POETRY.

THE MIND IS A GARDEN,

"And scattered truth is never, never wasted."

The mind is a garden—and youth's sunny morn
Is the season for planting; the rose and the thorn
Will spring up together—then let us take care
That none but the *sweetest* of roses grow there.

This soil is so fertile, so rich is the ground,
That the smallest of seeds may in plenty be found;
Here plants of all kinds, both of falsehood and truth,
Spring up and are warmed in the sunshine of youth.

If the seeds of deception, and envy, and strife,
Are suffered to grow in the spring time of life,
When the autumn of age chills the breath of the air,
We must gather the fruits of our little "parterre."

But let us be wise, and pluck up by the roots
All plants such as these, ere we taste of their fruits;
And place in their stead those that nature design'd,
To adorn, and improve, and embellish the mind.

In one *peaceful* spot shall the olive branch flourish;
This the pure stream of religion shall nourish;
Here too shall the plant of kind Mercy spring up,
Refresh'd from the o'erflowing of Charity's cup.

O, let the young gems of fair *Knowledge* abound,
To scatter their truths to the plants all around;
So likewise the *Laurel*, with its arms spreading wide
In friendship shall shield the sweet rose by its side.

When the sun that has cheered us in life's early days
Shall withdraw from the garden the light of its rays,
From the flowers as they wither, O, may there arise
A grateful perfume that shall reach to the skies.

From Poulson's American Daily Advertiser.

GENTILITY—WHAT IS IT?

Similitude of condition or state depends very little on similarity of external condition or circumstance, and they who refuse to seek sympathy out of a circle so drawn, and take note of no distinctions but such as accident arbitrarily forms, are the vilest of slaves or the wildest of errorists. A *gentleman* is one whose spirit is imbued with, and whose life is characterized by humanity and kindness toward all who wear the human form. This contradistinguishes him from the rude, sour, selfish, dogmatic and furious fool who indiscriminately rends and tears to pieces all that differs from himself. An ancient has described him by a line—"*Nil me humanum alienum puto*"—"I think nothing foreign to myself which is human." He is yet more perfectly described in this passage of scripture—"Diligent in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord"—for the service of the Lord implies freedom from error and vice. Here is our fair correspondent's notion of a Lady:

THE LADY.

LADY—from two Saxon words, *leaf*, signifying a loaf, and *dien*, a day.

This title originated in the ancient custom among charitable females of noble birth, dispensing loaves of bread at their castle gates every morning, to the poor of their neighborhood. *The Trojan.*

Whither the maiden's raven hair
Are braided gems and jewels rare,
And round her stately neck of snow
The diamond and the ruby glow.

And queenly robes her form enfold,
Studded with clasps of burnish'd gold,
While beauty, like a diadem,
Lends brilliancy to pearl and gem.

There, at the father's gastle gate,
Where beggar'd age and childhood wait,
Each morn that beauteous maiden stands,
Dispensing bread with liberal hands.

Is it because her face is fair,
Her jewell'd robes of texture rare,
Or that she dwells in lordly hall,
That they the maid a LADY call?

O no, for *these* she may not claim
The honor of that envied name!
'Tis given to those, and those alone,
Who for their deeds of love are known.

The maiden, who, 'midst pomp and state,
Still meets the wanderers at the gate,
With melting heart and generous hand,
They call the LADY of the land.

From the Boston Traveller.

THE BIRD OF SPRING.

Beautiful Bird, whence comest thou!
From a sunnier clime than this:
Hast thou wandered away to the old green bough,
The scene of thine earlier bliss?

O fickle Bird! when the chill wind breathed
We heard not thy playful strain,
But now, when the Earth is in beauty wreathed,
Thou seekest thy home again.

'Tis thus with the spirit—too often it seeks
For a sunnier smile away,
And turns from the shade of familiar cheeks,
When sorrow hath dimmed their ray!

But when the clouds which those young smiles wore,
From the lips we have loved are fled,
We breathe a song like that song of yore,
In the places we used to tread.

