BALTIMORE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE subscriber has received from the President and Directors of this Company the appointment of AGENT for the city of Annapolis.

Its capital is Fifty Thousand Dollars, and the company intends to execute the following business:

1st. *Insurance on Lives.*
2d. *Purchase and Sale of Annuities.*
3d. *Receiving Endowments.*
4th. *Receiving Money in Trust.*
5th. *The Management of Trust Estates.*

Applications made to the subscriber at his Office in West street, opposite the Farmers Bank of Maryland, will be promptly attended to.

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY.

November 28

BASIL SHEPHARD, 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, Dotted Ridle Double, Invisible Green, and Russia Green; Brown, double milled Drab, Olive, and Gray

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ORIENTAL DRESSING GOWNS

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

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For Sale at the American Farmer Establishment, No. 16. S. Calvert street, Baltimore, Md.

THE subscriber presents his respects to farmers, gardeners, and dealers in Seeds throughout the United States, particularly his customers, and informs them he has received from Europe, from his own Seed Garden, and from various parts of this country, an ample supply of FIELD AND GARDEN SEEDS; and that he is prepared to execute orders, wholesale and retail, with promptness and accuracy, at as low prices, and on as favorable terms as can be afforded by any dealers in the United States, for first rate articles.

FRUIT and ornamental trees and plants, grapevines, strubberry, gooseberry, raspberry, currant, and strawberry plants, bulbous and other flower roots, will at the proper seasons be procured to order, from the best sources, including all the principal nurseries and gardens in this country, for most of which the subscriber is agent; also,

PLOUGHS, harrows, cultivators, straw cutters, wheat fans, corn shellers, threshing machines, and all other kinds of agricultural and horticultural implements, will be procured from the best manufacturers in Baltimore, at the manufacturers' prices.

DOMESTIC ANIMALS, particularly cattle of the improved Durham Shorthorn, the Devon, and the Holstein breed; Sheep of the Bakewell, Southdown, and various fine wooled breeds; Swine of several valuable kinds, especially the Barnitz breed: Dogs of several varieties, for the farmer and sportsman; various kinds of Poultry, such as white turkeys, Bremen and Westphalia geese, game and other fowls, and several other species of animals, all of the choice breeds, (and none other,) are either kept for sale at the experimental and breeding farm of this establishment, or can be procured from the best sources to order.

BOOKS, agricultural, horticultural, and botanical, in much greater variety than at the book stores; some of them rare and particularly valuable, are kept constantly for sale.

In short, all article wanted by farmers and gardeners in the prosecution of their business, are intended either to be kept on hand, or procured when ordered, for a small commission.

☞ And though last in order, here, yet first in importance to every tiller of the soil and keeper of Domestic Animals, the subscriber offers to them the seeds of Knowledge in their vocations, 'fresh and genuine,' having been carefully gathered from the field of Experience, and the garden of science—the whole done up in papers, and labelled 'THE FARMER AND GARDINER, AND LIVE STOCK BREEDER AND MANAGER; and dispensed from the Printing Press of the establishment every Friday in the form of a weekly Agricultural Paper, at $5 a year payable in advance.

N. B. This periodical is essentially similar to the late American Farmer, the publication of which has been for some time past suspended. Address

I. IRVINE HITCHCOCK.
American Farmer Establishment.

Note.—An 'Extra' number of the Farmer, containing a Prospectus of the Establishment, a catalogue of Seeds, and other articles for sale, will be sent gratis to any person who shall furnish his address, post paid, for that purpose.

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THE subscriber has made arrangements to republish as fast as they are received from England, Series of the standard Theological works of England, under the general title of

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Of other country is so rich as England in Sacred Literature. Her greatest Poets and Prelates have shared with her Divines, in setting forth and exemplifying the truths of Revelation; while her Divines have been distinguished alike by the copiousness and the novelty of their learning.

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To the productions of each author, or to such separate production, as the case may seem to require, will be prefixed an Introductory Essay, pointing out their characteristic excellences; and, in some instances, comprehending a biographical sketch of the Author, with remarks on the state of religion in his times.

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The English copy will cost, in England, about ten dollars. We propose to issue the American edition, under the superintendence of a learned American clergyman, in weekly numbers, on a single sheet of superfine paper, giving ninety-six large 12 mo. pages, to be folded and stitched, and covered with strong envelope paper, at the rate of five dollars per annum.

DUFF GREEN.

March 27.

WALDIE'S CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

BUBBLES FROM THE BRUNNENS OF NASSAU,

A description of the fashionable watering places in Germany, by an old man, will form the commencement of the fourth volume of Waldie's Library.

This will be followed, at an early day, by the Memoirs of Henry Masers de la Tude, who was confined for thirty five years in the different State Prisons in France, now first translated into English.

