CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE subscribers have entered into a Co-partnership, which will be conducted under the firm of HART & FRANKLIN, who will carry on the general business of Merchandizing, at their stores, the one on Church st. formerly occupied by Shaw & Claude, the other on West st. just above Hunter's Tavern, heretofore kept by Daniel Hart; where they have a general assortment of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

and other Articles of Merchandize, which will be sold low.

DANIEL HART
G. E. FRANKLIN.

NEW YORK HATS.

Received yesterday, 5 Cases NEW YORK HATS of the latest fashions, suitable for persons of all ages.

HART & FRANKLIN.

Nov. 28.

LIST OF LETTERS,

Remaining in the Post Office at Annapolis, on the 31st of December, 1833.

J. Anderson.

Walter Byrnes, (2)
Jno. T. Barber, (3)
Brice B. Brewer,
George G. Bolt,
Philip G. Byers,
Arch. Brewer,

John Carr,
John Calvert,
Mrs. Steward Crop,
John Carr,
Osborn Connaway,

Thomas Duffey,
Rich'd. Dorsey,
Vernon H. Dorsey,

John Ennis, (2)

Mr. Gaspay,
Jno. B. Gilpin,
Private Guericke,

Catherine Howard,
George Howard,
Mr. Henson,

Dorsey Johnson.

Rev. Chas. Kalbfus.

Stephen Lee, (2)
Philip Lansdale (2)

B. W. Marriott, (2)
Ann Merriken,
Gilbert Murdock, (4)
Wm. H. McKane,
Elizabeth Murdock, (2)
Philip Marshall,
Wm. McNeir, (3)

Jos. Nicholson, (near Annapolis)

Mrs. Rebecca Owens.

Jos R. Phelps,
Thomas Felps,
Wm. Popham,

Clement Rust,
Jno Roberson,

Mrs E. A. Sewell,
John Smith,
Wm. W. Seeders,
Julia M. Sears,

Jacob Tome,
William Taylor,
Thos. Taylor,

Jno. W. Whittington;
Henry A. Weeks,
Thos. G. Watts,
Miss Anne Wilmot,
Jno. Willoughby,

A

B
Jas. B. Brewer, (2)
Josiah Boyly,
James Biss,
Mr. Bearston,
Wm. Bryan,
Martha Brogden.

C
Milton Coburn,
Mary, Lady, Mary Carroll,
Thos B. Church,
Benj Cooney,
John Cousin.

D
Geo. Dorsey,
Mary Duvall,
Zach. Duvall.

E
Susan Earle.

G
John Glenn,
Jno. M. Gaither,
George Grundy.

H
Jacob Hirst, (2)
Dr. Herbert,
Rev. Sam Henson.

J

K

L
Col. Lawrence,
John S. Lloyd.

M
Robert Maccubbin,
Dr. Z. Merriken,
Jos. Mayo, (2)
Jas Mills,
Peter Miller,
Wm Murdock.

N

O

P
Rev. Dr. Pise, (2)
Walter Phelps.

R
Stephen Rumsels,
Anthony Robinson.

S
Col. N. Stonestreet,
Peter Sinar, (2)
Elias Sewell,
George Shaw (2)

T
Miss Tyler,
Rachel Troy,
J. H. Teller, (9)

W
Daniel H. Wiggins,
Lucy Ward, (2)
Nathan Warfield,
Wm Weaver,
Rachel Wood

J. GREEN, P. M.

Jan 2

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of the Tobacco Warehouse Company, of the city of Annapolis, at the suit of Adam & John Miller, I have seized and taken in execution the LOT and premises, with the improvements thereon, in the city of Annapolis, the lot is near the Steam Mill, on the wharf; the improvements consist of a large and commodious BRICK WAREHOUSE, (fire proof,) together with all the fixtures and implements thereunto belonging. And I hereby give notice, that on THURSDAY the 23rd January instant, I shall proceed to sell the property above described, to satisfy the debt due as aforesaid. Sale to commence at the premises at 11 o'clock. Terms Cash

R. WELCH, of Ben. Sheriff.

Jan. 2.