Lesson to Lawyers.—An important trial took place in Edinburg some years ago. The subject at issue was a property of considerable value in the northern parish, and the question on which the whole turned was the state of the intellect of the person who had disposed of it. A great many witnesses were examined on either side, and amongst the rest a shrewd old man, a cattle dealer, who was chiefly versant in the language he was in the daily habit of hearing.

Mr. Jeffry—I am given to understand that you have been long intimately acquainted with the late Mr. Badenach, and I wish you to state to the court what was the estimate you formed of his intellectual character.

Witness—I kent the man brawly, but never heard ony thing till his character. To be sure he seldom gaed to the kirk.

Mr. Jeffry—It is not his moral character I wish to know about, but I do wish to know, and insist on your stating, whether or not you consider the late Mr. Badenach a gentleman of peculiarly quick parts or otherwise.

Witness—What's your wull, Sir?

Mr. Jeffry—Did you think Mr. Badenach compos mentis?

Compass mentus!

Mr. Jeffry—In other words, did you consider Mr. Badenach's mental faculties to be on a par with those of the generality of other men or otherwise?

Witness—A man of faculties and otherwise!

Mr. Jeffry—Why, my Lord, I can make nothing of this witness.

Mr. Cockburn—My Lord, my learned brother is himself in fault. I shall examine this witness myself. Wee'll, Saunders, (said he in a most familiar manner, at the same time handing the witness a snuff box to give him a snuff,) hae he been ony thing lang acquainted wi' Badenach?

'Ever since he was the hicht o' my knee,' was his ready reply.

'Did ye think,' says Mr. Cockburn, giving the witness a significant look, 'that there was ony thing intill the creature.'

Witness—Troth, no man, no that muckle hae mair indeed than the spune strappet intill him.

Mr. Cockburn—Could he have been trusted to sell cattle in the market?

Witness—The body cou'dna hae been lippent wi' the sellin' o' a calf. Ony flesher's bairn might hae cheated him.

Mr. Cockburn—The witness may retire; I have no more questions to put to him.

The Derby (Eng.) Juries seem pre-eminent in judicial sagacity. At the Assizes, last week, a man named Bird was indicted for stealing a tub. It was found in his possession, but he said he had picked it up on the road. The Jury, after having conferred together for some time, turned round and resumed their seats in the box. Clerk of Arraigns: 'How say ye, gentlemen, are you agreed on your verdict? Is the prisoner at the bar guilty or not guilty?' Foreman. 'We are in doubt whether he stole the tub or not.' Mr. Justice Littledale: 'Then, gentlemen, consider further of your verdict. That is the very question you are to decide.' The Jury conferred for some time longer. Clerk of Arraigns: 'Is the prisoner guilty or not guilty.' Foreman: 'We *think* he is, but recommend him to mercy!' The Judge: 'On what ground?' The Jury again conferred together, after which the Judge inquired on what ground they recommended the prisoner to mercy? '*We leave that to yourself, my Lord.*' (Laughter.) The Judge: 'No, no, gentlemen; *you* must say. You had better consider it among yourselves.' After a further conference the Jury again turned round—Clerk of Arraigns: 'On what groand do you recommend the prisoner to mercy?'—Foreman: 'We *hear* he was in possession of the tub, but no one says *they saw him take it.*' (Great laughter.) The judge: 'Gentlemen, if you have any doubt of the prisoner's guilt, you had better give him the benefit of it, and acquit him.' A Juror: 'I think it would be best to return him quit of the crime.' (Laughter.) The Judge: 'Then gentlemen of the Jury, you had better reconsider your verdict.' They did so, and returned a verdict of "Not Guilty." The learned Judge remarked that a similar scene had taken place there last spring.

[*English paper.*

DR. J. A. MUSE

HAS taken the office next door above Messrs. Reed & Pattison's store, and will promptly attend to all calls.

Cambridge, May 2 tf

New Spring Goods.

