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Shortly afterward the speaker, with a large body of members, appeared at the bar, accompanied by Sir Augustus Clifford.

THE QUEEN'S SPEECH.

The LORD CHANCELLOR, kneeling on his right knee, then presented to her majesty the manuscript of the royal speech.

Her MAJESTY in her usual distinct and emphatic manner, then read the following speech:

"My Lords and Gentlemen,

"The state of public business enables me to close this protracted and laborious session.

"I have to lament that the civil war in Spain forms an exception to the general tranquillity. I continue to receive from all foreign powers the strongest assurances of their desire to maintain with me the most amicable relations.

"The disturbances and insurrections which had unfortunately broken out in Upper and Lower Canada, have been promptly suppressed, and I entertain a confident hope that firm and judicious measures will empower you to restore a constitutional form of government, which unhappy events have compelled you for a time to suspend.

"I rejoice at the progress which has been made in my colonial possessions, towards the entire abolition of negro apprenticeship.

"I have observed with much satisfaction the attention which you have bestowed upon the amendment of the domestic institutions of the country. I trust that the mitigation of the law of imprisonment for debt will prove at once favourable to the liberty of my subjects, and safe for commercial credit; and that the established church will derive increased strength and efficiency from the restriction of the granting of benefices in plurality.

"I have felt great pleasure in giving my assent to the bill for the relief of the destitute poor of Ireland. I cherish the expectation that its provisions have been so cautiously framed, and will be so prudently executed, that whilst they contribute to relieve distress, they will tend to preserve order and to encourage habits of industry and exertion.

"I trust likewise that the act which you have passed relating to the compositions for tithes in Ireland will increase the security of that property, and promote internal peace.

"Gentlemen of the House of Commons.

"I cannot sufficiently thank you for your despatch and liberality in providing for the expenses of my household, and the maintenance of the honour and dignity of the crown.

"I offer you my warmest acknowledgments for the addition which you have made to the income of my beloved mother.

"I thank you for the supplies which you have voted for the ordinary public service, as well as for the readiness with which you have provided means to meet the extraordinary expenses rendered necessary by the state of my Canadian possessions.

"My Lords and Gentlemen.

"The many useful measures which you have been able to consider, while the settlement of the civil list and the state of Canada demanded so much of your attention, are a satisfactory proof of your zeal for the public good. You are so well acquainted with the duties which now devolve upon you in your respective counties, that it is unnecessary to remind you of them. In the discharge of them you may securely rely on my firm support, and it only remains to express an humble hope that Divine Providence may watch over us all, and prosper our united efforts for the welfare of our country."

The manner in which this was delivered surprised many who had not before heard her Majesty's most agreeable, silver-toned voice; it excited great admiration. If any part of the speech could be singled out as telling more forcibly than another, we should select the last paragraph. It was uttered as if in solemn prayer.

After the delivery of the speech the Lord Chancellor again knelt, and received her Majesty's command relative to the period of the prorogation, which his lordship thus announced:

"My Lords and Gentlemen.

"It is her Majesty's royal will and pleasure that this Parliament be prorogued to Thursday, the 11th day of October next, to be then here holden, and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday, the 11th day of October."

The Queen then rose, and descended the steps of the throne, preceded the same way as entering by the great officers of state.

The speaker and the members of the commons then retired, as well as the peers and peeresses who were present during the proceedings.

FRANCE.

The Courrer Francois says that the Mexican blockading squadron is to be increased to twenty-two ships. Baron Deffaudis had arrived from Mexico.

Accounts from Rome stated that the Cardinal Fesch, uncle of Napoleon was at the point of death.

The report gathers strength that Louis Bonaparte will end the difficulties between France and Switzerland, by a voluntary expatriation.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Augt. 18.

The supplies this week are very limited.—The favourable state of the weather has had its effect upon the market, and yesterday wheat, both bonded and free, was noted 4da6d lower than Tuesday.

MANCHESTER, Aug. 18.

There was a slender attendance of buyers this morning, and transactions were more limited. From the notations of this day week, we notice deduction of 6th per 70 lbs. on wheat and on flour of from 4s to 5s per 280 lbs.

