From the New York Enquirer.

MURDER.

It is now long since the public papers announced, that a female had been apprehended at Bremen on a charge of having committed murders of unparallelled atrocity. The slow progress made in criminal proceedings there, as is common through all Germany, has prevented her from being brought to trial and sentenced until lately. Our last papers from Europe contain the following account of the proceedings in the case of this woman,

Marguerite Timm received a tolerably good education, her father, a tailor at Bremen, lived in easy circumstances. In 8108, at the age of 20 years, she married one Mettemberg, a saddler, who also possessed some property. Seven children were the fruit of this marriage, three of them survived their father, at whose decease the widow found herself in possession of an ample fortune. In 1815, in the space of a few months after the decease of her husband, death also carried off her mother and her three remaining children. The following year her only brother also died, on his return home after a long absence, and when the property of the father was about to be divided.

In 1817, the widow entered into a second marriage with a Mr. Gotfried, with whom she, by her own confession, had carried on an illicit intercourse during the life of her first husband. Some days after the marriage, Gottfried died suddenly Six years elapsed, and she was on the point of marrying a Mr. Zimmerman, when he was attacked by a severe illness, and died. In 1826, the widow sold her house to a Mr. Rumpf, a cartwright, retaining, however, one apartment in it, for her own use. Some months expired, and the wife of Rumpf died in childbed, when the widow Gottfried took charge of the household of Rumpf. He was attacked from time to time with violent vomitings. On the 6th March, 1828, he perceived that a piece of bacon which had been cooked by the widow Gottfried, was covered with some strange substance. He caused it to be examined by his physician, who immediately declared that there was a large quantity of arsenic on it.—On information given by the physician, the widow Gottfried was apprehended.

The police then received considerable information from different persons, in relation to the conduct of this woman. It was proved on the trial, and she confessed, that she had given arsenic to a number of persons, 15 of whom died in consequence, and seventeen others survived. On the trial, circumstances came out which justified a belief that she had given poison to other individuals, to whom it had not been fatal. In consequence of the number of murders proved against her, it was, however, thought necessary to go into an investigation of these cases.

The woman confessed that she was induced by motives of interest to commit some of these murders, but as to others, she could only attribute her conduct to an irresistable desire to give poison, and to see her victims perish. The counsel, in her defence, endeavoured to avail himself of this latter declaration, to show that she was labouring under monomania and in consequence, that there was no criminal intention. Medical men who were examined on this point, declared that they could discover in her no physical cause which could give rise to such a monomania, and the defence in consequence did not succeed. The following is the judgment given by the criminal court of Bremen, on the 17th September, 1830.

In the trial held on Marguerite Timm, widow of the late Michael Christopher Gottfried, accused of poisoning and of other crimes, the Court declares the widow Gottfried, (who has besides committed sundry thefts, acts of swindling and perjury, as well as attempted to cause abortion,) convicted and guilty—

1st. Of having assassinated, by means of poison, her father and mother, her three children, her first, and second husband, her brother, her betrothed Paul Thomas Zimmerman, Mrs. Anne Louisa Meyerholz, Mrs. John Mosees, the wife of the cartwright, John Christopher Rumpf, the wife of the cooper, Frederick Schmidt, and lastly, the wife of the locksmith, Frederick Kleine, at Hanover; as also of having besides caused the death, by poison, of Miss Eliza Schmidt, daughter of the said Frederick Schmidt, which last act, however was not premeditated.

2d. Of having administered poison to the said John Christopher Rumpf, at diverse times, with the intention of killing him, after having by the same means destroyed his health.

3d. Of having administered poison to a great number of other individuals, with premeditation, but without intention to kill them, though it proved extremely pernicious to the health of those individuals.

In consequence, and conformably to the 130th article of the criminal code, the court condemns the widow Gottfried for the crimes she has committed, and as a useful warning to those who might be tempted to imitate her, to have her head cut off with the sword, and that the expenses of trial, judgment and execution, shall be defrayed from the property of the condemned person.'

The execution of the widow Gottfried took place on the 21st April, 1831, on the Cathedral square, at Bremen. The Protestant clergyman who had attended her during her imprisonment only quitted her at the last moment. Her hair was cut off, and she was then clad in a white under dress, decorated with black ribbons. A white cape with the same coloured ribbons was placed on her head. She showed the utmost resignation, and entered the fatal cart, which passed through a number of streets, with the greatest coolness; but when she reached the foot of the scaffold, she had hardly strength to descend from the cart.

