CIVIL APPOINTMENTS

By the Executive of Maryland—Feb., 1837.

FOR DORCHESTER COUNTY.

LEVY COURT.

John C. Henry, William W. Lake, Samuel Sewell, Jacob Willson, John Webster, John Griffith and Reuben Tall.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

William Byus, Minos Adams, Wm. Frazier, Uriah Medford, Levin Richardson, Eccleston Brown, Richard C. Keene, James Carroll, Timothy McNamara, Thomas Summers, James Hammersly, Wesley Woodland, James Houston, Wm. I. Ford, Lewis Ross, Edward Wright, Whitefield Woolford, Wm. Banning, Thos. Barnett, Levin Jones (C. H.), Samuel Sewell, Elijah Tall, Stephen Andrew, Henry C. Elbert, Luke Meziek, Matthias Travers (E. I.), Nimrod Newton, Henry Cook, of Th., James Higgins, Stephen Raulcigh, Samuel Pattison, John Spedden of Robt., Samuel Craig, John Hooper (H. I.), Levin Keene of Henry, James K. Lewis, Archibald F. Reagan, John T. Stewart, Jos. S. Hooper, John Rowins, Joseph Vaugan, William Newton, William Andrews, Garrett McBride, Solomon Robinson, Devereux Travers, James Smith (S. C.), John G. Abbott, Stanley Richardson, John Webb, Henry L. McNamara, Richard Tall, John Newton, John Brohawn, Reuben Martino, Thomas J. Pattison, Horatio Hughes, Fielder D. Jones, Gardner Bayley, Harrison Winterbottom, John F. Eccleston, Ignatius B. Newton, William Howeth, John Thompson of Thos, Joel Cornwell, John Jones of Col., Michael Mitchell, Hooper Ragleigh, John Keene (C. H.), John R. Creighton, Thomas Wingate, William H. Yates, James Smith of Levin, Clement McNamara, Charles J. Smith, Levin L. Keene, William D. Lynch, Brannock Moore, John Roberson (Hicksburg), Levin W. Tall, William Medford (C.C.), Nathaniel E. Green, Jesse Wheatley, John Travers of John, John Griffith, William S. Harper, William Meares, Samuel Harrington, John Woollen, Barzilla Slacum, Wm. Geoghegan (T. I.), Samuel J. Meekins, Matthew Mister, John B. Robinson, Solomon F. Kirwan, William K. Travers, James Cooper (B. W.), James Pattison (T. P.), John Travers (H. I.) and Charles L compte of Levin.

SCHOONERS.

William W. Jones, Samuel Mowbray, John Muir, William G Lecompte, John Collins (N. W. F.), Marcellus Insley, Francis Price, William A. Slacum, William D. Travers, Solomon H. Mitchell, William Bell, Edwin E. Medford.

NOTICE.

HAVING reason to believe that my wood lands in Black Water have been greatly trespassed on I do hereby forewarn *all* persons from committing farther depredations as I am determined to punish, by law, any such as may hereafter pillage wood from them.

For Sale—A quantity of Corn.

To Hire—For the balance of the present year, a negro woman and a girl.

E. S. CHAPLAIN

Jan. 28 3w

TO THOSE WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber as trustee, are advised that suit will be brought on the several debts at April term next, unless they shall be paid or arranged by the 10th day of March next.

Feb. 4 3w H. PAGE.

Constable's Sale.

BY virtue of four writs of fieri facias, issued by John Newton, Esq., and to me directed, two at the suit of Joseph Richardson, Jr., one at the suit of Benjamin Stewart, and one at the suit of Gardner Bayley, against Solomon Corner and wife, I will sell, at public sale, for cash, on Saturday the 4th day of March next, between the hours of 9 and 3 o'clock, at the tavern of Mr. Thomas Davidson, in Cambridge, all the right and title of said Corner and wife to the following property, to wit: - One House and Lot in Cambridge, one walnut Table, one pine do., six Windsor Chairs, one pair Andirons, one Workstand, one water Table, one small do., one mahogany do., one Carpet, one Reel, one half-bushel, ten flour barrels, more or less, &c. &c. Taken as the property of said Corner and wife, and will be sold to satisfy the above named writs and costs.

This property will be sold subject to a judgment of William Rea and Shadrach Mitchell.

Attendance given by

FRANCIS PRICE,
Constable.