NOTICE.

THE commissioners for Anne Arundel county will meet at the court house in the city of Annapolis on Thursday the 23d day of January next, for the purpose of settling with the Inspectors of Tobacco.

By order,

R. J. COWMAN, Clk.

Dec. 26—4tm

IN CHANCERY,

Dec. 20. 1833.

ORDERED, That the sale made and reported by Alfred Clark, the Trustee in the case of Alfred Clark against Sylvester Clark, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 20th day of February next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper once a week for three successive weeks before the 20th day of January next. The report states, that the property sold for Two Hundred Dollars.

True copy—Test,

RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Can.

Dec. 26.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers at private sale a Tract of Land, near the city of Annapolis, containing about Eight Hundred Acres of Land more or less. This land adjoins the Farm of the late Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq. and is bounded on one side by Severn River, and Creeks, constituting good landings for vessels to take wood from the shore; there are on this land an almost inexhaustable quantity of wood, principally Pine, intermixed with Oak and Hickory; it has been estimated that thirty thousand cords of wood may be cut from this land for Market, and from its proximity to the different landings upon the river, will make it a desirable property to Gentlemen engaged in the wood business; or Factories requiring this most indispensible article. The improvements upon this estate are indifferent, the soil is well adapted to the growth of Indian Corn, Rye, and fine Tobacco may be made upon it. Any person who may be inclined to purchase, is invited to view the premises; and the Terms, which shall be accommodating, can be known by application to me on Elk Ridge, near Elliott's Mills, or to Robert Welch, of Ben. in the city of Annapolis, who will at any time shew the premises.

HENRY H. PUE.

Jan. 2.

MANSION HOUSE HOTEL.

JAMES MILLS.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends, and the public, that he has taken that SPACIOUS HOUSE on the Church Circle, where he has opened a HOTEL. The rooms are airy, and fashionably furnished; the table is furnished with the best market affords, and no pains will be spared to render comfortable and agreeable all who may favour him with their custom. Convenient stabling is provided for the accommodation of such as may favour him with their custom. He has provided an attentive Ostler and Waiters.

He has attached to his House an *Ordinary*, where Terrapins, Oysters, Wild Fowl, &c. can be had of the shortest notice.

He respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage.

He also keeps Saddle Horses for Hire for the Ladies or Gentlemen.

CLERK'S OFFICE,

City of Annapolis, Dec. 9th, 1833.

WHEREAS Richard Rogers Collector of the Tax for the city of Annapolis, for the year 1833, has returned to the Corporation of said city, the following List of Real Property in said city, on which there is no Personal Property to be sold, viz:

Names of persons assessed	Property		Amount of tax due.
J. L. Reed,	House and lot		$ 50
William Cox,	5	do	15 00
James Mcelfrid,	1	do	3 75
Tobacco Warehouse Co.,	1	do	15 00
Thos. Morgan's heirs,	1	do	1 50
Joseph A. Barnes's heirs,	1	do	3 00
Asa M. Riggs's heirs,	1	do	2 25
Helena Brewer,	1	do	7 50
Joseph Williams	1	do	3 75

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT unless the City charges aforesaid are paid within thirty days after the publication of this notice, that the said property, or such parts thereof, as will be sufficient to pay the Tax and costs thereon, will be sold to the highest bidder, agreeably to the directions of Act of Assembly, entitled, An act to amend the charter of the City of Annapolis, &c. passed Jan. 30, 1832, chapter 20.

JOHN H. WELLS, Clk.

BOARDING HOUSE.

MRS. ANN HOLLAND, begs leave, respectfully, to inform her friends and the public, that she has been induced to open her dwelling for the reception and boarding of Members of the General Assembly, and others who may patronize her. She trusts, from her long residence in this city, and her intimate acquaintance with the wants of those who may patronize her, that her exertions will be found to contribute to their comfort and convenience, which has heretofore rendered her establishment a favorite resort for those who have visited the City of Annapolis. It is scarcely necessary to state, that her house is in the immediate vicinity of the State House, and the Public Offices, which recommends it to those having business with the Legislature.