WAKEFIELD, Aug. 17.

Wheat only found buyers at a decline of 2s to 4s, and that in a retail.

LONDON, Aug. 17.

The arrival of both English and foreign Wheat during the week has been considerable; this, coupled with the favourable weather for the crops, have much depressed the trade. Free wheat must be noted at fully 2s and bonded at 3s4s per quarter lower from Monday last, and even at this decline but little business has been transacted.

## TRUSTEES' SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing date the twenty-first day of September 1838, in a cause wherein Gustavus R. Barber, is complainant, and John T. Barber, and others, are defendants, the subscribers will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, at 12 o'clock M on FRIDAY the 19th day of October next, all that parcel of land, the estate of the late John T. Barber, deceased, constituting part of the land called "The President," and long known by the name of

### HORN POINT FARM,

lying on the creek bounding the City of Annapolis, adjoining the part of the same tract belonging to the devisees of George Barber, deceased, consisting of about 350¼ acres.—Of this land about 200 acres are in cultivation, and adapted to the growth of Tobacco and Grain, the residue is covered with a large and valuable growth of various kinds of Wood, which can be carried with facility to market by land or water.

There are erected on this Farm a comfortable Frame Dwelling, Brick Kitchen, and suitable Out-houses, an Overseer's House, Tobacco House, Barn and Stable.

Among the other improvements is a Young Apple Orchard in bearing, of choice fruit.

BY virtue of the same decree, the subscribers will expose to Public Sale, on the same day, at 4 o'clock P M. on the premises in this City, the LOT OF GROUND AND THE HOUSE THEREON, also the estate of John T. Barber, deceased, lying on East and Prince-George's streets, and Carroll's Alley, in this City. This lot will be divided to suit purchasers.

*The Terms of Sale are*—One-half of the purchase money to be paid in six months, and the other half within twelve months from the day of sale, the whole to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by bond with sureties to be approved of by the trustees. On payment of the purchase money, the trustees are authorised to convey the property to purchasers clear and free of the claim of the parties

THOMAS S ALEXANDER, } Trus-
ALEXANDER RANDALL, } tees.

September 27.

## LATE SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of fieri facias issued out of the Court of Appeals, and Anne-Arundel County Court, and to me directed, at suit of Charles F. Mayer and John F. Wilson, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of Dr. James Tongue, and having levied the same upon all those tracts and parts of tracts or parcels of land and premises, whereon Dr. Tongue now resides, including all the lands contiguous thereto, I shall proceed to sell the said property at Public Auction, at the Court House in the city of Annapolis, on *Thursday, the 18th day of October;* and at the same time, if necessary, shall also sell sundry valuable Negroes, Stock, &c. to satisfy the debts due as aforesaid. The Sale will take place at 12 o'clock—Terms, Cash.

R WELCH, of Ben.
Late Sheriff A. A. County.

September 27.—ts.

FARMERS' BANK OF MARYLAND,

September 19th, 1838.

THE President and Directors of the Farmers Bank of Maryland have declared a dividend of THREE PER CENT on the Stock of said Bank for six months, ending on the 30th instant, and payable on or after the first Monday of October next, to Stockholders on the Western Shore at the Bank at Annapolis, and to Stockholders on the Eastern Shore at the Branch Bank at Easton, upon personal application, on the exhibition of powers of attorney, or by correct simple order.

By order.

TH. FRANKLIN, Cash.

September 20. R. 3w.

The American and Patriot, Baltimore, will publish the above once a week for three weeks.

STATE OF MARYLAND, SC.

*Anne Arundel County, Orphans Court,*
September 18th, 1838.

ON application by petition of Cave Birmingham, Administratrix of Thomas Birmingham, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that she give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in Annapolis.

SAM'L. BROWN, Jun'r.,
Reg. Wills A. A. County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel County, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Thomas Birmingham, late of Anne-Arundel 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 18th day of March next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 18th day of September, 1838.

CAVE BIRMINGHAM, Adm'x.

September 20. 6w.

