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The Select Circulating Library, now as

ever so great a favourite, will continue to

make its weekly visits, and to be issued in a

form which will remain the same. But we

shall, in the first week of January, 1837,

issue a huge sheet of the size of the largest

newspapers of America, but on very superior

paper, also filled with books of the newest

and most entertaining, though in their se-

lect departments of Novels, Tales, Voyages,

Travels, &c., select in their character, joined

with reading such as usually should fill a

weekly newspaper. By this method we hope

to accomplish a great good; to enlighten

and enlighten the family circle, and to give to it,

at an expense which shall be no considera-

tion to any, a mass of reading that in book

form would alarm the pockets of the prudent,

and to do it in a manner that the most

scrupulous acknowledge "the power of con-

centration can no farther go." No book

which appears in *Waldie's Quarto Library*

will be published in the *Omnibus*, which will

be an entirely distinct periodical.

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issued every Friday morning, printed on

paper of a quality superior to any other

sheet, and of the largest size. It will

contain—

1st. Books, the newest and the best that

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Novels, Tales, Voyages, Travels, Memoirs, &c., and only chargeable

with newspaper postage.

2d. Literary Reviews, Tales, Sketches,

notices of books, and information from "the

world of letters" of every description.

3d. The news of the week concentrated to

a small compass, but in a sufficient amount

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Attention is requested from our readers to the following prospectus of a new, and even a cheaper book periodical, which will be issued from this office in the first week of next January. It will not be so convenient a form for binding as the present, with which it will in no way interfere, but it will make books cheap beyond all precedent. It will contain the works of the day, which are sought after, but are comparatively dear, and which cannot penetrate the interior in any mode half so rapidly as by mail, in which volumes of books are prohibited. A fifty cent American reprint will be furnished entire for four to six cents; a Marryat novel for twelve cents, and others in proportion.

As but very few copies will be printed but what are actually subscribed for, those who wish the *Omnibus*, must make their remittances at once.

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It was one of the great objects of "Waldie's Literary," to make good reading cheaper, and to bring literature to every man's door. That object has been accomplished; we have given to books wings, and they have flown to the utmost parts of our vast continent, carrying society to the secluded, occupation to the great agricultural interest, than is to be found in the columns of the *Cultivator*. One volume contains as much matter, by printer's computation, as five ordinary duodecimos, which sell at 75 to 125 cents each. If, then, as we believe, the paper is both cheap and useful, and calculated to promote improvement in the business of husbandry, every gentleman may benefit his community, by a moderate effort to extend its circulation. We plead not for ourselves, but for the great interest which it is our pride and pleasure to serve.

The entire Series of the *Cultivator* will be sent to order, at 50 cts. the volume, stitched, or 83 for the three volumes bound together. 11 vols. for \$5.

Subscriptions to the above work received by

A. COWAN,

Annapolis.

March 23.

ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY, Sec.

Application to the Court of Anne Arundel county, by petition in writing of James S. Tongue, of Anne Arundel county, stating that he is now in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at December session 1803, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein mentioned, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors on oath, so far as he can ascertain the same being annexed to his petition, and the said James S. Tongue having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, and the said James S. Tongue having taken the oath by the said act prescribed for the delivering up his property, and given sufficient security for his personal appearance at the county court of Anne Arundel county, to answer such interrogatories and allegations as may be made against him, and having appointed Robert Welch of Hen. his trustee, who has given bond as such, and received from the said James S. Tongue a conveyance and possession of all his property, real, personal and mixed, it is therefore ordered and adjudged, that the said James S. Tongue be discharged from imprisonment, and that he give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Anne Arundel county, once a week for three consecutive months before the fourth Monday of October next, to appear before the said county court at the court house of said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to show cause if any they have, why the said James S. Tongue should not have the benefit of the said act and supplements as prayed. Given under my hand this 20th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven.

WM S. GREEN, Clk.

A. A. County Court.

May 25. 9

SAINT-MARY'S COUNTY COURT,

March Term, 1837.

ORDERED BY THE COURT, That the

creditors of Benedict Gibson, a Petitioner for the benefit of the Insolvent Law of this state, be and appear before the County Court to be held at Leonard Town, in and for Saint Mary's county, on the first Monday of August next, to file allegations, if any they have, and to recommend a permanent trustee for their benefit.

By order, JO HARRIS, Clk.

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of St. Mary's County Court.

May 11. 9

A BY-LAW

Confirming a By-Law imposing a Tax upon

the Real and Personal Property within the

City of Annapolis and its Precincts, passed

on the 5th day of July, 1836.

[Passed June 14th, 1837.]

