

ANNAPOLIS
Thursday, November 12, 1829

A PAIR
The citizens of Annapolis are respectfully informed that a PAIR will be held for the benefit of the Female Orphan Society, early in the month of January next, at which far more than 1000 persons will be present. The management of the Society has hitherto attracted the exertions of the Managers and the Institution has been conducted with the most judicious and successful management. They solicit public patronage and support, and are permitted to sell, justly, associated. The managers call upon those ladies whose benevolence and liberality have hitherto been exercised in the benefit of the distressed Orphan, to come forward with unabated energy in this cause of love and duty; they are not inquisitive in hoping that some will unite with them, now that the salutary effects of the Institution have become apparent, but had not been sufficient to test. Those ladies who are not in a situation to give the material, yet are willing to give their work, can be supplied by application to Mrs. Bidout, who is authorized to furnish such from the society's funds.

From the Wilmington Gazette, Nov. 3.
The Circuit Court of the U. States, for this district, commenced its session at Dover on Tuesday last. The Grand Jury found several bills against William Derrickson, for purloining money from letters in the Post office at St. Georges, in this County. Upon one of these indictments, he was convicted and sentenced to be imprisoned for two years. He was also convicted of the robbery of a certain vessel, and sentenced to be imprisoned for three months. The circuit court adjourned on the 25th inst. The Grand Jury returned a bill against Derrickson, a lad about 18 years of age, who was employed in the store of Dr. Derrickson, the Postmaster. It did not appear at the trial, we are informed, that he was ever employed in the Post office, but it seems that he had had a frequent access to it, and was often engaged in its duties.

READING MECHANICS.
Why are our mechanics in general, so afraid of a book? Why is it that those who can easily make a movement in their respective arts, but they put in practice some of the fundamental principles of mechanical philosophy, should be so stubborn in keeping themselves ignorant of these principles; and not only themselves, but others? Why should not a carpenter, a philosopher and a learned man? Would it not be a great advantage to the mechanic, to be acquainted with the principles of the natural sciences? Would it not be a great advantage to the mechanic, to be acquainted with the principles of the natural sciences? Would it not be a great advantage to the mechanic, to be acquainted with the principles of the natural sciences?

JUSTICE EVASIVE.
A man named Chaplin was lately arrested at Martinsburg, Va. for passing counterfeit bills on the Farmers Bank of Virginia. The Martinsburg Gazette describes the occurrence at his examination. "When Chaplin was before the magistrate, the fifty dollar note which he passed in this place was laid on the table by one of the young gentlemen, for the purpose of being inspected. He immediately picked it up and put it into his pocket, and although seized and severely chided, succeeded in swallowing it. Immediately after swallowing it he gave fifty dollars in good money to the prison to whom he passed the note. No counterfeit money being found on him, and the note which he passed not to be produced, the law of this Commonwealth could not punish him; he was given over to the gentleman who pursued him from Maryland."

From Meredith's Memorials.
RUSSIA AND TURKEY.
At a period when the operations of Russia attract the whole attention of the political world, it may be instructive to recall the curious and peculiar incidents which have marked the progress of the Russian empire towards the East. In the year 1476, Ivan the Third, the last Grand Duke of Moscow, succeeded to paternal estate of—

Geog. sq. miles Pop'n.
In 1503, he died bequeathing 24,238,100,000
1515, died the 1st Case 37,307
1584, died Ivan IV. 120,000,000
1590, died Feodor I. 150,414
1613, died Michael Romanov 27,116
1673, died Alexis 271,371
1689, succeeded Peter I. 2,713,721
1725, died Peter the Great 2,803,770
1740, died Empress Anna 3,225,807
1762, succeeded Cath. II. 3,234,000
1795, died Catherine II. 3,238,616

In 1825, died Alexander bytesthing to his successor Nicholas I. a territory of 8,879,900
square miles, and a population of 48,000,000 of souls, constituting an addition to the latter of an abundance of conquest; but he was called within little more than one quarter of a century of nearly two millions. We may say that he had nearly doubled the territory of his father, and that he had nearly doubled the population of his father's empire. The Russian empire, which was formerly a mere collection of petty principalities, has now become a vast empire, extending from the Baltic to the Pacific, and from the North Pole to the Indian Ocean.

AN IMPROVER.
A man named Smith is proposing about Maryland, that he will give any of his property, so that the poor may be benefited. He has a large estate, and he wishes to see it improved. He has a large estate, and he wishes to see it improved. He has a large estate, and he wishes to see it improved.