GEORGE McNEIR & SON,
Merchant Tailors,

HAVE just received their Fall supply of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS,

(selected with great care from the Importers,) which will be made up in the most fashionable style, and on accommodating terms.

Also, a large assortment of FANCY GOODS, consisting of

Gloves, Stocks, Collars, Cravats, Suspenders, Silk and Cambric Pocket Handkerchiefs, Silk and Cotton Hosiery, Buckskin, Silk, Merino and Cotton Shirts and Drawers.

September 20. tf.

Office of the Annapolis and Elk-Ridge Rail Road Company,

September 7th, 1838.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on MONDAY, the 8th day of October next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock M. at the office of the Annapolis and Elk-Ridge Rail Road Company, in Annapolis, an Election will be made of Six Directors to manage the affairs of the Company for the ensuing year.

By order,

N. H. GREEN, Secretary.

September 13. t30.

Office of the Annapolis and Elk-Ridge Rail Road Company,

September 7th, 1838.

THE subscribers to the capital stock of this Company are hereby notified, that a payment of five dollars on each share subscribed, is required to be made into the Farmers Bank of Maryland, to the credit of the Company, on or before the 15th day of November next, a further payment of five dollars on each share of capital stock subscribed to be paid, as before stated, on or before the 15th day of December next, and a further payment of five dollars on each share of the capital stock subscribed to be paid as before stated, on or before the 15th day of January next.

By order,

N. H. GREEN, Secretary.

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## NOTICE.

THE Voters of the city of Annapolis, are hereby notified, that an Election will be held at the Ball Room, on WEDNESDAY, the 3d day of October next, to elect,

A GOVERNOR OF THE STATE, to serve for three years.

A SENATOR, for Anne Arundel County to serve two, four or six years, as the case may be, and

ONE DELEGATE, to represent the city of Annapolis, in the General Assembly, for the ensuing year.

G. H. DUVALL, Clerk of the Corp.

September 13, 1838. te.

SAINT-MARY'S COUNTY COURT,

August Term, 1838.

ORDERED BY THE COURT, That the creditors of James A. Russell, a petitioner for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws 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 March 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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SAINT-MARY'S COUNTY COURT,

August Term, 1838.

ORDERED BY THE COURT, That the creditors of Aaron Patridge, a petitioner for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws 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 March 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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VALUABLE TRACTS OF LAND,

*In Anne-Arundel and Montgomery Counties.*

THE subscriber by virtue of, and in pursuance of the Will of the late Major Wm. Worthington, of Montgomery county, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, at Haslip's Tavern in Anne-Arundel county, on SATURDAY, the 6th day of October, a Tract of Land containing

### 410 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less—one half in wood. The Farm has a small Dwelling House on it, Stables, &c. and containing a quantity of natural Meadow Land. Also, on SATURDAY, the 13th of October next, at Rockville, in Montgomery county, at 12 o'clock, M. on the Court House Square, will be exposed to Public Sale, a Tract of Land lying in Montgomery county, about three miles from Rockville, adjoining the lands of Addison Beit, and the late residence of Thomas I. Perry, containing

### 200 ACRES.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash, the balance in one and two years, bearing interest from date, to be secured by bond with personal security approved by the trustee. Deed to be executed at the cost of the purchaser, upon the ratification of the sale by the Orphans Court and payment of the purchase money.

ZACH. H. WORTHINGTON, Trustee.

August 16. ts.

The Gazette at Annapolis, will publish the above till sale and send the account to the Rockville Free Press for collection.

## A BY-LAW

*To provide for the payment of the Stock in the Annapolis and Elk Ridge Rail Road Company, subscribed for by the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Annapolis.*

[Passed September 10th, 1838.]

SECTION 1. 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 the MAYOR be and he is hereby authorised and empowered to issue Certificates of Stock, signed by him, and countersigned by the Clerk, under the Seal of the Corporation, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars, and in sums not less than FIFTY dollars, bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October, redeemable at the pleasure of the Corporation after the expiration of twenty years, and payable to such person or persons, bodies politic or corporate, who shall pay to the Commissioners hereinafter named a sum at least equal to the amount for which such Certificates may be issued, and the faith of the City is hereby pledged for the payment and redemption of the said Certificates, principal and interest, as aforesaid.