Feb 11 3w

DR. R. M. WALLACE,

OFFERS his professional services to the public. He can be found at the residence of his father (Big Mills,) by those who desire his aid.

Feb. 4 3w

Apprentices wanted.

AS the subscriber is about enlarging his Manufactory, and having sent to the city for more first rate workmen, he is desirous of obtaining 2 or 3 boys as apprentices to the Hatting business, of good moral character, from the age of 14 to 16.

The subscriber, having served his time with a first rate workman in Baltimore, he is of the opinion, that he, together with the assistance of his workmen, can impart that kind of instruction that will make boys entrusted to his care, proficient in the art of manufacturing hats.

He is desirous of obtaining boys of respectable connexions, as he will feel himself in every bound to instruct them in good moral habits.

Apply to

FRANCIS S. CORKRAN.

Race street, Cambridge,
2 mo. 11th, 1837.

Magistrates' Blanks,

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

THE STEAM-BOAT

MARYLAND

WILL come to Cambridge on Tuesday, the 8th instant, and call again on the following morning, on her return to Baltimore; and will hereafter be at that place every Tuesday and Friday evening, and every Wednesday and Saturday morning, the remainder of the season.

L. G. TAYLOR.

Nov. 5

NOTICE.

AN ENTIRE STOCK OF

New Goods,

JUST received by the subscriber, in the store house formerly occupied by Mr. Charles Corkran, and lately by Mr. Francis J. Henry, nearly opposite Messrs. Samuel & E. P. Lecompte's. The stock is selected from the latest importations, and being all new, offers inducements to purchasers to call and see the Goods; and for cash or short credit bargains may be had. I invite the public to examine before they buy.

THOMAS HAYWARD.

Cambridge, August 27, 1836 tf

Clock and Watch MAKING.

THE subscriber, having taken the shop on Race street, Cambridge, belonging to Dr. John Hooper, and immediately opposite Messrs. Straughn's store, respectfully notifies the inhabitants of that town and its vicinity that he is prepared to execute all orders in his line as

Clock and Watch Maker,

with promptness and fidelity. The experience of the undersigned in his business, together with a determination to merit his abilities to please his customers, will, he hopes not, enable him to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with their orders.

JOHN ROWINS.

Dec. 10 tf

600 DOLLARS Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, on Monday last, the 12th of September, instant, three likely negro men, called

Dolph, Alec & Alfred.

Dolph is from 30 to 35 years old, about 5 feet 6 inches high, very black, round shouldered and walks clumsily.

Alec, aged about 25 years, is about 5 feet 10 inches high, spare made, and of a brown chesnut color. He is slow of speech and is very much addicted to excessive drinking of ardent spirits.

Alfred, who generally stammers a little but at times considerably, is about 5 feet 4 inches high, well-formed, of a light chesnut complexion, and about 22 years old.

The above named reward of six hundred dollars will be paid for the apprehension of these negroes, if they be taken out of this county; or two hundred dollars for any one of them. But if taken in the county, three hundred dollars for all, or one hundred for each of them—Provided, in either case, that they be secured in Cambridge jail, so that the owner get them again.

ISAAC S. MEEKINS

Cambridge, E. S., Md.,
Sept. 17, 1836

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

DORCHESTER

CATTLE SHOW.

IT is contemplated, if adequate patronage can be obtained, to revive the exhibition of the DORCHESTER CATTLE SHOW for the ensuing fall.

A subscription paper for the purpose will be found at the store of Thomas Hayward, Esq., in Cambridge.

Farmers, and all others of any and every profession, who feel an interest in the AGRICULTURE of the county, are invited to call and enter their names, as members of the Society, whose former benefits are acknowledged.

AGRICULTOR.

Jan. 7, 1837.

The editor of the Aurora is requested to publish the above notice several times, as his portion of patronage. A.

NOTICE.

WILL be sold low for cash, or paper, or in exchange for stock or country produce, a pair of young, well broke, beautiful, matched Horses, swift of foot and perfectly unexceptionable as to form and action—Also, a very superior finished Barouche, nearly new, made by one of the best workmen in Baltimore. Inquire at this office.

Dec. 10

An Overseer wanted.

THE subscriber wishes to employ for the ensuing year, an Overseer, who can come well recommended for competency, industry and honesty. To such a one, liberal wages will be given; and none other need apply.

