PROSPECTUS
OF THE
CONGRESSIONAL GLOBE.

The success of the experiment we have made to furnish a succinct history of the proceedings of Congress, from day to day, with ketches of the Debates, induces the undersigned to persevere in their plan to extend and perfect it. They have resolved that the Congressional Globe shall not only embody the parliamentary annals of the country, but shall also furnish an Appendix, which will contain the finished speeches of the prominent speakers, on the most important subjects, written out by the members themselves, from the notes and printed sketches of the Reporters.

The Congressional Globe, with an Index, will be published weekly, upon double royal paper, in octavo form, as heretofore; at one dollar for the session. It may be subscribed for separately. The appendix of finished speeches will, also, be published for one dollar.

It is probable that the next session of Congress will continue nearly seven months; if so the work will contain between four and five hundred pages, and will be the cheapest publication perhaps in the world.

The next session of Congress will probably be the most eventful one which has occured for many years, and will certainly be replete with interest, as its course will have great influence in fixing the destiny of the Republic for years to come, Immediately preceding, as it does, the next Presidential election, and containing the leading minds of all the contending parties in the country, deep and abiding interest will attend the debates. The whole drama will be faithfully exhibited in the Congressional Globe and the appendix.

We have already provided for our reporting corps, eminent ability and skill in one branch of Congress, and we expect to obtain an adequate reinforcement of capable persons in the other, by the time it meets, to fulfil our own wishes and the expectations of the Members. No pains or cost on our part will be spared to accomplish it. As the work will be continued regularly: and made permanent authentic, and therefore highly useful, all who take an interest in the political affairs of the country will do well to begin their subscription with the next session.

TERMS:

Congressional Globe.—1 copy during the session, $1 00
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Appendix.—Same price.

The Congressional Globe will be sent to those papers that copy this Prospectus, if our attention shall be directed to it by a mark with the pen. Our exchange list is so large that we would not observe it, probably, unless this be done.

Payment may be made by mail, postage paid, at our risk. The notes of any specie-paying Bank will be received.

☞No attention will be paid to any order unless the money accompany it, or unless some responsible person, known to us to be so; shall agree to pay it before the Session expires. BLAIR & RIVES.

Washington City. Oct. 14, 1835.

A NEW FEATURE.

WOODWARD & CLARKE, Philadelphia, apprise the public, that in addition to the Foreign and Domestic Intelligence, & the ordinary topics introduced into a newspaper, they will furnish their readers with such new & popular books of Romance, Biography, Travels, &c. as may possess sufficient value and interest. We shall publish during a single year near twenty volumns of the most popular, pleasing, and valuable works in the English language, for which the booksellers would charge at least twelve dollars, and probably more; this, from the large size of our sheet, we can do without at all interfering with our miscellaneous or news department. Added to this, our arrangements for securing the valuable services of an Assistant Editor in New York, and the rich fund of American Literature which-the $500 prises must secure to us, with the great improvements we are about making in the type and printing, and we think no one who has a taste for reading, or wishes to know all that is going on in the world, and have a weekly collection of pleasant & valuable reading, would hesitate about a couple of dollars for a family newspaper containing so large a quantity of amusement and information as the Philadelphia Saturday Courier. The paper has been now so long established as to render it too well known to require an extended prospectus. *From the Literary Advertiser.*

Quote the testimony of the two leading daily political papers, of opposite politics; one of which, the Pennsylvania, 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." We concur with the editor of the New York Star, in saying, "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 liberalty in offering literary prises to the large amount of Five Hundred Dollars for the best National Song; the best American Tale; the best Essay on Health & Quack Doctors; the best Essay on Newspapers; the best Review of Foreigh Traducers of the Trollope and Fidler Shcool; and the best Satirical and Humorous subjects, to enrich and diversify the Saturday Courier; being, as the editor says, 'determined to spare neither pains, exertion, nor expense, in making their paper, if possible, the best, as it is already the largest, in the United States." A commendable spirit of enterprise, and one that should certainly insure a large addition to Messrs. Woodward & Clark's present list of 29,000 subcribers.

It is the largest and cheapest family newspaper; it contains articles in Literature, Science and Arts; Internal Improvement; Agriculture; in short every variety of topics that can possibly be introduced into a public journal. Giving full accounts of sales; markets, and news of the latest dates.

It ispublished 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.

☞Agents, Post Masters, or those who are already, or who desire to become subscribers, or any individual in any part of the United States, who will forward us, by mail, at our risk, Ten Dollars, shall have six copies forwarded according to his direction.

We are anxious that our brother editors should lend us their aid on the approach of the New Year, but as they have already manifested so liberal a disposition in advertising for us, a well as other papers, we feel unwilling to tax their generosity further.

