COMPETITION IS THE LIFE OF TRADE.

THE subscriber has just received a general assortment of FRESH

DRY GOODS,

purchased at the *lowest* cash prices from the latest importations, which he now offers at a small advance for CASH, or to punctual dealers on the best terms. He has now a fine stock to select from; many goods will be sold at *cost*, and some the subscriber would be happy to part with *even at a loss*, as he will not permit goods to remain on his hands by being undersold elsewhere. The public will do well to give him a call before they make their purchases.

THOMAS WHITE.

Cambridge, Oct. 10 3w

N. B. A splendid assortment of CLOTHS and CASSIMERES. T. W.

CARD.

I WILL board and lodge Jurymen the ensuing Court, as usual, and will provide board for other quiet, well-disposed persons, as well as horse food.

All persons against whom I have claims for rent, negro hire, or otherwise, will please call and settle the same.

All business in my line will be thankfully received and duly attended to.

JAMES HOUSTON.

Cambri'ge, Oct 10 3w

A CARD.

I HAVE removed to that large and commodious House opposite Mr. Page's Office and near the Court House; and will take eight or ten BOARDERS during Court, on accommodating terms.

SOLOMON WILLSON.

Cambridge, Oct 17 3w

TO RENT,

FOR THE ENSUING YEAR,

THE HOUSE and LOTS on Church Creek, where the subscriber formerly resided, and the House occupied by Mrs. Busick. These houses and lots are in good order, and the situation is one among the healthiest in the neighborhood. On this property there is a good Apple Orchard of excellent fruit. The rent will be accommodating to a good tenant.

JOHN CRAWFORD.

Church Creek, Oct 17 4w*

Coach, Gig & Harness

MAKING.

THE subscribers, having removed to Cambridge, Dorchester county, Md., beg leave to inform their friends and the public generally, that they have taken the stand on Race street, which was formerly Kennard's, where they are prepared to execute work in the *COACH, GIG AND HARNESS* making business in all its various branches, with neatness and despatch. Being well acquainted with the business themselves, and intending to keep good

MATERIALS

always on hand, and first rate workmen employed, they flatter themselves that they will be able to finish all kinds of new work in as neat and durable a manner as can be done on the peninsula, and at as moderate prices. All repairs done in the best manner, and at the shortest notice. Those who see proper to patronize them may depend upon having their work faithfully executed, and at moderate charges.

The public's obedient servants,

PURNELL B. CAREY,
GEO. H. SCHLEIGH.

Cambridge, July 18 tf

N. B.—All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to, and all *new work* warranted 12 months. P. B. C., G. H. S.

For Sale or Rent,

The HOUSE AND LOT, together with the LOT opposite, tenanted last year by Dr. H. M. Robertson, situated in the lower part of the town.

ALSO,

The HOUSE AND LOT at present occupied by Joseph Richardson, Jr., Esq.

V. M. ROBERTSON,

July 25 tf Trustee.

Late Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, issued out of Dorchester County Court, and to me directed, in the name and on behalf of the State of Maryland, for the use of Matthew Turnbull, against William Robinson, Robert Hart and Solomon Kirwan, I will sell at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, on Wednesday the 28th of October, instant, at the store of Lake & McNamara, between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock, all the right, title, claim, interest and demand of the said William Robinson, either in law or equity, of, in and to all them tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in Dorchester county aforesaid, and in Robinson's Neck, be the same called by whatsoever name or names they may, and be the number of acres they contain what it may; also, two yoke of Oxen, two Cows and Yearlings, and six head of other Cattle. The above property will be sold to satisfy the above writ of venditioni exponas, and the costs due and to become due. [illegible] subject, has just met [illegible]

[illegible] to bear the *ills* we have,
Than to fly to others that we know not of."

It would be well if many persons afflicted with the *mania* of "going to the West," would profit by the lesson contained in the sentiment of the poet. In pursuit often of some imaginary good, men tear themselves from the homes of their fathers, and breaking up all the associations of their happier years, emigrate to a distant land. It is true things may not go on as well with them here as they might wish, but a little patience and rather more industry than have hitherto characterized them, would probably make their "rough places smooth." At least, no one should venture upon so impor- [illegible] sider-

$150 REWARD.