She respectfully solicits a share of public patronage—and has taken the liberty of forwarding a copy of this notice to her Old Friends.

October 17.

BALTIMORE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE subscriber has received from the President and Directors of this Company the appointment of AGENT for the city of Annapolis.

Its capital is Fifty Thousand Dollars, and the company intends to execute the following business:

1st. *Insurance on Lives.*
2d. *Purchase and Sale of Annuities.*
3d. *Receiving Endowments.*
4th. *Receiving Money in Trust.*
5th. *The Management of Trust Estates.*

Applications made to the subscriber at his Office in West street, opposite the Farmers Bank of Maryland, will be promptly attended to.

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY.

November 28.

WILLIAM BRYAN,
MERCHANT TAILOR,

TAKES this method of returning his sincere thanks to his friends, and the public in general, for the liberal patronage they have heretofore bestowed upon him, and begs leave to inform them that he has been compelled, from the heavy calamity which befel him on the 29th October, to remove his shop to the brick building owned by Washington G. Tuck, Esq. one door below the Store of Messrs. Hart & Franklin, and nearly opposite the residence of Dr. Dennis Claude, where he intends carrying on his business in his usual manner; and where he will be happy to accommodate his friends in the line of his profession. He was, by the aid of his fellow-citizens, enabled, on the morning of the above calamity, to save a portion of his Stock in hand, and hopes, in a short time, to be enabled to replenish his whole stock. He therefore confidently solicits the former patronage of his friends, together with that of the public at large.

Nov. 7.

TYCHICUS.

THE celebrated Race Horse Tychicus will stand at the Stables of H. G. S. Key, Esq. Leonardtown, St Mary's County, Maryland, the ensuing season, commencing 1st of March next, (1834.)

Tychicus was got by Clifton, his dam (Coral by Col. Taylor, of Mount Airy, Va.) by imported Chance, grand dam by the Arabian colt, grand by the Prince of Wales, Pegasus, (in England,) g. g. g. d. Peggy, the famous Plate Mare, imported when a colt, 1792—see her pedigree and performances in the American Turf Register, Vol. 4, Page 357. She was by Tryncoton, her dam sister to Postmaster, by Herod, grandsire to Sir Peter, great grandsire to Gower Spadin, (sire of the Godolphin Arabian,) and her dam by Flying Cadiscus.

Clifford was got by Doctor Brown's celebrated running horse Wonder, out of a thoroughbred Diomed mare. Wonder was got by the imported horse Wonder, he by Florizel, his dam Zacharissa, got by Matchem, out of Aurora, by the Duke of Northumberland's Golden Arabian. Florizel was got by Herod out of a Cygnet mare, her dam by Carbonico—Roxana by Childers. On the dam side—Iris, the dam of Clifford, was got by the imported horse Sterling, her dam by the imported horse Cœur de Lion; her grandsire was Mr. Maxwell's celebrated running mare Octavia, who was got by the imported horse Oscaletti, g. g. g. g. dam by Corbett's Partner, her g. g. g. g. dam by the imported horse Janus, her g. g. g. g. g. g. dam by the imported horse Vampyre, her g. g. g. g. g. g. g. dam by the imported horse Jolly Roger, out of an imported mare, the property of Peter Hamersly, Esq.

JOSEPH LEWIS.

DEAR SIR—I have examined, as you requested, from the English Stud Book, the pedigree of the imported horse Wonder, the grandsire of your young horse Clifton, which is as follows: The Pedigree of Wonder, is as good, or equal to any in America. He is a son of Eclipse, the most celebrated crosses for the turf, in Virginia, on his sire, by the imported horse Wonder, is a blood horse of some reputation in England. I was very much pleased with the appearance of your horse, and if, I may be so greatly, that you have necessarily neglected his education, which, I think, from his blood and form, he would have made a distinguished racer. He is a fine specimen of an excellent blood horse, and entitled, in the opinion of those who wish to improve the breed of our horses, and I have no doubt, and the opinion of the gentlemen who will, patronize him, that he will, as he certainly ought, make a good season. Yours, truly,

JOHN TAYLOE.