2. And be it established and ordained by the authority aforesaid, That Somerville Pinkney and Thomas S. Alexander be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners, to negotiate for the sale of the said Certificates, at not less than the par value thereof, and the proceeds of the said Certificates shall be paid by the said Commissioners to the Treasurer of the Corporation.

3. And be it established and ordained by the authority aforesaid, That so soon as the proceeds of said Certificates shall be received into the Treasury, the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorised and directed, to pay to the Annapolis and Elk-Ridge Rail Road Company, the sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars, on account of the subscription made by this City to the capital stock of the said Company, provided the said Company will agree to apply the same to the payment of the instalments on said stock as they may be called for by said Company, and to allow to this City interest on the excess of the said payment over and above the amount of said instalments to be paid as before stated.

4. And be it established and ordained by the authority aforesaid, That the Collector shall be and hereby is authorised, on the last day of October in the year 1839, and on the same day in each and every year thereafter, or as soon thereafter as so much may be collected by him, and until a fund shall be created thereby equal to the redemption of the stock hereby authorised, to pay to the Commissioners to be appointed as aforesaid, the sum of one thousand dollars, to be applied by them to the payment of the interest on the aforesaid stock as it may accrue, and the residue as received, with all the profits thereof, to be invested in some safe and productive stock, and held by them as a fund for the redemption of the principal of the stock to be issued as aforesaid,

5. And be it established and ordained by the authority aforesaid, That the said Commissioners may invest any portion of the aforesaid fund in the stock of the City to be issued as aforesaid, and that so soon as the fund to be created as aforesaid shall be equal in amount to the said stock, it shall be applied to the redemption thereof.

6. And be it established and ordained by the authority aforesaid, That the interest to accrue on said stock, prior to the first of January 1840, shall be paid by the Treasurer, out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury.

7. And be it established and ordained by the authority aforesaid, That instead of borrowing money upon Certificates of Stock to be issued as aforesaid, the said Commissioners shall be and they are hereby authorised to borrow the aforesaid sum of money from the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, or any other corporation or individual, upon the negotiable note or notes of this Corporation, upon the terms and conditions hereinbefore provided.

8. And be it established and ordained by the authority aforesaid, That it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to enter on a separate book the name or names of the person or persons, body politic or corporate, to whom such Certificates may be issued, with the amount held by each, and the said Certificates may, at the pleasure of the holders thereof, be assigned or transferred.

9. And be it established and ordained, That in case of the death or resignation of either of said Commissioners, the vacancy shall be filled by the Corporation for the time being.

JOHN MILLER, Mayor.

September 13.

MR. AND MRS. HAMILTON'S
Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies,

*Corner of Courtland and Saratoga Streets, Baltimore,*

WILL BE RE-OPENED on MONDAY the 4th September next, This Institution having received extensive improvements and additions, the Principals feel a confidence in saying, they believe it to be now superior to any similar establishment ever offered to public patronage both in the Day School and Boarding departments.

A prospectus of the school may be obtained by addressing (post paid) William Hamilton, Baltimore.

August 9. 7t.

☞ The Princess Anne Herald, Easton Whig and Gazette, Annapolis Republican and Gazette will insert the above to the amount of two dollars each, and charge American, Baltimore.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT an Election will be held at the several places designated by law for holding Elections in Anne-Arundel county on WEDNESDAY THE 3d DAY OF OCTOBER NEXT, for the purpose of electing a Governor for the State, and a Senator and Four Delegates to represent said county in the next General Assembly of Maryland.

JOHN S. SELBY, Sheriff.

September 6.—te.

## NOTICE.

THE attention of the Trustees of Primary Schools in Anne-Arundel county, is called to the subjoined Resolution of the Commissioners, passed at their meeting in October, 1837.