An officer of justice here again read her sentence, and she was then placed in an arm-chair, and fell. She bared the neck herself or to cause her as little suffering as possible. He performed his office, and at one single blow separated her head from her body.

There were more than 35,000 spectators to witness the execution.

Foreign Wool is now shipping from this port to England, the prices there being better than can be procured here, under the present rate of duty. *N. Y. Mer. Adv.*

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Chancery Court, the subscriber as Trustee, will offer at public sale, at Butler and Foggett's Tavern, on Saturday the 24th instant, at 10 o'clock A. M. all that tract or parcel of land, lying in Anne Arundel county, called

BEAR RIDGE,

Which was mortgaged by Benjamin Owens, Sarah Owens, and Eliza Owens, to Benjamin M'Ceny, and William Owens.

This parcel of land contains about sixty acres, and is valuable being almost entirely covered with wood.

TERMS OF SALE.

Are cash to be paid on the day of sale, or the ratification thereof by the Chancellor. On the payment of the whole purchase money, the subscriber is authorised to convey the property to the purchaser.

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY, Trustee.

Dec. 1. 2

The above Sale is Postponed until Wednesday the 28th instant.

Dec. 15.

IN CHANCERY,

3d December 1831.

ORDERED, That the sale of the Real Estate of Ann R. Plummer, deceased, made and reported by the Trustee, Louis Gassaway, be ratified & confirmed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary, before the 3d day of February next, provided a copy of this order be published in some newspaper before the 3d day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $2,000 00.

True copy—Test,

RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg Cur Can.

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PORTER'S TAVERN FOR SALE.

BY virtue of two decrees of the High Court of Chancery, the one in which Micha Lloyd was complainant, and the heirs of Nathan Porter were defendants; the other were Jesse H. Hunter and Jane his wife were complainants, and Micha Lloyd and the heirs of Nathan Porter were defendants, the subscriber, as trustee, will offer at public sale on the premises, (if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter), on Wednesday the fourth of January next, at 12 o'clock, M., that long established and well known Tavern called

PORTER'S TAVERN:

and part of a Tract of Land mortgaged by the said Nathan Porter in his life to the said Micha Lloyd, being part of a tract of land called

DORSEY'S SEARCH ENLARGED,

containing One Hundred and twelve ACRES, more or less, situate in Anne-Arundel county and on the main road leading from Ellicott's Mills to Snell's Bridge, commonly called the Montgomery Road. As a place of public resort and business it is almost unequaled, being about 14 miles from Baltimore, 24 from Washington, 30 from Annapolis, between 4 and 5 from Ellicott's Mills, and 2 or 3 from Oakland Mills, and is the place of voting for the 5th election district of said county.—The neighbourhood is healthy and most respectable. This land is well watered, with about 20 acres of good meadow. The buildings consist of a one two story Stone House and Kitchen, large, commodious and comfortable, with a large and dry cellar, a good Barn, and Stabling for 18 horses, a threshing floor and sheds for the accommodation of travellers, a Wheelright shop, a Blacksmith's shop, a pump of good water which communicates with a cool and fine dairy, an ice house, and smoke house, and a large young thriving apple orchard of selected fruit. At the same time and place will be offered another peice or parcel of land called

Part of Howard's Fair & Amicable Settlement

containing Ninety-Three and half ACRES of land, more or less. On this latter farm is a good log house and stable—Clover and plaister act well on both, and there is sufficient wood on both for the use of them. It is deemed unnecessary to be more minute in description, as it is expected and wished by all interested, that every one desirous of purchasing will make himself acquainted with every thing concerning the said parcels of land by an actual examination.

THE TERMS OF SALE.—Are one tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale or the ratification thereof, and the remainder in three equal instalments of 6, 12, and 18 months with interest from the day of sale, for the payment of which, bonds or notes with good security must be given, and upon the Chancellor's ratification, and the receipt of the purchase money, and not before, the subscriber is authorised to execute a deed of deeds. JAMES BOYLE, Trustee.

Dec. 1. 4w.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY IN A SMALL FAMILY,

A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN, who can come well recommended, that understands Cooking, Washing and Ironing well; for such a person a liberal price will be given. Inquire at this Office.

Nov. 17.

GEORGE MENEER,
MERCHANT TAILOR

HAS just received a large and handsome assortment of FALL and WINTER GOODS, all of the latest importations, among which are

Patent Finished Cloths

Of various qualities and colours, with

CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS

of the latest style, suitable for the present and approaching seasons.

He requests his friends and the public to call and examine. All of which he will make up at the shortest notice, and in the most FASHIONABLE STYLE, for CASH, or to punctual men only.

