From the American Farmer.

Sluggards who discourage every new enterprise, and all attempts at improvement, would have us believe, that agriculture has gained nothing by any departure from old practices. Nothing can be more pernicious than the precepts of these miserly drones, unless it be their examples. A singular proof of what has been done in one, and a stimulous to persevere in other pursuits of the husbandman, may be seen in the case of the increased average weight of oxen, calves, and sheep in the course of a century. In the year 1700, the average weight of oxen killed for the London market, was 370 pounds, of calves 50 pounds, and of sheep 28 pounds. In 1812 the average weight of oxen, in the same market, was 800 pounds, that of calves 150, and of sheep 80 pounds—the latter having increased three fold! Has this improvement in all the valuable properties and dispositions of animals for the food of man been accomplished without management! without skilful crossing of breeds? without knowledge gained by reading, reflection and study? without exhibition to excite, and premiums to honor success? without the aid of discussion and the light of science? Yet there are many amongst us of those numerous families, the 'Hold fasts,' and the 'Good enoughs,' who will ask you, who ever learned any thing about farming from study or from book? To see a farmer with a pen or a book in his hand, is in their opinion, ominous of bad management and ruin; and at a cattle show, where the premiums have been bought chiefly by contributions levied on merchants, lawyers, and gentlemen, who are not farmers; you will see one of those poor spirited fault finders, come and peep through or over the enclosure, and go away, preferring rather to lay out one dollar in still burnt whiskey, or to print filthy political hand bills, than to save from dissolution a society established for the benefit of his peculiar calling. Thompson's Apostrophe to Philosophy, is, nevertheless, applicable to knowledge in general; and is no where more emphatically justified than in the progress which has been made by scientific researches and illustrations in the pursuits of the agriculturalists.

"With thee, serene Philosophy, with thee,
And thy bright garland, let me crown my song!
. . . . . .
Without thee, what were enlightened man?
A savage roaming thro' the woods and wilds
In quest of prey, and with the unshion'd fur,
Rough clad, devoid of every finer part,
And elegance of life."

An Irish Priest, by name Felix Macabe, author of a grammar of the English language, was expatiating from the pulpit on the reciprocal duties of the pastor and his flock, and on the account to be given on that subject at the day of final retribution. "Well father Felix," he observed, "the Great Judge will say, and how have you fulfilled the duties of your office? Have you neglected the charge you undertook, or supplied the wants of your parishioners?' And I shall reply, "Holy Father, I preached to them, and I preached to them, I prayed for their souls, and I gave them my blessings." "Well, Father Felix, and how did your flock treate you? Did they pay you their dues, and bring you their offerings?" And then you villains what am I to say?' added he, apostrophising the congregation. "You know you do nothing but chate me."

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1 prize of	1,000	is	1,000
2 prizes of	500	is	1,000
2 prizes of	200	is	400
10 prizes of	100	is	1,000
20 prizes of	50	is	1,000
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100 prizes of	10	is	1,000
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Baltimore, June, 1828. Baltimore.

Persons

Who have borrowed any Books belonging to the late Jonathan Pinkney, are requested to return them to the office of the subscriber.

Jan. 17 Som. Pinkney.

PRINTING

Neatly executed at this Office.

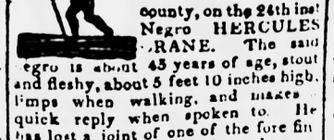
Forty Dollars Reward.

Ranaway from the subscriber living on West River A A county, on the 24th inst Negro HERCULES CRANE. The said negro is about 45 years of age, stout and fleshy, about 5 feet 10 inches high, limps when walking, and makes quick reply when spoken to. He has lost a joint of one of the fore fingers but of which hand not known, and also one of his front teeth; he is a rough carpenter. His common cloathing is a drab Devonshire kersey roundabout, a coarse whitish cloth pantaloons, fur hat and osnaburgh shirt, but it is probable that he has changed his clothes as has a variety of them The presumption is that he has absconded on board an oyster boat to Baltimore, where he has both friends and acquaintances If he is apprehended within 15 or 20 miles of this place, a reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the state, a farther distance 20 dollars, and if out of the state $40 provided I get him again.