To Joseph Lewis, Esq:

Tychicus became celebrated by being twice a winner over the Washington City Course, beating Helen, Ace of Diamonds, Return, Tyrant, and others, once over the central course, Baltimore, beating Lance, Celeste, Penny Wise, Lady Relief, and others—at Tree Hill, Va. beating Wm. R. Johnson's Annette, Disdain, Betsy Grimes, (Betsy Baker,) distanced, at Taylorsville, Va. beating Rolla, Yellow Jacket, (Dorlisk's Allen,) and Eliza Wharton—at Fairfield, running the severest and most splendid race in modern times, four miles, taking the first heat in 7m. 55sec. and contending severely with Goliah the fourth heat, (2 A. distanced,) which was six seconds quicker than Goliah and Henry ran their third heat, beating Pizarro, who had before beaten Goliah at Tree Hill, and Quarter Master ruled out, Bow Gallery drawn, and Clarence distanced—and again at Fairfield, the four mile heats, coming out ahead of Pizarro, Mohawk, Ariadne, Dolly Dixon, and others.

Handbills with pedigrees, performances, and terms, will appear in due time—$250 were offered and refused for half of Tychicus after his last race.

WM. H. & H. A. TAYLOE.

Mount Airy, Va. Jan. 9, 1833.

The Annapolis and Easton papers will please publish the above and forward their accounts to this office.

WALDIE'S
CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

NOTICE.—For the sake of combining the old and new series, and making the third volume correspond both in date and manner the subscriber has concluded to print *thirteen* additional numbers to the second volume of the first or old series. These numbers will be furnished *gratuitously* to those who commenced with No. 1 and No. 6, and who have paid their subscription, or who shall have paid it before the 26th No. of Volume 2 is issued. Those whose subscriptions remain unsettled at the publication of that No. will be struck off the list, and charged six DOLLARS, as lately announced.

To those who have *really patronised* the "Library," by prompt payment of their subscription, very sincere acknowledgments are tendered, and a continuance of their patronage respectfully requested.

ADAM WALDIE

Sept. 5

DIVIDEND.

THE President and Directors of the South River Bridge Company have declared a Dividend of Thirty five Cents per share, for the last six months, on the capital stock of said company. The same will be paid on or after the first day of January next to the stockholders in person, or to their order.

By order of the President and Directors.

TH. FRANKLIN, Treasurer.

WILLIAM HARWOOD, Attorney at Law, offers his professional services to the public. His Office is on Church street, a few doors below the Church.

Dec 12

EDWARD HAMMOND,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

HAS taken an Office in the city of Annapolis, and respectfully tenders his Professional services to the public.

THE JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES.
A NEW AND STRIKING CHARACTER ADDED TO
WALDIE'S CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

THE Proprietor of this work, anxious to gratify his readers to as great an extent as his means will allow, respectfully announces to the public that the very liberal patronage he has received has enabled him to add a new feature to this periodical, which he believes cannot fail to prove interesting and valuable.

THE JOURNAL OF BELLES LETTRES, embracing three to four pages of additional new matter, will be given every week as an accompaniment to the Circulating Library, and will contain:

1. Early reprints of the reviews and notices of new books, from the weekly and monthly periodical press of London, &c. These reviews will be carefully selected with reference both to imparting correct information respecting such new books as are reprinted in America, and to convey literary intelligence in regard to works which rarely find their way across the Atlantic. As great exertions will be used to make this department instructive and entertaining, the proprietor is confident that it will be considered an important addition, by means of which his numerous subscribers will frequently avoid the expense of purchasing such books as are printed on the calculation that their titles or the reputation of their authors will sell the edition. This part of the Journal will embrace a considerable amount of extracts from new books of travels, memoirs, biography, novels, and in fact present a bird's eye view of new publications, early diffused through the Union, by means of the facilities of mail transportation.

The London Literary Gazette will be called for this purpose, while the "Critical Notices," of the London Metropolitan, the Monthly, New Monthly, the Gentleman's, Blackwood's, Fait's, Edinburgh, Fraser's, and other Magazines, already regularly received by the editor, will be freely used.

