State of Maryland, sc.

Saint Mary's county, Orphans Court, January 4, 1820.

On application by petition of Thomas Smith, administrator W. A. of Elizabeth Briscoe, late of Saint Mary's 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 four successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette, Annapolis.

JAMES FORREST,
Reg. of Wills, for Saint Mary's County.

This is to give notice,

That the subscriber of Saint Mary's county, hath obtained letters of administration with the will annexed, on the personal estate of Elizabeth Briscoe, late of the county aforesaid, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 20th day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.—Given under my hand this 4th day of January, 1820.

Thomas Smith, Admr.
With the will annexed,
of Elizabeth Briscoe.

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Jan. 13.

To be Sold

At Mr. Wm. Brewer's Tavern, on Friday the 11th of February next, the house formerly occupied by Dr. Shaaff as a shop, near the Union Tavern.—Seized as the property of George Medcalf, for city taxes due the Corporation for 1819. Terms of Sale, Cash. Also at the same time and place will be disposed of, the House now occupied by Mr. Henry S. Hall. Seized and taken for city taxes. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock. I. HOLLAND, Col.

Jan. 20. 2

Modern Characters

Just published and for Sale at

Geo. Shaw's Store.

Dec. 23.

State of Maryland, sc.

Saint Mary's county, Orphans Court

January 4, 1820.

On application by petition of Leonard Briscoe and Thomas Smith, administrators of Eleanor Briscoe, late of Saint Mary's 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 four successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette at Annapolis

JAMES FORREST,
Reg. of Wills, for Saint Mary's County.

This is to give notice,

That the subscribers of Saint Mary's county, have obtained from the orphans court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Eleanor Briscoe, late of Saint Mary's county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at or before the 20th day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands this 4th day of January, 1820.

Leonard Briscoe,
Thomas Smith, } *Adm'rs*

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Jan. 13.

NEW AND CHEAP
GOODS,

At Baltimore Retail Prices.

The subscriber has commenced business at his old Stand, in Church-street, in the City of Annapolis, and is now opening an

Assortment of Goods,

Bought on the best terms at the different auctions in Baltimore, and otherwise; consisting of

Cloths,	*Bombazetts,*
Cassimeres,	*Cotton and*
Blankets,	*Worsted Hosiery,*
Flannels,	*&c. &c. &c.*

Hardware and Cutlery,

With an Assortment of

Groceries, &c.

He invites his friends and the public who may want BARGAINS, to give him a call, and he has no doubt they will be induced to call again.

GIDEON WHITE.

Dec. 16. tf.

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WILLIAMSON's HOTEL.

J. WILLIAMSON,

Having rented that large and commodious building, opposite the Church Circle, in the City of Annapolis, and formerly occupied by Mrs. Robinson, respectfully informs the Public, that he has commenced keeping a TAVERN, and will use every exertion to give satisfaction to those who may favour him with their patronage The house being in the immediate vicinity of the State House, Gentlemen attending as members of the legislature, will find it to be a convenient place of accommodation. Ladies and Gentlemen accommodated with boarding by the day, week, month or year. Private Parties accommodated at the shortest notice, with all the delicacies of the season.

Oct. 28 14

The next door to Williamson's Hotel.

"The stomach is the store-house whence health is to be imparted to the whole body;"

Then, to keep it well lined with "what's wholesome and toothsome," is not only our interest, but our duty

Sincerely believing in the truth of this,

RICHARD GRAY,

Daily provides, Oysters, Terrapins, Partridges, and all other rarities in their proper seasons, for the benefit of all such as coincide in belief with him; and will serve them up at the shortest notice, in the nicest order, and dressed in such manner as the different appetites and tastes of gentlemen may prompt them to request. Private parties can be accommodated in the genteelest style in a retired part of his building; where at considerable cost, and with an eye to the comfort of the gentlemen who form them, he has fitted up, and set apart, several rooms expressly for their use.

It is scarcely necessary for him to add, that his Bar is stored with a very superior assortment of

GOOD OLD THINGS,

which, when rightly used, not only accelerate digestion and invigorate the body, but "enliven the wit and enlighten the mind."