BE it established and ordained by the

Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common

Council of the City of Annapolis, and by

the authority of the same, That a by-law

passed on the 15th day of July, 1836, entitled,

a by-law imposing a tax upon the real and

personal property within the city of Annapolis

and its precincts, be and the same is hereby

confirmed.

JOHN MILLER, Mayor.

Office in Church street—nearly opposite the

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THE MIND.

THE Conductor tenders his acknowledgments to gentlemen, for their kind offices in extending the circulation of the *Cultivator*, and respectfully solicits the continuance of their good will. Putting out of the question our personal contributions, of the merits of which it does not become us to speak, we venture to say, there is no periodical of its price, that contains more matter directly useful to the great agricultural interest, than is to be found in the columns of the *Cultivator*. One volume contains as much matter, by printer's computation, as five ordinary duodecimos, which sell at 75 to 125 cents each. If, then, as we believe, the paper is both cheap and useful, and calculated to promote improvement in the business of husbandry, every gentleman may benefit his community, by a moderate effort to extend its circulation. We plead not for ourselves, but for the great interest which it is our pride and pleasure to serve.

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## POETRY.

From the *Trenton* [N. J.] *Emporium*.

THE TIMES—THE TIMES!

Uncle Toby went down 't'other day with intention

To get a grist ground by the old miller Grimes;

But he found that his neighbors had called a convention

At the tavern that day to consider the times.

So he turned honest Dobbin's head round to the wagon,

To eat at his leisure a luncheon of hay;

And determined on foot to the meeting he'd jog on,

And hear what the wise ones assembled would say.

And there were assembled from many miles wide,

The merchants, and lawyers, and doctors and cits,

The bankers and brokers and stock-jobbing tribe

And many good people who lived by their wits.

And in truth it seemed more like a holiday greeting,

To an eye unaccustomed to modern distress,

And it was hard to remember the theme of the meeting.

"Mid the splendor of equipage, finery and dress,

Master Dumps, with his sprig of bay matches, that coat

A thousand times over, was presiding in state,

And Lumpkin was proving the country was lost.

While two servants were holding his coach at the

gate.

Some said that the cotton trade caused all the ruin,

Some said 'twas the Treasury order alone,

And that Jackson, and Benton, and Martin Van Buren

Ought to suffer for mischief so wholly their own.

At last when the big ones had settled affairs,

And rung all the changes of ruin again,

And resolved that 'twas time now to lighten their cares,

With a good slice of beef and a glass of champagne,

Uncle Toby stepped up, wiped his brow with his sleeve,

And said though he came there to say not a word,

Yet if no objection was made, with their leave,

For one single moment he would like to be heard.

"Mr. Chairman," said he, "the hard times that you speak

of,

They seem to be very mysterious to you,

Will probably last till some habits you break off,

And turn into work as all honest men do.

You have gone very far for the cause of ruin,

But to me it is plain they lie right in your way,

You've been living like lords upon other men's money,

Now pay-day has come and you've nothing to pay;

Buying houses and lands on what's called speculation

At no matter how much of paper and puff,

In the hope that you'd certainly find in the nation

To buy them some still greater fool than you yourself.

Now you, Mr. Farmer, have but to go your own

ways,

To your barrow, and plough, and your old-fashioned

ways.

Put more line on your land, run a clover crop under,

And the hard times will disappear one of these days;

And you, Mr. Merchant, just take one short day for

The task of dismissing your trampery sales wines,

Impose no more such still greater fool than you yourself.

And soon you may whistle like me at the times."

And as for you gentlemen, sharpers and so on,

Who have lost all you had, and had nothing to lose,

Your course, as you please, you in welcome may go.

To the *Ballie* or *Halifax*, just as you choose."

Uncle Toby here stopped—and some hissed and some

cried—

But he turned and walked quietly off on his way—

Got his grist, and drove home—and the worst that mis-

happened him,

Was the loss of three hours' labour that day.

MISCELLANEOUS.

OUR NEXT-DOOR NEIGHBORS.

The house adjoining ours on

the left hand was uninhabited, and we had

plenty of leisure to observe our next-door neighbors

on the other side.

The house without the knocker was in the

occupation of a city clerk; and there was a

neatly written bill in the parlor window, intimating

that lodgings for a single gentleman

were to be let within.

It was a neat, dull little house, on the shady

side of the way, with new row floor-cloth in

the passages, and new narrow stair carpets up to

the first floor. The paper was new, and the

point was new, and the furniture was new; and

all three, paper, and paint and furniture, bespoke

the limited means of the tenant. There was a

little red and black carpet in the drawing-room,

with a border of flooring all the way round; a

few stained chairs, and a pembroke table. A

pink shawl was displayed on each side of the lit-

tle sideboard, which, with the addition of a