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Those in the house now proposed surrendering, if the fire was put out. The crowd without ascended, and carried water in their hats to extinguish the flames. The doors were then thrown open, and as the crowd rushed in, two guns were fired, by some of those concerned.—The ball from one of the guns lodged in the uncle a Mr. Roff, one of the defenders of the house, and it is yet doubtful, whether he will not lose his leg. The other ball lodged in the foot of Mr. Weller. Several other persons in the house were injured, in attempting to escape.—As soon as the crowd had obtained possession they took the press, broke it up into many pieces, and threw it into the river. All then dispersed, and by two in the morning the town was again quiet.

The Mayor, we learn, was on the ground, attempting to arrest the disturbance, but without any effect. He narrowly escaped being wounded or killed, as a ball perforated his hat.

Mr. Lovejoy and Mr Bishop were both interred yesterday, and every thing seemed to indicate, that the storm had subsided. Report states that Mr. L. on the evening preceding his death had agreed to leave Alton and remove his press, but was dissuaded by Dr. Beecher and some others from doing so, on the ground, that the war had been commenced there and must be terminated there.

If the press had not been surrendered, a large amount of property must have been destroyed, as the stone house in which the press was, contained more than $100,000 worth of goods, exclusive of the building.

Every one must regret this unfortunate occurrence, but the guilt of the transaction will ever rest with those who madly and obstinately persisted in the attempt to establish an abolition press there. They were warned time after time of the consequences, and urged by every consideration, not to press the attempt; but to all they turned a deaf ear, and public opinion will hold them responsible for the fatal consequences.

THE AFFAIR AT ALTON.

The following is the official account given by the Mayor of the recent affair at Alton:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALTON, Nov 8, 1837.

TO THE PUBLIC.

In order that the public mind may be correctly informed of the lamentable and fatal tragedy that was enacted in our city on the night of the 7th inst., and with a view of preventing and correcting distorted statements of the proceedings of the mob, and those persons against whom the attack was directed, I deem it incumbent on me and proper, that I should present in my official capacity, a plain statement of all the facts connected with the unhappy excitement that has so long agitated the peace and tranquillity of the citizens of Alton. Without recurring to the causes or results of the previous excitements in reference to the "Alton Observer" press and its final destruction, I shall confine my statement to the last, and most melancholy occurrence, which has befallen our city.

For several days past it had been announced and generally believed, that a printing press was hourly expected to be landed at our wharf. It had also been the current rumour, that this press was intended for the re establishment of the "Alton Observer." The circulation of these rumours produced no small degree of excitement among those who had taken a decided stand against the *abolition* sentiments that were understood to have been disseminated through the columns of the Observer. Various reports of a threatening character against the landing of the press were in circulation, which led the friends of the Observer and its editor to make preparations to defend the press, in case any violence should be offered by those opposed to the publication of that paper.

On Tuesday about 3 o'clock in the morning, I was called from my lodgings, and informed that the press had arrived at the wharf, and my official interference was desired. I immediately repaired to the wharf, and remained there until the press was landed and stored in the warehouse of Messrs. Godfrey, Gilman & Co. There were no indications of violence or resistance on the part of any one at that time.—The arrival of the "abolition press" (as it was called) was generally known in the early part of that day, which served to re kindle the excitement. Representation was made to the Common Council of the threatening reports which were in circulation. The Common Council did not, however, deem it necessary to take any action on the subject. Gentlemen directly interested in protecting the press from mob violence, deemed it expedient to guard the warehouse with men and arms, in readiness to resist violence, should any be offered. During the early part of the night of Tuesday, it was reported through the city that there were from 30 to 40 armed men on guard within the warehouse.

About 10 o'clock at night 20 or 30 persons appeared at the south end of the warehouse and gave some indications of an attack. Mr. W. S. Gilman, from the third story of the warehouse, addressed them without, and urged them to desist, and at the same time informed them that the persons within the house were prepared, and should endeavour to defend their property, and that serious consequences might ensue. Those without demanded the *Press*, and said they would not be satisfied until it was destroyed; said they did not wish to injure any person, or other property, but insisted on having the *Press*. To which Mr. G. replied that the press should not be given up. The persons outside then repaired to the north end of the building, and attacked the building by throwing stones, &c. and continued their violence for 15 or 20 minutes, when a gun was fired from one of the windows of the warehouse, and a man named *Lyman Bishop*, was mortally wounded. He was carried to a surgeon's office, and the mob withdrew and dispersed, with the exception of a small number.

