POETRY



From the New York Mirror.

HOME AT LAST.

A shivering child one winter's night,
(The snow was deep and cold the blast)
Hugging her ragged mother tight,
"Mother!" exclaimed, "we're home at last!"
And as she spake poor little one,
A ruineus hut she stood before,
Whence, ever since the morning sun,
They strayed—to beg from door to door.

Ye're home at last! Sad home is this—
All lorn without, all cold within;
The adder here might lurk and hiss,
Her poisonous web the Spider spin—
But there's no fire to warm, nor light;
And crevices are yawning wide.
Through which the storm, this freezing night,
May lay you stiff n d side by side.

And yet this wayward child had been
By many a gorgeous house—and past
Where mirth and music cheer the scene,
Nor envies—for she's home at last!
Thus may the heart be trained below
To love the cot wherein was cast
Its fate of poverty or woe,
Like her's who cried—'We're home at last!'

From the Knickerbocker for August.

STANZAS.

WRITTEN IN A FRIEND'S ALBUM.

I.

Some love to have their memories kept
In records on the sculptured stone,
For crowds to see—let me be kept
But by one faithful heart alone.
Some strive to seize the flowers of fame,
Forgetting that, though bright they're brief:
But prouder far am I to claim
From Friendship's wreath the simple leaf.

II.

Oh! from the world I'd pass away,
Like snow-wreaths from a wintry scene,
Or as a cloud of yesterday,
Forgotten, as I ne'er had been.
Yet in one place my name shall be,
And in one tablet have a part,
That place, thy faithful memory—
That tablet, thine own gentle heart!

TO RENT

FOR THE ENSUING YEAR,

The dwelling house now, and for several years past in the occupancy of Mr. Samuel B Hopkins. Appy to

N. G. SINGLETON.

aug 20 3t



Maryland Eclipse will make a fall season at Easton, Talbot County, for a limited number of Mares. He will be here by 1st of September, when the season will Commence. Terms as when last on this stand. Persons wishing to breed from Maryland Eclipse, will leave their names with.

WM K. LAMDIN.

july 23

MARYLAND:

Talbot County Orphans' Court,

6th day of May, A. D. 1836.

On application of James M Lambdin, administrator of Capt. John Farland, late of Talbot county, deceased—It is ordered, that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that he cause the same to be published once in each week for the space of three successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in the town of Easton, and also in one of the newspapers printed in the city of Baltimore.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of proceedings of Talbot county Orphans Court, I have hereunto set my hand, and the seal of my office affixed, this 6th day of May, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty six.

L. S.

Test

JAS. PRICE, Reg'r.
of Wills for Talbot county.

In compliance to the above order,
Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber of Talbot county hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Capt. John Farland, late of Talbot county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of November next, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

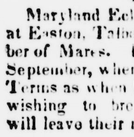
Given under my hand this 6th day of May, 1836.

JAS. M. LAMBDIN. Adm'r.
of Capt. John Farland, dec'd.

may 7

BELLFOUNDER.

THE splendid Horse *Bellfounder*, sired by the imported trotter *Bellfounder*, and his dam by the imported horse *Black Prince*.—



For elegance of style and figure and of a good stock for harness BELLFOUNDER will compete with any horse in the United States, and will be sold low to a purchaser.

For further particulars enquire of

J. W. PALMER,
George Town & Roads

July 9, 1836 3t $1

☞The Easton Gazette will copy the above once a week three successive weeks *mark price* and charge the Kent Bugle.

The Board of Examiners,

Of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland, for the Eastern and Western Shores, are requested to meet at the office of Dr Gibson, north Charles street, on the 22d of September next, for the purpose of electing a Treasurer in consequence of the resignation of Dr. Edrington.

MAXWELL McDOWELL, President.
ROBERT A. DURKEE, Rec Sec.

aug 20

☞The Easton Gazette will publish the above to amount of one dollar and charge the Baltimore American office.

TO BE RENTED

For one or more years, that large and commodious

BRICK TAVERN,



and its appurtenances, well known by the name of the

EASTON HOTEL,

situate in the town of Easton, on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, at present, and for some years past, occupied by Mr. Solomon Lowe. This establishment is universally admitted to be the largest and most convenient for a Public House, of any on the Peninsula, and to a man well calculated to conduct it, an opportunity will be offered for doing a very extensive and profitable business, more especially if he has a sufficient capital to carry it on advantageously.

