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MANAGERS OFFICE 175, Baltimore street.
MARYLAND UNIVERSITY LOTTERY.

FOURTH CLASS NEW SERIES
 For the Benefit of the Medical College in Baltimore.

Tickets in this lottery will be drawn after Saturday the 14th inst. at 10 o'clock (should any remain unsold after that day) until which time they may be had at \$1 at most of the Lottery Offices in Baltimore, but in consequence of the unprecedented demand for tickets in this lottery, they have become very scarce.

SCHEME
 1 prize of \$10,000 is 10,000 Dollars
 1 prize of 6,000 is 6,000 Dollars
 1 prize of 4,000 is 4,000 Dollars
 1 prize of 3,000 is 3,000 Dollars
 1 prize of 2,000 is 2,000 Dollars
 1 prize of 1,538 is 1,538 Dollars
 6 prizes of 1,000 is 6,000 Dollars
 6 prizes of 500 is 3,000 Dollars
 6 prizes of 200 is 1,200 Dollars
 24 is 3,744 Dollars
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 8 is 3,744 Dollars
 4 is 3,744 Dollars
 8,760 Prizes 79,170 Dollars
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 To be drawn the 25th Day of MAY instant.

This is a lottery formed by the lottery combination and permutation of 30 numbers. To determine the prizes herein, the 30 numbers will be placed in a wheel on the day of the drawing, & four of them be drawn out. And that ticket having on it the 1st, 2nd and 3rd drawn numbers in the order in which drawn, will be entitled to the prize of \$10,000. And those five other tickets which shall have on them the same numbers in the following orders, shall be entitled to the prizes annexed to them, respectively, viz:—the 1st, 3rd and 2nd, to \$6,000; 2nd, 1st and 3rd, to \$4,000; 2nd, 3rd and 1st, to \$3,000; 3rd, 1st and 2nd, to \$2,000; 3rd, 2nd and 1st, to \$1,538. Those six other tickets which shall have on them three of the drawn numbers, and those three the 1st, 2nd and 4th, in one of their several orders of combination & permutation, will each be entitled to a prize of \$1,000. Those five other tickets which shall have on them three of the drawn numbers & those three the 2d, 3d, and 4th, in some one of their orders will each be entitled to a prize of \$200. Those 156 tickets which shall have on them two of the drawn numbers and those two, the 3d, and 4th, will each be entitled to a prize of \$12. All others being 463, having on them two of the drawn numbers will be entitled to a prize of \$8. And all those 7800 tickets having on them but one of the drawn numbers will each be entitled to a prize of \$1.

Prizes in any of the Lotteries of Maryland, Virginia, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, will be received in payment.
 Orders enclosing the cash or prize as above, free of postage for tickets and shares, will receive prompt attention—if addressed to
MES & MINTYRE,
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RAGS.
 Clean Linen and Cotton Rags, will be purchased at the Store of the subscriber.
G. SHAW.

New Goods.
 The subscriber has received a good assortment of
SPRING & SUMMER DRY GOODS
 AND
GROCERIES.
 Which he is determined to sell cheap for cash. Best Family Flour, delivered free of charge. Also an assortment of Cheap Shoes, Drugs and Medicines; orders for which, from the country, will be faithfully attended to.
RICHARD RIDGELY.
 April 7.

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 5th Prize, 2,000
 6th Prize, 1,538
 7th Prize, 1,000
 8th Prize, 500
 9th Prize, 200
 10th Prize, 12
 11th Prize, 8
 12th Prize, 4

E. LITTELL,
 85, Chestnut street, Philadelphia,
 Has in Press,
AN INTRODUCTION
 to the
CRITICAL STUDY AND KNOWLEDGE
OF THE HOLY SCRIPTURES.

By **THOMAS HARTWELL HORNE, M. A.**
 It will be printed from the London Edition of 1823 in four very large octavo volumes, it will contain numerous maps and fac similes of biblical manuscripts, and in short every thing that is contained in that edition, and will be very neatly printed on good paper. The first London edition of this work was published in 1818, the second in 1821, the third in 1822, the fourth in 1823. So great a sale of so large a work on such a subject, is the best evidence that can be offered of its value. There has yet been no American edition.