2. Varieties, embracing literary anecdotes, new discoveries in science and the arts, sketches of society and manners abroad, literary and learned transactions, short notices of new books, and every species of information interesting to lovers of reading, with occasional specimens of the humorous departments of the London press, which are within the bounds of good taste, and are now published in no other journal in America.

3. A regular list of the new books published and in progress in London and America.

4. Occasional original notices of new American publications, with extracts embracing their prominent features of excellence or defect.

☞ No additional charge will be made for this great increase of reading matter. It will be contained on the pages of the cover of the Library, and therefore subject subscribers will receive their numbers by mail to no additional expense of postage.

A. WALDIE.

Several applications having been made to ascertain the manner in which the original department of notices of new books will be conducted, we take the present early opportunity of stating that, at least they shall most unequivocally be UNBOUGHT. The presentation of a copy by the publisher shall not be a passport to praise, when the merits of the work do not warrant it; so that our readers may be assured of two things: First—books shall not be noticed the next day after they are received; and, secondly, they shall not be reviewed before they have been read. We have no royal road to puffing, and will be the less likely therefore, to fall into the error of an unlucky wight, who, in his anxiety to be the first to blow the bellows of criticism, read the preface only of a duodecimo, and gravely entered his approbation of two chapters which, unfortunately for his critical acumen, had been omitted, while the prefatory reference to them had been, by mistake, retained! This predicament was worse than that of the London editor, who criticised some passages of Cooke's acting, and found when he rose next morning, and his paper was all over London, that the play had been postponed.

For the rest, time must develope our course and our capabilities; in cases where the usual courtesy of the trade is not extended to this journal, unlike most of our cotemporaries, we shall buy what books we want, and give to such as deserve it a careful perusal.

The prospectus, and some technical difficulties always attending the first issue of a new journal, make the present number but a partial specimen of its future promise.

July 4.

FOR ANNAPOLIS CAMBRIDGE AND EASTON.

The Steam Boat MARYLAND, commenced her route on TUESDAY the 9th inst. leaving the lower end of Dugan's Wharf, at 7 o'clock, A. M. for Annapolis, (Cambridge by Castle Haven,) and Easton, and return from the Eastern Shore on every Wednesday and Saturday, leaving Easton at 7 A. M. by Castle Haven and Annapolis. She will commence her Chestertown Trip on Monday, 22d April, leaving Baltimore at 6 o'clock, and return the same day, leaving Chestertown at 1 o'clock, calling at Corsica wharf, for the Centreville passengers.

N. B. All baggage at the owners risk.

Passage to or from Easton or Cambridge,	$2.50
Passage to or from Annapolis,	1.50
Passage to Chestertown or Corsica,	2.00

Children under 12 years of age half price,

LEM'L. G. TAYLOR, Master.

May 2

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW

HAS removed his Office, to West street, between the Offices of Alex'r. Randall and J. H. Nicholson, Esquires, opposite the Farmers Bank of Maryland.

Nov. 14.

ONLY ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

PROPOSALS
For Publishing by Subscription, at Bel Air, Harford county, Maryland,
A HUMOROUS PUBLICATION,
TO BE ENTITLED
THE MIRROR OF MIRTH.

"Mirth that wrinkled care derides,
And laughter holding both his sides."

THE subscriber, fully aware himself, of innocent mirth tends more to beat the arrows of adversity, and promote health and happiness among mankind, than almost any other means which can be used, is induced to try the experiment of starting a publication which will bear the above title. It is unnecessary, perhaps, to state, that he will expect, before he commences the publication, the names of a sufficient number of persons to pay all the expenses which will be incurred; and, which he assures his friends that his calculations on the score of expense are not very extravagant, and hopes the public may be the more inclined to favour the contemplated publication.

The pages of the MIRROR OF MIRTH will be perfectly free from all party spirit, whether religion or politics. And while the most religiously devout will find nothing to offend those who make no profession of religion, they will find in every line something to please, amuse, and delight.