Upon the first indications of disturbance I called on the civil authorities most convenient, and repaired with all despatch to the scene of action. By this time the firing from the warehouse and the consequent death of one of their number, (Bishop died soon after he received the shot) had greatly increased the excitement, and added to the number of the mob. Owing to the late hour of the night, but few citizens were present at the onset, except those engaged in the contest. Consequently the civil authorities could do but little towards dispersing the mob, except by persuasion. A large number of people soon collected around me. I was requested to go to the warehouse and state to those within, that those outside had resolved to destroy the press, and that they would not desist until they had accomplished their object, that all would retire until I should return, which request was made by acclamation, and all soon retired to await my return.

I was replied to by those within the warehouse that they had assembled there to protect their property against lawless violence, and that they were determined to do so. The mob began again to assemble with increased numbers, and with guns and weapons of different kinds. I addressed the multitude and commanded them to desist and disperse, to which they listened attentively and respectfully, but to no purpose—a rush was now made to the warehouse, with the cry of "fire the house," "burn them out," &c. The firing soon became fearful and dangerous between the contending parties—so much so, that the further interposition on the part of the civil authorities and citizens was believed altogether inadequate and hazardous in the extreme—no means were at my control, or that of any other officer present, by which the mob could be dispersed, and the loss of life and shedding of blood prevented. Scenes of the most daring recklessness and infuriated madness followed in quick succession.

The building was surrounded, and the inmates were threatened with extermination and death in the most frightful form imaginable.—Every means of escape by flight were cut off. The scene now became one of appalling and heart-rending interest! Fifteen or twenty citizens, among whom were some of our most worthy and enterprising, were apparently doomed to an unenviable and inevitable death if the flames continued. About the time the fire was communicated to the building, the Rev. E. P. Lovejoy, (late editor of the Observer,) received four balls in his breast, near the door of the warehouse, and fell a corpse in a few seconds; two others from the warehouse were wounded. Several persons engaged in the attack were severely wounded—the wounded however are not considered dangerous. The contest had been raging for an hour or more, when the persons in the warehouse, by some means (the exact manner it was done I have not been able to ascertain) intimated that they would abandon the house and the press, provided that they were permitted to depart unmolested. The doors were soon thrown open, and those within retreated down Front street.

Several guns were fired upon them while retreating, and one individual had a narrow escape—a ball passed through his coat near his shoulder. A large number of persons now rushed into the warehouse, threw the press upon the wharf, where it was broken in pieces, and thrown into the river. The fire in the roof of the warehouse was extinguished by a spectator, who deserves great praise for his courageous interference, and but little damage was done by it to the building. No disposition seemed to be manifested to destroy any other property in the warehouse. Without further attempts at violence, the mob now dispersed, and no further open indications of disorder or violence have been manifested.

The foregoing is stated on what I consider undoubted authority, and mostly from my own personal knowledge.

JOHN M. KRUM, Mayor.

From the Nassau N. P. Paper Nov 1st.

ANOTHER HURRICANE AT NASSAU N. P.

Three Hurricanes in one season, is indeed a severe infliction; for without exaggeration, the two first storms which passed over us may fairly bear that appellation, although neither of those caused so much destruction as that experienced here yesterday and the night before.

The wind blew from the westward during the night, and in the morning the bay and harbour presented a dismal sight—most of the vessels having been torn from their moorings, and lying on the shore, many of them dismasted and otherwise injured.

Towards 8 o'clock yesterday morning the wind moderated, the rain ceased, and the sun shone out for a short time; but by 9 o'clock the wind veered suddenly to the north-west, and began to blow, accompanied by rain, as during the previous night, and as destructive to the vessels in port, for about noon, when this storm abated, there was nothing to be seen afloat, but the brig Sophia and a small schooner, the Sarah Ann—the shore strewed with the wrecks of vessels and boats.

We have not heard of any loss of life in this strife of the elements, but must expect to have to record many cases of destruction of both life and property, not yet come to our knowledge. The houses in and about town could not altogether escape injury, but we have not heard of any being destroyed, except some very old ones, and small buildings in the outskirts of the town. The fences and trees have of course suffered, and much of the fruit that escaped the other storms, is now blown off the trees.

NASSAU, Oct. 25, 1837.