Vol. I. contains a Critical Inquiry into the Genuineness, Authenticity, Integrity, Preservation, and Inspiration of the Holy Scriptures.
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Vol. III. contains an Outline of the Historical and Physical Geography of the Holy Land. The Political and Military Affairs of the Jewish and other Nations incidentally mentioned in the Scriptures. Sacred Antiquities of the Jews. The Domestic Antiquities of the Private Life, Manners, Customs, Amusements, &c. of the Jews and other nations incidentally mentioned in the Scriptures.
 Vol. IV. is appropriated to the Analysis of Scripture.
 Price \$12.—After publication the Price will be sixteen dollars.
 January 1829.
 Subscriptions received for the above work at the Office of the Maryland

For Sale
 OF
RENT.
The Framed Building
 Formerly occupied by Mrs. M. Daniel, near the houses occupied by Mr. Joseph Sands and Mr. James Cleary. Apply at this Office.
 March 17.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY
SAMUEL STEVENS,
 GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND,
A Proclamation.
 Whereas authentic information has been lodged in the Executive Department of the said state, that a horrible murder was committed on Monday the fourth day of April instant, in a woods belonging to Captain John Cooper, near the Philadelphia and Baltimore post road, in Cecil county, on the body of **EVELINA CUNNINGHAM** by a person or persons unknown. And whereas it is of the first importance to society, that perpetrators of such offences should be brought to condign punishment, I have thought proper to issue this my proclamation, and do, by and with the advice and consent of the council, offer a reward of **THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS** to any person or persons who shall apprehend and lodge in any gaol, so as to be brought to justice the person or persons who committed the above act.

Given under my hand, and the seal of the state of Maryland, this twentieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five.
SAMUEL STEVENS.

A Description of the supposed Murderer.
 A person (name unknown) about 25 or 30 years of age, believed to have a scar on his chin, dark complexion, dark eyes and hair, about five feet ten inches high, wore a dark green surtout, black or dark coloured pantaloons, black fur hat nearly new, had a linen knapsack strapped upon his back. The murderer robbed her of her stockings, which were black worsted, and her comb.
 Ordered, That the foregoing be published twice a week for four successive weeks in the two Annapolis papers; the Patriot, the American, and the Federal Gazette, Baltimore; the Elkton Press; Bond of Union, Belle-Air; and the Aurora, and Franklin Gazette, Philadelphia.
 By command of His Excellency,
THOMAS CULBRETH,
 Clerk of the Council.

BASHAW,
 Will stand the ensuing season, at Woody Farm, 2 miles from Ellicott's Mills, and 12 miles from Baltimore.
BASHAW is a beautiful silver grey with black flowing fore top, mane and tail, about sixteen hands high, of fine form and just proportions, possessing great strength, and of lofty carriage; paces, trots and canters free and easy.—This Horse was got by the *Day of Algiers*, and his dam a Highlander Mare; thus shewing, he is of the stock of Arabian Horses so well known and justly esteemed for the turf and saddle.—In point of figure, and excellence as a sure foal getter is surpassed by no horse in the country.
 Bashaw will stand two days in each week, (Friday and Saturday), at Stone's Tavern, three miles from town on the Frederick road, and the residue at Woody's farm, of Jacob Hollingsworth, 12 miles from Baltimore, at Ten Dollars the single mare, and if more than one, Eight Dollars only will be charged. The season will end the first day of August, when payment will be expected.
 Good pasturage will be provided at 50 cents per week, and further care and attention paid if required, without liability for escapes and accidents.
JAMES BROOKES, Manager,
 Woody Farm.
 March 22, 1892.

Seasonable Goods.
First Quality Cloths,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
 and to Punctual Customers, on the usual credit
Nichs. J. Watkins,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
 Has just received a more general and complete assortment of
SPRING & SUMMER GOODS,
 Than he has ever heretofore obtained consisting of
First Quality Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c. &c.
 Which he will be happy to make up in the most fashionable style, or in any other manner to suit the fancy of his customers.
 April 28.