JOHN BROHAWN.

Dec. 10

NOTICE.

THE subscriber has opened a HOUSE OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT at that long established Tavern House, the property of Joshua Brattan, Esq., known by the name of Barron Creek Springs, which will be kept in good order. He pledges himself to keep the best table the market will afford, and pay good attention to those who may call to give him a trial.

JESSE D. BRADLEY

July 9

Job-Printing,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

NEATLY AND EXPEDITIOUSLY

Executed at the Chronicle office,

AT MODERATE PRICES.

CLARK'S

OLD ESTABLISHED LUCKY OFFICE, N. W. corner of Baltimore and Calvert streets, (under the Museum,) where have been sold PRIZES!

PRIZES!! PRIZES!!! *to Dollars—Millions of Millions.*

NOTICE.—Any person or persons, throughout the United States, who may desire to try their luck, either in the MARYLAND STATE LOTTERIES, or in an thousand Lotteries of other States, some one of which are drawn daily—Tickets from One to Ten Dollars, shares in proportion—are respectfully requested to forward their orders by mail, (post paid,) or otherwise, enclosing cash or prize tickets which will be thankfully received and executed by return mail, with the same prompt attention as if on personal application, and the result given (when requested) immediately after the drawing. Please address

JOHN CLARK,

Old established Prize Vender, N. W. Corner of Baltimore and Calvert Streets, under the Museum.

Baltimore, July 23, 1836.

Coach, Gig & Harness

MAKERS.

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

Coaches Barouches, CHARIOTEES, GIGS,

SULKIES, 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 fond of elegance, 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 assistance 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 and second hand, of various kinds and prices; and they solicit an early call from their friends and the public generally.

The public's ob't. serv'ts.,

ANDERSON & HOPKINS.

Easton, Talbot county, Md., April 16.

P. S. 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 to the above business, of moral habits, from 14 to 18 years of age.

REMOVAL.

THOMAS HAYWARD

HAS REMOVED to his old stand, lately occupied by Mr. Joseph Richardson, Jr., and has just received, in addition to his

Entire Stock of New Goods,

his winter supply,

where as good bargains can be had as at any store on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. Cash is preferable, but barter or short credit will answer.

Purchasers are invited to examine his stock before they buy elsewhere

Dec. 10

IN CHANCERY,
February 1st, 1837.

Ordered, That the sale made and reported by Henry Page, Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Michael Lucas, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the 10th day of April next—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted once in each of three successive weeks, in some paper, before the 10th day of March next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $800.

True copy.

Test: RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Can.

Feb. 11 3w

NOTICE.

THE subscriber takes this method to forewarn all persons against gunning, gigging or cutting timber on his marsh situated on Transquaken River, and known by the name of Guinea

LEVIN WALL, of S.

Feb. 4 3w

Notice to Newspaper Publishers.

THE Editor of the "The Delawarean," published at Wilmington, Delaware proposes to publish a *Newspaper Directory*, and therefore asks as a favor, that each paper published in the United States, will forward him, by mail, one copy of their paper. He intends to arrange them by States, giving their politics, &c. For this favor, each editor sending his paper, shall receive one copy of the Directory, as soon as made ready. The advantages of a sheet of this kind to publishers must be apparent to all.

☞ Editors will please copy the above once or twice, in order to give it circulation.

Feb. 18

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton's Boarding School

FOR YOUNG LADIES,

Corner of Cortland and Saratoga streets,

BALTIMORE,

WILL BE RE-OPENED on Monday the 5th of September next. As the Institution, during the present year, has received the most extensive improvements and additions, the Principals feel a confidence in saying they believe it to be *now* superior to any similar establishment ever offered to the public patronage, both in the School and Boarding departments.

Although the character of this Institution is generally well known, yet for the satisfaction of those unacquainted with it, they give the following gentlemen as references:

Rev. Dr. *Johns*, Rev. Dr. *Henshaw*.
Rev. *J. M. Duncan*.

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

August 27, 1836.

☞ The Whig and Gazette, Easton; the Cambridge Chronicle; Bugle, Chestertown; Princess Anne Herald, Annapolis Republican and Gazette; and Cecil Whig, Port Deposite, will publish the above to the amount of three dollars each, send one paper to the advertiser, and charge the Baltimore American office.

MARYLAND:
Dorchester County Orphans' Court,
February 20, 1837.