WM. A. SULLIVANE

HAS just returned from Baltimore, and is now opening

his supply of

SPRING GOODS,

which he has taken great pains to select in the Baltimore market, and which he can sell low for cash. He invites his customers and friends to give him a call and examine them, at the old stand formerly occupied by Mr. Thomas Hayward, opposite James A. Stewart's office.

Cambridge, April 4.

Coach, Gig & Harness

MAKING.

THE undersigned respectfully return their grateful acknowledgements to their friends, customers and the public generally, for the liberal and extensive patronage they continue to receive, and beg leave to inform them that they still pursue and carry on the above business in all its various branches, and having considerably enlarged their establishment by adding thereto a plater's shop, and an additional smith's shop, they will be more fully enabled to meet the wishes and demands of their various patrons. They have recently returned from Philadelphia and Baltimore,

with a large and extensive assortment of

MATERIALS,

embracing every variety, selected with the utmost attention and care, and confidently believe that with the experience they have in the business, and the assistance of the very best of workmen, together with the facilities they now have, they will be able to meet the wishes of all those who may favor them with their custom, in all orders for

COACHES, BAROUCHES, GIGS, CARRYALLS,

or any description of Carriage, at the shortest notice, in the most substantial and fashionable style, and at the lowest possible prices. They have at present, on hand, and for sale,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

GIGS, NEW & SECOND HAND,

of various kinds and prices, which they will dispose of on the most reasonable terms, for cash, guaranteed paper, country produce, or in exchange for old carriages at fair prices. They assure the public, that all orders, as heretofore, will be attended to with promptness, and all kinds of repairing done at the shortest notice, in the best manner and on the most accommodating terms. All letters addressed to the subscribers specifying the kind of carriage wanted, will b immediately attended to, and the carriage brought to the door of the person ordering it—also all kind of Steel springs made and repaired to order, and all kinds of Silver plating done as low as it can be in the city.

The public's obedient servants,

ANDERSON & HOPKINS.

N. B. They wish to take three apprentices of steady habits, from 14 to 16 years of age, one at each of the following branches viz. smithing, plating and painting.

They respectfully remind those whose accounts have been standing longer than twelve months, to come forward, and settle immediately, otherwise they will be placed in officers hands for collection, according to law, without respect to persons.

A. & H.

Jan. 24 tf

MARYLAND:
Dorchester County Orphans' Court, May 4, 1835.

On application of ALLEN VANE and ELIZABETH VANE, Executors of ALLEN VANE, late of Dorchester county, deceased, IT IS ORDERED, That they give the notice required by law for all creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that they cause the same to be published once in each week, for the space of three successive weeks, in the Cambridge Chronicle, the paper selected by them.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of Dorchester County Orphans' Court, I have hereunto set my name, and the seal of my office affixed, this 4th day of May, in the year of our Lord, 1835. (L.S.)

WM. W. ECCLESTON,
Register of Wills for Dorchester county.

In compliance with the above order, This is to give notice that the subscribers, of Dorchester county, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Dorchester county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Allen Vane, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, on or before the 12th day of Nov. next; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands, this 4th day of May, 1835.

ALLEN VANE,
ELIZABETH VANE,
Ex's. of Allen Vane, dec'd.

May 9 3w

DISSOLUTION.

THE copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of J. & R. VALLIANT is this day dissolved by mutual consent They have taken a counting room in the store of Mr. Wm. F. Ruderstun, No. 6 Light street wharf, for the purpose of making a final close of their business in Baltimore, where one of the late firm (or Robert Valliant, their clerk, who is equally authorized,) may always be found to receive any money that may be offered, or attend to any other matter connected with their business. We need not remind our friends, as all must be aware, that, to make a speedy settlement with our creditors, they must make to us prompt payments, as the former depends exclusively upon the latter, and as we do not wish to remain longer in Baltimore than the last of this month to close our business heres We shall regard it as a special favor if our friends will make us as large payments a. they can in all this month.