Valuable Land,
FOR SALE.
 The subscriber wishes to sell the farm on which she resides, and which formerly belonged to Mr. John B. Robinson. It lies on the south side of South River, a little above the Lower-ferry, and contains two hundred acres. The soil is kind, and well adapted to the cultivation of tobacco and grain. The land lies very level and is very improvable.
 The improvements are a new two story frame dwelling house kitchen, new tobacco house and other out houses, and an apple orchard equal to any in the county for its size and the quality of its fruits, and distinguished for the quantity and excellence of the cider made from it.
THE TERMS OF SALE,
 Will be liberal, and may be known on application to Mr. John or Stephen Beard, and the premises will be shown by the subscriber.
ELIZABETH LINTHICUM.
 April 28.

Two Valuable Farms
FOR SALE.
 The subscriber offers for sale the farm on which he now resides, containing 1095 and a half acres, under good cultivation, and subject to the growth of fine tobacco, Indian Corn, grain of all kinds, and well adapted to clover and plaiter, on which are all buildings necessary to the same.
 Also a farm on Elk Ridge, immediately joining the mill seat of the late Richard Owings, containing 400 acres, and well adapted to the growth of any produce whatever. The improvements consist of a good dwelling house and kitchen, a barn, stable, &c.
 It is deemed unnecessary to give any further description of the above property, as any person wishing to purchase, can view the same by applying to Mr. Henry Owings, on Elk Ridge, or to the subscriber, at his residence at Holland's Island.
 Samuel Owings, of Richd.
 April 7.

Chancery Sale.
 By virtue of a decree of the court of chancery, the subscriber will expose to public sale, at Barrett's tavern, the half way house on the Annapolis and Baltimore road, on Thursday the 26th day of May inst.

The Lands
 whereof Tobias Reynolds died seized, called Caple's Fancy, Walker's Inheritance, and Poplar Spring, containing together about 217 acres, adjoining the lands of David Meeke, and near the lands of Abner Linticum. Terms of sale.—One half of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, with interest, to be secured by bond with approved security. On the payment of the purchase money, and ratification of the sale, the subscriber is authorized to execute a deed. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock.
 Louis Garraway, Trustee.
 May 5.

From the Trenton Emporium.
THE GOLDEN CHAIN.
 In mingling in the busy multitude that throngs the theatre of life, and casting around us an observing eye, we may glean many lessons of wisdom. Evil examples abound, and these are to be studied and avoided. Good ones are also to be found, and these should command our imitation as well as admiration. We journey through a country so full of devious roads and winding paths, that sometimes it is difficult to determine which is the straight forward way, and we are in danger of turning to the right hand or to the left very often—but the examples afforded by the history and condition of others, if properly suited, would generally prove finger posts, in doubtful cases, to point us in the right course. I have little doubt that the exercise of a moderate share of wisdom and prudence, in at least nine cases out of ten, will enable us to escape most of the ills of life. Indeed, so satisfied am I that men are generally the cause of their own misfortunes, that whenever I see a poor half starved looking soul, wandering about with holes in the elbows, and his toes peeping out of his shoes, I say to myself "that man has been imprudent" and I ask the reader when he beholds such a spectacle, to apply the test, and see whether he differs much from me in the conclusion. I sat down however to tell a story.
 In a neat village, in that wild and romantic country to which the reader has been led so often, the banks of the Susquehanna, not far from Alesbury, lived a family named Merton, in middling circumstances, respected and contented. Mary Merton was the eldest of six daughters, who having been judiciously brought up to habits of industry and economy, were rather assistants than drawbacks upon their parents. They were well behaved, good looking girls, and in the bright summer holidays, and long winter evenings, seldom failed to be plentifully supplied with those necessary, though often mischievous, troublesome, and worthless things called gallants. The Mertons had some wealthy relatives in Philadelphia, and one of them, a generous old bachelor, sent Mary, one summer, an elegant gold chain, with a diamond clasp, of exquisite workmanship, and great value. I do not know precisely the amount in dollars, but it was some hundreds, and these were speedily magnified into thousands, by the astonished natives, whose eyes had never beheld so rich a spectacle.
 Mary Merton was accordingly the toast in all the country around; the golden chain evidently added wonderfully to her charms; she was courted by every body and had her choice among the beaux. She married, the chain adorned her neck at the wedding; and the bridegroom looked most lovely on her and on the bright folds of that gay ornament alternately, "and smiled and looked & looked & smiled again." For a time, she wore it in every party, and was the envy of her less fortunate companions, and although when the first wonder wore away they ridiculed it a little and remarked that Mary's wedding and outfit was only ten times more costly to her father than it would have been had she never seen the chain, that it made fine clothes necessary to correspond with it &c. yet it was easily seen that the young married couple bore themselves more stately and with more self complacency than was usual on its account, and the young bride even shewed some symptoms of superior importance towards her husband, and these proved that she at least did not regard what others might say or think.
 Time passed away; the young people began the world genteely—but things did not prosper well. The mistress of such a golden chain could not descend to the entire level of usefulness and industry in family matters.—The husband became infected with sundry notions of gentility, not altogether compatible with his circumstances. The chain became a sinking fund. It bro't one expense after another, and yielded no profits; for it was a present and could not be sold; and it turned out in the end a ruinous affair. One of the last recollections associated with Ma-