On application of Henry L McNamara, *Executor of* William McNamara, *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, I have hereunto set my name, and the seal of my office affixed, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord, 1837.

L. S.

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 testamentary on the personal estate of William McNamara, *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 August next; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 20th day of February*, 1837.

HENRY L. McNAMARA,
Ex'r. of William McNamara, dec'd.

Feb. 25 3w

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

MARYLAND:
Dorchester County Orphans' Court,
February 14, 1837.

On application of HENRY WILCOX, *Executor of* ELIZABETH BOSTON, *late of Dorchester county, deceased*, 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, I have hereunto set my name, and the seal of my office affixed, this 14th day of February, in the year of our Lord, 1837.

L. S.

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 Dorchester county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of ELIZABETH BOSTON, *late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 24th day of August next; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 14th day of February*, 1837.

HENRY WILCOX,
Exr. of Elizabeth Boston, dec'd

Feb 18 3w

Those indebted to the above estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Executor.

MARYLAND:
Dorchester County Orphans' Court,
February 4, 1837.

On application of Robert F. Tubman, Administrator d. b. n. of William Staplefort, *of Dorchester county, deceased*, 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, I have hereunto set my name, and the seal of my office affixed, this 4th day of February, in the year of our Lord, 1837.

L. S.

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 Dorchester county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of William Staplefort *late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 4th day of August next; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 4th day of February*, 1837.

ROBERT TUBMAN,
Adm'r d. b. n. of Wm. Staplefort, dec'd

Feb. 4 3w

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

Wanted at this office,

A BOY fourteen or fifteen years of age, who has received a good English education, as an apprentice to the Printing business. One from the country would be preferred. Dec. 24, '36.

CAUTION.

THE subscriber hereby forewarns all persons from gunning or hauling the seine on his shores on Bottingbrook creek. Any one who may hereafter do so in violation of this notice, may expect to be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, without respect to persons.

JOHN OZMAN.

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. Brooks'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 crops, markets, and news of the latest date.

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 republish 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 Literature. 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.

This approved FAMILY NEWSPAPER is strictly neutral in religious and political matters, and the uncompromising opponent of quackery of every kind.

MAPS.

In addition to all which, the publishers intend furnishing their patrons with a series of engraved Maps, embracing the twenty-five States of the Union, &c., exhibiting the situation, &c. of rivers, towns, mountains, lakes, the sea board, internal improvements, as displayed in canals, rail roads, &c., with other interesting and useful features, roads, distances, &c., forming a complete Atlas for general use and information, handsomely executed, and each distinct map on a large quarto sheet, at an expense which nothing but the splendid patronage which for six years past has been so generously extended to them, could warrant.

TERMS.

The Philadelphia Saturday Courier is still continued in its large form, at the same price as heretofore. The Philadelphia Mirror, being a quarto edition of the Saturday Courier, with its increased attractions, and printed on the best fine white paper of the same size as the New York Albion, will be put at precisely one half the price of that valuable journal viz: Three Dollars per annum, payable in advance, (including the Maps.)

WOODWARD & CLARKE,
Philadelphia.

June 4

WEEKLY METROPOLITAN.

A general Literary, Historical, Congressional, and Miscellaneous Journal, published at Washington, D. C. in all its departments, aims at the highest character. Printed in good clear type, on a large sheet of fine white paper, the whole of it being devoted to valuable and interesting reading matter.

Terms. One Dollar and a Half, per annum, in advance.

Four papers will be sent to the order of any person, acting as agent for the collection of subscribers, enclosing five dollars; nine for ten dollars, nineteen for twenty dollars; fifty for fifty dollars. The enclosures by mail at the risk of the editors. The receipt of a number of the paper will be a sufficient receipt for the money transmitted.

Postmasters, booksellers, and, in general, all persons interested in the success of such an enterprise, are respectfully requested to act as agents for the Metropolitan; the above terms being of the most liberal character.

All letters to be addressed (free of post age) to

LANGTREE & O'SULLIVAN.
Georgetown, D. C

Feb. 27, 1836

The Cultivator

IS a monthly publication, in six or quarto pages, and comprises about two hundred pages in a volume, published at Albany, by the New York State Agricultural Society. It is exclusively devoted to Agriculture and the Improvement of Youth. The publishing committee are J. Buel, J. P. Beekman and J. D. Wasson. The object of the publication is to disseminate useful information among the agricultural community in the cheapest practicable form; and the success of the undertaking, and the character of the paper, are indicated by the fact, that although it has been published but ten months, its subscribers exceed eleven thousand, and comprise residents of twenty-one of the United States.

