Faha.
Mr. Willson presented a petition of Mary Riley of Montgomery county, praying for support by county assessment.
Mr. Lantz presented a petition of Jane Roberts, of Allegany county, widow of Wm. Roberts, deceased, praying to be placed on the pension list.
Mr. F. Smith obtained leave to bring in further supplement to the act passed at December session 1816, regulating the cord of Fire-wood, in the city of Baltimore, for other purposes.
Mr. Unkefer presented a bill, to authorise Thomas E. Hambleton, executor, to make sale of real estate therein mentioned.
Mr. Burchenal reported a supplement to an act, entitled, An act to incorporate the L. Verulam and Harrington's Branch and Canal Company;
And, Mr. Berry reported a bill, to distribute the school fund, of Allegany county;
Which were severally read the first and second time by special order, passed and a to the senate.
The hour having arrived for taking up order of the day, being the bill reported by Mr. Wright of Dorchester, entitled, An act to confirm an act to limit the sessions of the General Assembly in every alternate year.
When on motion by Mr. Wharton the order of the day was postponed.
The clerk of the senate returned the bill for the relief of Thomas Goss, of the city of Baltimore, endorsed, 'will pass,' with proposed amendment, which amendment read the first and second time by special order, and assented to;
And the bill ordered to be engrossed;
Also, the resolution in favour of Ridgely, of Allegany county, endorsed, 'sent to the table.'
Ordered to be engrossed.
And delivered the following message:
Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,
Believing that the business of the session of the legislature, may without difficulty be conveniently transacted before Saturday 22d day of February next, we, therefore propose with the concurrence of your honorable body, to adjourn sine die on that day unless the business of the session can be completed at an earlier day.
Mr. Blakistone submitted the following message:
Which was read.
Gentlemen of the senate,
We have received your message proposing to close the present session of the legislature on the 22d of February next, and concur therein.
Mr. Ely moved to lay the said message on the table.
Determined in the negative.
The question was then put,
'Will the house adopt the message?'
Decided in the affirmative.
The house then adjourned.

and the public that the article is genuine. What next?

A rather extraordinary pedestrian feat was accomplished in Maryland on Thursday last by a man who undertook to walk seven miles in sixty-three minutes. He performed the task in a good style, having two minutes to spare, and did not appear to be fatigued.

THE EXECUTION.

From the *Baltimore Sun*.
The execution of the murderer of George W. Hipple, was executed on Friday last.

About 12 o'clock on Friday, the culprit was taken from his cell and conveyed to the place of execution, under a strong military guard. He passed through the village, he eyed the house occupied by the family of the deceased, and also the spot where the murder was committed. There was a wild, demoniac expression upon his countenance, that seemed to indicate any thing but a mind prepared for death.

On arriving at the gallows, prayer was offered by Mr. Emory, during which the poor wretch appeared totally unconcerned. He then turned to his attendants, and was placed upon the scaffold. He made a short address to the multitude, in which he declared his willingness to die, and pronounced the culprit which had been published as his confession to be untrue. About ten minutes after two o'clock he was launched into eternity.

It is evident that the wretched man died a martyr upon his lips. His confession, as it is called, was communicated to the press, the person who had the care of the press, and committed to paper from Watkins' lips. The most material parts of it were communicated to Sheriff Verneam after his conviction.

It is computed that at least ten thousand persons were present at the execution—one of whom at least, were women and children.

For ourselves, we are satisfied of the bad and immoral tendency of public executions. We never again want to see acted out the scenes of drunkenness and rioting at the late execution occasioned.

The body of Watkins was dug up the day of the execution, and carried away. The lid of the coffin was found the next morning by the side of the grave, split in two or three pieces, and the cap was a short distance from the body.

MELANCHOLY.

A distressing and heart-rending accident occurred on Thursday afternoon, the 16th inst., at the house of George W. Hipple, in Annapolis, Philadelphia county, in the accidental discharge of a gun, which resulted in the death of his wife.