ry and her partner, is the sale of the golden chain, by the constable for a store debt, containing many an item of silk and satin and all the et ceteras, of extravagance. They left the country soon after, in poverty and mortification.
 The story is short and leaves thro' greater room for improvement. Whenever I see a poor person wrapped up in family pride, and holding his head full of notions of quality, in lofty idleness, above the common class, I cannot help thinking of the golden chain, and the consequence that grew out of its possession.
 When I see a young lady remarkably handsome or accomplished, priding herself on the one or the other, I fear the lad who can catch her will catch a golden chain into the bargain.
 It is somewhat questionable, whether under any circumstances a life of idleness is an innocent life. He who is not engaged in some useful employment, cannot certainly fulfil the duty every one owes to society and his maker. No elevation, no wealth, no rank can be disgraced by labour. So the great Cincinnatus thought. A mistake has in our days crept into very high company, viz: Industry is considered disgraceful, and idleness honourable; the reverse is the motto of wisdom.

OLIVER OAKWOOD.

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES.
 A statistical view of the Commerce and Navigation of the United States for the year ending September 30, 1891, published in the National Intelligencer, presents the following aggregates:

	1891.	1894.	Increase.
Imports	77,579,967	80,549,007	2,969,040
Domestic Exports	47,155,408	50,640,500	3,485,092
Foreign Exports	27,538,632	29,908,507	2,369,875
Total Exports	74,699,030	75,986,537	1,287,507
Am. Ton. net	77,579,971	80,549,033	2,969,062
For. Ton. do	119,468	109,974	9,506

 *Decrease 2,906,165
 †Increase 17,101

TOWANDA, Pa. April 28.
SINGULAR BEAR FIGHT.
 A short time since a couple of young men were taking a walk in the back Woods of Sheshequin, where they chanced to meet an old bear and her cub.—The young heroes held a council of war and determined to give chase to, and attack them, accordingly they stripped themselves for the fray, and each armed with a club started for the bears; they soon overhauled the young one, and despatched it; but its hideous cries called the old one to its assistance, and the young men were obliged to prepare for the attack. The old bear when within a couple of rods, raised upon her hind feet, and with her mouth wide open, frothing and foaming, continued to advance.
 They squared themselves, and a severe and doubtful struggle of 15 or 20 minutes ensued, during the whole of which they were unable to touch her head with their clubs, so completely did she party every blow with her fore feet, and it was not until the wretched retreat that they were able to level a blow across her nose, which brought her down, when they were enabled to dispatch her. This singular and courageous act will do the young men honour; had the deceased Putnam been present, he could not have done more; and his famed wolf hunt scarcely surpasses the Sheshequin Bear Fight.

The King of France has sanctioned the project of a shipping canal from Havre to Paris, and an English capitalist is to provide one million sterling towards its construction. It is to be 50 feet deep.

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