Easton is known as a town of considerable trade, and the Steam Boat Maryland, which plies twice a week between Baltimore, Annapolis, and this place, considerably increases the business, and of course adds very much to the value of this establishment, by the constant intercourse of travellers from the different counties on the Western and Eastern shores, and elsewhere with these places.

Possession will be given on the first day of January next. Persons wishing to rent are invited to come and view the premises The terms, which will be moderate, will be made known by application to the subscriber.

WM. H. GROOME.

P S—Applications for the above will be received by the subscriber until 15th August next.

W. H. G.

Easton, June 25 5w

The Delaware Journal, Baltimore American, and Village Herald Princess Anne, will publish the above for 4 successive weeks & forward amount to the subscriber for payment.

NOTICE.

Was committed to the jail of Queen Ann's county, on the 27th, day of June last, as a runaway, by Selah Tucker, Esq, a justice of the peace in and for the county aforesaid, a negro boy who calls himself Charles *Henry Bordley*, and says he is free, but bound to a certain William Parker of Kent county, Md. He is about 13 years of age, four feet eight and a half inches high, of dark complexion: his clothing a linen shirt and trowsers and new straw hat.

The owner, if any, of the above described negro boy, is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away otherwise he will be discharged according to law.

THOMAS H. FORD,
Sheriff of Queen Ann's county.

July 16, 1836

The Baltimore American, National Intelligencer, Washington, will publish the above once a week for 3 successive times, and send their bills to this office, for collection.

MARYLAND,
Talbot County Orphans' Court,

29th day of July, A. D. 1836.

On application of Samuel Mackey, adm'r. de bonis non with the will annexed of William Mackey late of Talbot county deceased. It is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that he cause the same to be published once in each week for the space of three successive weeks in one of the newspapers printed in the town of Easton.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of proceedings of Talbot County Orphans' Court I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office affixed, this 29th day of July, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty six.

Test,

JAS: PRICE, Reg'r.
of Wills for Talbot county.

In compliance to the above order,
Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county in Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of William Mackey, late of said county, dec'd. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the subscriber on or before the third day of May next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 29th day of July, 1836.

SAMUEL MACKEY, adm'r.
de bonis non with the will annexed of William Mackey, dec'd.

aug 6

NOTICE.

All persons who are indebted to *Harrison* Mackey, administrator of Philemon Mackey deceased, for county taxes, due for the years 1832 and '33, are requested, to call on Joseph B. Harrington, at Easton, and settle the same without delay—all persons who neglect, or delay paying their taxes, will be proceeded against according to law, forthwith.

HARRISON MACKEY.

July 30.

Talbot County, to wit.

On application to me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphan's Court of the County aforesaid, by petition in writing of Wm. Killman, stating that he is under executions and pressed for debts that he is actually unable to pay, and praying for the benefit of the Act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of Insolvent Debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts—and the said Wm. Killman having complied with the several requisites required by said acts of Assembly—I do hereby order & adjudge that the said Wm. Killman be discharged from his confinement, & that he be and appear before the Judges of Talbot County Court, on the first Monday of November Term next, and at such other days and times, as the Court shall direct, and the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said Wm. Killman to attend and shew cause, if any they have why the said Wm. Killman should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly.

Given under my hand this 3d day of August, 1836.

E. N. HAMBLETON.

august 6

BLANKS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

THE STEAM BOAT



MARYLAND,

Leaves Baltimore for Annapolis, Cambridge (via Castlehaven) & Easton, on Tuesdays and Fridays, and returns by the same routes to Baltimore on Wednesdays and Saturdays. All baggage at the risk of the owners thereof.

april 23

Passage to and from Corsica,

Queenstown and Baltimore.



The Steam Boat Gov Wolcott,

Capt. WM. W. VIRDIN,

Will make a trip every Monday to Queens town and Corsica—She will commence on Monday next, the 8th of August, and continue to leave Baltimore every Monday morning at six o'clock, until further notice—returning she will leave Corsica at 12 noon, and Queens town at one, P. M. on the same day, Monday.

WM. OWEN, agent.

Baltimore, aug 2d. 1836—aug 6

COACH, GIG, AND



HARNESS MAKERS.