The second volume was commenced in March. The pages are so enlarged, that each number contains as much matter as eighteen pages of the first volume. It contains many engravings and cuts, executed by good artists, illustrative of implements, animals and operations of husbandry. Price FIFTY CENTS per annum. The postage will not exceed 18¾ cents the year to any part of the Union.

The first volume will continue to be furnished at 50 cents a single copy.

Communications to be addressed to J. Buel, at Albany, N. Y.

Subscriptions received by A. Cowan

The New-Yorker,

QUARTO EDITION.

THE publishers of the "New-Yorker," encouraged by the generous and steadily increasing patronage which has hitherto rewarded their exertions, propose to issue, from the commencement of their third volume, on the 26th of March ensuing, a new Double Quarto Edition of their journal, to be published instead of, but in addition to, the one now published. Advertisements, except possibly a few of a strictly literary character, will be entirely excluded; and, in addition to all the matter presented in the folio New Yorker, the quarto will contain a page of popular music, &c. &c., and be accompanied by a handsome title-page and comprehensive index at the close of the volume.

The general features of the New-Yorker will remain essentially as they have heretofore been. Its columns will contain—

I. *General Literature.* Original Tales, Essays, Reviews, Poems, &c., with corresponding selections from the Quarterlies, Monthlies, and all the best class of periodicals, foreign and American, with choice extracts from new works of substantial excellence. The Editor acknowledges with pride and gratitude his obligation to his regular contributors—and among them are some whose names have shed lustre on the cause of American literature—for the steadfast support hitherto afforded him, and the confidence with which he is now enabled to assure the public that it will not soon be withdrawn. He takes pleasure in recalling the fact, that, since the establishment of the New Yorker, no other journal has afforded an equal extent and variety, of the productions of all eminent American writers of whatever section or class—a characteristic which he hopes it may still preserve; while his selections from the best foreign works have been exceeded—in quantity at least—by those of but three or four among the myriad of the cis-Atlantic periodicals.

II. *National Politics.* It has been the aim of the Editor to present a full and fair exhibit of the aspects, movements and struggles of parties in our country, including the meeting of Conventions, nomination of candidates for State and National offices, and all other significant manifestations of political feeling, with the general results of elections, as fast as ascertained, and the official canvass in each instance, as soon as it shall have reached us. This course is believed to be in many respects original with this journal; and it is considered that we have just cause of felicitation in the fact, that, pursued as it has been through two years of unremitted political warfare, the fairness and general accuracy of our statements and returns have very rarely, if ever, been questioned. The Editor reserves to himself the right of remarking, as circumstances may seem to require and justice to dictate, on the less exciting political topics of the day, as on all others, with calmness, deference and moderation; but he will strive—he trusts not less successfully than hitherto—to exclude from the columns of the New-Yorker every observation, reflection, or even argument, which may wantonly do violence to the sincere convictions of any well-informed reader, of whatever principle or party.

III. *General Intelligence.* In this department we can only promise the most unwearied industry and patience in the collection, condensation, and arrangement of the news, foreign and domestic, which may be gathered from the weekly reception of four hundred journals, including some choice European periodicals, and which may be afforded us by by the attention of our friends abroad.

Literary Notices, Statistics, brief notices of works of Art, Amusements, the Drama, &c. &c., will from time to time be given. As a general rule, however, it will be the aim of the Editor to embody such articles, whether original or selected, as shall at least combine instruction with amusement.

CONDITIONS.

The Quarto "NEW-YORKER" will be published every Saturday afternoon on an extra imperial sheet of the finest quality, comprising sixteen pages of three columns each, and afforded to its patrons in the city and country, at THREE DOLLARS per annum, ☞ *payable inflexibly in advance.*—☜ Orders from a distance, accompanied by a remittance, will necessarily remain unanswered. Any person or persons sending us $5, positively free of postage or other charges, will receive two copies for one year, or a single copy for two years, and in the same proportion for a larger sum. Those who may take the folio edition for immediate perusal and the quarto for binding, will be entitled to receive both for $4 50, in advance. We will cheerfully preserve their files of the quarto for any such who may desire it.