RANAWAY, on Saturday, the 18th ultimo, a negro man named

JACK,

about thirty years old, of dark color, and has large grey or whitish eyes, with much hair or wool on the breast. He is about five feet three or four inches high, stout made, and walks rather with a dodge. He took away with him a new suit of blue striped kersey, one striped cotton kersey, black and white, one brown frock coat with pearl buttons, boots, shoes, a fur hat, and a quantity of other clothing not recollected. If the above Jack is taken in the county, thirty dollars will be given; one hundred dollars if taken out of the county; and one hundred and fifty dollars if out of the State, so that, in either case, I get him again.

JOSEPH LECOMPTE.

Near Cambridge, Dor. Co., Md., May 2, 1835.

$200 REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, living in Dorchester county, Maryland, on Tuesday night last, a negro man, named

HARRY HUMANN,

about thirty years old, five feet six or eight inches high, well-made and very black, with a scar on his breast, occasioned by a burn. He can read, write and cipher, and is a very shrewd fellow. He is, also, a first-rate sawyer, and can do rough carpenter's work.

The above reward of two hundred dollars will be paid for the apprehension of the aforesaid Harry, should he be taken out of the State; or one hundred and fifty dollars, if in the State and out of the county; or one hundred dollars if in the county; provided he be delivered to the undersigned, or secured so that he gets him again.

WM. W. HANDLEY,
Adm'r. of Handy Handley.

Sept. 26

The Village Herald, Easton Gazette, Baltimore Chronicle, Delaware Journal and U. S. Gazette are requested to publish the foregoing advertisement, to the amount of one dollar each, and charge the Cambridge Chronicle.

250 Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, living in Dorchester county, Maryland, on Saturday night last, the 26th ultimo, negro men

Jacob and Kit.

JACOB, who calls himself Jacob Ennalls, is about thirty or forty years old, five feet six or eight inches high, and spare made, with a thin visage and a chesnut colour. He wears whiskers, and has a scar on his upper lip, from a bite in fighting—one of his great toes is also disfigured, in consequence of having been mashed when he was a boy, by the fore part of an ox cart against the tongue. He has good use of carpenter's tools—wore away blue kersey pantaloons and roundabout, old drab great coat and fur hat—and has twenty five or thirty dollars in his possession.

KIT, or Christopher Macer, as he styles himself, is about thirty years old, five feet six or seven inches high, well made, and has rather a high forehead, with a light chesnut color, and a considerable impediment in his speech. He took with him a light drab colored box coat, and several suits of clothing which are not particularly recollected.

For the apprehension of either of these negroes, thirty dollars will be given if taken in the county, or fifty dollars if taken out of the county and in the state, or one hundred and twenty five dollars if taken out of the state, provided he be delivered to the subscriber, or secured so that he gets him again. Or, for that of both of them, twice the sum will of course be paid.

SAMUEL KEENE, of E.

Oct 3, 1835

The Journal, Wilmington, and U. S. Gazette, Philadelphia, are requested to publish this advertisement to the amount of two dollars, each, and charge the Cambridge Chronicle.

Late Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, issued out of Dorchester County Court, and to me directed, in the name and on behalf of John Stewart, administrator of James Stewart, for the use of Stephens W. Woolford, against Thomas Byus, I will sell at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, on Wednesday the 28th of October, instant, at the store of Levin W. Tall, at Tobacco Stick, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock, all the right, title, claim, interest and demand of the said Thomas Byus, either in law or equity, of, in and to the following tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in the county aforesaid, that is to say: Woolford's Purchase, 4½ acres, more or less; Woolford's Purchase, 1 acre, more or less; Woolford's Purchase, 6 acres, more or less; and Anthony's Regulation, 23 acres, more or less. The above lands will be sold to satisfy the above writ of venditioni exponas and the costs due and to become due, and also for county charges and officers' fees due me from the said Thomas Byus.