The undersigned respectfully present their thanks to their friends and the public of Talbot and the adjacent counties, for the many favours and flattering support, they continue to receive in their line, and now beg leave to inform them, that they are prepared to furnish

Coaches, Barauches, Chariotees, Gigs, Sulkes,
BUGGIES, CARRY-ALLS,

or any description of Carriage, at the shortest notice in the most fashionable and substantial manner, and on the most accommodating terms. they assure those gentlemen and ladies who are so worthy of ease and pleasure that there is no necessity of sending to the cities for handsome and good carriages, as their work will bear comparison and examination with the best city work, and has stood the test of time and criticism; they will also say, that they will use every exertion to merit the unbounded confidence and patronage, their work has received from a generous and discerning public nearly all over the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

Having enlarged their establishment considerably, and keeping constantly on hand a

Large and complete assortment of

MATERIALS,

with the assitance of the best of workmen, they will be thankful to fill all orders. Gentlemen and Ladies at a distance have only to specify the kind of carriage and price and have it brought to their own door free of charge. All kinds of repairing done at the shortest notice, in the best manner, and on the most pleasing terms. Silver Plating of every description done in the establishment, and all kinds of Steel Springs, made and repaired.

They have now on hand, a handsome assortment of carriages, both new & second hand, of various kinds and prices, and they solicit an early call from their friends and the public generally.

The public's obedient servants,

ANDERSON & HOPKINS.

They have for sale a pair of handsome young Horses, well matched, color, blood bay, warranted sound and kind to harness, also a first rate gig horse.

Wanting three apprentices at the above business of moral habits, from 14 to 16 years of age.

Easton Talbot county, April 9th, 1836.

The Eastern Shore Whig and Cambridge Chronicle will copy the above and discontinue our last.

TAILORING.

The subscriber presents his grateful acknowledgements to the inhabitants of Easton and the adjoining counties, for the flattering patronage he has met with, since he commenced the above business, and begs leave to inform them that he has just returned from Baltimore, with

A New Mode of Cutting,

That has never been practised in Easton;

but one, that is almost universally used in Baltimore and in the best establishments: he has also engaged a

FIRST RITE WORKMAN,

that none can surpass; which will enable him to meet the demands of gentlemen for any kind of garments cut and made in the first style. His work shall be warranted to fit in all cases, otherwise he pays them for their goods or makes them others. He respectfully solicits a continuance of the favors of a generous public

The public's obedient servant.

JOHN SATTERFIELD.

sept 5 tf

Miller Wanted.

Wanted for the next year, (1837,) a Miller to take charge of Spring Mills, to whom liberal wages will be given. None need apply but those who can bring satisfactory recommendations. A single man would be preferred.

BATCHELDOR G. CHANCE.
Spring Mills, Caroline county, Md.

The Easton Gazette will copy the above to the amount of one dollar, and send account to the Caroline Advocate.

aug 13 3t

FLOUR STORE.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends, and the public generally that he has commenced the

FLOUR BUSINESS

at No. 25 Pratt st., Baltimore, near Market Space, and has now on hand, and intends keeping a constant supply of best Howard st. White Wheat Superfine, Fine, and Common Flour, also Chopped Rye, Shipstuff Shorts, Beans, Corn, Corn Meal, and Oats.—He has just received from the Fishery a large supply of No. 1 new *Herrings*, and intends keeping a constant supply through the season all of which will be sold at wholesale or retail at the lowest cash prices Those wishing to purchase will please give me a call and judge for themselves.

THOS. HOPKINS.

4th month, 29th, 1836.—april 30

Sheriffalty.

The subscriber begs leave to offer himself to the consideration of the voters of Talbot county to fill the office of Sheriff. Should he be elected, his constant exertions shall be used, to perform the duties with punctuality, humanity, and despatch.

SAMUEL H BENNY.

Aug. 20

FOR HIRE,

A young healthy Negro Woman who has been accustomed to house work, and occasionally to cooking. Enquire of the Editor.

aug 6

TO RENT.



The House and Store now occupied by the Rev. Mr. Hazel, next door to the Easton Gazette Office. Apply to the subscriber.

R. H. GOLDSBOROUGH.

Dec 12

For Sale or Rent.

A very valuable Tan Yard in the Town of Easton, Maryland. To an active and enterprising young man, with some capital, this property might be made very profitable, being in a neighborhood where there is a large consumption of leather, and a considerable supply of raw hides. The facilities of communication with the city of Baltimore are very great, as two Packets and a Steam Boat ply constantly when the navigation is open. For further particulars enquire at this office.

March 5, 1836.

The Delaware Journal and the paper at Dover will copy the above once a week for 8 weeks and forward account to this office for collection.

TO MERCHANTS' & MILLERS'.

