

Annapolis, July 1, 1786.

THE visitors and governors of St. John's College, in the State of Maryland, at a meeting on the 1st of May last, resolved, that the unfinished house on the four acres of ground, within the city of Annapolis, lately granted to them for the use of the college, be repaired and completed; that it constitute the main building of the college; that wings be added thereto; and that the whole be constructed as nearly as may be, agreeably to a plan laid before them, by Mr. Joseph Clark; that Mr. Thomas Stone, Mr. Nicholas Carroll, Mr. Alexander Contee Hanson, Mr. James Brice, and Mr. Charles Wallace, or any three or more of them, be fully authorised to make any contract or contracts, relative to the said work, and, for the purpose of carrying it on, to draw on the treasurer for any money which he hath or may have in his hands, except only the sum of £.300, out of the second year's public donation.

The committee, thus appointed and authorised, think proper to give notice, that they have engaged Mr. Joseph Clark, for a moderate monthly allowance, to purchase materials, to employ workmen, to superintend the work, and to have it executed, under their direction and control, upon the most reasonable terms, and with all convenient dispatch.

The funds for enabling them to discharge their very important trust are considered as ample and sufficient. They consist of the first two years' public donation of the sum of £.1750 annually, and the sums voluntarily subscribed by private persons. Only one year's public donation has been received, and £.300 agreeably to the direction of the legislature are to be reserved out of the second year's donation, the gross amount of the sums subscribed is about £.10,000; but although a considerable time has elapsed since the subscribers were called upon by the treasurer to pay one third part of their subscriptions, which was payable on the 1st of June 1786, not more than £.200 has been paid into the treasury.

As the community is deeply interested in procuring a more general diffusion of science, as the want of a liberal instruction of youth during the late war has rendered it more immediately necessary to institute proper seminaries for the rising generation, the committee conjure the subscribers, by every consideration which can actuate good citizens, to perform their engagement without further delay.

Should this reasonable and just requisition be complied with, the committee entertain the most sanguine expectations, that, in less than twelve months, the subscribers will have the satisfaction of beholding a grammar school flourish within those walls, which lately were mouldering into ruin; and that in little more than another year, will be completed such an institution, as, from its numerous advantages, cannot fail to rival the most celebrated seminaries within the United States.

A prospect like this must be pleasing to every honest and enlightened mind. If it be not realised, the committee are persuaded that the disappointment will be owing solely to the remissness of those who freely and voluntarily entered into the engagements which they are now called upon to perform. The visitors and governors have indeed a power of enforcing a performance; but every mode of coercion would be mortifying to them, disgraceful to the subscribers, and productive of delays, detrimental to the cause of humanity and learning.

By order

L. E. A. S. S. A. Y. Secretary

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On purchase,

The doctor thinks the teeth may be neglected, for by cleaning them in their proper state, with proper medicine, a member of diseases—great care of the second dentition of children, diseases, and to preserve them in the first dentition as long as possible, and life of children, and the health of all the teeth which they have will have afterwards, and the teeth require no care, because in the tenth year—he repeats it, of the second teeth, depending on

His DENTIFRICE is superior, both in elegance and strength, hitherto made use of for the purpose of removing any disease from any tooth, prepared to their primitive state, preserving the breath delicately (no stench is off the teeth) and orders which are the common ones. It may always be present to the friends, in Charles county, Maryland.

Dentifrice for children &c &c

N. B. The powder grows better, as the doctor says, as he leaves this town for Boston

NOTICE is hereby given to the inhabitants of St. Mary's, George's, and Anne Arundel counties, throughout the next general session of a general inspection of rivers.

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SOME time ago a certain person committed to my care, on the 24th instant, made his appearance, looking tallowy, fair complexion, appears to be about thirty years of age, a green forest cloth coat and Irish linen shirt, old shoes, in Pennsylvania, and has a mark of this date, therefore it is probable he has taken. Whoever delivers him to me shall receive a large reward.

NICHOLAS  
of Philadelphia

RAN away on Saturday last, about noon, from the town of Lancaster, in this state, and took with him, a new pair of breeches, felt hat, and a coat, probably he may change his clothes. Whoever takes him, and delivers him to Mr. Johnson, Lancaster, shall receive a large reward paid by

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