TO THE PRINTERS
OF THE
UNIED STATES

J. SPITALL,
WOOD LETTER CUTTER AND ENGRAVER,
No. 21, Franklin Place,
—PHILADELPHIA.—

RESPECTFULLY anounces to the printers of the United States, that he has commenced the manufacture of WOOD LETTERS.

Wood Letters of every description, from four to thirty-four lines Pica, or upwards, made to order on the shortest notice,

Ornamental Letters of entirely new and most splendid patterns, for heads of Newpapers, Title Lines, &c. from two lines Great Primmer to any size larger.

His type will be made of materials of the best assortment, well seasoned and prepared by machinery, invented for the purpose, which insures the most exact adjustment.

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Executed with neatness and promptitude.—Heads for Newspapers, Fac-Similes, Ornamental and Plain Rules, &c. &c. cut with the greatest accuracy in type metal or wood.

Old cast metal cuts, ornaments, &c. engraved over, and made equal to new for half their original cost.

A liberal discount for cash. Six months credit on the most approved security. Orders from the country promptly attended to. All letters must be post paid.

☞Editors of papers in the country who will give the above advertisement a few insertions, and forward a paper containing the same to the advertiser, will be paid therefor in any of the above mentioned materials.

July 27, 1835

ALEXANDER'S
MODERN
ACTING DRAMA,
NEW SERIES,
Embellished with Splendid Engravings.

The publisher has been induced, from the extensive patronage bestowed on his work, materially to change its typographical appearance and to improve and enlarge its pages—it is already known to be the most popular edition of Plays which has ever been attempted in this country, and the prospect of its further success is ample and satisfactory. In futnre the MODERN ACTING DRAMA will be published in monthly numbers of 48 pages each—12 of which will constitute a volume, or one year's subscription—embracing in all FIVE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX PAGES. Every PLAY or FARCE is to be *accompanied by a beautiful and appropriate Engraving*—making in the course of the year nearly FIFTY-two EMBELLISHMENTS—to which will be added as a Frontispiece to the work, a full sized STEEL ENGRAVING, containing the likenesses of SIX DISTINGUISHED ACTORS AND ACTRESSES. Every person who desires to preserve an invaluable collection of the best Dramatic Authors should forward his name forthwith, as the edition will be limited to the number which is absolutely subscribed for.

☞*The publisher pledges himself to make this work equal in interest and superiority of execution to his prospectus, or he will refund the price or subscription, free of all charges.*

The first number of the new series will appear about the 1st of March—this delay is occasioned by the time necessarily consumed in preparing the Engravings. The terms of the MODERN ACTING DRAMA is three dollars per annum, payable in advance. Subscribers to the GENTLEMAN'S VADE MECUM will be furnished with both works for five dollars.

☞Any person collecting four subscribers to the GENTLEMAN'S VADE MECUM or the MODERN ACTING DRAMA, & remitting the amount of one year's subscription ($3) for each—shall be presented with the NOVELIST'S MAGAZINE, in two volumes, a work of considerable popularity, and which is now selling for $3—it contains the productions of eight different authors, well known to the public as among the most interesting writers of the day.

☞A large and beautiful white sheet, imperial size, FILLED ON BOTH SIDES WITH HUMOROUS AND COSTLY ENGRAVINGS, will be published every quarter as a supplement to the SALMAGUNDI. It will be furnished *gratuitously* to all new subscribers to the GENTLEMAN'S VADE MECUM, or the MODERN ACTING DRAMA, and to all the old subscribers of these works who forward their subscriptions, for the present year, in advance, without further solicitation.

March 7, 1836.

AN INTERESTING SHEET.

THIS DAY PUBLISHED IN THE VADE MECUM:

☞THE BOTTLE IMP,
A Drama, in two acts;
GENTLEMEN'S FASHIONS,
For Oct., Nov., and Dec.
☞FEATS OF ARCHERY,
With an Engraving;
JOHN ANDERSON MY JO,
Set to Music.

A variety of Sporting matters, account of Recent Races, and a brief yet comprehensive Epitome of passing events, &c. &c. in addition to the foregoing, are comprised in today's number of this popular Sporting Journal.

☞A PREMIUM CONSISTING OF TWO VOLUMES, 500 pages each, of the Novelist's Magazine, containing eight different Novels, by the most popular authors, will be presented to the Agent who shall procure four names to the Modern Acting Drama or the Gentlemen's Vade Mecum, and remit the amount of one year's subscription for each,

☞Gentlemen wishing to subscribe to either of the above works, will address CHAS. ALEXANDER, No. 3 Athenian Buildings, Franklin Place, Philadelphia.