"Whereas, great inconvenience, and in some instances injustice, have arisen in consequence of the Trustees neglecting to make their Reports in due time—therefore, Resolved, that the Trustees of the several Primary School Districts in this County, be and they are hereby required, to make their Annual Reports to the Clerk of the Commissioners on or before the *15th day of October*, agreeably to the provisions of the Act of Assembly establishing Primary Schools—and in case the Trustees of any District fail to make said Reports in due time, they will be excluded from their distributive share of the School Fund. And be it further Resolved, that no Report shall be received unless accompanied by the affidavit of the Teacher as to the attendance of the pupils, and that the highest and lowest numbers actually attending must in all cases be stated, leaving it to the Commissioners to settle the average number."

All communications by mail to the Clerk must be post paid, and blank reports can be had, on application to

THOS. G. WATERS, Clerk.

September 6. R. t15O.

WEST LOMBARD STREET.

THE DUTIES OF MRS. DE BUTTS' SEMINARY will be resumed the first Monday in September. This Institution possesses its usual advantages; an extra number of talented Teachers and the unremitting attention of the Principal to encourage the efforts of the studious and to stimulate and reprove the inattentive or indolent. The School offers double the advantages for a perfect and familiar acquaintance with the French Language as in the English education are comprehended the elementary principles, and the highest branches of science taught in female schools, thus enabling the pupil to enter after the years of infancy, and complete her education under the same influences. The location of the School has every advantage, being healthful and airy, with spacious apartments well warmed in winter. Terms for English Education vary in accordance with the different classes, from $5, 8, 10, 15 per quarter.

Instruction in French 3 times a week, $5.

Ditto every day $7. Preparatory class every day $5.

Latin, Italian, Spanish $5.

Music on the Piano by the best Teachers, varying in the terms according to the length of time given in the lesson $10, 15, 25.—Vocal Music, Guitar, or Harp $20. Dancing $15 per quarter.

Board and English Education, including the higher branches $200 per annum.—Washing, &c. extra.

Day Boarders $60 per annum.

August 16.

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*PROSPECTUS*
OF THE
AMERICAN PHRENOLOGICAL JOURNAL & MISCELLANY.

IT is a remarkable fact, that while the converts to the belief that Phrenology is true, have, within a few years, most astonishingly multiplied, there does not exist on the American continent a single periodical whose object is to advocate its truths, repel the attacks made upon it, or answer the enquiries which even candid persons are disposed to make concerning it. And this is the more surprising since the materials already existing and daily augmenting, with which to enrich such a publication, are almost inexhaustible.

The science of medicine has its appropriate media through which to present to the profession and to students all the new facts which occur, and all the new theories which are advocated in the various institutions of medical science throughout the world; and it is proper that it should be so. The same is true of the other leading professions of law and of divinity. But, notwithstanding the important bearings which phrenologists know their science to have on medicine, and divinity, and law, there is no publication through which, as the appropriate channel, those bearings may be pointed out. It is true that some newspapers, and also one or two works of a less ephemeral character, do occasionally admit articles in favour of phrenology: but these do not meet the *present* necessity. A periodical which is avowedly *phrenological*—one, whose pages shall constitute a permanent depository of facts, and which shall be open for the expression of opinions and the record of principles connected with those facts, is *now* needed; and a strong feeling of this necessity, together with a belief that such a work is extensively demanded, and will meet with encouragement and support, has induced the publisher to present the prospectus of "*The American Phrenological Journal and Miscellany.*"

The object of this work will be to preserve from oblivion the most interesting of the very numerous facts, confirmatory and illustrative of the truth of phrenology; to show the true bearings of this science on *Education*, (physical, intellectual, and moral;) on the *Medical Treatment of the Insane;* on *Jurisprudence;* on *Theology;* and on *Mental and Moral Philosophy.* On all these subjects there is encouragement to hope for contributions from several able pens; while the resources of the editor himself will not, it is hoped, be found inconsiderable.