JOHN VALLIANT,
RIGBY VALLIANT,

Baltimore, Aug. 4 [16 tf]

SHAKSPEARE

WILL travel throughout this county during the ensuing spring. He is a blood bay, with black mane, tail and legs, full sixteen hands high, and of fine proportions.

The terms are, one dollar the single leap; three dollars, the spring's chance; and six dollars to insure a mare with foal.

JACOB J. MOBRAY.

His pedigree may by known by reference to the following certificate.

I hereby certify, that the horse, Shakspeare, which I sold to Mr. Jacob J. Mobray is a Black Knight horse, ten years old this spring; his dam was a Shakspeare mare. Shakspeare was raised by Esquire Phillips, of Sussex county, Delaware.

JOHN W. JACKSON.

Dorchester co. March 28, 1835.

CHESTER.

The justly celebrated saddle horse Chester, sired by Col. Ridgeley's Tom, will stand the ensuing season, in the neighborhood of Cambridge. Persons desirous of raising first rate saddle, or gig horses, will now have an opportunity—Chester's colts being remarkable for their fine action, and gentleness in harness. Several of his colts are now in the neighborhood of Cambridge, all of them superior rackers.

TERMS.

Chester will cover the ensuing season, at the following prices, viz:—Four dollars the single leap, six dollars the Spring's chance, ten dollars to ensure a mare in foal. A deduction will be made in each case if the money is paid on or before the 1st of June. J. R. KEENE.

N. B. 25 cents to the groom in each case.

Fishing Creek, *March* 14.

The elegant full bred Horse

MOSCOW

Will stand the present season at Cambridge on *M*onday and Tuesday 23d and 24th of March; at New Market on the 27th and 28th, at Vienna, the Friday and Saturday following, and will attend each of the above stands once in two weeks.

TERMS.

6 dollars the spring's chance, twelve dollars to insure, four dollars the single leap, nd 25 cents in each case to the groom.

JAMES CHAPLAIN.

*M*OSCOW is seventeen hands high, a dark bay. He was sired by Godolphin, who was raised by James Ware of Virginia; his dam by imported Shark, his grand dam by Thornbury's Herod, great grand dam by Washington, out of a Fearnaught mare—Godolphin the sire, was got by imported sorrel Diomed, his dam Sally Shark, by Shark, his grand dam Betsey Dingle, out of Jones' Dismal by old Fearnaught.

Signed GEO. WHITING
Virginia.

*M*oscow's dam was sired by old Oscar, grand dam by Vingtun, great grand dam by Moscow, well known for great speed and bottom. From my best recollection he was sired by Traveller, and out of Col. Lloyd's imported and very celebrated Nancy Bywell.

JOHN CALDWELL.
Oak Hill.

*M*oscow was as fine a limbed colt as I ever had, when by some accident he was thrown in a narrow entry in his stable, the winter after he was foaled and so much injured in his left stifle joint, as not to be able to use it for six months, after which the swelling disappeared, with the exception of his pasterns—his colts are remarkably handsome and clean limbed.

JOHN CALDWELL.

Talbot co. march 21.

New Arrangement.

AS will be seen by the annexed letter from the General Post Office, the Southern and Western Mails will hereafter be brought hither by the Steam-Boat Maryland. They will arrive here on Tuesdays and Fridays, at 7 o'clock, P. M.; and leave every Wednesday and Saturday morning, at 6 o'clock. Persons, therefore, intending to send letters, are requested to have the same deposited in the Post Office on the evening before the departure of the mails by which they would have them forwarded.

SAML. LECOMPTE, P. M.

Cambridge, June 21, 1834.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
NORTHERN DIVISION,
June 9th, 1834.