CHARLES STEUART.

June 5.

THE ELEGANT STEAM-BOAT



MARYLAND.

On and after Tuesday the 27th day of May inst. this superb and splendid boat will leave Baltimore every Tuesday and Friday for Annapolis, Cambridge and Easton, at 6 o'clock in the morning, and returning leave Easton every Wednesday and Saturday for Cambridge, Annapolis and Baltimore, until the 1st of October next, when she will start at 7 o'clock, and touch at Castle Haven, instead of going to Cambridge.

On every MONDAY morning, she will leave BALTIMORE for CHESTERTOWN, and return the same day, leaving Chestertown at one o'clock, P. M. touching at CORSICA (for the Centreville passengers) going and coming.

The Maryland, in order to prevent collision will leave Baltimore on Sunday morning next (and every succeeding Sunday,) at the same hour during the season, at *half past nine o'clock*, A. M (for Annapolis)

☞The public are respectfully informed that the MARYLAND has been recently fitted up in the best manner, having the most npproved copper boilers.

L G. TAYLOR, Master.

May 24

IN CHANCERY,

June 3d, 1828

Ordered, That the sale made and reported by Bushrod W. Marriott, trustee for the sale of the property in the cause of Wm. Moore against Charles Moxley, and others be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 3d day of August next, provided a copy of this order be inserted once in each of three successive weeks, before the 3d day of July next, in one of the Annapolis newspapers. The report states the amount of sales to be $200 00

True copy,

Test, Ramsay Waters,
June 5 Reg. Cur. Can.

Public Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Court of Chancery, the subscriber will offer at public sale, on Thursday the 26th of June inst, at 12 o'clock, M. if fair, if not on the next fair day thereafter, at the same hour, at James Hunter's Tavern in Annapolis, the dwelling plantation of David Steuart, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. This plantation lies in Anne Arundel county, near the Patuxent. It contains about six hundred and fifty acres of land, of good quality and capable of improvement, and with a sufficiency of wood for all farming purposes. There are on the premises a comfortable dwelling house, and all necessary out houses The land will be sold entire or in parcels to suit purchasers.

The terms of sale are, a credit of six, nine and twelve months, the purchasers to give bonds, with good sureties for the payment of each instalment, with interest thereon from the day of sale.

The creditors of the said David Steuart, deceased, are required to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the register of the court of chancery, within three months from the day of sale

Th. S. Alexander, Trustee.

June 5.

The Journal of Proceedings
OF THE
House of Delegates,
December Session 1827,
Has been completed and is ready for distribution. *A few copies for sale at this office*, PRICE $1 50.

RAGS

Bought at the Store of the subscriber. Geo. Shaw.

Spring and Summer GOODS.

GEORGE MYERS,
Merchant Tailor,

Has just received by the latest importation, a choice and handsome assortment of goods, in his line,

CONSISTING IN PART,

Of some of the First and Second Quality,

Black, Blue, Brown, Olive, Green and Mixed

Cloths & Cassimeres,

And a Superior Article of

White Drilling, Black Brochelle,

Bombazette & Nankins,

And a Handsome Assortment of

VESTINGS.

April 3 tf

100 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the farm of the late Jonathan Pinkney, Esq. near Annapolis, two negroes, one named JIM WOOTTEN, aged about thirty years, five feet ten inches high, and of a bright complexion The other named BEN SNOWDEN, about 19 years old, five feet 8 inches high, very black and walks a little lame It is supposed that these negroes went away in company with a bright mulatto man named Henry Wallace, belonging to Mrs Juliana Brice. The clothing of the above negroes is not known. A reward of fifty dollars will be given for the apprehension of the two negroes, or twenty five for each, if taken within this state, and secured in jail so that I get them again; or one hundred dollars for both, or fifty for each if taken out of the state

Som. Pinkney, adm'r.
of Jona Pinkney.

June 5

THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

At an Orphans Court held for Saint Mary's county, at the court house in Leonard town on the 13th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty eight.