The subscriber having been appointed keeper of the standard for Talbot county for 1836, hereby gives notice that he will attend at the following places, for the adjustment of Weights and Measures on the following days, weather permitting. At Easton on Wednesday 24th August—at St. Michaels on Thursday 25th—At the Trappe, on Friday 26th—at Loockerman's, and the other Mills on Thursday and Friday first and second of September.

J. H. McNEAL.

aug. 20

Constable's Sale.

By virtue of two writs of Fieri Facias's issued by Wm. H. Hayward, Esq. a Justice of the peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Talbot County, and to me directed and delivered, to wit, one at the suit of James C Wheeler use of Thomas Kelly against Lewis Coulbourn and Joseph Council, the other at the suit of Harrison Austin against Lewis Coulbourn and Joseph Council, will be sold for cash to the highest bidder on Saturday the 3rd day of September next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 5 o'clock, P M. of said day at the residence of said Council in Easton, the following property viz: One House and lot with all the improvements thereon situate on Goldsborough's Street where said Council resides also two Beds, Bedsteads and Furniture, to pay and satisfy said writs of fi. fa. and the interest and costs now due and to become due thereon.

Attendance given by

SAM'L S. SATTERFIELD,
Constable.

aug 13

Talbot County, to wit.

On application to me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid, by petition in writing of Henry Tomlinson, stating that he is under executions and pressed for debts that he is actually unable to pay, and praying for the benefit of the Act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of Insolvent Debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts—and the said Henry Tomlinson having complied with the several requisites required by said acts of Assembly—I do hereby order and adjudge that the said Henry Tomlinson be released from his confinement, and that he be and appear before the Judges of Talbot county Court, on the first Monday of November Term next, and at such other days and times as the Court shall direct, the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said Henry Tomlinson to attend and shew cause if any they have, why the said Henry Tomlinson should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly.

Given under my hand the 8th day of June, 1836.

E. N. HAMBLETON.

aug 13

THE LADY'S BOOK.

OR

Philadelphia Monthly Magazine.

Several Ladies of the highest Literary standing in the Country, have complied with the terms offered by the Publisher, and their contributions will appear in succeeding Numbers, commencing with Vol. 14.

This popular periodical has now completed the sixth year and twelfth volume of publication and still continues, as at first, the most popular work of its class.

The publisher is grateful for the patronage extended to him, and will endeavour by unremitted exertions, to merit it. The Lady's Book was the first publication that attempted to give correct coloured representations of the Philadelphia Fashions. The work, as stated above, has now been published for six years, and the proprietor asks a careful examination of it from the many that have been subscribers from the commencement; and their candid judgment, whether it has not been constantly improving, from volume to volume. He may with safety say, that the engravings, which adorn each number, are such as would be creditable to the same class of periodicals in England. The Fashions are superior to all but but those in the Court Magazine, and equal to them. If the subscription shall still continue to increase, greater exertions will be made. The promises made in the commencement of the year have by far been exceeded—and this is a fact that few periodicals can boast of—the promises made in advertisements, in general, far exceeding the performance.

MANNER OF EMBELLISHING.

January, March, May, July, September, November, COLOURED ENGRAVINGS of Philadelphia Fashions.

February, April, June, August, October December, STEEL ENGRAVINGS of different subjects.

Each number also contains either two Views or two Heads from the Portrait Gallery—Embroidery——Fac Similes—Music—forty eight pages of reading, and other matter, so varied as to require more space than can be spared to mention them.

The price is $3 per annum, or two copies for $5—in all cases payable in advance.

Orders (post paid) to be addressed to

L. A. GODEY, Publisher, Philadelphia

June 25

TO THE PUBLIC,

The subscriber has been informed that there is a report in circulation stating that he has disposed of his possessions on the Choptank, and ceased to keep the Cambridge Ferry. This report was undoubtedly gotten up by some malicious individual with a view of injuring the subscriber, and, if suffered to remain uncontroverted, the aim of its originator would certainly be attained. The subscriber, therefore, takes this method of informing his friends and the public, that there is not the slightest foundation in truth for the above mentioned report; but that, on the contrary, he still keeps the Cambridge Ferry, and expects so to do the remainder of his days. His boats are substantial, safe and in good order, and are under the management of as prompt, active, trusty and experienced hands as those belonging to any boat that has hitherto been, or may hereafter be, stationed on the above named ferry, while he keeps, as usual, good horses and carriages for the accommodation of travellers. He has signals on both sides of the river, which his boat will always answer with the utmost despatch, so that no one shall be kept waiting longer than shall be absolutely necessary.