The subscribers are extremely solicitous that there be no misconception on the part of their patrons in regard to the editions of their paper. The quarto is commenced in deference to the solicitations of a great number of their friends, who have expressed a strong desire that the New-Yorker should appear in a form more susceptible of preservation than the present. It is neither anticipated nor hoped that it will receive a patronage at all commensurate with that of the folio edition. They would frankly express their conviction, that, for those whose interest in a journal expires with the week in which it reaches them, the latter will be decidedly preferable, aside from the difference in price. Accordingly, when an order for 'The New-Yorker' simply, without specification, is sent them the folio will invariably be sent.

Address H GREELEY & CO.,
18, Nassau-st., N. York.

VOL. X.

NEW SERIES--VOL. I.

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COUNSELLOR CURRAN & JUDGE ROBINSON.

Mr. Curran having observed in some cause before this Judge, that he had never met the law as laid down by his lordship, in any book in his library—"That may be, sir," said the Judge in an acrid, contemptuous tone, "but I suspect that your library is very small." His lordship, who, like too many of that time, was a party zealot, was known to be the author of several anonymous political pamphlets, which were chiefly conspicuous for their despotic principles and excessive violence. The young barrister, roused by the sneer at his circumstances, replied, "true it was, that his library might be small, but he thanked heaven that among his books, there were none of the wretched productions of the frantic pamphleteers of the day. I find it more instructive, my lord, to study good works than to compose bad ones; my books may be few, but the title pages give me the writer's names; my shelf is not disgraced by any such rank absurdity that their very authors are ashamed to own them." He was here interrupted by the Judge, who said, "Sir, you are forgetting the respect which you owe to the dignity of the judicial character." "Dignity!" exclaimed Mr. Curran, "my lord, upon that point I shall cite you a case from a book of some authority, with which you are, perhaps, not unacquainted.—A poor Scotchman, upon his arrival in London, thinking himself insulted by a stranger, and imagining that he was the stronger man, resolved to resent the affront, and taking off his coat, delivered it to a bystander to hold, but having lost the battle, he turned to resume his garment, when he discovered that he had unfortunately lost that also, the trustee of his habiliments having decamped during the affray. So, my lord, when the person who is invested with the dignity of the judgment seat, lays it aside for a moment, to enter into a disgraceful personal contest, it is in vain, when he has been worsted in the encounter, that he seeks to resume it—it is in vain that he endeavors to shelter himself from behind an authority which he has abandoned."

"If, sir," said the Judge, "you say another word, I'll commit you."

"Then, my lord," replied Mr. Curran, "it will be the best thing you'll have committed this term."

A DUCHESS'S REVENGE.

Sarah, Duchess of Marlborough, had still at an advanced age, considerable remains of beauty; most expressive eyes, and the finest hair imaginable, the color of which she said she had preserved unchanged by the constant use of honey-water—hardly such as perfumers now sell, for that has an unlucky aptitude to turn the hair grey. By this superb head of hair hung a tale, an instance of her waywardness and violence, which (strange to say) she took particular pleasure in telling. None of her charms, when they were at their proudest height, had been so fondly prized by the poor Duke, her husband. Therefore, one day, upon his offending her by some act of disobedience to her *"strong sovereign will,"* the bright thought occurred, as she sat considering how she could plague him most, that it would be a heavy vexation to see his favorite tresses cut off. Instantly the deed was done; she cropped them short and laid them in an ante chamber he must pass through to enter her apartment. But, to her cruel disappointment, he passed, entered, and repassed, calm enough to provoke a saint; neither angry nor sorrowful; seemingly quite unconscious both of his crime and of his punishment. Concluding he must have overlooked the hair, she ran to secure it. Lo! it had vanished,—and she remained in great perplexity the rest of the day. The next, as he continued silent, and her looking glass spoke the change, a rueful one, she began for once to think she had done rather a foolish thing. Nothing more ever transpired upon the subject until after the Duke's death, when she found her beautiful ringlets carefully laid by in a cabinet, where he kept whatever he held most precious: and at this point of the story she regularly fell a crying. —*Lord Wharncliffe's Correspondence of Lady Mary W. Montague.*

A good word is an easy obligation, but not to speak ill, requires only our silence, which costs us nothing.—*Tillotson.*

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