REUBEN TALL,
Late Shff.

Oct 3 4w

Late Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, issued out of Dorchester County Court, and to me directed, in the name and on behalf of Hugh Valliant, against Stewart Keene and Vachel Keene, I will sell at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, on Wednesday the 28th of October, instant, at the store of James Smith, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock, the following property, that is to say: one Cow and two Yearlings, and five Bee-hives, the property of Stewart Keene—And all the right, title, claim, interest and demand of the said Vachel Keene, either in law or equity, of, in and to the following lands lying and being in Dorchester county aforesaid, that is to say: all his right to a tract of land whereon he now lives, be it called by whatsoever name or names it may, and be the number of acres it contains what it may; and one hundred cords of Pine Wood in the woods. The above lands and other property will be sold to satisfy the above writ of venditioni exponas, and the costs due and to become due.

REUBEN TALL, Late Shff.

Oct 3 4w

TO RENT,

THE ENSUING YEAR,

House and Lot at the Cross in the occupancy of Mr. [illegible]. For terms, apply to

THOMAS WINGATE.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will offer at public sale, in Cambridge, for cash, on Wednesday, the 28th of October, instant, his valuable young STALLION, by imported Valentine, 5 years old last May, his dam, a superior mare, by First Consul. Also, two shares in the horse O'Connell.

HENRY M. ROBERTSON.

As I expect to visit the South, this fall, and will be absent until the ensuing summer or fall, I am anxious to close my accounts with those indebted for professional services.

Oct 17 H. M. R.

Valuable Property

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber will offer at public sale, on the first Monday in Court, at three o'clock, P. M., his Bellfield property, near Cambridge Cross Roads. There are on this property a good, comfortable Dwelling House, Cook house, and Outbuildings in good order; one-third part of the land is well set in Timothy. Persons desirous of having good lots near town, will please examine the said property before the day of sale.

A. C. THOMPSON.

Oct 10 3w

NOTICE.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has attached to his establishment a Wheelwright Shop; and that he is prepared to execute orders in that line of business, with despatch, in a neat and durable manner. He solicits a share of public patronage.

RICHARD PHILLIPS.

Cambridge, June 20 tf

A CARD.

A. WOOLFOLK wishes to inform the owners of Negroes in Maryland, Virginia, and North Carolina, that he is *not dead*, as has been artfully represented by his opponents, but that he still lives, to give them CASH and the HIGHEST PRICES for their

NEGROES.

Persons having negroes to dispose of will please give him a chance, by addressing him at Baltimore, where immediate attention will be paid to their wishes.

Oct. 6, 1832.

Laws of Maryland.

[BY AUTHORITY.]

An act to prevent the useless accumulation of cost arising from the publication of notices of orders passed by the courts, or Judges thereof in such counties wherein no newspaper is edited.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That on all applications now pending, or hereafter to be made, for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this State, where the applicant resides in a county where no newspaper is published, and when the list of debts accompanying said application does not exceed five hundred dollars, it shall and may be lawful for the county court, or any judge thereof, or any judge of the orphans' court, to direct notice of such application to be given to the creditors of such applicant, in such manner and at such places as they shall deem effectual, to give due notice of such application; and it shall be the duty of the several courts as aforesaid, to pass a general rule, prescribing the duties of the applicants in reference to the notice to be given to their creditors.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That in every case where notice, by publication in a newspaper is required to be made by any sheriff, coroner or elisor, constable, or other officer, the party defendant shall have the right and privilege of selecting the newspaper in which such notice shall be published, and upon refusing or neglecting to make a selection, the sheriff, coroner or elisor, constable, or other officer, as the case may be, shall make publication in the newspaper making the lowest rate or charge for the advertisement.

A further supplement to an act entitled an act for the relief of sundry Insolvent Debtors, passed at November session, 1805.