Dec 23. 6 tf.

P. S. Gentlemen can be furnished with suppers at their own rooms.

BENJAMIN MEAD,

CLOCK AND WATCH MAKER,

Respectfully informs the citizens of Annapolis, and the public generally, that he intends carrying on the above business in all its various branches, in the house formerly occupied by Mr James Holland, and nearly opposite Mr George Shaw's store. He has on hand a handsome assortment of Jewelry, Gold and Silver Watches, Time Pieces set in marble, and handsomely covered with glass globes, Watch Chains, Seals and Keys Ladies Reticule Clasps, and Finger Rings of a superior quality, Sleeve Buttons of the latest fashion. Also a handsome assortment of Carriage & Riding Whips, with an assortment of the best Bamboo Canes handsomely mounted. He therefore solicits a share of patronage from a generous public.

He has also Spanish Cigars of a superior quality.

Nov. 11.

Just received, a complete assortment of

Confectionary.

ALSO,

CORDIALS

Of a Superior Quality,
Perfect Love,
Cinnamon,
Anniseed,
Rose,
Pound Cake,
Ginger Nuts.

He intends keeping a general assortment of

CHOICE GOODS.

Citizens of Annapolis, and Gentlemen of the Legislature, will find it to their advantage to give him a call, as he intends selling on the most reasonable terms No attention shall be wanting on his part to give general satisfaction.

NB. His Shop will be kept open until half past nine o'clock every night, for the reception of his customers. 12

Committee of Claims.

MESSRS. FORWOOD,
SCHNEBLY,
STEVENS,
W R. STUART,
A H. PRICE,
DENNIS,
WASHINGTON.

The Committee of Claims will sit every day during the present Session, from 9 o'clock in the morning, until 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

By order,

JOHN W. PRESTON, Clk. 6

To Farmers:

The subscriber will Lease, for from three to five years, 1500 acres of

Fertile Limestone Land,

Lying in Berkeley county, Va. Eight miles from Martinsburg and 6 from Williamsport. A large portion of this land is well watered and in a high state of cultivation, one third of it being now in clover. It will be let in tracts of 100 acres or upwards, as may suit applicants. There is on the property a number of houses suitable for tenants, a blacksmiths shop, waggon makers shop, coopers shop and large stone distillery in complete order; attached to the distillery is a stone stock house, 120 feet long and 40 feet wide.

With the land will also be rented, a number of negroes; horses, cattle and all kinds of farming utensils.

Will also be leased for the same period,

A large Merchant Mill,

Situated on a never failing stream, and which has just been thoroughly repaired, and will be capable of manufacturing from 60 to 70 barrels of flour in 24 hours, and being situated in one of the best wheat country's in Virginia it can at all times have constant employment. The terms will be liberal to industrious, practical farmers; and as security will be required for the faithful performance of their engagements, none other need apply. Immediate possession can be given.

Will be sold at private sale,

100 acres of Land,

Lying on the Potomac and adjoining the above mentioned tract. This land is of a superior quality, in a high state of cultivation and well watered. There is on the premises a large and well finished dwelling house, kitchen, barn and all necessary out houses

For further information apply to the subscriber residing at the mill.

ADAM STEPHEN.

December 9.

☞ The National Intelligencer, Lancaster Journal and Maryland Gazette Annapolis, will publish the above once a week to the amount of $6 each, and send their accounts to this office for collection. 8

JOHN THOMPSON,

Informs his friends and the public, that he has just received a complete and general assortment of

GOODS,

Suitable for the present season, consisting of
Superfine and Second Cloths and Cassimeres, a variety of colours,
Vestings, &c. &c.

All or any of which he will be happy to make up in the neatest and most fashionable style.

Dec. 2. 9 tf

FOR SALE,

The Houses, now occupied by Mrs. Robinson as a Boarding-house, near the Farmers Bank. They will be sold together, or separate, to suit purchasers. Apply to

WILLIAM BREWER.