The works published in the current volume, now on the point of completion, are the following:—

Kruitzner, or the German's Tale, a novel, by the author of Canterbury Tales.

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Tudor's new book of Travels in Mexico and Chili.

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Journal of a West India Proprietor, kept during a residence in the Island of Jamaica, by the late Matthew G. Lewis, Esq. M. P. author of the Monk, &c.

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All the above cost in the "Library" but $2 50!!!

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IN CHANCERY,

26th August, 1834.

ORDERED, That the sale of the property in the cause of James B. C. Latimer against Walter Latimer, made and reported by the trustee, Peter Wood Crain, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 26th day of October next, provided a copy of this order be published once in each of three successive weeks in some newspaper before the 30th day of September next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $400.

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

Aug 26—3w.

FUNERALS.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends, and the public in general, that he has discontinued the Cabinet Making Business, and intends to confine himself for the future altogether to that of an UNDERTAKER.

All orders for Funerals will be attended to at the shortest notice, either in the usual manner, or according to special direction

He returns his thanks to the public for their patronage during the last twenty years, and hopes that his promptness and attention will continue to merit their favour.

WASHINGTON G. TUCK.

May 29.

NOTICE.

WAS committed to my custody on the 25th June 1834, as a runaway, a negro woman who calls herself Ann W. Ridgely, says she is free, that she was liberated by a certain Edward Gott of Baltimore County, living on the York Road near Shipley's Tavern; said woman appears to be about thirty five years of age, about five feet high, no perceptable flesh marks, her clothing consists of an old Linen Frock, &c. Her owner, if any, is hereby notified to prove property, pay charges, and take her away. She will otherwise be discharged according to law.

R. WELCH of Ben.
July 31. Sh'ff A. A. County.

Anne-Arundel County, Sct.

ON application to me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans Court of said county, by petition, in writing, of Spedden Wilson, praying for the benefit of the several acts of Assembly for the benefit of insolvent debtors, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors as far as he can ascertain them on oath, being annexed thereto, and having satisfied me that he has resided two years in the State of Maryland next preceding this his application, and having appointed a trustee for the benefit of his creditors, and said trustee having given bond and security for the faithful performance of said trust, it is thereupon ordered and adjudged by me, that the said Spedden Wilson be discharged from confinement for debts, and that he by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week for three successive months before the fourth Monday in October next, give notice to his creditors to appear before Anne Arundel county court on the 4th Monday in October next, to shew cause, if any they have why the said Spedden Wilson should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly as prayed.

June 26—3m. GIDEON WHITE.

NOTICE.

THE Commissioners for Anne-Arundel county will meet at the Court House in the city of Annapolis, on TUESDAY the 28th day of October next, for the purpose of hearing appeals and making transfers, and transacting the ordinary business of the Levy Court.

By order,
R. J. COWMAN, Clk.

Sept. 11.—3m

A BY-LAW

Relating to Licensing Carriages and Carts.

BE it established by the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of the city of Annapolis, and by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this By Law, the following shall be the rates of License upon Carriages of burthen and pleasure:

For every four wheel Carriage or Vehicle, $3
" " two wheel Carriage, Cart, or Vehicle, 2

D CLAUDE, Mayor.

September 4.

A BY-LAW.

BE it enacted by the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of the city of Annapolis, and by the authority of the same, That the provisions of the By Laws in relation to Hogs, passed July 10, 1832, be and they are hereby extended to prohibit Hogs being kept within the precincts of this city, lying within one hundred and fifty yards from any street, or public road, or enclosing, except his own, where hogs are now permitted to be kept; and further be it enacted, that no hogs shall be kept within the said precincts beyond one hundred and fifty yards from any street or public road where hogs are now permitted to be kept, unless all the City Commissioners unite in granting a permission in writing for the same, to be so kept, and that only so long as the said permission shall be continued.

And be it further enacted, That the Butchers of this city having stalls in the Market house, be allowed to keep Hogs in this city for butchering, from the 1st of November to the 1st of April, any law to the contrary not withstanding.

And be it enacted, That the provisions of this law shall not go into operation until the 7th day of September next.

D CLAUDE, Mayor.

September 4.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT an Election will be held at the Assembly Room, in the city of Annapolis, on the 1st Monday of October next, (being the 6th day of the month) for the purpose of electing two delegates to represent the city of Annapolis in the next General Assembly of Maryland; Polls to be opened at 9 o'clock A. M. and close at 6 o'clock P. M.

By order,
J. H. WELLS, Clk.

Aug. 14—4t

IN CHANCERY,

26th August, 1834.

Horace Roby, and Mary his Wife, administrators of Francis Murdock

vs.

Peter Griffin, Adm'r. of Precious Griffin.