Present Luke W Barber, Joseph Stone, George Thomas } Esqrs.
Thos. W. Morgan Shff.
Enoch J Millard, Register,

Among other proceedings were the following.

On application of Susanna Boothe, administratrix of Ignatius Boothe of George, late of St. Mary's county, deceased, it is ordered by the court, that the said administratrix give the notice required by law for the creditors to exhibit their claims against the estate of the said deceased and that the same be published once a week for four weeks in one of the newspapers published in the city of Annapolis by Jonas Green.

In testimony, that the aforegoing is a true copy taken from one of the records of the proceedings of the Orphan's Court for St Mary's county, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the seal of the said court, this 13th day of May, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and twenty.eight

E. J. Millard, Reg.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the subscriber, of St Mary's county, hath obtained from the orphans court of St. Mary's county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Ignatius Boothe of George, late of St 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 subscriber, at or before the 22d day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 13th day of May 1828.

Susanna Boothe, Adm'x

May 20

The Levy Court

Of Anne-Arundel county is requested to meet in the city of Annapolis, on Monday the 18th day of August next.

By order, W. S. Green, Clk

May 22.

FOR SALE

The fine fast sailing

SLOOP

General Washington.

With all her tackle, apparel and cabin furniture, and in complete order for running as a packet or other purposes She has been lately re-built and new coppered up to light water mark Any person wishing to purchase the above mentioned vessel will make application to the subscriber.

Susanna Barber

May 20

A list of the owners of lands in Calvert county on which there is no personal property, to pay the taxes due thereon to Samuel S. Hodgkin, collector of Calvert county, for the year 1827, as follows, to wit,

Owners Names,	Names of Lands.	Taxes due
Mary Clare's heirs,	Johnson's Lott,	$3 67
James Weems's heirs,	Fishers Orchard,	2 79
George W. Crane,	2 Lots in Prince Frede'k town,	4 26
John Miller's heirs,	Part Bussey's Orchard,	3 22
Thomas Lutch's heirs,	Part of his Father Land End,	2 29
John Taneyhill's of Leonard heirs,	Part of his Father Land End,	
	Part of Hall's Hills	2 25
James P. Wood,	Part of Broughton Ashley,	3 00
Samuel Whittington's heirs,	Part of Broughton Ashley, Gover's Ferrian & Hutt's Chance,	9 96

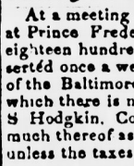
Maryland Calvert County to wit.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Tax for Calvert county, held at Prince Frederick town in said county, on the seventh day of April, eighteen hundred and twenty eight, Ordered, That advertisements be inserted once a week for four weeks in one of the Annapolis papers and one of the Baltimore papers, notifying the owners of land in the above list, on which there is no personal property to pay the taxes due thereon, to Samuel S Hodgkin, Collector, that the same will be sold agreeably to law, or so much thereof as will be necessary to pay said taxes, and costs thereon due, unless the taxes aforesaid be paid within thirty days after such notice.

William Hance, Clk to the Commissioners of the Tax for Calvert County.

May 29.

$75 REWARD.



Ranaway from the subscriber, living near Annapolis, TWO NEGRO WOMEN, Kitty and Jenny Brown. KITTY ran away about four years since, and Jenny on the 8th of April last. Kitty is 28 years old, about five feet six or eight inches in height, of delicate form, she has several large warts on the left side of her face JENNY is about thirty nine years of age, five feet six or eight inches high, yellow complexion, a scar on her nose; when she went off she had on a linsey wrapper, white and black stripe She has probably changed her clothing. It is probable they are near Centreville, Queen Anne's county, in the neighbourhood of a Mrs. Richmond. Fifty dollars reward will be given for the apprehension of KITTY, provided I get her again, and twenty five dollars for the apprehension of Jenny.

JOHN ARNOLD.

May 22. 3w*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That the subscriber has obtained from the orphans court in Saint Mary's county in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Edward B. Goddard, 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 6th day of May 1829, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of May 1828.