Sept. 29, 1831.

PHILADELPHIA ALE AND PORTER.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Annapolis, that he has made arrangements which will enable him to keep, and have constantly on hand,

ALE AND PORTER,

From the best Breweries in Philadelphia, which he will be happy to dispose of on reasonable terms.

☞ Persons who send for either will be pleased to send an empty bottle or bottles at the time.

HENRY MATHEWS.

June 2

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans Court of Saint Mary's county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Luke White Barber 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 15th day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 16th day of November 1831.

CORNELIUS BARBER, Adm'r,

Nov. 24.

CASH FOR NEGROES.

WE WISH TO PURCHASE

100 LIKELY NEGROES,

Of both sexes, from 12 to 25 years of age, field hands—also, mechanics of every description. Persons wishing to sell, will do well to give us a call, as we are determined to give HIGHER PRICES for SLAVES, than any purchaser who is now or may be hereafter in this market. Any communication in writing will be promptly attended to. We can at all times be found at Williamson's Hotel, Annapolis.

LEGG & WILLIAMS.

December 15, 1831.

JUST RECEIVED.

From the N. Y. Protestant Episcopal Press.

WHATELY on St. Paul Price 75 cts
SIMEON on the Liturgy, 25
THE PLAN OF SALVATION.

JOHN THOMPSON.

Dec. 1.

THOMAS DUCKETT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

FORMERLY of Frederick, has located himself permanently in the City of Annapolis. He will devote himself to the transaction of professional business in the County Courts of Anne-Arundel, Prince-George's, the High Court of Chancery, and Court of Appeals of Maryland. His office is situated in the basement story of his Dwelling, fronting the Market House.

Sept. 15.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber of Saint-Mary's county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, in Maryland, Letters Testamentary on the Personal Estate of John M. Biscoe, 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 14th day of June next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of November, 1831.

LANGLEY BISCOE, Ex'r.

Nov. 3 4w.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will, on Wednesday the 21st inst if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, offer at Public Sale on the Farm belonging to the heirs of the late Philip Thomas, Esq. some valuable

HORSES, CATTLE, &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—For all sums of 10 dollars and under, the cash to be paid, and for all sums above ten dollars a credit will be given to the 1st day of September next. Bonds or notes, with good and sufficient security, will be required for all credits, with interest from the day of sale, until paid. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

THOMAS J. BRICE.

Dec. 6 ts

FOR ANNAPOLIS, CASTLE HAVEN AND EASTON.

THE Steam Boat Maryland, leaves Baltimore every Tuesday and Friday Mornings at eleven o'clock for Annapolis, leaves Annapolis for Castle-Haven and Easton, at 11 o'clock. Returning leaves Annapolis for Baltimore, at one o'clock.

LEMI. G. TAYLOR, Capt.

GEORGE SCHWARZ,
BAKER,

RETURNS his grateful acknowledgments for the favours he has heretofore received of the public, and respectfully invites a continuance of their kindness. He is determined to use every effort to accommodate his customers, and will provide the best of materials in his line of business. Parties can be furnished with

POUND CAKES, &c.

at the shortest notice, in any style required, and at the lowest BALTIMORE PRICES.

Retailers furnished with Bread and Cakes as usual, at Baltimore prices.

Nov. 24 3w.

Anne-Arundel County, Sc.

ON application to me 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 John Gallaugher, now in actual confinement for debt, praying the benefit of the Act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto; 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 John Gallaugher having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided the two last years in the State of Maryland, and having given sufficient security for his personal appearance in Anne-Arundel county court, to answer such allegations and interrogatories as may be made against him, and I have appointed Joshua Lilly trustee, for the benefit of the creditors of the said John Gallaugher, and the said John Gallaugher, having executed a deed to his said trustee, I do, therefore, order and adjudge that the said John Gallaugher be discharged from his confinement, aforesaid, and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the public newspapers printed and published in Anne-Arundel county, once a week for three months successively, before the third Monday of April next, he give notice to his creditors to appear before said county court, at the city of Annapolis, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon of the third Monday of April next, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said John Gallaugher should not have the benefit of the aforesaid act and the several supplements thereto, and the said John Gallaugher then and there taking the oath prescribed by law. Given under my hand this seventh day of September. 1831.

THOMAS B. DORSEY

Nov. 10. 3m

HIRELINGS WANTED

FROM 20 to 30 able bodied COLOURED MEN are wanted immediately at the Cape Sable Alum and Copper Works. Liberal wages will be paid semi-annually.