The publication will contain witty Anecdotes, pithy Epigrams, Bon Mots, Enigmas, Conundrums, Epitaphs, Choice Sentiments from the best writers of the age; and a collection of the best Maxims, on various subjects, which are to be found in the most approved writers. The Editor of the MIRROR OF MIRTH will strive to make it worthy of the support of the community in all parts of this State, and indeed of the country.

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The MIRROR OF MIRTH will be printed on a royal sheet of beautiful paper, and good type, and will contain 8 octavo pages weekly, at the very low price of $1 per annum, payable on the delivery of the first No.: $1 25 if paid at the end of six months; and $1 50 if payment be deferred until the end of the year. The two numbers will comprise a year, or one volume of 416 pages.

*** Should a sufficient degree of encouragement be given, the MIRROR will be embellished, occasionally, with numerous engravings.

*** Gentlemen procuring five responsible subscribers will be entitled to a sixth copy gratis. Those who procure ten or more subscribers, and forward the money, will receive an extra copy and ten per cent. off all money which they collect.

*** If a sufficient number of names shall be obtained to justify the expense, the publication will be commenced as soon after the first of January as practicable; of which due notice will be given.

*** Persons holding subscription papers will please return the same previous to the first of January, 1834.

☞ *As there is no work of the kind printed in Maryland, and as the price will suit the convenience of almost every one, the subscriber confidently calculates on a large number of patrons.*

LYNDE ELLIOTT.

Oct 24.

*** Our Editoral brethren who copy the above, will confer a favour on the publisher, and thereby entitle themselves to the publication without sending their papers. Please make the advertisement when you insert.

IN CHANCERY,

Dec 23, 1833.

Robert Oliver, Adm'r. pendente lite of Charles Carroll of Carrolton.

vs.

Edmund Harding, and others.

THE Bill Original in this case states—That before the year 1818, Charles Carroll of Carrollton, sold to Edmund Harding, of Montgomery county, a tract of land, lying in said county called "Hermitage"—That about twenty six hundred dollars of the purchase money is still due. It prays a sale of the said land for the payment of the money. It states that the said Edward Harding is dead—that Edmund Harding, the son, and Charles Queen, and Maria his wife, who are Defendants, live out of the state. A petition of revivor has been filed in this case by Robert Oliver administrator pendente lite of the said Charles Carroll of Carrollton, stating the death of the said Carroll, and that Josiah Harding, one of the defendants, has removed beyond the limits of this state.

Whereupon it is ordered by this court, that unless the said absent defendant, Josiah Harding, appear in this court, and file his answer on or before the 21st day of March next, the said original bill and petition of revivor may be taken pro confesso against him; and that the said absent defendants Edmund Harding and Charles J. Queen and wife appear and file their answer to the said petition of revivor on or before the said last mentioned day, the same shall be taken pro confesso as against them. Provided a copy of this order, and the substance of said bill and petition, be published in some news paper of Annapolis three successive weeks before the first day of February next.

True copy—Test.

RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Can.

Dec. 26.

CASH IN MARKET.

THE subscriber wishes to purchase a number of Slaves of both sexes, for which he will pay in Cash a higher price than any other purchaser in the market. Persons having them to dispose of will communicate with him at Mr. James Hunter's Tavern.

WILLIAM HOOPER.

Annapolis Oct. 24—tf.

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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Wednesday, January 15th, 1834.

Mr. Evans presented a petition of sundry citizens of Cecil county, praying the passage of a law to authorise the commissioners of said county to levy a sum of money to build a bridge over the North East creek, at or near North East, in said county.

Mr. Peregoy presented a petition of the Washington Beneficial Society of Baltimore, praying for an act of incorporation.

Mr. Lantz presented a petition of the Rev. Mr. Miller, and Sarah his wife, praying a special law authorising them to convey certain real estate in Allegany county.

Mr. Fountain presented a petition of Sarah Burdett, wife of James Satterfield, praying a divorce.