SIR:—Arrangements have been made with the President and Directors of the Steam-Boat Maryland to convey the mail, as follows:—

Leave Baltimore Tuesday and Friday at 7, A. M.
Arrive at Annapolis same day, by 10½ "
and at Cambridge and Easton, by 7, P. M.
Return to Baltimore (touching at Annapolis) Wednesday and Saturday, 6 "

Leave Baltimore Sunday at 8, A. M.
Arrive at Annapolis by 11½ "
and return to Baltimore by 7, P. M.

To 1st Oct.
Leave Baltimore Monday, at 7, A. M.
Arrive at Centreville by 1, P. M.
and Chestertown by 3 "
Return to Baltimore, via Centreville, by 7 "

From 1st October.
Leave Baltimore every Sunday at 8, A. M.
Arrive at Annapolis by 12, M.
at Centreville by 4, P. M.
and at Chestertown by 6, "
Return by same route on Monday, and arrive by 6, "
till the meeting of the Maryland Legislature.

During the session.
Leave Baltimore Monday, Tuesday and Friday, at 7, A. M.
Arrive at Annapolis same day, by 10½, "
Return to Baltimore Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, by 6, P. M.

Respectfully,
Your obt. serv't.,
S. R. HOBBIE,
Asst. P. M. G.

Saml. Lecompte, Esq., P. M.,
Cambridge, Dorchester co., Md.

Mr. Callahan:—JAMES A. WADDELL Esq., has consented to become a candidate for the next Sheriffalty, and will be strongly supported by many voters in

DORCHESTER COUNTY.

Oct. 12, 1833

Take Notice.

THE Commissioners of the School Fund for Dorchester county, are respectfully requested to meet at the Court House, in Cambridge, on Monday, the 1st day of June next, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of regulating the different Schools in the various neighborhoods in the county. It is particularly desirable that we should have a full meeting.

WILLIAM W. ECCLESTON,
President of the Commissioners of the School Fund for Dorchester county.

May 9 3w

Littell's Museum

OF FOREIGN LITERATURE, SCIENCE AND ART.

PRICE.—Six Dollars a year, in advance—Seven dollars and a half, if not in advance.

POSTAGE.—Five sheets, under 100 miles, 7 1-2 cents; over 100 miles, 12 1-2 cents.

☞This work will be sent to any Post Office in the United States, carefully wrapped up, upon receipt of *Five Dollars* in part payment. A few complete sets are for sale.

ENLARGED SERIES OF THE MUSEUM.

MR. LITTELL has much pleasure in announcing to the patrons of the "MUSEUM," that he has made arrangements for the future publication of the work in a style much superior to the present—and nearly approaching what he has always desired that it should appear in. The circulation of the work is now so large as to make it important to the proprietor that he should be able to give his whole attention to it. This has hitherto been prevented by the care and labor attendant upon a multifarious and widely extended business. With the view of completing more quickly the publication of Lodge's Portraits and Memoirs of Illustrious and Noble Characters, (a splendid work now in hand)—of effecting a settlement of accounts extending over the whole of the United States—and of making arrangements in all parts of the country for the vigorous prosecution of the publication of the Museum, he has made a contract with Mr. Adam Waldie, of this city, to print the work, attend to its distribution, and manage all the financial concerns appertaining to it after the present year.

Mr. Waldie is a practical printer, not surpassed in taste by any other in the country; and as he is advantageously and generally known as the publisher of the Select Circulating Library, it is supposed that he will have it in his power greatly to promote the sale of the Museum. He has contracted to issue it promptly, and thus will be corrected the greatest fault which has heretofore attended its management. The changes in the appearance of the work will be as follows:

1. It will be regularly and promptly published.
2. Will be uniformly and handsomely printed.
3. On better paper.
4. Will be considerably enlarged.

As the sale of the work has increased, Mr. Littell has always been desirous of devoting the enlarged profits to its improvement—and although he does not wish the appearance of the next volume to be considered as entirely carrying out his plan, he trusts that the subscribers will be convinced, upon comparing it with any other work, that it is richly worth the price asked for it.