Apply to J. GREEN, Esq. Annapolis. Or to P. G. LEUHLEITNER, at Cape Sable.

May 5.

TAKEN UP ADRIFT,

ON Monday the 21st ult. off the mouth of Annapolis, in the Chesapeake Bay, A small Scow, measuring 13 feet in length, 3 feet in breadth, 1 foot 4 inches in depth, and a scull hole in both ends, and a chain attached 6 or 8 feet long. The owner can have the Scow, by proving property, and paying charges,

ROBERT WILLSON.

Dec. 1. 3

J. THOMPSON

Has just received and For Sale at this Office,

THE YOUNG DUKE, 2 vols.
THE PERSIAN ADVENTURER, 2 vols.
HAVERHILL, 2 vols.
MACKINTOSH'S CABINET, 2 vols.
MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS, 2 vols.
MASSINGER'S PLAYS, 3 vols.
TEACHER'S GUIDE.
ANNUAL RETROSPECT.
MACKENKIE'S 5,000 RECEIPTS.
THE CHRISTIAN ALTAR, or Offices of Devotion, for the use of Persons receiving the Lord's Supper; together with a treatise relating to that Sacrament, and Directions for the Communicant's daily walk with God. By the Rev. Dr. Wyatt.

J. T. Has on hand and intends keeping a Supply of

WRITING PAPER,

Folio Post, Quarto Post, Fools Cap, Visiting Cards, and Ink Powder.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans Court of Saint Mary's county in Maryland, letters of Administration on the Personal Estate of James Gardiner 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, at or before the 24th day of August next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 16th day of November 1831.

CHARLES MASSEY, Adm'r.

Nov. 24

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber of Saint-Mary's county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, in Maryland, Letters of Administration, de bonis non, on the Personal Estate of William Raley, 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 18th day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 10th day of November, 1831.

CHARLES MORGAN, Adm'r. D. B. N.

Nov. 17. 4w.

J. THOMPSON

Has just received and For Sale at this Office

PHILIP AUGUSTUS, 2 vols.
THE KING'S SECRET, 2 vols.
SEAWARD'S NARRATIVE, 3 vols.
THE DUTCHMAN'S FIRESIDE, 2 vols.
SCOTT'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY.
Mair's Introduction.
Clarke's Corderius.
Ross' Latin Grammar.

Oct. 27

MRS. A. M. SCHAFER,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Citizens of Annapolis that she intends opening a

SCHOOL,

On *Monday the 5th of December* next, for the instruction of Young Ladies. The different Branches embraced in her course of instruction are—

Reading, Writing, Grammar, Arithmetic, Geography, Lectory, Plain and Ornamental Needle Work, Lace, and Bead Work.

MISS SCHAFER still continues to teach Painting on Velvet, Chinese and Ebony Painting, Crystalizing and Wax Work—Also, Shell, Rice, and Embossed Work.

Thankful for past favours, she begs a continuance. Her residence is in Corn-Hill street, three doors below the State-House.

Sept. 1, 1831. 3w.

AUCTION ROOM.

THE Subscriber having determined to open, for the accommodation of those who may be disposed to contribute to his advancement, as

AUCTION ROOM

in the Front Room of his Dwelling, announces it open for the reception of

Furniture, Books

And such other articles as are usually disposed of at VENDUE Persons sending articles to his Room, may be assured of their having the greatest care taken of them, and every exertion used to dispose of them to the best advantage. Sales at a distance and in the city, attended to as usual. Also—Goods received on Commission.

N. B.—All kinds of JOB PRINTING executed on the shortest notice. He will be grateful for the patronage of his friends and the public.

WILLIAM McNEIR.

Annapolis, Oct. 20.

REMOVAL.

WILLIAM BRYAN,
MERCHANT TAILOR.

HAS recently taken the Shop that he formerly occupied, nearly opposite Messrs Williamson & Swan's Hotel, where he intends keeping a very Superior Assortment of

Cloths Cassimeres, & VESTINGS,

All of which he will sell very LOW, and make up at the shortest notice and in the BEST MANNER.

Sept. 29.

AN APPRENTICE WANTED.

THE subscriber wishes to take a youth as an apprentice to the Tailoring Business, he must be of good moral character, and about fourteen years of age.

MARTIN F. GEVELL.

Dec. 1.

TEACHER WANTED.

THE Trustees of the Primary School in Annapolis, Md. are anxious to engage a Teacher experienced in conducting a School on the monitorial system. He must be well acquainted with Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, and Geography. To one possessing more ample qualifications preference will be given. Unexceptionable testimonials of moral conduct will be required.—The salary allowed is $500 a year, payable quarterly. Application to be made on or before the 22d of December next.