The circumstances relative to the accident, as detailed by the family, are as follows: The family had been sometime previous, gathered in the night by somebody about the house, and in particular about the poultry yard, when through the course of the fatal play, Mrs. Hipple said to her husband, that he had better take the load out of the gun, which had been talking of for some time. This he had been doing in about three months before, when he had been out shooting rabbits, in order that they might be prepared in case they could be disturbed again. He took the gun for the purpose aforesaid, and found that the trigger cap had rusted fast upon the tube; in order to extricate the cap, he took his knife and began cutting it away. Whilst so engaged, Mrs. Hipple walked across the room from where she was sitting, and in rearing, when opposite the muzzle of the gun, at a distance of about ten inches from her husband, he opened to draw his knife, and she, in the effort to remove the cap, it suddenly exploded, and discharged the contents of the gun in her right side under the lower edge of a shoulder blade, of which wound death ensued. The scene in about fifteen or twenty minutes—during which time she seemed perfectly rational and sensible of her speedy dissolution—expressing with her last breath a great care for her infant children. She has left a bereaved husband and three small children to bewail her untimely end.—*German Telegraph.*

A man named Ephraim Pottingill, residing in Canterbury, N. H., left his work last evening, and was returning home with an axe in his shoulder, another without a handle in his hand, and a bottle of liquor in his pocket. When he threw that on his shoulder at some distance before him, staggered, and fell on the back of the one he had in his hand, which cut deep in his abdomen, and he died before relief could reach him.

A new barn, belonging to William Batsford, at Meriden, Conn. with all its contents, consisting of hay and grain, with a valuable horse, was consumed last week, by a singular fire. Mr. B. had a pig affected with a fever, he applied the usual specific, a shovel full of ashes to his back, to effect a cure, with which the pig ran under the barn. Some embers remaining on the ashes set the combustibles around on fire, and hence the calamity. The horse was once rescued from the flames, and being left to himself, in the general panic, rushed again into the flames, and was destroyed.

An appropriation bill was made at the last session of Congress for the erection of a statue at West Point, and a building for the residence of the cadets in the winter, which has been found to be inadequate to the object, and their erection was deferred till another session.

The gum-elastich cloth factory in Dedham is doing a great stroke of business. No less than fifty girls are employed in sewing the cotton of which the cloth is covered. The shares in the stock which cost \$100, now sell at \$200. Count Szecshy, of Hungary, has projected a line of steam packets from the river Danube to Constantinople.

Dogs are now regularly fattened on bread in the vicinity of London, and then publicly killed for their grease as a pomatum. This is

AN ACCOMPLISHED ARTIST.

A late London paper contains an account of the examination of Mrs. George Tweed Esq. who was committed for trial under the following circumstances: She stopped her coach before the shop of a respectable tradesman in Piccadilly, and requested to be shown some silks and satins, laces, &c. After selecting a quantity, worth about 150*l.*, she requested that a clerk might proceed to her dwelling with the bill, where she would pay it—not having brought her wallet with her. The clerk accordingly entered the coach, and it was driven—he little imagined, whither. The lady stopped in front of the mansion of a respectable physician, and informed him that her son was in the carriage in front of his house, in a state of lunacy. She described his symptoms, stating that he supposed himself clerk to some establishment, and was continually talking about collecting bills, being swindled, &c. She proposed to leave him in charge of the doctor for a few days, enjoining upon him to keep the young man confined, as it was dangerous that he should be at large. This agreed to, the unsuspecting clerk, was ushered into the apartment of the physician, where he was confined nearly two days as a lunatic, and it was not until the M. D. had sent a servant to the supposed residence of the lady, that he would heed the exclamations of the prisoner.

[N. Y. Standard.]

From the Boston Transcript.

At a grand fete recently given by the Sultan to the Foreign Ambassadors, the ground presented one of the most enchanting prospects possible—all the ladies of the Ambassadors with their suits, being accommodated at the kiosk, while the valley and the hills were thronged by Turkish women not less than 30,000 in number, their white head dresses, their gilded arabas having a most picturesque effect. Every exertion was made by Hah! Pa-cha to please his guests. A handsome banquet was served in the kiosk, and the best kind of dramatic entertainment Constantinople could supply was provided for them out doors. These consisting of the gambols of German rope-dancers, and of a sorry equestrian performance, very far inferior to that of Astley's. It was amusing to see the Sultan and all his ministers sitting gravely watching and admiring antics which would be hissed by the one shilling gallery, and to see the ambassadors and their ladies accustomed to all the brilliant representations of all the capitals in Europe, compelled to yawn for hours at a performance of the most inferior kind. A fine display of fire-works made at night, to the delight of the Turkish women, who sat on the side of the hill wondering at the European ladies, who committed the sin of uncovering their faces before men, and exclaiming like children, with astonishment at the fiery wheels and serpents which Russian artists provided in great abundance.