☞Subscriptions for the above will be received at this Office.

Oct. 24 (Nov. 2.) 1835.

Dr. Thomas y. Handy

WILL be in East New Market, during the week previous to next October term of Dorchester County Court, and in Cambridge during Court, where all persons indebted to him on Notes, Bonds, and Judgments, are solicited to be prepared to liquidate the same. And those who have either overlooked or disregarded his public invitation, of previous date, to come forward and adjust their claims, are informed that their accounts have been placed in the hands of his Collector, Mr. Henry Edmondson, to whom they are respectfully requested to make early payment.

April 11th, 1836. 3w (C)

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 no less than a year.

Subscriptions received by F. G. COMSTOCK, Secretary, Hartford Conn. to whom all communications may be addressed, post paid, will be attended to.

☞Editors who will copy the the above, shall receive the publication for one year.

Hartford April, 1835—July 27

GENTLEMAN'S VADE MECUM,
OR THE SPORTING AND DRAMATIC COMPANION.

This periodical is now in successful operation in Philadelphia. In the short space of ten weeks, it has obtained an accession of more than twelve hundred subscribers. Its contents are carefully adapted to the wants of that portion of the public who patronize Dramatic Literature, the Turf, Sporting and the fashions.

THE DRAMA—Forms a material portion of the Gentleman's Vade Mecum. It is intended to publish alternately, every week, an entire play or 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 invidious comparisons, and recommended by their brevity, are regularly inserted,—besides Biographical Sketches, Anecdotes, and Bon Mots, of prominent Commedians of the greatest and past ages, of which a rare and inexhaustible compilation is in store.

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

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

GENTLEMEN'S FASHIONS.—Quarterly Reviews are procured, explanatory of the various improvements and changes which costumes worn in the fashionable circles constantly undergo; by which it is 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. Providing 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 purposes 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 is 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 all others in the United States, and the Canadas, that patronize this paper—Agriculture—*The American Songster*, being a selection of the most popular airs, set to music—and all other matters, regarding which an interest is supposed to exist at home or abroad.

THE GENTLEMAN'S VADE MECUM, &c., is 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 to the publishers, postage paid. The terms will be strictly adhered to.

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

Subscribers to the GENTLEMAN'S VADE MECUM, and the MODERN ACTING DRAMA, are entitled to a deduction of one third, when settling for the latter work.

The publishers will exchange with any of their Country Brethren who will oblige them with an occasional insertion of this advertisement.

MARYLAND COLONIZATION
JOURNAL.

PROSPECTUS.—The Board of Managers of the State Colonization Society, and the Board of Managers of the State Fund, have resolved to publish a quarterly journal for the purpose of diffusing information concerning the principles and progress of the Maryland plan of Colonization. The Journal will also contain occasional notices of the operations of the friends of Colonization in other parts of the Union. It will be published at least once a quarter, and sometimes oftener. Persons wishing to receive it regularly as published, may become subscribers by paying fifty cents per annum in advance. Donations for the support of the paper will be thankfully received. The friends of Colonization throughout the State will confer a great favour by transmitting for the Journal any intelligence which may promote the cause it advocates.

☞All communications are to be directed to the "*Maryland Colonization Journal*, Office of the Maryland State Colonization Society, Baltimore."

June 4.

THE GENTLEMAN'S
VADE MECUM,
OR THE
SPORTING AND DRAMATIC COMPANION:
INTERSPERSED WITH A
MULTITUDE OF ENGRAVINGS.
INCLUDING
Portraits of Celebrated Winning Horses,
Philosophical and Natural Phenomena,
LEGERDEMAIN, &c.

IT is now six months since this publication was commenced in Philadelphia—and although the publishers have used no extraneous means to circulate a knowledge of its merits, yet such is the satisfaction manifested by that portion of the public who have been made acquainted with its character and contents, that its list of patrons continues constantly and rapidly to increase. This paper is now distributed regularly every week over a wide portion of the Union, and the most satisfactory assurance are received that it will eventually become one of the most popular among the numerous excellent periodicals which issue from the American press. No exertions will be spared to establish its permanent reputation more extensively; and if the liberal sanction of those for whom it is especially designed shall warrant, its future improvement—both as regards typogradhical neatness and embellishment—will be materially advanced.