The present season has been the most stormy and destructive at sea of any for many years past—one cannot take up a newspaper of any part of this hemisphere, but his eye is attracted by an account of a ship wreck, or a disaster at sea. The Bomona, which arrived on Saturday from Philadelphia, had to take shelter for some time within the Breakwater at the entrance of the Delaware; and the brig Amaranth, which sailed from New York a few days previously, was met by the same gale, dismasted, and put into Norfolk, where she was under repair—the passengers having there left her, and come on here in one of our Bahama vessels that happened to be at Norfolk at the time.

FOREIGN.

BY THE EASTERN EXPRESS MAIL.

From our Correspondents of the New York Courier and Enquirer.

ONE DAY LATER FROM ENGLAND.

The ship WESTCHESTER Captain FERRIS, arrived yesterday from Liverpool, bringing London dates of the 11th; and Liverpool of the 12th ultimo, one day later than we had before received.

There is nothing material from England, save the commercial intelligence. A statement of the revenue of Great Britain is published for the quarter ending the 10th October last, which shews a decrease on the quarter of £1,157,762 sterling.

The accounts from France are not later than those which reached us by the Louis Philippe. The expedition against Constantine is the absorbing topic in Paris at present.

Don Carlos, as we always predicted, has found himself worsted as soon as he quitted the mountain country in the North of Spain, and is returning there from his unsuccessful attempt on Madrid as fast as he can.

From Portugal, the accounts now received only confirm the complete overthrow of the friends of the Charter granted by Don Pedro.

SPAIN.

Letters from Bayonne of the 5th instant, states that Don Carlos, closely pursued by Espartero, had rapidly passed through Attienza and Burgo de Osma, and entered the Pinaces of Soria. In Navarre, the Carlists, after being repulsed from before Peralta, invested Lodosa, whence they were forced to retire by Iriarte. On the 3d, two naval expeditions sailed from St. Sebastian with troops and artillery, but their destination was unknown. It was supposed they were sent to take possession of Motrico and several other points on the Cantabrian coast, garrisoned by the Carlists. A new contribution of 10,000 dollars had been levied on Bilboa. The authorities, in imitation of those of St. Sebastian, had opposed the departure of a battalion of the garrison for Santander. By a proclamation published at Pampeluna, all the inhabitants who could not lay in three months' provisions had been ordered to quit the place.

FRIENDSHIP, A. A. Co. Md.
November 16th, 1837.

On Sunday the 5th inst. Zachariah Sunderland, jr. aged ten years, son of the undersigned, was left on board a vessel on the Patuxent River at Pig Point, in this county, the vessel being aground; since which time no tidings have been received of him—it is feared he is drowned. A reward of *ten* dollars will be paid to any one who recovers, and decently inters the body of the said boy. He was dressed in a suit of grey mixed cassinet and a hair cap—the little finger of one hand contracted, caused by a burn.—It has been suggested that he has run off: if any persons know this to be so they will confer a favour on an afflicted parent by letting him know immediately.

Editors friendly to humanity will please publish this notice.

ZACHARIAH SUNDERLAND.

HYMENEAL.

Married, on Sunday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Vinton, Mr. PHILIP HOPKINS, to Miss ANN MARIA WILLIGMAN, all of this city.

OBITUARY.

Died, yesterday noon, at the advanced age of eighty-seven years, Mrs. SARAH MURRAY, Relict of the late Dr. James Murray.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order from the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Public Sale, on MONDAY the 4th day of December next, at the late residence of the deceased, *near Annapolis*, all the Personal Estate of the late James Mills, deceased, consisting of

Some Valuable Stock, such as Horses and Cattle, the Crop of Corn, &c. Farming Utensils, Household and Kitchen Furniture.

TERMS OF SALE—all sums of Twenty Dollars, and upwards, a credit of six months, bearing interest from the day of sale, the purchaser or purchasers giving notes, with approved endorsers; all sums under Twenty Dollars the Cash to be paid.

JAMES IGLEHART, Adm'r.
Nov. 16. B. 4w.

FRESH GOODS.

GEORGE McNEIR & SON,
Merchant Tailors,

HAVE just received a lot of superior

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS,

which in addition to their former stock, makes their assortment more desirable than any heretofore offered in the city. They invite their friends and the public generally to call and examine them.

November 18. tf.