Annapolis, Feb 11 45

Anne-Arundel county. to wit:

On application to the subscriber, in the recess of the court as Chief Judge of the third judicial district of the State of Maryland, by petition in writing of Benjamin Lusby of Anne Arundel county, stating that he is in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the general assembly of Maryland, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein prescribed, 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 Benjamin Lusby having satisfied me by competent testimony, that he has resided two years within the State of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, and the said Benjamin Lusby having taken the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property: I do hereby order and adjudge, that the said Benjamin Lusby be discharged from confinement and that he give notice to his creditors, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed in the city of Annapolis, once a week for three months, before the third Monday in April next, to be and appear before the said court, at the court house of said county, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause if any they have, why the said Benjamin Lusby should not have the benefit of the said act and supplements as prayed. Given under my hand, this 15th of November, 1819.

Jeremiah Townley Chase.

Test,

WM. S. GREEN, Clk.

Jan. 13. 3

PROPOSALS,

For publishing in the City of Annapolis, A Periodical Work to be entitled,

THE RELIGIOUS AND LITERARY REPOSITORY.

To be edited by a society of Laymen members of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

The leading views of the Editors are stated in the following note, by one of the persons, who will be actively employed in the selection of the matter for publication.

The Religious Magazines which have been heretofore published by members of the church, are, some of them, very useful as far as they go. My objection to them is, that they do not attempt to give us information, of which the laity, and indeed clergy, stand in much need, and which is with great difficulty to be obtained. In this country the laity have a considerable participation in the affairs of the church, and ought to possess an intimate knowledge of its history, constitution and laws. As church wardens, and trustees or vestrymen, as well as delegates to the convention, they have important and very solemn duties to perform, and with a knowledge of these duties, it ought to be the business of these magazines to furnish them. The subjects usually discussed in them have already been explained and enforced by pious and learned divines, with as much ability as could be expected from more modern writers, and a knowledge of what we are to believe and do in order to be saved," may be communicated to our readers as well by *selections*, as by any original matter which we might be able to offer to them. From the writings of approved divines, not always to be met with, even in possession of the clergy, we shall most frequently collect what it is deemed necessary to give on christian doctrine and duty. The magazine will aim to be useful, and desires no other reputation.

I am induced to hope that, besides furnishing the laity with useful information in regard to the duties which are imposed upon them, some *hints*, worthy of their attention, may occasionally be given to the clergy. While they act up to their ordination vows, endeavour to frame and fashion their lives according to the doctrine of Christ, to make themselves wholesome examples of the flock of Christ, and reverently obey their Bishops, following with a glad mind and will, their godly admonitions, they deserve, and there is in the laity of the church of Maryland generally, every disposition to honour and support them. If, however, at any time, any of them forget to pay due regard to their own solemn engagements, and instead of loving to "dwell together in unity," a design should be manifested to introduce disorder and misrule into the church, to oppose its legitimate authority, or to assume powers which do not belong to them, then it is not only the right, but it becomes the imperative duty of the laity, to animadvert upon such conduct with unsparing severity.

Approving entirely of the forms prescribed, and of the doctrines agreed to by our Church, it will be no part of the business of the Magazine to recommend or *even to connive at*, any *new inventions*, whether in tenets, or discipline or worship.

TERMS.

The Repository shall be published twice a month, each number to contain sixteen pages royal 8 vo—Price two dollars per annum, one half payable in advance, and the other half upon the delivery of the 12th number.

The first number shall appear on the third Saturday in January next, should a sufficient number of subscribers be obtained to justify the expense.

Subscriptions received at the office of the Maryland Gazette and at George Shaw's store

CENTRAL TAVERN.

That well known establishment, the Central Tavern, formerly kept by Capt. Thomas in the City of Annapolis, has lately been purchased and put in complete repair, and is now occupied by

JOSEPH DALEY,

Who has opened a large and commodious

TAVERN,

where Boarders and Travellers will receive the most unremitted attention and the best of every thing which the seasons afford. Gentlemen attending the Legislature, and the public in general, will find it to their advantage to give him a call, as he pledges himself nothing will be left undone to render every satisfaction to his customers. The best Liquors, and fare of every kind that can be procured, shall be offered to his customers and the greatest attention and care taken of their Horses. He therefore solicits a share of public patronage.