We shall not have satisfied our own wishes, in respect to this work, until it shall be so far enlarged and improved as to make it clear to every purchaser that he will herein receive all that is desirable to an American reader from all the Foreign Periodicals.—That we can do so in a single work, by making it contain four or five times as much matter as an ordinary periodical, we have no doubt. A great part of most of the Reviews and Magazines is composed of inferior articles, and we confidently appeal to those readers of the Museum who have been in the habit of looking over the British Journals, whether we have not already, in a very great degree, succeeded in copying all that was worth preservation.

As the work will now be considerably enlarged, we shall be able more fully to accomplish this object.

In order that he may, by frequent journies from home, be the earlier able to finish all other business, and devote himself exclusively to the Museum, Mr. Littell has made arrangements with the Editor of Waldie's Library to edit this work after December, 1834. However deficient the proprietor may be in other qualifications, he has always felt so zealous an affection for the Museum that he would not be willing to commit it, even for a time, to the care of another, were he not confident that the facilities, the experience and the ability of the new editor, will render it more worthy of the patronage of the public than it has heretofore been. No change takes place in the Proprietorship.

Philadelphia, April 9.—May 9

☞*Specimen Numbers may be seen at the Office of the Cambridge Chronicle.*

The Silk Culturist.

THE Executive Committee of the Hartford county Silk Society, have commenced a monthly publication, called the Silk Culturist and Farmers' Manual.

The object of the publication is to disseminate a thorough knowledge of the cultivation of the Mulberry Tree, in all its varieties. The rearing of Silk Worms—The production of Cocoons and the Reeling of Silk, in the most approved method. The importance of this knowledge will appear from the fact that the nett profit of land devoted to the culture of Silk, is double, if not triple, to that derived from any other crop which can be put upon it. It is also a fact, that every moderate farmer can raise several hundred dollars worth of Silk, without interfering with his ordinary agricultural operations. But in order to avail himself of this facility to obtain competency and wealth which our soil and climate have given him, he must possess himself of information on the subject—for without it his attempts will be fruitless. It is, therefore, the object of the Committee to diffuse this information as extensively as possible, and at the cheapest rate. The publication will contain a complete manual or directory from sowing the seed to reeling the Silk, together with such facts and experiments, as will enable farmers to raise Silk and prepare it for market, without further knowledge or assistance. It will also contain interesting matter on agricultural subjects in general.

TERMS—The Culturist will be published in monthly numbers of Eight Quarto Pages, at FIFTY CENTS a year. No subscription will be received unless paid in *advance*, and for not less than a year.

Subscriptions received by F. G. COMSTOCK, Secretary, Hartford, Conn., to whom also, Communications may be addressed, which, if post paid, will be attended to.

Hartford, April, 1835—May 9.

GENTLEMEN'S VADE MECUM,

OR THE

SPORTING AND DRAMATIC COMPANION.

ON the third of January, 1835, was commenced in Philadelphia, a new periodical, bearing the above comprehensive title. Its contents will be carefully adapted to the wants of that portion of the public who patronize Dramatic Literature, the Turf, Sporting and Fashions. From the growing wealth and increasing population of the United States, and the near assimilation of the national appetite with whatever promotes the rational Recreations of Life, it is presumed that this Journal,—possessing, as the projectors of it will, ample means to diversify its pages, and a determination to render them subservient to the formation of a correct taste in all matters relating to its design,—cannot fail to meet with a liberal and creditable support from an enlightened community in every quarter of the country. The difficulty of sketching out such a plan as might be fancifully strewed with any of the charms of novelty to ensure it popularity and encouragement, has been not the least embarrassing obstacle which the projectors of this work had to surmount in its inception. Feeling confidently assured, however, that its success is certain when its character becomes properly known, they have already incurred considerable expense in forming correspondents over the Union; and have also ordered regular supplies of the best selected English periodicals to assist in procuring materials for its columns.