The religious character of the work will be *decidedly evangelical:* for one prominent object in giving it existence is, to wrest Phrenology out of the hands of those, who, in ignorance of its true nature and tendencies, suppose that they find in it an instrument by which to subvert the truths of revealed religion, and loosen the bonds of human accountability, and moral obligation.—A frequent subject of discussion in our pages will therefore be, *The Harmony between the truths of Revelation and those of Phrenology.* And on the subject of the religious bearings of our science we respectfully solicit the enquiries and objections, not of cavillers, but of the truly candid, and the conscientiously fearful. *Such* correspondents we shall always welcome to our pages, and they will always be treated with kindness; as, also, will honest and respectful objectors to Phrenology. But the captious and cavillers will ensure to themselves our silent contempt; and the ignorant pretender, who seeks to overthrow a science which he will not be at the pains to investigate, may expect a merited rebuke.

As our object is the establishment of TRUTH, we solicit the communication of facts which are supposed to militate against Phrenology; and we pledge ourselves to publish them, in all cases in which we have satisfactory vouchers for their genuineness; and in which all the facts in the several cases are furnished to us. But as we must form our own judgment of the cerebral developement in all cases on which we express our opinions, it is obvious that we cannot receive, in these instances, the opinions of non-phrenological or anti-phrenological writers, as to the degree in which the several organs are developed—we *must*, in every such case, see *the head or skull, or a cast of it*, properly certified to be true to nature.

Original Essays on Phrenological subjects will form part of the Journal; as also, Reviews of Phrenological and Anti-Phrenological works: nor shall we fail to present to our readers such matters of interest and importance as may be found in foreign Phrenological works of standard excellence, and which are not generally accessible to the American public. Our FACTS we pledge ourselves shall be *bona-fide* such; and, as often as practicable, we shall accompany our descriptions with illustrative cuts: indeed, we intend and expect that scarcely a number will be issued without two or more such cuts.

To encourage Phrenologists of talent (and especially professional men who are Phrenologists,) to enrich the work with their contributions, we offer for *accepted matter*, as liberal a compensation per *printed page*, as is usually afforded by the very first periodicals in our country; but the editor does not promise to *endorse* all which his correspondents may communicate; nor all which he may admit into the work. To error, if serious, and especially if it affect the interests of morality and religion, he claims the right of correction, in the form of reply, or of the suppression of the objectionable matter; and communications for which compensation is expected, must be so prepared as to be fit for the public eye.

In conclusion, we may be allowed to say, that the pecuniary value of each number will depend much on the extent to which the work is patronised. It is not with the desire or expectation of gain that it is offered to the community, but from moral considerations; from a desire to know and to promulgate *truth*. Hence should a large subscription list be obtained, a considerable proportion of the profits will be devoted to the enlargement and improvement of the work, without an increase of expense to the subscribers. More frequent illustrations and embellishments will, in that case, be inserted, and the attractions of the work be thus multiplied.

TERMS.

1. *The American Phrenological Journal and Miscellany* will be issued monthly, commencing on the 2d of October next.

2. Each number will contain *at least* 32 octavo pages, making a volume of not less than 384 pages; corresponding in point of mechanical execution with the best periodicals of the day.

3. The work will be furnished to subscribers at $2 per annum for a single copy; $5 (current in Philadelphia or New York) for THREE copies, or $10 (current as above) for SEVEN copies sent to one address. To *Clergymen* and *Theological Students*, single copies will be furnished at $1 50 per annum; and to companies of eight or more of such, it will be reduced to $1 25 per copy, if sent to one address, and the subscription forwarded to the publisher free of expense.

N. B. As funds are already deposited for sustaining the work *one year*, subscribers will incur no risk of loss by paying in advance; and for the same reason, subscriptions will be *invariably* required IN ADVANCE.

Money sent by mail, if enclosed in the presence of the post-master, will be at the risk of the publisher; but *postage must, in every case, be paid.*

To editors who will give this Prospectus one or two insertions, and forward a paper containing it to the publisher, the work will be sent for one year

Subscriptions, and letters of business, may be addressed to the publisher, ADAM WALDIE, 46 Carpenter-street, Philadelphia, and communications for the work to the EDITOR of the Am. Phren. Jour., care of A. WALDIE.