WHEREAS, since the passage of the original act to which this is a supplement, the duties of the justices of the orphans' courts have been greatly multiplied, so far as they appertain to the release of insolvent debtors, and the compensation is now greatly inadequate to the services rendered; Therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That in all cases hereafter where a discharge is given by any justice of the orphans' court to any insolvent debtor, and it shall be necessary for said justice to pass an order for the sale of the effects of such insolvent, and to fix the per centage of the trustee, he shall be allowed the sum of two dollars therefor, to be paid by the trustee whose said order is passed, which sum shall be credited to the trustee in making his distribution as part of the expenses accruing in settling his trusteeship, and be deducted from the general amount of assets in his hands.

A supplement to an act entitled an act relating to the records of conveyances, in the several counties of this State, passed at December session, 1833, chapter 88.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the clerks of the several county courts of this State, shall receive, for making the records referred to in the first section of the act, passed at December session, 1833, chapter 88, entitled an act relating to the record of conveyances in the several counties of this State, to which this is a supplement, the same compensation to which they are now entitled by law for recording any matter or thing required to be recorded, to be levied and collected as other county charges now are—*Provided*, that any one or more of the judges of the county courts shall certify to the levy courts or commissioners that the services have been performed.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the second section of the original act to which this is a supplement, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions of this act shall not be construed to apply to Baltimore county.

An act for the benefit of the securities for the appearance of Insolvent Petitioners within this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That from and after the passage of this act, any surety for the appearance of an insolvent petitioner under the laws of this State, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered, and are hereby invested with the same powers, to bring the said insolvent petitioner into court, or before any judge thereof, which special bail now have to bring their principal into court, and when the said petitioner shall be so brought into court, or before any judge thereof, he may be surrendered by his surety and committed into the custody of the sheriff, in the same manner as special bail now surrender their principal, and have him committed to the custody of the sheriff—*Provided, however*, that the said petitioner be so surrendered before or at the first term to which such suit shall be brought upon the bond for the appearance of such petitioners.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That every sheriff into whose custody an insolvent petitioner shall be committed as aforesaid, shall keep said petitioner in custody, and bring the said petitioner into court on the day named in such petitioner's bond for his appearance, and on each day thereafter, until the court, in which the petition of such insolvent petitioner is pending, shall have passed judgment thereupon; and if the said court shall dismiss or quash the said petition, or shall grant a final discharge to the said petitioner, then the said sheriff shall immediately thereafter discharge the said petitioner from his custody; and the said petitioner shall be discharged from custody also, if he shall enter into another bond, with surety to be approved by the court, for appearance as aforesaid, or performance of the conditions of the former bond remaining to be performed.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions of this act shall extend and be considered to apply to the commissioners of insolvent debtors for the city and county of Baltimore, while the petition of any petitioner as aforesaid, shall be pending before them in the place of any county court as aforesaid, and to Baltimore county court, when the case of such petitioner shall have been transmitted to such court.

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That before a surrender shall be allowed as aforesaid, notice shall be given as shall be prescribed by a judge of the court as aforesaid, or one of the said commissioners, to the trustee of the said petitioners, and to any creditor of such petitioner, if he shall have named any creditor upon the schedule with his petition.

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the surety so surrendering a petitioner, shall be bound to pay the allowance for maintenance of said petitioner while in custody aforesaid, which plaintiffs are required to pay toward maintenance of defendant in prison, and if by reason of any default in the premises of such surety, the said petitioner shall be discharged, (which he may be as defendants aforesaid may,) the said surety shall be liable upon the bond aforesaid, as if no surrender had taken place.

Oct 3, 1835

MARYLAND:
Dorchester County Orphans' Court, October 12, 1835.

On application of Peter Lecompte, *Administrator of* Joseph Keys, Jr., *late of Dorchester county, dec'd.*, It is ordered *that he give the notice required by law for all 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 the Cambridge Chronicle, the paper selected by him.*

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of Dorchester county Orphans' court, L. S. *I have hereunto set my name, and the seal of my office affixed, this 12th day of October, in the year of our Lord*, 1835.