The subscriber returns his thanks to his friends and the public for the very liberal patronage which he has heretofore received from them; and, as his long experience in the business, and his determination to use his best efforts to please, induce him to hope that he will give general satisfaction, he respectfully solicits a continuance of their favor.

THOS: BOWDLE.

july 16

THE SATURDAY NEWS,

AND

LITERARY GAZETTE:

A WEEKLY FAMILY NEWSPAPER,

Devoted to Literature, Criticism, the Fine Arts, General Intelligence, News, &c.

Price Two Dollars per annum—payable in advance.

On Saturday, July 2, 1836, the subscribers will commence, in Philadelphia, the publication of a new weekly newspaper under the above title.

The *News* will embrace every variety of light literature, including, Tales, Poetry, Essays, Criticism, Notices of the Fine Arts, the Drama, &c. The original matter will be supplied by writers of the first eminence. A regular correspondence will be maintained with Washington, and the principal Cities of the Union, and arrangements are in progress by which letters from Europe will be constantly furnished.

Attention will be paid to securing at the earliest possible date the choicest productions of the English periodical press. Popular novels will occasionally be given, though they will not be suffered to interfere with a general variety. The latest news, and all items of interesting inteligence will invariably form part of the contents.

The *News* will be printed on a folio sheet of the largest class, and will furnish as large an amount of reading matter as any weekly paper now published in this country. It will be connected in a spirit of the most fearless independence. All allusion to party politics, or sectarian religion will be carefully avoided.

LOUIS A. GODEY,
JOSEPH C. NEAL,
MORTON McMICHAEL.

Agents of this paper will be allowed the usual commission.

Six copies furnished for ten dollars.

All payments to made in advance.

Orders, free of postage, must be addressed to

L. A. GODEY, & Co.
No 100 Walnut St. Philadelphia.

June 11

Our editorial friends in the country will oblige us by inserting the above prospectus, and accepting a free exchange.

EVERY BODY'S ALBUM:

A MONTHLY MAGAZINE OF

Humorous Tales, Essays, Anecdote and Facetiæ.

EMBELLISHED WITH NUMEROUS

Grotesque & Amusing Engravings

Each number comprising seventy two large octavo pages, neatly covered and stitched —making at the end of the year *two* volumes of *eight hundred and sixty four pages* and at least *six hundred Engravings*, with Titles and Index complete—at Three Dollars per annum.

The cheerful & pleasing feature with which it is proposed to diversify and distinguish this work has never yet been adopted by any one of the numerous literary caterers that have hitherto abounded in this country—and its extensive novelty and the vast fund of humour & variety which will be interspersed throughout its pages, is calculated to render it a desirable and popular companion for the amusement of all classes who desire to possess an epitome of the works of celebrated Modern Humorists, Etchers, and Engravers. The encouragement generally given to new undertakings, having a salutary object in view, has proved a decided public advantage, and it is questionable whether any other age has ever brought into active use so large a proportion of the really deserving offsprings of genius and talent as the present. Assured that this periodical, affording, as it will, an elaborate and comprehensive collection of fanciful Illustrations, Satirical Essays in prose and verse, witty Tales, with Quips, Quirks, Anecdote, and Facetiæ, must have a partial tendency (among its patrons at least) to divert into another and more exhilirating channel much of the oppressive action of the mind, consequent upon the cares and vexations of business, the publisher anticipates for it a most flattering and extensive subscription list. The work, at all events, will be commenced on the first of July, and continued for one year, therefore every subscriber will be certain of receiving all the numbers for which he has paid. When the twelve numbers are completed and made up into two volumes, they will form one of the most desirable and amusing records of Wit & Humour which can be found in print. Let the public assist the publisher with their patronage, and he assures them he will leave nothing undone that will give celebrity and popularity to his work.

☞The "*Every Body's Album*" will be published monthly, in numbers of 72 pages, with a variety of embellishments—neatly stiched in colored covers—printed with new type, and on fine white paper, at three dollars per annum, payable in advance. Two copies will be supplied to order, for one year for *five* dollars. ☞When sent to a distance from the city, the work will be packed in strong wrappers, to prevent the least rubbing by the mails. ☞Notes of solvent banks of every description taken in payment of subscriptions Address the publisher (post paid)

CHARLES ALEXANDER.
Athenian Buildings, Franklin Place,
Philadelphia.

June 4

☞A specimen number has been received at this office, and we request our friends to call and see it.