THE bill in this case states, that the complainants as administrators of Francis Murdock, are entitled to one half of certain negroes bequeathed by a certain John Griffin, by a will bearing date the 21st of October, 1806, to his two daughters Mary Griffin and Precious Griffin, to be equally divided between them by his executor—It further states that the negroes were paid over to Mary Griffin and Precious Griffin by the executor, without his dividing them—That Precious Griffin is dead, and died intestate and unmarried—That subsequently to her death Mary Griffin intermarried with Francis Murdock, and at the time of her intermarriage with Francis Murdock she had in her possession three negroes being one of the negroes mentioned in said John Griffin's will as bequeathed to Mary Griffin and Precious Griffin, and the other two were the increase of the other negroes mentioned in said will—That Mary Murdock is dead, and that Francis Murdock her husband, survived her, and died in the year 1833—That Peter Griffin has administered on the estate of Precious Griffin, and claims one-half of said negroes. The object of the bill is to have a sale of the negroes decreed, and the money arising from the sale to be equally divided between the complainants and the said Peter Griffin, as administrator of Precious Griffin. The bill further states, that Peter Griffin, the administrator of Precious Griffin, resides in the District of Columbia, and beyond the jurisdiction of this court.

Whereupon it is Ordered, That the complainants, by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper once a week for three successive weeks before the 30th day of September next, give notice to the said absent defendant of the filing of complainants bill, and warning him to appear either in person, or by solicitor, in this court, on or before the 26th day of January next, to shew cause, if any he hath, why a decree should not be passed as prayed.

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

NOTICE

I WILL sell my Farm on South River, at Private Sale. It contains upwards of

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, or on H. H. Harwood, Esq. at the Farmers Bank of Maryland.

☞ The Land will be sold in Lots to suit purchasers.

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,

SLAVES FOR SALE.

SEVERAL Slaves of both sexes are offered for sale on reasonable terms.—Among them are two able bodied Young Men, accustomed to work on a Farm, two healthy Young Women used to house-work, and several children. They must not be removed from the State. Enquire at the office of the Maryland Gazette, Annapolis.

The Baltimore Chronicle and Republican will publish the above twice a week for three weeks in the country papers, and forward their accounts to this office.

Sept. 11.

MR. & MRS. HAMILTON'S

BOARDING SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.

THIS Institution is situated in the most healthful and pleasant part of the city, corner of Saratoga and Courtland sts. Baltimore.

After having conducted an extensive Boarding School for young ladies, for several years in North Carolina, and Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton removed to this city in 1831, and opened a Seminary for young Ladies, upon a scientific plan, which has received an almost unprecedented patronage.

Mr & Mrs. H. have liberally provided the school with every apparatus necessary to illustrate their instruction. Their philosophical apparatus is equal to any other that can be found in private Seminaries in this country, and their chemical is sufficiently extensive to illustrate any subject treated upon in the text books of the school. Their Cabinet of minerals though small yet contains upwards of 200 specimens. Their Seminary is also furnished with an Armillary Sphere, Cary's, Wilson's and Gardiner's Globes, several Pianos and a Harp. Mr. & Mrs. H. beg leave to remark, that the instruments they possess, are the best they could procure in this country or in England.

The Library contains upwards of 1500 volumes of the best authors, as connected with the studies pursued in the school, to which the young ladies have general access.

In all the departments the most competent teachers have been engaged, whose instruction are given under the immediate eye of the principals.

The course of instruction in this institution is carried on in a regular and continued review of academic studies embracing all the solids and ornamental branches necessary to a complete course of female education.

Parents and guardians who wish for more particular information, can obtain a prospectus of the seminary by applying to the editor.

Baltimore Aug 21.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of fieri facias issued out of Anne-Arundel County Court, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of Upton D. Welch, at suit of Reuben Warfield, Corsica Capito, Isabella Dinsmore and Adam Kile, and others, I have seized and taken in execution, all the right, title, interest and property, claim and demand, both at law and in equity, of said Upton D. Welch, of, in and to all that tract or parts of a tract of Land and premises, called 'John's Last Shift,' containing Two Hundred Acres of Land, more or less; also one other Tract called 'Lot No. 2,' containing One Hundred and Ninety Acres of Land, more or less, being the Land and premises at present occupied by Upton D. Welch, lying and being in Anne-Arundel county, near Sykesville; also the following Negroes, one Negro Man named Sale, one Negro Woman named Rachael, and one Negro Boy named William; sundry Stock, Horses, Cattle, Sheep, and Plantation Utensils, and on THURSDAY, 25th September instant, at Sykesville, I shall proceed to sell the said property to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy the debts due as aforesaid—Sale to commence at eleven o'clock.