George Goddard, Ex'r.
of E. B. Goddard, dec'd.

May 22. 6w

CHEAP
Boot, Shoe & Hat STORE.

R. R. GOODWIN,

Has just received a Superior Assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES and HATS,

which he offers on the most moderate terms for CASH.

☞Boots and Shoes made to order, and in the neatest manner.

Annapolis, 8. 3w.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the late firm of

Watkins & Selby

are requested to come forward immediately, and make settlement to either Nicholas J Watkins or the subscriber, who having purchased the

STOCK OF GOODS

of the said firm, with the addition of a complete assortment of

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JOHN S. SELBY.

May 8

Notice is Hereby Given,

That the subscriber, as adm'r. of Geo. Howard of Brice, will attend in the city of Annapolis, at the office of the Register of Wills for Anne-Arundel county, on the 9th day of August next, for the purpose of making distribution of the funds in hand among the creditors of said Howard, entitled to receive the same, where all persons interested, will please attend with their claims properly authenticated

Roderick Dorsey.

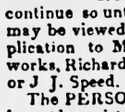
June 5. 1w 4w

Interesting to Manufacturers and Capitalists.

Sale of the Cape Sable Allum and Copperas Works.

By virtue of a Decree of the High Court of Chancery of Maryland, the subscribers, as Trustees, will offer for sale at public auction, on MONDAY the 30th day of June next, at 12 o'clock, at the Cape Sable Works, all the LANDS, WORKS, APPARATUS, and PERSONAL PROPERTY, with the rights of MINES and MINERALS, of the CAPE SABLE COMPANY. These lands consist of the following tracts and part of tracts containing 1010 ACRES—namely, 'Cape Sable'—'Oldfield'—'Marshall's Hunting Ground'—'Hall's Parcel'—'Gray's Dispute'—'Barren Hills'—'Eagle Hills'—'Gray's Range'—'Mosses' Addition'—'Mountain of Wales'—'Resurvey of the Mountain of Wales'—'Hallet's Lot Enlarged' The Land and the Works are on Magothy River, a broad navigable stream emptying into the Chesapeake Bay, from which the property is but a few miles distant; being about 18 miles from Baltimore, and about 5 miles from Annapolis.

The ALUM ORE is of the first quality, and in inexhaustible quantity upon the land, and easily procured. It takes fire spontaneously when dug, and is so rich of salts when oxidated that, as stated, each pound of ashes will yield a pound of salts if suffered to be saturated It is believed that the works are capable of affording a supply of alum from the ore of these lands sufficient for the whole of the United States, and at a very inconsiderable expense. The product of copperas is stated to be large The company also owns the right of mines and minerals or digging for ore in lands adjoining those above described to the extent of about 876 acres, in the following among other tracts—'Sturton's Rest,' and 'Proctor's Park.' 'Mountain of Wales,' 'Hall's Parcel.' 'Rockhold.' It is estimated that more than two thirds of the Company's lands is in wood, consisting of oak, hickory, chesnut and pine. Of the latter a large portion is of that estimable timber called Magothy Yellow Pine, so highly valued for the deck of ships. The works of Cape Sable consist of THREE EXTENSIVE STONE LABORARIES, &c with four lead boilers and one copper boiler, chrystalizers, a steam engine, a large stone boiler and apparatus for evaporating, and every convenience deemed necessary to carry on the works on a large scale together with DWELLING HOUSES for the managers and labourers. The works are in operation, and will continue so until the day of sale, and may be viewed at any time upon application to Mr. Lechleitner, at the works, Richard Caton, Esq. Baltimore, or J J. Speed, Esq Annapolis.



The PERSONAL PROPERTY to be sold consists of four Slaves for life—besides Horses, Mules, Asses and Oxen—Carts, Wagons, Ploughs and Harrows, Blacksmith's Tools, &c. and various implements used in the manufactory and for farming There is also to be sold a quantity of Pyrites estimated at more than one thousand tons, and several thousand tons of Ashes which have been lixivisted and would now yield, it is believed, on a second lixiviation five to ten per cent of salts

The terms of sale are that five thousand dollars of the purchase money shall be paid on the ratification of the sale by the Chancellor, with interest from the day of sale; and the residue of the purchase money in equal annual payments in 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years with interest from the day of sale.