It is not altogether feasible, when a new publication is contemplated, to present in detail to the public its prospective attractions. It is necessary, nevertheless, that its principal features should be drawn out, as it is by them that its merits, if it has any, shall be judged. This is the more readily accomplished, the publishers being satisfied that whatever industry and a watchful zeal can effect in completing the filling up, will be done, and that they never will be found deficient or neglectful in the prosecution of this enterprize, and in striving to produce a beneficial and profitable result to themselves and to others.

THE DRAMA—Will form a material portion of the Gentlemen's Vade Mecum. It is intended to publish alternately, every week, an entire play and farce—to be selected with a single eye to their merits alone; a preference, however, will be extended, in all cases, to native productions, when they can be obtained. Independent criticisms, carefully excluding all invidious comparisons, and recommended by their brevity, will be regularly inserted—besides Biographical Sketches, Anecdotes, and Bon Mots, of prominent Comedians of the present and past ages, of which a rare and inexhaustible compilation is in store.

THE TURF.—A faithful record will be kept of all the Running and Trotting matches in this country and England. Biographies and correct Portraits of celebrated thorough-bred Horses will be published once a month. Every fact relative to the breeding, management, keeping, and the diseases of this invaluable animal, will be particularly selected.

SPORTING.—Under this caption will be enumerated accounts of Shooting Matches, Pedestrian Feats, Gymnastic Exercises, Aquatic Excursions, Fishing, Gaming, &c. with Anecdotes of noted Dogs.

GENTLEMEN'S FASHIONS.—A quarterly review will be procured, explanatory of the various improvements and changes which costumes worn in the fashionable circles constantly undergo; by which it will be rendered an easy task for drapers and tailors at a distance, to suit their customers with the most approved colors and modern style of dress, at the earliest possible periods. Provided sufficient encouragement shall be given by this portion of the public, a full-length engraving, illustrative of the same, will also be prepared and published.

MISCELLANY.—Although the purposee of our sheet may appear to be confined to the four leading subjects which have been stated—we deem it proper to say that there will be, in addition to these, a considerable space allowed for Miscellaneous matters—such as Tales; Poetry; an Epitome of News; List of Hotels in this city, and Places of Amusement; Statistics; the Grain Market; Agriculture; Prices of Stocks; List of Broken Banks; Counterfeit Note Detector—also, the American Songster, consisting of a great variety of popular airs, set to Music; and all other matters, regarding which an interest may be supposed to exist at home or abroad.

This work, then, as will be seen by the above explanation of its probable character, is particularly designed as a companion for the patrons of the Turf, the Drama, Sporting, the Fashions, &c. &c. It will prove, also,—as all its publication of facts will be authentic,—a ready Record of Reference for Travelling gentlemen, and should consequently be kept in every hotel in the United States. It is worthy of notice, that its patrons, in the course of one year, will be furnished with fifty-two popular Plays and Farces—the price of which, separately, at any of our bookstores, would be at least THIRTEEN DOLLARS! Here there is an absolute saving of ten dollars, in the purchase of a well-stored Dramatic Library—(to be had for an unprecedented small sum!)—not taking into consideration the multiplied variety which is to accompany it, without additional charge! Tailors who desire to procure early and correct information of the changes in dress, will find this an invaluable guide.

The "*Gentlemen's Vade Mecum*" will be published every Saturday, on fine Imperial paper, of the largest class, at three dollars per annum, *payable in advance.*

By enclosing a Five Dollar Note to the publishers, postage paid, two copies of the paper will be forwarded to any direction ordered, for one year. It is respectfully requested that those who desire to subscribe for this Journal will forward their names immediately—the terms will be strictly adhered to.

Address
SMITH & ALEXANDER,
Athenian Buildings, Franklin Place,
Philadelphia.

A specimen number may be had on application at the office. Public patronage is respectfully solicited.

WE are authorised to announce the Hon. JOHN N. STEELE, as a candidate for re-election to represent Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester counties in the next Congress of the United States.

April 11

WE are authorised to announce HENRY COOK, Esq., as a candidate for the next Sheriffalty of this county

Sept 13