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

In compliance with the above order, This is to give notice that the subscriber, of Dorchester county, hath obtained from the Orphans' court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Joseph Keys, Jr, *late of Dorchester county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th of April next; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 12th day of October*, 1835.

PETER LECOMPTE,
Adm'r. of Joseph Keys, Jr., dec'd.

October 17 3w

All persons indebted to the above estate are requested to make immediate payment to the administrator.

American Magazine

OF

Useful and Entertaining Knowledge.

VOLUME II.

Published by the Boston Bewick Company, No. 47, Court street, Boston.

THE Publishers are encouraged by the flattering reception and extensive circulation of the Magazine for the year past, to prosecute the work with renewed assiduity; and with a constant desire to fulfil the promises made in the outset of the work. We intend to 'stick to our text;' and to serve those who have so liberally cheered us with their kind patronage, with what is useful and pleasant. The *utile et dulce* shall still be our object and aim. We do not presume to instruct the veteran and erudite scholar, who has spent thirty or forty years in his study,—nor to lay open those hidden mysteries of nature which have escaped the ken of the most inquisitive. Nor do we expect to approach so near to the moon or other planets, as to tell what are the trees, the birds, and animals which may there grow, or live and move. We leave such extraordinary feats to those who are more visionary, or more daring than we are. But we hope and intend to keep up the character and spirit of the Magazine, in presenting solid and useful articles, which may be instructive to a portion of our readers, and not considered wholly unimportant to literary men. We consider the whole United States as our field, though not our's exclusively; and we ask the favour of persons of taste and science, to communicate important facts, and natural scenes, and works of art, for the benefit of all our friends. As republicans, we feel that we are in the same family as those in the south and in the west—as friends of improvement, of good morals and good learning, we wish also to be considered of the same family. If we can do any thing by our labours to increase and strengthen this sentiment and feeling, "we shall be ready to the good work."

We would call the attention of our present subscribers to the terms of the Magazine, and to the notice in the last number relating to the subject. It is very important to us to know who propose to continue taking the Magazine, and to receive the very small sum, charged for it in advance.

GEORGE G. SMITH, Agent.

Boston, September, 1835. [oc 17]

FOURTH YEAR OF

WALDIE'S LIBRARY.

BOOKS BY MAIL!

PROSPECTUS OF TWO NEW VOLUMES FOR 1836.

THREE years have now elapsed since the proprietor of Waldie's Select Circulating Library laid before the public his original prospectus for a valuable Library, the great features of which were cheapness, and the facility of a rapid transportation by mail. The most ample success has attended this enterprise, and the effects upon the reading community, it is believed, have been welcome.

The fourth year will commence on the first Tuesday of January, 1836, at which period it will be necessary to determine the additional amount of copies to be printed, subscriptions being taken only from January of each year. The entire success of the Library is the best guarantee that can be given of its continuance. It was the first to supply books *by mail* at a mere per centage of their first cost; it has outlived more than thirty popular attempts at imitation; and has now an extensive list of patrons who are of the most solid and valuable class of citizens in every part of the Union, as well as in foreign countries.

The object of Waldie's Library, its use and purpose is enjoyment liberal and intellectual. To all who love a mental banquet, without being compelled to depend on places of public resort, this publication furnishes a most valuable desideratum, supplying polite literature of a character to enlarge and improve the mind. The time and attention of the editor, himself a reader from inclination as well as duty, are devoted to the procurement of works of an elevated standard of intellect which may be admitted into every family without hesitation by the most fastidious and become a rallying point for all its members, promoting social belles lettres reading and conversation. The variety thus collected from the whole mass of published works, mostly new, embraces Biography, Novels, Voyages and Travels, Sketches, Tales and Select History, personal memoirs of extraordinary individuals, and curious adventures, &c. &c. An amount equal to fifty London duodecimo volumes is thus annually furnished in weekly numbers, at a cost only equal to one of the London works. The plan thus embraces the whole range of popular literature, and the work has now become so universally diffused in every part of the Union as to form no inconsiderable portion of the literature of the country, and with which an acquaintance has become really necessary for the who mix in society.