. Wool Carding.

The subscribers havng the milling establishment at Upper *Hunting* Creek, in Caroline county, formerally carried on by Mr. Gibson W. Wright, and we feel confident has rendered satisfaction, and we have in our employ a first rate Carder; so confident we are that we can do good work, that all persons bringing their wool well picked and greased, shall have the carding warranted, good and well carded on the following terms, viz: once through, six cents; twice through eight cents

The citizens of Talbot county who wish to have their wool carded at the *Hunting* Creek Machine, will leave it at the Leather and Shoe Store of Henry E. Bateman & Co. in Easton, where it will be taken, carded and returned in a few days, free of extra charge.

The public's obedient servants,

HENRY & JAMES TURNER.

june 25

N. B. All persons leaving wool, will please to leave a label on their bundles with their name and directions how to card it.

H. & J. T.

CASH

FOR 250 NEGROES,

Including both sexes, from 12 to 25 years of age. Persons having likely servants for sale, will do well to give me a call, as I will give the highest prices in cash. I can at all times be found at D. Bryarly's hotel in Baltimore, on Pratt street, formerly the hotel of Peacock. All persons from the Eastern Shore will please to give me a call. All communications directed to me will be promptly attended to. THOMAS M. JONES.

May 13, 1836. 2mq

26,000 SUBSCRIBERS!

PHILADELPHIA MIRROR.

THE splendid patronage awarded to the Philadelphia Saturday Courier, induces the editors to commence the publication, under the above title, of a quarto edition of their popular journal, so long known as the largest Family Newspaper in the United States, with a list of near *Twenty Six Thousand Subscribers.* The new feature recently introduced of furnishing their readers with new books of the best literature of the day, having proved so eminently successful, the plan will be continued. Six volumes of the celebrated writings of Captain Marryatt, and sixty-five of Mr. Brook's valuable Letters from Europe, have already been published without interfering with its news and miscellaneous reading.—The Courier is the largest and cheapest family newspaper ever issued in this country, containing articles in Literature, Science, and Arts; Internal improvement; Agriculture, in short every variety of topics usually introduced into a public journal. Giving full accounts of sales, markets, and news of the latest dates.

It is published at the low price of $2. For this small sum subscribers get valuable and entertaining matter, each week enough to fill a common book of 200 pages, and equal to 52 volumes a year, and which is estimated to be read, weekly, by at least two hundred thousand people, scattered in all parts of the country, from Maine to Florida, and from the sea board to the lakes. The paper has been now so long established as to render it too well known to require an extended prospectus, the publishers, therefore, will do no more than refer to the two leading daily political papers of opposite politics. The Pennsylvanian says—'The Saturday Courier is the largest, and one of the best family newspapers in the Union;' the other, the Inquirer and Daily Courier, says, 'it is the largest journal published in Philadelphia, and one of the very best in the United States.' The New York Star says—'we know of nothing more liberal on the part of the editors, and no means more efficacious to draw out the dormant talents of our country, than their unexampled liberality in offering literary prizes.

The Albany Mercury of March 16th, 1836, says, 'the Saturday Courier, is decidedly the best Family Newspaper ever published in this or any other country, and its value is duly appreciated by the public, if we may judge from its vast circulation, which exceeds 25,000 per week! Its contents are agreeably varied, and each number contains more really valuable 'reading matter' than is published in a week in any daily paper in the Union.—Its mammoth dimensions enable its enterprising proprietors, Messrs. Woodward & Clarke, of Philadelphia, to re publish in its columns, in the course of a year, several of the most interesting new works that issue from the British press; which cannot fail to give to it a permanent interest, and render it worthy of preservation. To meet the wishes, therefore, of such of their subscribers as desire to have their numbers bound, they have determined on issuing an edition of the Courier in the quarto form, which will render it much more convenient for reading when it is bound in a volume, and thus greatly enhance its value.'

THE QUARTO EDITION.

Under the title of the Philadelphia Mirror, will commence with the publication of the Prize Tale, to which was awarded the prize of $100, written by Miss Leslie, editor of the splendid Annual the Token, and author of Pencil Sketches and other valuable contributions to American Literarure. A large number of songs, poems, tales, &c. offered in competition for the $500 premiums, will add value and interest to the succeeding numbers, which will also be enriched by a story from Miss Sedgewick, author of Hope Leslie, The Linwoods. &c., whose talents have been so justly and extensively appreciated, both at home and abroad.

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MAPS.

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