FIRE AT THE URSULINES NUNNERY.

A fire broke out early yesterday morning in the Ursuline Nunnery, having, it is supposed, originated in the baking-oven used the day before, or from ashes. The stock of provisions of the establishment has particularly been nearly all destroyed. The kitchen has been burnt, and apartments adjoining it partly consumed. Insurances to the amount of \$32,000 had been made on the whole of the buildings.

The Religious Ladies take the earliest opportunity of returning their thanks to the Staff Officers and men of the Garrison, the Town Council, the Seminary and the students who worked the engine of that establishment, and to the citizens in general, for the zeal and activity displayed, and the reserve and polite behaviour towards all the inmates of the convent, as well as the care with which they guarded the articles removed, and continued to attend till this morning to prevent all the chances of the fire breaking out again. His Excellency the Governor in Chief, we are informed, offered the Castle to the Religious Ladies, as a temporary lodgment in case of need, but they fortunately were not forced to leave their convent. The total destruction of their provisions, made it necessary to provide for the Sunday meals of about 150 persons occupying the convent and the supplies were received from the Castle and the other religious communities.

Quebec Gazette.

A COMPLETE SHAVE.

A short time since, a countryman by the name of Jacob Doods, who had started from his farm at Pompton Plains, N. J., to bring to this city a load of market truck, consisting of poultry, pork, Indian meal, &c. was plundered of his property by a well-dressed young fellow, whom he met travelling on foot, and whom he invited to travel with him as far as their roads lay together.—out of apparent gratitude for this kindness, the stranger insisted on Doods drinking with him at every tavern they came to, and the consequence was that the countryman was pretty well intoxicated by the time they reached Hoboken ferry. Here, by way of farther ingratiating himself with his game, the rogue paid the whole fare across the river, and after treating the countryman to another glass of liquor, led him down to the stove in the cabin, where he soon fell asleep; and as quick as the boat touched the wharf, the young fellow mounted the wagon, unperceived by any of the bystanders, and drove to the Washington market, where he disposed of the great part of the poultry, and then started up Verney street.

After crossing the river two or three times,

Doods was robbed from his sleep, but being too drunk to give any account of the matter, was taken to a boarding house Washington street.—This place he left in the course of the evening, to go to the dwelling of a relation in Laurens street, and being unable to find his way, he made inquiries of a person whom he met, and who volunteered to conduct him where he desired to go. Instead of this, however, he took him through several lone streets to a strange house, where he was persuaded to go to bed. In the course of an hour or two, he was turned out into the street, without shoes, hat or coat, in which predicament he was met by a watchman, who took him to the watch-house, where he lodged the remainder of the night. The next morning his friends were perfectly clear, but he could hardly realize the events of the previous twenty-four hours.

This occurred some eight or ten days since, and nothing more was heard of the matter till yesterday, when the keeper of a livery stable, in the upper part of the city, gave information at the police office that two horses were left at his stable the day previous, by a person bearing a suspicious appearance, who desired that they might be fed with oats three times a day, until they should be called for. The informant was referred to the clerk of the Washington market, who accompanied him to the stable, where he recognized the horses as the property of Doods. They were accordingly taken into the custody of the police, and a note was dropped to their owner, who had returned home, apprizing him of the seizure of his property. Nothing has been heard of his wagon or clothes, but in their place, however, he has received a quid pro quo in the shape of considerable dear brought experience.

[N. Y. Standard.]

Who would't be a Fiddler?—Paganani has left England and a gainer by the use of his fiddle-bow, to the amount of £27,000—equal to \$118,880!!

HYMENEA!

Married, on Thursday evening last, by the Rev. Dr. Humphreys, of St. John's College, LYON GOODWIN McBLAIR, Esq. of Baltimore county, to Miss MATILDER CHASE LOCKERMAN, of this city.

OBITUARY.

DIED, on Sunday morning last, JAMES H. BRIDG, Painter, aged about 30 years.

NOTICE.

THE commissioners for Anne Arundel county will meet at the court house in the city of Annapolis on Monday the 30th day of March next, for the purpose of ascertaining the expense of the county, and laying the Levy.

By order, R. J. COWMAN, CLK.

Jan. 30.—m.