Supplies in square miles, 5,912,000
Population, 60,000,000
Revenue, 16,000,000
National Debt, 55,000,000
Army and Navy, 1,099,000
Ships of War, 139

Though it may not altogether comport with the subject intended in the foregoing details, it is at least germane to the popular attention of the present hour, that we should show how very different is the relation in which Turkey now stands to Russia, to that in which she stood when the Moskowitz first sought the honor of her acquaintance. Tempora mutentur, and the year in which the Russian Emperor, was the year in which a species of distant acquaintance became between the Russian and Ottoman. At this time, the Third Emperor, Ghalil, to make the first overtures to Sultan Selim, by whom they were met, with his laconic remark:—If the prince of Moscow, by his brother, of course he is mine also. A short time after came an Autograph from Iran to the Sultan, vindicating his friend, Ghalil, from certain calumnies. Ann 1514. The Czar Vasilii sent Alexieiev, one of his officers, with assurance of fidelity to Selim the First, and commanded him to say:—Your fathers lived on terms of brotherly unity; what reason is there, that we, their sons, should not do likewise? He was also directed not to show himself upon the floor, but to keep his hands crossed upon his breast, and to deliver the presents entrusted to him, and to ask after the Sultan's health; but not unless the latter should have previously made a similar inquiry as to that of the grand duke. This was the Selim, in whose time it grew into a common term of malice, "Heaven grant you may be so late, Selim's grand vizier." Because says All, his historian, Selim's viziers were "from limited to a month's way, and then delivered up (to the executioners) for which reason it was customary for all the viziers appointed during his reign to carry their last will in their bosoms; and they deemed themselves new born creatures, whenever they brought away their heads upon their shoulders after they had had an audience of him! It may be interesting to our readers to know, that the census of 1821 gave the population of St. Peterburgh at 422,166; of which 297,445 were males, and 124,721 females.

A SATIRE—FROM THE SPANISH.
History of an Infant that died three days old. We translate the following little satire from the Spanish Mercantile de Cadix:
I salute you, my dear friend, among whom I come to rest after a disagreeable existence of three days. You suppose that a creature of so tender an age has no knowledge or reflection, you are deceived. In order to recount to you my and brief history, I will examine the traces which events of my life have left impressed on the tender substance of my brain. I was, by accident, born of a woman rich but somewhat coquettish and presuming. To this circumstance I owe, without doubt the short duration of my life—the facility of having died when I first entered into life. I was surprised to hear an alarming noise, and upon opening my eyes, found myself in the arms of a greasy and ugly old woman. I was alarmed and began to cry. This was, in truth, a good augur. A few weeks later, a very fat and of mature age, took me, put on his spectacles and after having examined me for a brief space to see if he could recognize in me any of his features, he released me with perfect indifference. This was my mother, my papa. There then entered a number of persons crying out, "An heir! An heir! After this, a young woman who lay in bed, took me in her arms, kissed me, and covered me with so many caresses that she sometimes took from me the power of respiration. This was my mamma. To increase my misfortunes, the old woman returned, wrapped me up in linen, and folded me up in swaddling clothes and ligatures, in such a manner that I was left entirely without the power of motion. What pains did I then suffer! And though I complained, no one paid any attention to my complaints, each one attributing it to a different cause, and to none did it occur that it arose from my being so cruelly treated. In order that my mamma might not be incommoded by suckling me, or spoil her beauty, as they said, I was delivered over in the care of a nurse, who in order to make me sleep and rest quiet, put me in a kind of crib, or box, giving me an oscillating motion so violent that it turned my brain topsy-turvy, and the more I cried the more that unfeeling woman increased the motion of the crib, until, finally she left me unguarded. This cruel operation affected my health, and they called on two physicians, who after a very warm dispute, agreed to administer to me a bitter draught, and one so efficacious, that in a few hours I was released from the ties of life, the crib, and the many other vexations which I had experienced in the brief term of my existence. To this friendly draught I owe the good fortune of being with you; and of not having been martyred by nurses and servants at the age of five, by pedants at ten, by women at thirty, and by my wife at fifty, without mentioning ambition, gambling, malice, envy, disease, and other physical and moral evils which beset human life.

MANNION HOUSE, 66th St.
A DISORDERLY ORDERLY.—A Soldier of peculiar ferocious appearance, who had been in military service, was brought before the Police Court, charged with having beaten and injured a woman in their sanctuaries, and with having broken windows and knocked down those who mentioned his right to disturb the public tranquility.
A drunken man, who had defecated at the door of a house, and who had drunk, or some other powerful medicine, moved along the streets like the common enemy of mankind, if any person happened to stand in his way, he would immediately remove into the kennel by the side of the gutter, or the gutter, who at length took to one of the water heads which stood in a hair-dressing window, with sundry beautiful curls about his head.