The different Plays and farces that will appear in the course of a year, of themselves, will be worth more than FOUR times the amount of subscription. The following is a list of those which have already appeared:

Charles the First,	Miss Milford
Is She a Brigand,	R. P. Smith
The Hunchback,	J. S. Knowles
The Deep, Deep Sea,	J. R. Placide
Cheap Living,	F. Reynolds
Shakspeare's Early Days,	C. A. Somerset
Henri Quatre,	T. Morton
Quite Correct,	R. P. Smith
Beggar of Bethnel Green,	J. S. Knowles
Husbands and Wives,	—— ——
Man of Ten Thousand,	Thomas Holcroft
The Ladies' Man,	Wm. E. Burton
I'll Tell You What,	Mrs. Inchbald
The Golden Farmer,	B. Webster
Speculation,	F. M. Reynolds
Olympic Devils,	Planche & Dance
Englishman in India,	—— ——
Shakspeare Festival,	W. T. Moncrieff
The East Indian,	M. G. Lewis
My Friend the Governor,	J. R. Planche
Victorine,	H. M. Milner
The Omnibus,	—— ——
The Child of Nature,	Mrs. Ichabald
The Rencontre	—— ——
The Duel,	R. B. Peake
The Sisters,	W. Barrymore
Vidocq,	—— ——
Hernani,	James Kenney

The MSS copy of the IRISH AMBASSADOR, the favorite and highly interesting Drama in which TYRONE POWER so successively amused the public, as Sir Patrick O'Plenipo, has been obtained by the publishers, and will be published forthwith.

The SPORTING INTELLIGENCER, (at home and abroad) occupies a considerable portion of our colums, and is collected from the most authentic sources.—Among the portraits of celebrated Winning Horses, which have been given are—

The American Trotting Horse, Edwin Forrest.
The imported Racing Horse Messenger.
The favorite Racing Mare Ariel, and her foal by Eclipse.
Bond's celebrated Trotting Horse Norfolk Phenomenon.
The well known English Race Horse Touchstone.

A correct picture of a Race course, occupying the width of seven columns.

Among a variety of other embellishments of subjects of interest which have been published, are the following:

A complete treatise on Riding, with fourteen illustrations, for the improvement of Ladies in that most healthy of all exercises.
Explanation of the Automaton Chess Player, illustrated by eleven engravings.

The subjects which are particularly embraced in the VADE MECUM, will be more distinctly understood from the following summary of them:

The turf and all matters connected therewith.
On the Structure and Character of the Horse.
On the improvement of Horned Cattle.
Rules for Novices in Shooting.
Methods for feeding and training dogs.
Biographies of celebrated Horses; with their Portraits.
Hunting, Fishing, Fowling, &c.
Approved games, from Hoyle and others.
Criticisms on Plays and Actors.
The most popular Songs, Set to music.
The Art of Legerdemain, illustrated.
A variety of Recipes adapted to domestic economy.
An Epitome of important passing events.
Gentlemen's quarterly review of the Fashions.

The VADE MECUM is printed on large imperial paper, of a beautiful white texture; and is published every Saturday, at three dollars per annum, in advance. Orders from abroad, postage paid, will be promptly attended to; and the paper carefully packed, to prevent rubbing by mail.

THE MODERN ACTING DRAMA.

A volume of about 300 pages—containing the Plays, Farces, &c. which appear in the Vade Mecum, neatly printed, and bound in elastic covers, for transportation—is published every six weeks. Eight volumes will constitute a sett, or one year's subscription, the terms for which is three dollars, payable in advance.

***Subscribers to the Vade Mecum are entitled to a deduction of one-third. An order for four setts will be thankfully received, and the work forwarded to any direction, by enclosing a ten dollar note, postage paid.

*** A premium consisting of two volumes, 500 pages each, of the Novelist's Magazine, containing eight different novels, by the most popular authors, will be presented to the Agent who shall procure four names to the Modern Acting Drama or the Gentleman's Vade Mecum, and remit the amount of one years subscription for each.

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JOB PRINTING,

Such as CARDS, LABELS, BLANKS, CIRCULARS, &c., neatly and expeditiously executed at the Office of the Aurora.

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 syle 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 labour attendant upon a multifarious and widely extended business. With the view of completing more quickly the publication of Ludge'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 iti s 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, Sept. 7.

THE LARGEST
FAMILY NEWSPAPER
IN THE UNITED STATES.

This is not said in the spirit of vain boasting, but because it can with strict justice be declared of the PHILADELPHIA SATURDAY COURIER, which contains each week, upwards of two hundred and fifty distinct articles, in prose and poetry. Literature—Science—the Arts—the Latest Foreign and Domestic News—Police Reports—Sporting Intelligence—notices of New Works—besides an immense fund of Miscellaneous Intelligence—the Drama—Marriages, Deaths—Prices of produce, merchandize, stocks, &c.—Engravings—Internal Improvements, Rail Roads, Canals—Travelling—Agriculture, &c. &c.; embracing every variety of topics that can possibly be introduced into a public journal.