July 29. 27 tf.

Wilson's Seminary

Will be opened in this City on the first Monday in February next, for the reception of such Students as may wish to acquire a knowledge of Orthography, Reading, Penmanship, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography, with the Use of the Maps and Globes, Ethics, Rhetoric, Belles Lettres, Stenography, or the art of short hand writing, Mensuration, Algebra, the different branches of the Mathematics, &c. at the rate of Twenty Dollars per annum, for each Scholar The subscriber flatters himself, from his having been engaged in the profession of teaching for some years past, that he will meet with a liberal patronage from the citizens of Annapolis and its vicinity.

W. WILSON.

NB Reference can be made to Mr. James Iglehart, Jun.

Jan. 13. 3 tf.

Anne-Arundel county, to wit:

On application to the Chancellor, the Chief Judge of the third judicial district of the State of Maryland, by petition in writing of Benjamin Lusby of Anne Arundel county, stating that he is in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the general assembly of Maryland, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein prescribed, 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 Benjamin G. Hammond having satisfied me by competent testimony, that he has resided two years in the State of Maryland, immediately preceding the time of his application, and the said Benjamin G. Hammond having taken the oath by said act prescribed for delivering up his property, I do hereby order and adjudge that the said Benjamin G. Hammond be discharged from confinement, and that he give notice to his creditors, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed in the city of Annapolis, once a week for three months before the third Monday in April next, to be before the said county court, at the court house of said county at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause if any they have, why the said Benjamin G. Hammond should not have the benefit of said act as prayed. Given under my hand this 9th day of October, 1819.

Jeremiah Townley Chase.

Test, 3 WM S. GREEN, Clk.

Jan. 13.

Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Messrs. MARRIOTT,
SPENCE,
BRECKENRIDGE,
MAULSBY,
ROSS.

The Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice, will sit every day during the present Session, from 9 o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

By order,

J W. PRESTON, Clk.

Dec. 9. 8

BLANKS

For Sale at this Office.

Declarations on Promissory Notes, bills of exchange against Drawer, first, second, and third Endorser, assumpsit generally.
Debt on Bond and Single Bill,
Common Bonds,
Appeal do.
Tobacco Notes, &c. &c.

ENTERTAINMENT.

CEPHAS W. BENSON,

Having purchased that commodious Building in Church-street, Anne, formerly occupied by Mrs. Nicholson, respectfully informs the public that he has commenced keeping

A TAVERN,

and will use every exertion to give satisfaction to Travellers and all others who may favour him with their patronage. He will board Ladies and Gentlemen by the day, week, month or year, and accommodate Private Parties at a short notice, and with the delicacies of the season

November 11, 1819. 12

NOTICE.

The subscriber having obtained letters testamentary on the personal estate of Lewis Griffith, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, requests all persons having claims against said estate to bring them in, legally authenticated, and those in any way indebted to make immediate payment to

GASSAWAY WINDELL, Ex'r

Nov. 11. 12 tf.

WILLIAM MURDOCH,

Respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has just received a fresh supply of

FRUITS,

Consisting of Oranges, Limes, Raisins, Prunes and Apples.

Likewise a general assortment of *Sweet Meats, West India Pickles, &c.*

Also a general assortment of

CONFECTIONARY,

All of which he will dispose of on the most accommodating terms.

NB. The lovers of good Spanish Cigars and Chewing Tobacco, are invited to give him a call.

Jan 20. 2 3w.

NOTICE.

I hereby forewarn any and every person from hunting with dog or gun, or otherwise trespassing on my premises known by the name of Squire's Neck, lying on Rhode River in Anne Arundel county.

JOHN CONTEE.

Jan 20. 2

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VER-STREET, ANNAPOLIS.

—Three Dollars per Annum

e Religious and Literary Repository.

ELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

rmation.—On the 14th Nor last, the Right Rev. Bishop held a Confirmation in Hanown; on the 16th, in Saint-'s Parish, Frederick county; 19th December, in St. Paul's, nore, and on the 9th January, Anne's, Annapolis—93 perere confirmed.

inations.—On the 6th January, Paul's Church, Baltimore, Mr. e M'Ilhenny was Ordained on, and on th 9th, in St. Anne's h, Annapolis, Mr. William ty, (formerly a Presbyterian ter) was admitted to the same rder.

New-Haven, Jan. 11.

l Shot, or a Warning Mark to Thieves.

. C. Northrop, grocer of this for several mornings of late, cession, on opening his store, ered that more or less of his s had mysteriously vanished breach appeared about the g, he suspected that some ing genius entered the back nightly by means of a false nl passed out the same way. certain whether this were the he, one evening last week, led a quantity of light snow e outside the door, and a hand two of meal on the floor imely within. In the morning, her reduction of his commo , and the tracks of a man in eal and snow, verified his conres. He then determined to watch within the store each , till the rogue should make her attempt. Accordingly, the ing evening, before 10, him and Mr. Wm. A——, a neigh-, secreted themselves in the ting-room in the rear of the . They charged a pistol with beans to annoy the expected der, and a musket with ball to ady for use in case of resist-; they then placed their light covered barrel, and were cau-s to preserve silence. About past 10, a key was heard at the of the back door—some one en-d without a light, and was suf-d to advance, as nearly as could nged from the step, half the th of the store; when Mr. A— denly opened the counting-room, discharged the pistol in the ty way of alarm; the contents which, (as Justice would have entered the lower part of the of their uninvited guest, who antly vociferated that he was dead man." The light being wn from the barrel, the wounded gentleman surrendered himself his key, together with a decan which had been his nightly comion. The blood flowed in proon from his chin, lips and nose; he was conducted into the coun-room, where, after a time, the nds were staunched.

The thief confessed that he had quently pilfered from Mr. N. at ht, during the last three or four nths.

We are not at liberty at present divulge the name of the guilty son; but hope this little narrati-will serve to deter others who like evilly inclined, from placing mselves in the way of a random ot.

IMPRISONMENT FOR DEBT.

Cincinnati, (Ohio) Jan. 14.

We are pleased to find that a bill before the Legislature of Ohio, to olish imprisonment for debt.—here is something so absurd, not say barbarous, in the practice of rowing men into prison, after it is own they have not the means of ying their debts, that it is really tonishing it should have been so ng countenanced by civilized comunities.

If the practice be examined in a neral point of view, there cannot e found an argument in favour of To confine men in prison can-

not coin money, or c but on the contrary, to abandon useful em to leave their fami ported by charity or privates them of their the amount of labou nity, humiliates the many instances, p and desperation. tion to be made o poor persons who a soned in the United debts, and a fair va each day while the the amount would great. But we wil of Ohio, in which w are sixty counties, a year ten men in soned for debt for t The estimate may but no matter.—it principle. Here, t hundred men, who their avocations, their families, and than idleness. Mu 20, (the time that posed to be confine an amount of 12,00 to the prisoners an nity! If we estim have been the proc 50 cents per day. of 6 000 dollars w been earned, and i applied to the sust fort of suffering fa

We say, again, be an accurate ave vain to say that kind is not yearly general scale, th would seem to be a counteract which, result from it so utility? It would that any law is w ry, where the adv rise from its opera terbalance the att to imprison a man has given up all produce no possi less it be thought will do it; and h served that it is not a crime, for than he can pay the poorer class c the present law a est severity S be enhanced, by man's property. in prison? Rea forbid it. Let th but not the body

It may be some instances, their effects in o creditors of the a jail may be nec to terms. This amount is cons fact; but among debts are small, or nothing to could not be fr sufficiently so t ance of a pract to imprisonme reaching now a case. What der which no soned, is for t cide. We hop on such a one at least a maj classes of the

SEA

We unders of the ship Sunday last, Island, in 8 in less than saw a large peared to be length—his rock, cov re like an allig tail was whit ter apparent back of his was in sight ters of an ho ly seen by and when la ing westwar

We hope henceforth of this spec end. Inde Dragon ne consequent mer one.