TRUSTEES' SALE

BY virtue of a decree of the Court of Chancery of Maryland, the subscribers as Trustees, will offer at Public Sale on SATURDAY, the 16th December next, at 12 o'clock M. at the store formerly occupied by Thomas W. Harris, deceased, in the village of Lower Marlborough, all the real estate of the said Thomas W Harris, deceased, remaining unsold, consisting

Of the tract or parcel of land on which the said Thomas W. Harris resided, in his lifetime, and at the time of his death, containing about

400 ACRES OF LAND,

situate in Calvert county, and distant about one and a half miles from Lower Marlborough. This farm is said to be well adapted to the growth of Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats and Tobacco: has on it a comfortable Dwelling and all the necessary out houses.

THE TERMS OF SALE ARE—one-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, or ratification thereof by the Chancellor, one third in twelve months, and the balance in two years from the day of sale, the purchaser giving bonds with approved security, to secure the payment of the purchase money, with interest from the day of sale. On the payment of the purchase money, the trustees are authorised to convey the property to the purchaser in fee simple.

SOMERVILLE PINKNEY,
CHARLES F. MAYER, } Trustees.
November 23—ts.

A CARD.

CASTLE CROSIER,
(*REVISED.*)
PRICE PER COPY $1 50.

SUBSCRIPTION PAPERS to the above work are lodged at the County Court Office, Mr. Hughes' Store, at the Office of the Maryland Gazette, and at the State Library.

November 9.

Anne-Arundel County, to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that Thomas I. Hobbs, of said county, brought before me the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said county, as a Stray trespassing on his enclosures, a YOUNG MARE, rising four years old, about sixteen hands high, she is a kind of sorrel roan, has a flax mane and tail, both hind feet white nearly up to the knee joint, she is shod all round, and has been worked in gear, no gaits except trot and gallop, she is somewhat scarified.

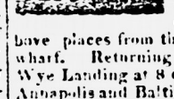
Given under my hand this 1st day of November 1837.

NATHAN SHIPLEY, J. P.
A. A. County.

Came to the subscriber living on the eighteenth mile of the Baltimore and Frederick-Town Turnpike Road, on the 30th day of October last, the above described Mare as a stray. The owner of said Mare is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

THOMAS I. HOBBS.
November 9.—3t*

FOR ANNAPOLIS, ST. MICHAELS, AND WYE LANDING.



The Steamboat MARYLAND will leave Baltimore on SUNDAY MORNING NEXT, at eight o'clock, for the above places from the lower end of Dugan's wharf. Returning the next day, leaving Wye Landing at 8 o'clock for St. Michaels, Annapolis and Baltimore. She will continue this route throughout the season. Passage to Annapolis $1 50, to St. Michaels and Wye Landing $2 50.

N. B. All Baggage at the owner's risk.

LEM'L. G. TAYLOR.
November 9.

NEW PAPER.

THE
BALTIMORE KALEIDOSCOPE,
And Weekly Express,

RECENTLY commenced, and now published every *Saturday*, by YOUNG & ABRAHAMS, at the South East corner of Market and Gay streets, Baltimore. *L. A. Wilmer*, editor. Price $2 per annum.

This paper will contain a great variety of original and selected matter, news, literary and scientific articles, notices of new books, and animadversions on the most popular topics of the day. The publishers have made such arrangements as enable them to promise with confidence that the *Kaleidoscope* shall not be surpassed by any other similar paper in the Union, not only in point of utility, but in the various qualities which make a newspaper attractive and desirable.

One Dollar, in advance, will be received as payment in full for six months. The terms of advertising are moderate. Letters or communications to the editor or publisher, *if post paid*, will receive prompt attention; and the paper will be forwarded to any part of the country, where it may be ordered.—Subscribers at a *distance* are requested to enclose the amount of their subscription, (at least for six months,) when they order the paper.

Baltimore, Nov. 9, 1837.

ADMINISTRATION.

THE subscriber having obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, State of Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of James Mills, late of said county, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

For all persons having claims against said estate, contracted after the 25th October, 1835, (at which time he obtained a final release and discharge as an insolvent debtor,) to produce the same to the subscriber duly authenticated. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

JAMES IGLEHART, Adm'r.
Nov. 16.

NOTICE.

THE Commissioners for Anne-Arundel county will meet at the court house in the city of Annapolis, on TUESDAY, the 28th day of November next, for the purpose of settling with such of the supervisors as have not settled, hearing appeals, making transfers, and transacting the ordinary business of the Levy Court.