Mr. Millar of Charles, presented a petition of Sarah Simmons, widow of Aaron Simmons, late of Charles county, a revolutionary soldier, praying to be placed on the pension list.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, praying for an act to preserve the breed of Fish, in Bird river, and also to prevent the navigation of said river from being hereafter obstructed.

Mr. Burchenal presented a petition from Littleton Day, of the state of Delaware, praying to be released from a certain tax therein mentioned.

On motion by Mr. Crabb, the following order was twice read and adopted.

Ordered, That Joseph J. Speed, Esq. be, and he is hereby appointed state director on the part of this house, in the bank of Baltimore for the ensuing year.

Mr. Pratt obtained leave to bring in a bill to allow Henry J. Brent of P. George's county, to bring into this state a negro woman from the District of Columbia.

On motion of Mr. Fassitt,

Leave was given to bring in a bill to abolish the High Court of Chancery;

Ordered, that the committee on grievances and courts of justice report the same.

Mr. Snowden obtained leave to bring in a further supplement to the act to provide for a public instruction of youth in primary schools throughout this state.

Mr. Carter of Montgomery, obtained leave to bring in a bill supplementary to an act to lay out and open a road in Montgomery and Frederick counties, passed at December session, 1831, ch. 39.

Mr. Burchenal obtained leave to bring in a bill to extend real estate.

Mr. Lantz obtained leave to bring in a bill, defining and confirming as a part of the constitution of this state, an act to provide for alteration in the constitution so as to make certain alterations and changes in several election districts in Allegany county.

Mr. Franklin Smith submitted the following order.

Which was read.

Ordered, That a select committee of five be appointed by the chair to examine and report to this house, the amount of money paid to the different committees that have been appointed during the last five years by this house, or conjointly with the senate to examine Public Institutions or Works of Internal Improvement, and also to report to this house the number of days that they were allowed for their services

Mr. Handy moved to amend the said order by striking out the word 'five' and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'ten.'

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Handy then moved the following resolution as a substitute for said order.

Resolved, That a committee of be appointed to investigate and report to this house whether there have been any and what cases by a profuse expenditure of the public money, for the last five years.

The question was put

Will the house adopt the substitute?

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Unkefer reported a bill, to make valid deed therein mentioned;

And, Mr. Weight of Dorchester, reported a bill to limit the sessions of the General Assembly, in every alternate year;

Mr. Johns, chairman of the committee on claims, reported a bill to divorce Eliza Davis from her husband Victor David:

Which was read the first and second time by special order, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Bruce presented a petition of William K. Armistead, praying to be authorised to remove certain slaves into Allegany county, Maryland, from the state of Virginia.

The clerk of the senate returned the additional supplement to an act, to authorise the orphans courts of Baltimore and Harford counties to build a bridge over the Little Gunpowder Falls, at Lee's Mill, on the road leading from Baltimore to Bel Air, endorsed, 'passed,' ordered to be engrossed;

Also, the resolution authorising the Register of the Land Office for the western shore, to issue a warrant to Ann Dunn, endorsed, 'assented to.'

The bill repealing the act to provide for the settlement of sundry personal estate, was taken up for concurrence, and passed.

The house proceeded to the order of the day, on the bill entitled, an act to provide for the support of the public schools throughout this state.

Mr. Harris moved to amend the said bill by striking out the 3d line of the first section, and the word 'six.'

Determined in the negative.

On motion to amend the 3d line of the first section, and the word 'six.'

It was resolved in the negative.

The said bill was then ordered to be read a second time by special order.

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the said bill by striking out the 'December' and inserting 'January.'

Which was determined in the negative.

Mr. Grove, the coloured man, presented a petition on the relief of Maria Ann Dunn, of the city of Philadelphia.

Which was referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Johns, from the committee on divorces reported a bill to divorce Eliza W. Watts.

The Speaker then read a report from the Board of Trustees of the Manchester Union Academy;

A report from the Board of Visitors of Allegany county;

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Mr. Blakistone presented a petition on grievances, which was referred to the committee to inquire into the expediency of increasing the salaries of the Court of Appeals, and to report:—

The committee on grievances and courts of justice to which