METEOLOGICAL JOURNAL.
Kept by a gentleman residing near South River Bridge.
October.
1 Clear, cold morning, white frost, w-s-w
2 Cloudy, fresh breeze, w-s-w
3 Cloudy part of the day, rain at night, w-s-w
4 Clear, cool, fresh breeze, w-s-w
5 Clear, cool, light breeze, w-s-w
6 Clear, cold morning, light breeze, w-s-w
7 Clear, p.m. cloudy light breeze, w-s-w
8 Rain nearly all day, light breeze, w-s-w
9 Clear, moderate breeze, w-s-w
10 Cloudy, rain, light breeze, w-s-w
11 Cloudy, rain in the evening, with heavy showers, w-s-w
12 Clear, cool, fresh breeze, w-s-w
13 Clear, cool morning, p.m. cloudy, w-s-w
14 Cloudy, heavy frost, light breeze, w-s-w
15 Cloudy, p.m. rain, light breeze, w-s-w
16 Cloudy, cleared away fine and warm, light breeze, w-s-w
17 Clear, p.m. cloudy, warm, light breeze, w-s-w
18 Cloudy, heavy, light breeze, w-s-w
19 Cloudy, warm, light breeze, heavy shower at night with lightning and rain, w-s-w
20 Clear, cool, fresh breeze, w-s-w
21 Clear, cool, smart frost, fresh breeze, w-s-w
22 Clear, heavy frost, light breeze, w-s-w
23 Clear, moderate, light breeze, w-s-w
24 Clear, warm, fresh breeze, w-s-w
25 Foggy morning, flying clouds, very warm, fresh breeze, w-s-w
26 Cloudy, rain in evening, fresh breeze, w-s-w
27 Clear, pleasant, fresh breeze, w-s-w
28 Clear part of the day, light breeze, w-s-w
29 Clear, p.m. cloudy, light breeze, w-s-w
30 Cloudy, moderate breeze, w-s-w
31 Cloudy, light rain nearly all day, fresh breeze, w-s-w

OBITUARY.
Departed this life on Saturday last, on the North side of Severn, after a short illness, Mr. William Strickland, in the 35th year of his age.
Another Revolutionary Soldier and Patriot gone.
It has become our melancholy duty to announce the lamented death of another distinguished defender of his country. The brave and patriot Gen. PHILIP REED is no more. He died suddenly on Monday night at Hantsport, in his residence in Kent county, Maryland. Gen. Reed distinguished himself in many hard fought battles, during the revolutionary war of the Revolution. At a later period, when Great Britain sent her powerful fleets and armies to spread war and desolation along our coast, this brave patriot once more cheerfully obeyed the voice of his country, and rallying round his standard the brave and patriotic yeomanry of his native county, at the famous battle of Gunpowder Field, he met and conquered Sir Peter Parker, leaving his dead on the field.
Gen. Reed always enjoying in an eminent degree the confidence and esteem of his fellow citizens, was frequently honored with many of the most important and dignified offices of his country, and he was a man of a high and noble character, and a true patriot.

FOR SALE.
A Negro Woman between 30 and 35 years of age, with three children; the woman can cook and wash well. Her chief fault can be corrected by any person but her present owner. Apply at this Office.
Nov 12

NOTICE.
THE Commissioners of Primary Schools in Anne Arundel county, will meet at the Court House in Annapolis, on Tuesday the 24th inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M.
By order,
JOHN BIDOUT, Secy.
Forms of Petitions, Bonds, Reports, &c. may be obtained on application to the Secretary, at any time before Monday next.
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WANTED.
A Tailoring Business, a smart active Boy, as an apprentice. For further information enquire at this Office.
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100 DOLLARS REWARD.
RAN AWAY from the subscribers, residing on West River, Anne Arundel county, on or about the 21st of November last, a negro man named
DAVE
Tawny complexion, 30 years of age, five feet eleven inches high, full face, stammers when speaking, to have a scar on the left side of his nose near the mouth and remarkable white eyes. Twenty dollars will be given if taken in the county, thirty dollars if taken from home and the reward if taken out of the state, on his being secured in bonds that I get him again.
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Trustee's Sale.
BY virtue of a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, I shall expose to Public Sale, on Monday the 7th of December next, at four o'clock in the afternoon on that day, at Hanover Tavern, in the City of Annapolis, a Tract of Land lying in Anne Arundel county, heretofore mortgaged by Richard Watkins, (of Richard,) to John Beard, it being part of a Tract, known by the name of
BESSINGTON,
And containing about fifty acres of land. Those who are desirous of purchasing are desired to call and see said land, or apply to the subscriber for information about them. The sale will be for cash. On the payment of the purchase money, and the satisfaction of the sale, the subscriber is empowered to give a deed.
J. J. Sped, Trustee.
November 5

PUBLIC SALE.
BY virtue of a decree of Calvert County Court sitting as a Court of Equity the subscriber will offer at PUBLIC SALE, at St. Leonard's Creek Town, on MON. AY, the 7th day of December, at the hour of 12 o'clock A. M. the real estate of the late John Myers, deceased containing about
50 ACRES OF LAND,
With a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, and a Water Mill in good repair. This land lies contiguous to St. Leonard's Creek which abounds with fish, oysters, wild fowl &c. in their season. Terms, 12 months credit the purchaser giving bond, with approved security.
The creditors of the late John Myers are requested to file their claims with the Auditor of Calvert County court, within six months from the day of sale.
SAM'L TURNER, Trustee.
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STATE OF MARYLAND, SO
Anne Arundel county Orphans court, October 29th 1829.
ON application by petition, of Robert Moss, surviving executor of James Moss, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered, That he give the notices required by law, for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.
THOMAS T. SIMMONS, Reg. of Will. A. C. C.
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