By order,

R. J. COOKMAN, Clk.
November 2 tm.

JACOB BASFORD,
Merchant Tailor,

HAS taken a Shop opposite Swann & Iglehart's Hotel, where he has just arrived with an elegant assortment of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

which he offers to his friends and the public, and will have them made up in the most fashionable style, at low prices for Cash, or at short dates, to be met when due. He has adopted this method of business, and shall endeavour to pursue this course, and hopes by strict attention and punctuality to give general satisfaction.

☞ TWO or THREE JOURNEYMEN TAILORS WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

Annapolis, October 26, 1837.—tf.

BASIL SHEPHARD,

Having declined business in favour of Mr. J. Basford, who has removed his Shop directly in front of Messrs. Swann & Iglehart's Hotel, wishes those that are indebted to him either by note, bond or open account, on his old business, or to the firm of Basil Shephard & Co to call at his old stand, opposite Mr. J. Hughes', and settle the same. All who may have claims against him or the firm, will present them for settlement.

Any orders that may be sent to me, I will have them attended to.

B. S.

Annapolis, October 26, 1837.—tf.

WILLIAM BRYAN,
Merchant Tailor,

HAS just received a handsome assortment of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS,

very superior in quality, and variety in colours, which he will make up in the most fashionable style, or to suit customers, at the shortest notice.

Gentlemen will find it to their interest to give him a call before they buy. His stand is directly opposite to Messrs. Swann & Iglehart's Hotel.

October 5.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber, by virtue of a Deed of Trust executed on the 19th inst. by Nicholas Edwin Watkins to him, assigning the whole of his property, real, personal and mixed, together with his Books of Account, all debts, rights and credits which he has, or is in any respect entitled to, for the benefit of his creditors, is alone authorised to dispose of and settle the same. All persons having claims against the said Nicholas Edwin Watkins, will present them to the subscriber, properly authenticated, and those indebted to him are hereby warned not to settle their debts with any other person than the subscriber, or his order, which they are requested immediately to do.

JOHN NICHOLAS WATKINS.
July 20.

CASH FOR
ANY NUMBER OF NEGROES,
Including both sexes, from 10 to 35 years of age.

PERSONS having likely Servants to dispose of, and wishing the highest prices, will do well to give me a call, as I am determined to buy and give higher prices than any other purchaser, who is now or may come into this market. I can at all times be found at Mrs. Hunter's Tavern in Annapolis. All communications directed to me will be promptly attended to.

ISAAC F. PURVIS.
Sept. 12. R

P. S.—Any communications left with Mr. John Lamb, will be promptly attended to.

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SPECIE!

PERSONS purchasing Goods of the undersigned shall receive change, to one-half the amount purchased, in SPECIE.

DUBOIS & WEEMS.
October 12. 3t.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
Conventions of the Province of Maryland,
Held at the City of Annapolis, in 1774, 1775, and 1776.

Just received and for Sale by

D. RIDGELY,
Agent for the Publishers.

A NEW AND CHEAP PERIODICAL.

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 in 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 much 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 from *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.

Books at Newspaper Postage.

WALDIE'S LITERARY OMNIBUS.

NOVEL AND IMPORTANT LITERARY ENTERPRISE!!

NOVELS, TALES, BIOGRAPHY, VOYAGES, TRAVELS, REVIEWS, AND THE NEWS OF THE DAY

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 uttermost parts of our vast continent, carrying society to the secluded, occupation to the literary, information to all. We now propose still further to reduce prices, and render the access to a literary banquet more than twofold accessible; we gave and shall continue to give in the quarto library a volume weekly for two cents a day; we now propose to give a volume in the same period for less than *four cents a week*, and to add as a piquant seasoning to the dish a few columns of shorter literary matters, and a summary of the news and events of the day. We know by experience and calculation that we can go still further in the matter of reduction, and we feel that there is still verge enough for us to aim at offering to an increasing literary appetite that mental food which it craves.

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 for binding and preservation, and its price and form 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 several 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 enliven and enlighten the family circle, and to give to it, at an expense which shall be no consideration 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 sceptical shall acknowledge "the power of concentration 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.

TERMS.

WALDIE'S LITERARY OMNIBUS will be issued every Friday morning, printed on paper of a quality superior to any other weekly sheet, and of the largest size. It will contain,

1st. Books, the newest and the best that can be procured, equal every week to a London duodecimo volume, embracing Novels, 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 small compass, but in a sufficient amount to embrace a knowledge of the principal events, political and miscellaneous, of Europe and America.

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