The library, as now conducted, disseminates books to all parts of the country in from five to six weeks after their issue in London. Five dollars per annum expended in this way will supply good reading for a whole circle of family; for a *cent and a half a day*, postage included, a duodecimo book is sent every week, making in the course of the year more than three volumes of Rees's Cyclopedia. One volume of the Library, containing from fifteen to twenty entire works, can be found at an expense little exceeding that of reading either separately, and constitutes a concentrated collection forming a never-failing source of amusement and instruction and which must always be worth the price that has been paid for it. The most ample testimony has been spontaneously afforded that this work has contributed to the pleasure of thousands, who, but for the resource it afforded, must have been left with minds unoccupied, or thrown into unprofitable and uncongenial society. This immense supply of periodical reading has thus become welcomed every where as a means of improvement, and a substitute for the small talk or idle listlessness so apt to employ a large portion of the time of the many.

Waldie's Library is published every Tuesday, accompanied by a cover of four quarto pages, entitled The Journal of Belles Lettres, containing reviews of new books, literary intelligence of all kinds, tales, lists of new books, &c.; thus combining the advantages of a Library, and the amusement of a magazine and newspaper; the whole for FIVE DOLLARS per annum, or clubs of individuals obtain five copies for $20, a reduction which pays the postage. ☞ *Payment always in advance.*

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And Companion to the Library.

THIS periodical contains half as much matter as the Library, at half its price; or *both* are furnished to clubs of five for $6. Its contents consist of a reprint of the best matter from the London Magazines and Reviews, more especially Chambers's Edinburgh Journal. Its object is popular instruction and amusement, combined in such a manner as to enlist the feelings of every member of the social circle. It enjoys an extensive circulation. Price to single subscribers not taking the Library, $2 50, postage paid.

***A very limited number of complete setts of Library and Port Folio, at the original subscription price, may be had for a short period. The Library has been published three years and the Port Folio one; an individual may now form a club by himself, and by paying for the past three years and the volumes for 1836 of the Library, and Port Folio for 1835 and 1836, the whole can be had for $20. For this an amount of matter may be procured which public approbation has stamped as truly valuable and unique of its kind. This privilege must, however, be of brief continuance.

Address, post paid,

ADAM WALDIE,
Seventh, two doors south of Chesnut street, Philadelphia.

☞ The Museum of Foreign Literature and Science, price $6 per annum, the Library and the Port Folio, will be all supplied for *twelve dollars.*

October 17, 1835.

Sheriffalty.

AT the earnest solicitations of my friends, in various parts of the county, I am induced to offer myself as a candidate for the next Sheriffalty of Dorchester. Should I be so fortunate as to be elected, I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office with such fidelity and faithfulness as will afford satisfaction to my fellow citizens.

HIRAM W. WOOLFORD.

Aug 29

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 C[illegible]

Oct. 12, 1833

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FOURTH VOLUME COMMENCES IN NOVEMBER.

THE

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A Monthly Repository of Literature and the Arts,

Devoted almost exclusively to the taste and interest of the Ladies,

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Monthly Magazine	Magazine of the Beau Monde
United Service Journal	Liverpool Albion
London Satirist	Bell's Weekly Messenger
Court Magazine	Translations from La Revue Française, &c. &c.
Oriental Review	
London Mirror	
Ladies' Pocket Magazine	
Ladies' Museum	

☞ The Ladies' Companion is published on the 15th of every month, and is forwarded to subscribers by the earliest mails, enveloped in strong double covers. Post-Masters remitting $5, will be entitled to two copies of the work—and those remitting $15 will be entitled to six copies and a seventh *gratis.*

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Specimen numbers of the work forwarded to any part of the United States.

☞ All letters on *business* must be *post paid*, or they will not be taken from the Post Office. Address

WILLIAM W. SNOWDEN,
Publisher Ladies' Companion,
No. 58, Wall Street, New York,

October 3, 1835.