R. WELCH, of Ben.
Sh'ff. A. A. County.

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 acknowledgements are tendered, and a continuance of their patronage respectfully requested.

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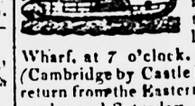

The Steam Boat MARYLAND, commences her route on TUESDAY the 9th inst. leaving the lower end of Dugan's Wharf, at 7 o'clock, A. M. for Annapolis, (Cambridge by Castle Haven,) and Easton, and return from the Eastern Shore on every Wednesday and Saturday, leaving Easton at 7 A. M. by Castle Haven and Annapolis. She will commence her 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,	$3.50
Passage to or from Annapolis,	1.50
Passage to Chestertown or Corsica,	2.00

Children under 12 years of age half price.

LEM'L. G. TAYLOR, Master.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

THE ENGLISH BOY.

By Mrs. Hemans.

'Go tell the songs inspired them what a debt
They owe the generations; and make them swear
To pay it by transmitting down entire
The sacred rights to which themselves were born.'

ARKSIDE.

Look from the ancient mountains down,
Merrie English Boy!
The country's fields around thee gleam
In sunlight and in joy.
Across the mighty stream of Roman's march
Flow'd over the old Britain's soil,
Forming in and both freely to hold
Its free born and to toil.

Canst thou go on, my Free born Boy!
Amidst the kindling sound
Of the mighty sons of old Britain
From every countless mound?

There, in the days of old Time,
The lofty warriors lay,
Which poured forth to the battle of yore,
Our England's chivalry.

Her sacred isle was lovely
They stood in her pride and zeal!
Whose cheers in women deeply treasured
The news, in the battle true.

And mind thee well, the good swords hung,
Whose faith knew no alloy,
And shields of knightliest gore from stain,
Guard, my English Boy!

Gaze where the hamlet's ivied church
Gleams by the ancient elm,
Or where the minster lifts the cross
High through the air's blue calm.

Mingling in a sacred world their free heart's blood,
That England's cry, on your midst rise,
From those great tombs that thoughtfully gaze,
Unfettered to the skies.

Along their aisles, beneath their trees,
The earth's most glorious dust,
Once fired with every valor, wisdom, song,
Belief in holy trust.

Gaze—Gaze further yet—
My gallant English Boy!
In the sea heart of your country's Rule,
The billows' pride and joy!

Those waves in many a fight have closed
Across the startled deck!
The sea-kings of their victoriously
Have flowed o'er their bed.

They are all—this green turf to keep
Its hoarded treasures safe!
Lest foreign hands invade
Time's relics unprofaned.

Amidst our valor, their memory's light
Along our shore is seen,
Anthem an unswerving beacon fire
Shall burn in kindled yet!

Thy country's heart, my English Boy!
Anchoring thee in storm,
Shall be bid in common thee, to guard
The altars of the land.

European Correspondence of the U. States Gazette.

London, June, 1834.

LONDON.

What a world of people may be got together! one would think that men love one another. Is this the Thames! This rivulet, which, in America, would be given over to the barge and the broad horn, or to some packet steamboat, such as sneaks up the Ohio or Kentucky in the summer season? is this the famous stream, whence issue navies to sweep, and claim the sovereignty of oceans, and to which, as to a great central vortex, tends the commerce of the whole world? To one who has plodded up the Mississippi, for weeks, without finding the end or beginning, it looks like a ditch, but still it is a ditch where countless squadrons float, in lieu of splatter decks; and such endless lines of chimneys, or towers and steeples, as was never seen before, take the places of reeds. But what is the fame of the Mississippi, the Plata, or the Amazon, to this mighty little river? What, indeed, are the Rhine, the Danube, the Tigris and Ganges, with their immense cities, their fertility, their wealth, their historical celebrity, compared with this muddy brook? Rome rose from the insignificant Tiber; London lies on the Thames.

The propriety of the phrase "forest of masts," I never appreciated, until the steam packet in which I crossed the channel, from Calais, was threading her way among the great fleets moored or mooring, in a mass extending almost from Sheerness to London Bridge. How the pilot steered us along through the labyrinths, I could no more understand than I can now, when I am perched in an omnibus, how Jehu makes his way through the chaos of carriages to Piccadilly and down Cheapside. It is all a mystery.

And this then is London? thought I, as we plunged into the smoke bank that surrounded the cockney city, and beheld the distant dome of St. Paul's followed by steeple after steeple, come looming up mistily out of obscurity. Woolwich (the diabolical laboratory and worship, wherein, since the days of Marlborough, have been fabricated all those infernal compounds and engines, with which Great Britain carries on the work of glory.) with its royal arsenal and dockyard, academy and barracks, was passed. Greenwich, with the palace in which was born the great virago Bess, and which was converted by Charles II, (the only good work of this dissolute king,