The American, Baltimore, and Poulson's Daily Advertiser, Philadelphia, will publish the above twice a week until the above date, and forward their accounts.

Nov. 24

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber of Saint-Mary's county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, in Maryland, Letters Testamentary on the Personal Estate of Mary Bailey, 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 18th day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of October, 1831.

CHARLES MORGAN, Ex'r.

Nov. 17. 4w.

ANNAPOLIS THEATRE.

The public are respectfully informed, that the Annapolis Theatre will be opened for the winter season, under the management of the subscriber, on Monday, December 12th. An excellent stock company is engaged, and arrangements have been made with many of the first performers in the country, who will appear in the course of the season.

C. A. LOGAN.

Nov. 24.

JUST RECEIVED

From the N. Y. Protestant Episcopal Press,

THE HOLY BIBLE,

Price, $1, $1 25, $1 75.

THE CHURCHMAN'S ALMANAC,

For 1832—Price 8¼ Cents,

For sale at this Office, by

JOHN THOMPSON.

RAGS! RAGS! RAGS!

CASH will be given for clean Linen and Cotton Rags, at this Office.

Dec. 1.

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REPORT ON THE

In obedience to the directions of the "Act Treasury Department," the Secretary of the T REPO

1. *Of the Public Revenue*

The receipts into the treasury, from all sources, were

The expenditures for the same year, including the Public Debt, and including $9,035 38 for article of the Treaty of Ghent, were

The balance in the Treasury on the 1st January The receipts from all sources during the year 1831 were

Customs,
Lands, (statement D.)
Dividends on Bank Stock, (E.)
Incidental receipts, (E.)

Making with the balance, an aggregate of
The expenditures for the same year, were (F.)

Civil List, Foreign Intercourse and Miscellaneous
Military Services including fortifications, ordnance, Indian affairs, Pensions, arming the militia, and internal improvements
Naval Service, including the gradual improvement of the Navy
Public Debt

Leaving a balance in the Treasury on the 1st of January 1831, of
The receipts into the Treasury during the three quarters of the present year, are estimated at

Customs
Lands (G.)
Bank Dividends (H.)
Incidental receipts (H.)
And the indemnity under the Danish Convention

The receipts for the fourth quarter are estimated at (including indemnity under the Danish Convention)

Making the total estimated receipts of the year

And with the balance on the 1st of January, 1831
The expenditures for the three first quarters of the present year, are estimated at (I.)

Civil List, foreign intercourse, and miscellaneous
Military service, including fortifications, ordnance, Indian affairs, arming the militia and internal improvements
Naval service, including the gradual improvement of the Navy
Public Debt

The expenditures for the fourth quarter, including $5,205,810 21, on account of the public debt, are estimated on *data* furnished by the respective departments at

Making the total estimated expenditure of the year

And leaving in the Treasury on the 1st of January next, including $439,475 13, on account of Danish Convention, of

Which, however, includes the funds estimated in this department as not effective.

The appropriations remaining unsatisfied at the 139,823 13, but of this amount, it is estimated

1. That the sum of $3,423,525 87, only will be required to be appropriated:

2. That the sum of $501,102 78, will not be required in excess of appropriation, and is proposed to be applied in aid of the service of the year 1832, as will more appropriations for that year are presented.

3. That the sum of $215,194 48 will be carried to objects for which it was appropriated are completed or required for, or will be no longer applicable to the purposes

2. *Of the Public Debt.*

The payments on account of the Public Debt, during have amounted, as has been already stated to

On account of Principal,
And of Interest,

And it is estimated that the payments to be made during the year will amount to

On account of principal,
And on interest,

Making the whole amount of disbursements on account
Seven hundred and thirty-one,

This sum will be increased by purchases of stock which have not yet been fully reported.

Of the amount disbursed for the debt, $10,000 were made for the year under the 2d section of the act of 3 $6,189,289 67 were applied with the sanction of the 1st section of the act of 24th May, 1830.

The stocks redeemed, by the application of the sinking fund, on account of the principal, are as follows, viz:

1. *Of the Public Debt.*

The residue of the five per cents, created under the act of the 10th April, 1816, in payment of the subscription for the shares owned in the Bank of the United States, (the remaining four and a half per cents, per act of March, 1825.

The four and a half per cents, per act of 26th May, 1824.

The five per cents, per act of 15th May, 1820, and a part of the four and a half per cents, per act of May, 1824,