The Silk Culturist.

THE Executive Committee of the Harford 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.

Watch Found.

WAS found, on the road, near Washington Chapel, some time in the early part of September, a WATCH, which the owner can have by properly identifying, and paying for this advertisement. Apply to

MARTIN L. WRIGHT.

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Cash for Negroes,

INCLUDING both sexes, from 12 to [illegible] years of age. Persons having like servants to dispose of, will find it to their interest to give us a call, as we will give higher prices in cash. We had long been chaser who is [illegible] were nearly, if not [illegible] come [illegible]

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TRICKS UPON TRAVELLERS.

A YANKEE TRICK.

It was a time of great bustle and expectation in the little village of L———, situated "somewhere out of the world, and up in the woods," in the State of Massachusetts.—There was to be a special frolic in the shape of a horse-race—a horse-race, do I say? I mean a scramble of quadrupeds; for since the practice had been known there, very few of the animals that put their hoofs in, would have been entitled to the name and honors of a horse at Doncaster. Four-footed animals they were for the most part, though some of them kept the fourth in reserve, and chose to go upon three—Narragansett pacers, Vermont shamblers, Berkshire blunderers, Connecticut caperers, Worcester plough-joggers, Dogtown dumpies,—in short, the tag rag-and-bob-tail of the four-footed creation; not that Yankee-land is deficient in prime horse-flesh, witness the Tom Thumb the Great, or the steeds of the mail stages, if you have been in that country; or the progeny of that celebrated mare whom a flash of lightning chased all round a ten-acre lot, without being able to catch her. But horse-racing is no regular trade or common occupation in New England; nobody makes a business of rearing animals for the turf; and when an occurrence of this sort takes place, it is no very studied affair, but a frolicsome scramble among all the beasts of burden in the neighborhood, or such as chance brings along at the moment.

Once a year it had been customary to run a race of this sort in the village of L———, and the fleetest runner of this motley multitude won a prize of some value, to which every adventurer contributed a sum. On the present occasion the prize was considerably augmented by an offer from an individual who had constituted himself a society for the promotion of horse-racing, and more than common interest was of course excited at the approach of the festival. The old farmers who had horses fit for running, gave them extra quantities of corn and fewer applications of the lash, as if to be fat and fleet were the same thing. Some, however, were more cautious in their preparations, and, among the rest, Job Hawker, a sly, calculating, guessing, questioning, bargaining, Jack-of-all-trades sort of a chap, long-sided and limber-tongued, with a face as grave as a deacon, but a roguish twinkle of the eye on occasion, that gave you assurance he was no greenhorn. Job's horse had beaten them all hollow the former year, and he was in full confidence of the same good fortune this time. Howbeit, he took all imaginable precautions to secure success, and put his steed only to that quantum of exercise and fodder which he judged conducive to speed.

But while he was flattering himself with the prospect of certain victory, as the day of trial approached, he was thrown into consternation by the arrival of a stranger, mounted on a Canadian pony, who came with the avowed intention of putting in for the prize. At the first announcement of this intelligence, Job fell into despair, for it so happened that he knew the individual, having encountered him in the northern part of Vermont, while on a trading excursion in that quarter. Job had witnessed the trial of speed which the pony exhibited there, and knew that his own Bucephalus was no match for him. It was plain that if the Canadian took a share in the race, he must win, and the catastrophe seemed inevitable, for nobody had a right to exclude him. It was a grievous thing for Job to think of having the prize snatched from before his eyes, when it had been augmented to a double value, and just at a moment when he imagined it within his grasp. Job had not all the patience of his namesake of old, as evinced by his conduct in this emergency. He did not sit down and curse the day he was born, giving up the whole concern for a bad bargain; but he sat down upon a log of wood and scratched his head. This sage manœuvre was practised for the purpose of devising by what art, stratagem, cunning device, or quizzical circumvention, he might get rid of this formidable rival. His first thought was to

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