In pursuance of the Decree, the Creditors of the Cape Sable Company are hereby notified to exhibit their claims with the vouchers thereof to the Chancery Office, within six months from the said day of sale.

Those inclined to purchase are requested to examine the premises previously to the day of sale. The title papers may be seen on application to Samuel Moale, at his office in West Fayette street

Baltimore, 15th April, 1828

SAMUEL MOALE,
CHARLES F. MAYER

April 25. ts.

BOOK BINDING.

John W. Whittington,

Respectfully informs the Public and his Friends in general, that he has taken the Stand in Church Street opposite to the Office of the Maryland Gazette, where he intends carrying on the above business in all its various branches. He solicits a share of public patronage.

April 17.

Harris & Johnson's REPORTS.

The 7th Volume is now completed, and subscribers are respectfully requested to transmit the amount due by them for subscription.

The 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Volumes of the REPORTS are for sale by the subscriber, at $5 per vol bound in calf, or at $3 per vol. in boards.

GEO SHAW.

Annapolis, Jan. 17.

Notice is herby Given,

That the subscribers have obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Jeremiah T Chase, late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against said estate, are requested to present them properly authenticated and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment

Richard M. Chase } Ex'rs.
Richard J. Crabb. }

June 5.

PROPOSAL

FOR PRINTING

The Journals of the Conventions of the Province of Maryland,

Held in the City of Annapolis, in the years 1774, 1775 and 1776.

IF Sufficient encouragement be offered, the Subscriber proposes to publish, in one volume octavo, the Journals of the Conventions of the Province of Maryland in the years 1774, '5 and '6. It is believed that there are not more than two copies of these Journals now extant; and from the circumstance that they were printed in pamphlet form, and unbound, it may be fairly concluded that they, too, must in a few years be destroyed by the mere decay of time. These Journals are the only authentic evidence of the Political History of Maryland, during that interesting and unquiet period. Although we have, in abundance, histories of Maryland, as connected with the association of Provinces and Colonies, at that time formed, for mutual protection against the improper assumption of power on the part of the Mother Country, yet none of these works embrace what may be termed its Domestic and Internal Political History.

This part of the history of Maryland it should be her pride to hand down to posterity, not only on account of its deep interest, but as a public State Record of the voluntary sacrifices, daring spirit, and determined resolution, of her citizens, during this period of doubt and dismay.

In the confident expectation that the citizens of Maryland will consider the proposed publication of sufficient importance to entitle it to their patronage, the Subscriber is induced to issue these proposals.

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MISCELLANY.

AN AMERICAN TALE.

The memorable campaign had commenced, which ended in the capture of the British army, and emancipated the United States from the mother country. Cornwallis, Leslie, and Phillips were concentrating their forces to invade Virginia; while La Fayette, the honoured friend of America, was straining every nerve to save the country whose cause he had so heartily and generously espoused, from the hand of spoiler.

These dreadful notes of preparation reached even to the quiet shades of Indian Spring Valley. Langhorne did not wish to hear them, but they would be heard; and his devotion to the fair sex was soon put to bitter proof. A party of Basil's neighbors assembled to pay their respects to the friends who had taken refuge at his house, on the approach of the British, and as 'To arms!' was not more the cry of warriors, than of rustic swains, so fair lady, (than of country maid,) the little party breathed nothing but defiance to the foe. A lively girl, after several sly hints, that the Captain had quite recovered of his wound, commenced the badinage indulged, by singing the following couplets, from a song she had just then made its appearance:

"While all around
We hear no sound,
The War's terrific strain,
The drum demands
Our patriot bands,
And chides each tardy swain.
Our country's call,
Arouses all
Who dare be brave and free,
My love shall crown
That youth alone,
Who saves himself and me."