FOR SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscribers with all Private Sale, the FARM

Of the late John Duvall, of M. living in A. A. county, near the Governor's Bldg. This Farm contains Two Hundred and Fifty Acres more or less. A description of the Farm is deemed unnecessary, as persons wishing to purchase will no doubt call and see for themselves. The terms will be made accommodating. Application must be made to the subscribers, (or either of them,) in Baltimore, (if by mail post paid,) who will give every information necessary.

EDWARD and RICHARD DUVAL, Jr.

Jan. 30.

\$50 REWARD.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber in Broad Neck, Anne Arundel county, near Annapolis, on Tuesday 28th inst.

He is about Twenty years of age, about six feet high, a dark complexion, stout in walking, and has a uncommonly large foot, he took a variety of clothing with him, among others a leather cap and black hat, blue and white kersey jacket and trousers, a drab tailed jacket, &c. &c. Whoever apprehends said negro, and secures him in Jail so that I get him again, shall receive a reward of \$50 if taken in this state, or \$100 if out of the state of Maryland, and if brought home all reasonable charges paid.

JOHN RIDOUT, of H.

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC.

Anne Arundel county, Orphan's Court, January 28th 1834.

ON application by petition of Robert G. Pindell, administrator with the will annexed of Priscilla Simmons, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAML. BROWN Junr.

Reg. Wills A. A. county.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphan's court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration with the will annexed on the personal estate of Priscilla Simmons, late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, at or before the 28th day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of January 1834.

ROBERT G. PINDELL, Adm'r W. A.

Jan. 30.

A CARD.

THERE will be a PUBLIC LECTURE, at St. John's College, on Wednesday the 30th of Feb. at 4 o'clock P. M. Subject, CONSTITUTION OF PAPERS and other Atmospheric Exercises.

LITERATURE LOTTERY

of the State of Delaware.

CLASS, No. 5, for 1834,

To be drawn at Wilmington, (Del.) on Thursday January 30, 1834.

AT FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.

75 Number Lottery 11 Drawn Ballots.

SCHWAB.

1 prize of	\$20,000
1 prize of	5,000
1 prize of	2,000
1 prize of	1,500
1 prize of	1,210
75 prizes of	500
85 prizes of	200
128 prizes of	50
128 prizes of	40
128 prizes of	30
128 prizes of	20
3008 prizes of	10
22,176 prizes of	5

35,861 Prizes, amounting to \$243,000.

Tickets \$4 50; Halves \$2 25, Quarters \$1 12 1/2

Tickets and shares for sale at

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LOTTERY AND EXCHANGE OFFICE,

(CHURCH STREET, ANNAPOLIS.)

Jan. 30.

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC.

Anne Arundel County, Orphan's Court, January 21st 1834.

ON application by petition of William Owings and Humphrey Dorsey, Executors of Samuel Owings, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that they give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAML. BROWN Junr.

Reg. Wills A. A. county.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscribers of Anne Arundel county, have obtained from the Orphan's court of Anne Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Samuel Owings late of Anne Arundel county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the subscribers, at or before the 21st day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands this 21st day of January 1834.

WILLIAM OWINGS, & R. H. HUMPHREY DORSEY, Exrs.

Jan. 23.—6w

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order from the orphan's court of Anne Arundel county, the subscriber will expose at Public Sale, on THURSDAY, the 20th day of February next, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the residence of the late John Hall, part of the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils, Waggon and Carts, half a new Sloop, several Batteaux, pro vender of almost every description, and a variety of other articles.

TERMS OF SALE.

Six months credit for all sums over Ten Dollars, the purchaser to give security, giving bond or notes with approved securities, all under that amount the cash to be paid. No article will be delivered until the terms of sale are complied with. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. and continue from day to day until completed.

CHARLES R. STEWART, Exr.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the honorable the Orphan's court of A. A. county, the subscriber, an administrator, will sell at Public Sale, on TUESDAY the 25th of February next, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the late residence of Col. Jacob Waters, deceased, near the head of South River, all the

PERSONAL ESTATE

of said deceased, (excepting the negroes,) consisting of

7 Horses, 4 working mules, about 50 head of Cattle, among which are 7 yoke of Work Oxen, 60 head of Sheep, 50 Hogs, about 200 Barrels of Corn, 30 or 40 Tons of Hay, a Parcel of Blade and top Fodder, 2 Sets of Blacksmith Tools, a New Sein and Batteaux, a Close Carriage with Harness, Farming Utensils, Household and Kitchen Furniture, and a number of other Articles too tedious to enumerate.