The Philadelphia Saturday Courier now established for nearly five years, is, we believe, universally acknowledged to have the largest number of subscribers,

TWENTY THOUSAND!!

The largest variety of Literature, Entertainment, and News, as well as being the Largest and Cheapest Newspaper published in the United States. Notwithstanding its enormous dimensions, it is printed upon a splendid Napier Steam Press, with unexampled rapidity; thus giving the account of Sales, Markets, and news to the latest dates.

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TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS and upwards have already been expended by the publishers of the Saturday Courier in Literary prizes, and in payments to American writers. FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS will shortly be offered in prizes for enriching its columns the promotion of knowledge, and the encouragement of American Literature, evincing a degree of liberality believed to be as unprecedented as their success has already been unexampled.

The Philadelphia Saturday Courier is strictly neutral in party politics and religeous controversies.

Orders, enclosing the address and amount of subscription and post paid, in all cases, will be carefully attended to, if addressed to

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MARTIN VAN BUREN,
OF NEW YORK.
RICHARD M. JOHNSON,
OF KENTUCKY.

IT has fallen to the humble lot of the undersigned to have presented to the American People a third edition of the Biographies of the two above named highly distinguished patriotic citizens, whose constant devotion to the best interests of our Government has led to their designation, as a testimony of the estimation in which their services are regarded by the PEOPLE whom they have served, as candidates for the two first offices within the gift of a FREE, HAPPY, and FLOURISHING NATION. This token of respect gives to the world additional PROOF that faithful services shall not go unrewarded.

The object of this appeal to the republican portion of our fellow citizens, is to obtain their co-operation in the circulation of an edition of 100,000 copies of the joint Biography of Martin Van Buren and Richard M. Johnson, enlarged, revised, and corrected, so as to be valuable to every lover of his country, and like honorable to the distinguished citizens whom WE, THE PEOPLE, intend still further to honor, by their elevation to the offices of President and Vice President of the United States, in the election of 1836. Thus we shall perpetuate the principles of Jefferson, which have been so signally revived, nobly acted upon, and TRIUMPHANTLY carried out by ANDREW JACKSON, who, spurning all flattery, knew nothing but the PEOPLE, and their *respective rights*, regardless of their fortunes, whether *rich or poor!* thus rendering his NAME and his RENOWN as durable as the "EVERLASTING HILLS."

The arrangement of the volume will be as follows:

1st. *Portrait of Andrew Jackson,*
To whom the volume will be inscribed, with an address by the Publisher.

2d. *Portrait of Martin Van Buren,*
To be followed by his Biography, enlarged, including several valuable documents, illustrative of his public character, and exhibiting the magical powers of his gigantic mind, which has ever been devoted to sustain the rights of his country, and the glory and prosperity of his fellow-citizens.

3d. *Portrait of Richard M. Johnson,*
To be followed by his Biography, enlarged, including various speeches, *Sunday Mail Reports*, and other documents, illustrative of his long continued and highly valuable public life, which has ever been devoted to the good of his country; including an authentic account of the fall of the renowned Indian warrior, *Tecumseh*, on the ever memorable 5th of October, 1813—with an engraved view of the battle field.

The work will be *complete in one volume of about 400 pages.* The price to be fixed at the moderate sum of one dollar,* neatly bound with cloth backs; or calf and gilt, with the additional expense of binding. The work which is now in a sate of preparation, shall be such as to give entire satisfaction; as it is in the hands of gentlemen who have for nearly forty years been personally and intimately acquainted with the private and public life of the above named distinguished citizens.

The celebrated address of the Hon. Thomas H. Benton, of Missouri, bearing testimony to the high character of Martin Van Buren; and the eloquent speech of the Hon. James Barbour, of Virginia, in the United States Senate, portraying the chivalry of Colonel Johnson on the field and in the councils of the nation.

As there is among our republican citizens, an extensive population of German origin, the work will appear simultaneously in both the English and German languages. It will, therefore, be necessary for those who wish to have the work in German, to signify the same on the subscription book.

It will, in order to give prompt and extensive circulation to the work, be indispensable for all subscribers to *pay at the time of subscibing*—all money to be at a proper time forwarded with the list of signatures to the publishing committee—which will be duly made known by a notice in the Washington Globe.

*** Democratic editors disposed to encourage the work, will confer a favor which, will be gratefully acknowledged by the subscriber, in giving publicity to the above and receiving subscriptions at their respective offices, to whom a reasonable per centage will be allowed.

The People's obedient servant,
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Washington City, June 1, 1835.

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