Captain Langhorne has left the service, 'Miss Bell,' said a young volunteer, with a cockade in his hat as big as a cake. 'He is done with these wars; but if a poor ensign might take the turn, I know one who will be shot for you; and now I think of it, I saw Colonel Monroe yesterday, and he bade his compliments to you Captain.'

'I am to join Mercer's troop to-morrow,' said another, 'if the captain has no commands for him.'

Alexander did not eye the physician rugerly, than did Nancy Noland the poor Captain.

'I minds not these silly worldlings,' said Nancy.

'He is but a lost man, if he does,' said Basil, 'so far as regards his peace at least.'

Langhorne's countenance indicated that could lead them to suppose he would leave his mistress; and the damsels, who only waited to receive their hardy deeds, until they should have performed them, took their departure.

The trial now awaited him. The company had scarcely departed, when a trooper gaily caparisoned mounted a superb charger, and armed to the teeth, alighted at the door, and inquired for Capt. Langhorne.

Langhorne had just renewed his solicitations to Nancy for their immediate marriage, and had used so many arguments in favour of it, that with real delicacy, but with unbounded affection, she offered him to prevail, and the day but one was fixed for the performance of the ceremony. Such was the situation of the young lovers when the Captain was summoned to attend the messenger, who, after making the military obeisance, handed him the following letter:

'I am delighted to hear my dear Langhorne that your foot is again in the stirrup—I write from your own house, for I have this moment called, expecting not having seen or heard from you, to find you still on your back.

'I am glad you resigned the commission you hold. It makes way for the lieutenant in Weedon's brigade.—I now send you, at his request, what yesterday your friend Simmonds. He is below out of cold blood and false he refuses to turn out. He pestered me with some disjointed chat, about a turning quaker. I could divide myself and go to buffets for having listened to such a dish of skimmed milk. Come to have his horse pressed as you come along.

'But my good friend, what has taken you to Indian Spring Valley, at this critical time. Surely you have no idea of bringing the broad brim of its owner into the field, your men, who were in affair at old Nolan's, a stout fellow and not be surprised to see a cap. These times were of a Leverot. You to find me in the Lines General —— has received plies on the subject of fair; and indeed, with nour, conscience on this subject, which merciless invader pr gave us birth? A noble parcel of fe Even now they stand in the slip, straining You are not the man cool.

'Expecting to see at farthest, I am, yours.

'P. S. I had given it to add this) to my tions to find you in some surmises which ear, induce me to me to-morrow, at will mention to you you value your honor ship, meet me!"

'Will you take and have your horse horne, with an air indecision.

'My orders' said to return instantly, answer.—The Colo Buck Tavern at two your honour meet hour?'

Langhorne started hand on his arm. ter,' she said, in the of love and friends echo give thee so m

'I can scarcely plied, 'that you should until I make up my answer to make it. Nancy, you know—states in every di written to by an est lued friend.'

To come and imb in their blood,' said him—'and thou will I see it in thy flushed voice—yes thou of purpose! Why d with a poor forlorn few friends in this tle afford to recal h from one so valued

He was about to tions of sincerity, of the practice of w terrupted by the tro

'I await your h My orders were to turn.'

'One moment m Langhorne. Nancy friend, and so fully cannot with honou that—

'Thou canst not returned she, 'refus ing to his, and then the subject—Charle out from among us

'But I have not horne, 'determined

'If thou hast one ject,' said she, 'thou and she entered the her room.

Willing to be off manner, Langhorne tunity which this displeasure afford trooper, that he wo Colonel —— at the pointed.

'Charles Langho breakfast next mor meet a friend on busi and will return at ing at farthest.'

'Did he leave a endeavouring to spe

'No letter,' was positive assurance

From motives of real feeling, Basil the house during th day, and Nancy wa expectation and u wings of Time,' re as she wandered fr and yet why shoul arrive in which I c

The clock, afte struck six.

'I will neither b she said as she turn road as she heard parted hour. 'I fer myself to hope and then, oh, th clasping her hands him only in my pr

The hour pass and Nancy Nolan shiver, resigned t meeting Charles very moment she bear as became he