TERMS OF SALE.

For all sums of Twenty Dollars, and upwards a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving notes with approved security, bearing interest from date. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, and continue from day to day until all is sold.

CHARLES A. WATERS, Jr.

Administrator.

Jan. 23.

WILLIAM HARWOOD, Attorney

at Law, offers his professional services to the public. His Office is on Church street, a few doors below the Church.

SALE POSTPONED.

The Sale of the Tobacco Warehouse is postponed until Thursday 13th February next, at the same hour and place, R. WEL. H. of Ben.

Jan. 23.

Primary School Convention.

THE QUALIFIED Teachers of Primary Schools in Anne Arundel county, will meet at the Waterloo Tavern on Saturday the first day of February next. The Commissioners, Inspectors, and Trustees, are requested to attend, or to appoint delegates.

Jan. 16.

NOTICE

THAT all Trespassers on the subscribers lands Ab-rdeen, and the lands formerly of James McColloch, will be dealt with according to law.

WM. STEUART.

Jan. 9.

BASIL SHEPARD, MERCHANT TAILOR.

OFFERS to the citizens of Annapolis and the public generally, a selection of new and fashionable FALL AND WINTER GOODS, from the New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore markets, consisting of Black, Blue, Dutch Rifle Dahlia, Invisible Green, and Russia Raven Brown, double milled Diab, Olive, and Gray.

CLOTHS: AND ALSO

CAMBLET, for Over Coats.

Diagonal, Zigzag, Polish Mixed and Printed, Mixed Ribbed and Plain CASSIMERES, and Printed CASSIMERS.

Merinos, Marcellase Silk, Satin, plain and twilled Silk, Florentine, Medley Silks, Cashmere & Toilettre.

VESTINGS.

White, Black and Fancy Silk HANDKERCHIEFS, HOSE GLOVES, SUSPENDERS, SHIRT SHAMS, STOCKS, COLLARS and ORIENTAL DRESSING GOWNS.

All of which he respectfully invites the public to call and examine.

Jan. 2, 1834.—f.

NOTICE

I WILL sell my Farm on South River, at Private Sale. It contains upwards of a THOUSAND ACRES.

and possesses more advantages than most farms. Any information which may be required will be afforded to those who will call upon me at my residence in this city, where I am always to be found.

RICHARD HARWOOD, of Thos.

Jan. 23.

The Editors of the Baltimore Gazette, and American Farmer, will insert the above once a week until otherwise required.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.



THE MAIL STAGE

from Eastern to Broad Creek Mills and Queenstown to Broad Creek will leave Eastern every Sunday and Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock, and reach Broad Creek at 2 o'clock, P. M. in time for passengers to arrive at Annapolis at an early hour in the evening in the mail packet.

Returning, leave Broad Creek at 12 o'clock, M. or immediately after the arrival of the Mail Packet from Annapolis, and reach Eastern same evening.

The MAIL leaves Eastern every Tuesday and Saturday afternoon at half past 12 o'clock for Cambridge, and returns same evening.

The MAIL STAGE for Centreville, leaves Eastern every Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon, at half past 1 o'clock, and reaches Centreville in time for an early supper.

Returning, leaves Centreville at 8 o'clock, A. M. and arrives at Eastern by 12 o'clock.

Fare from Annapolis to Eastern, 83 30

Or—from Annapolis to Broad Creek, 1 00

“ from Broad Creek to Queenstown, 1 00

“ from Queenstown to Wye Mills, 20

“ Wye Mills to Eastern, 1 00

“ from Eastern to Cambridge Ferry, 1 00

“ from Eastern to Centreville, 1 00

“ from Wye Mills to Centreville, 30

All Baggage at the risk of the owners Eastern Jan. 16.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Anne Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Public Sale on the 13th of February next, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the residence of the late John Mathews, (on Magdohy), part of the Personal Estate of said deceased, consisting of Several Valuable Negroes, Stock, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils, and a variety of other articles.

TERMS OF SALE.

Six months credit for all sums over Twenty Dollars, the purchaser giving bond or notes with approved security, all under that sum the Cash to be paid. No article will be delivered until the terms of sale are complied with. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

CHARLES R. STEWART, Adm'r.

D. B. N.

Jan. 23.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT all Trespassers on the Lands now in the occupation of Thos. Bury and Rich-ard Boston, will be dealt with according to law.

R. LOCKERMAN.

