HAGUE, July 7.

On the 5th inft. a publication was decreed by the government of ftate, the firft article of which prohibits the importation in this country of all the merchandizes coming from Great-Britain, or its colonies, from the date of faid law, on pain of confifcation, and all fuch goods which may arrive during this month, to be ftopped till government fhall difpofe of them, after being furnifhed with every neceffary particular. Art. 2, enacts, that all neutral fhips arriving here muft be provided with certificates from the Dutch confuls, or magiftrates of the place of fhipment, ftating the nature of the cargo, the names of mafter and veffel, number of hands, &c. Art. 3. Subjects mafters of neutral fhips, unprovided with this certificate, to take in return either of the products of this country, or articles from the labor of the inhabitants, to the amount of their cargoes. Art. 4. Prohibits the exportation of materials for fhip building, or the conveying away of fhips built here, belonging to the inhabitants of this country, on pain of confifcation, &c. Art. 5. Renews the exifting laws as to the exportation of warlike ftores, gunpowder, falt-petre, &c. Art. 6. Prohibits the exportation of provifions to the enemy, on pain of confifcation, and further punifhment according to the nature of the cafe.

Philadelphia, August 29.

By the Amfterdam Packet, captain Hidelius, arrived yefterday, we have received French papers late in June. Their contents have been anticipated by previous arrivals. The following, which has not been publifhed here in its entire ftate, is the only article we obferve worthy of tranflation :

ACTS OF GOVERNMENT.

NATIONAL CUSTOM HOUSE.

Decree of the first Messidor.

Art. 1. From the date of the publication of the prefent decree, there fhall not be received in the ports of the Republic any colonial commodity, arifing or proceeding from the Englifh colonies, nor any goods coming directly or indirectly from England. Accordingly, all colonial produce or merchandize of Englifh manufacture, or coming from Englifh colonies, will be confifcated.

2. Neutral veffels, deftined for the ports of the Republic, muft be provided with a certificate from the commiffary or commercial agent of the Republic at the port of embarkation, which certificate muft bear the name of the veffel, of the captain, of the nature of the cargo, the number of feamen, and the deftination of the veffel. In the declaration, the commiffary will certify that he has feen the loading conducted under his immediate infpection, and that the goods are not of Englifh manufactory, and that they do not proceed from England or her colonies. A copy of this declaration muft be addreffed to the minifter of Interior by the commiffary of the republic, the fame day the veffel failed.

3. All mafters of veffels, who by neglect of formality, or by changing the deftination, fhall not be furnifhed with fuch a declaration, will not be admitted in the ports of the republic, but on the condition to load in return of French manufactures to an equal amount of her cargo. The Director of the cuftom houfe will forward to the Prefect of the department a ftatement of the cargo & of the goods taken in return. On this ftatement, the Prefect will deliver the permiffion to leave the port.

The day capt. Hidelius left Bordeaux, the American conful feized an Englifh veffel which entered at Bordeaux with forged American papers.

August 29.

LATE FROM LISBON.

The brig James, Folger, arrived at Bofton laft Wednefday, in 35 days from Lifbon, and brings advices, that the ftricteft neutrality was obferved by the Portuguefe government ; and that no French or Englifh veffel of war was fuffered to come above Ballam caftle, or either power permitted to make any armaments in its ports. Capt. Folger alfo advifes, that the king of Spain had informed Bonaparte, he fhould not permit the invafion of Portugal through his dominions ; and that in defence of this pofition, if compelled to action, he would fpill the laft drop of the blood of his fubjects.

Montreal, August 8.

MORE FIRES!

We are forry again to announce to our readers the deftruction made during the laft week in this city by that devouring element, fire ; on Monday morning laft, little after one o'clock, the houfe of Mr. Langley, the hatter, was perceived to be on fire, and notwithftanding very great exertions were made to prevent the conflagration fpreading, that houfe, with his neighbour's, Dr. Selby, were entirely confumed. The former being abfent from home, the greateft part of his effects were burnt. The following day about 6 o'clock, A. M. a fire broke out in Mr. Logan's ftable, fuppofed to have been caufed from fome fparks that might have lodged there from the fire the preceding day ; it being fortunately in the day time, and affiftance ready, the building being pulled down and every combuftible removed by the uncommon exertions of every individual, the fire was extinguifhed without extending any farther, although much damage was occafioned by the fudden removal of effects, &c. Agitated as the public mind naturally was, the alarm of fire again the fucceeding day did not ferve to appeafe it. On Wednefday morning about ten o'clock another fire was difcovered in a houfe occupied by Mr. Hagar, which communicated to the houfe of Mr. Breckenridge, and although the houfe adjoining was led down, the flames very foon caught the ftore of Mr. Dunlop, which although confidered fire-proof, was, with its contents, entirely, with the other houfes, reduced to afhes.—Mr. Dunlop's lofs is to a very great amount. The hofpital, Mr. Standfield's and Mr. Lefebvre's houfes were on fire feveral times, but by the very wonderful exertions of every denomination of perfons, they were faved—the lofs to various individuals muft have been very confiderable. It was by exertion only, that the whole lower town was faved from the mercilefs element—As various reports had been circulated, and with fome femblance of truth, that thefe recent fires had not been accidental, detachments of the militia have fince patrolled the ftreets, but no certain difcovery has yet been made.

Since the above was prepared for prefs, we lament that we have occafion to inform our readers, that about 8 o'clock yefterday afternoon, another fire broke out oppofite to the Recollet Barracks, in an out houfe, which, with feveral others, and two dwelling houfes were confumed feveral other dwellings and outhoufe were pulled down and effectually prevented the extenfive conflagration, which from the peculiar fituation of the place where the fire was firft difcovered, and its vicinity to the powder magazine, gave every reafon to apprehend.

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10 DOLLARS REWARD.

ESCAPED from Prince George County gaol, on the 21ft inft. two

NEGRO MEN.

JACK committed as a runaway, a black fellow about twenty-two years of age, five feet five inches high, has a fcar on his left cheek near his nofe, and fome grey hairs on his head, his clothing when committed, was an Ofnabrig fhirt and trowfers fays he was fold not long fince by Jofeph Griffiths of Calvert county Maryland, to a perfon living in one of the fouthern ftates, from whence he made his efcape.

PHILIP SULLIVIN a mulatto man, committed on fufpicion of felony—he is about twenty eight years of age, five feet ten inches high, wears his hair bufhed—a ftout made fellow, his clothing an Oznabrig fhirt a pair of brown thickiet overalls, fwandown waiftcoat, an old brown cloth coat, and felt hat. Philip did refide in or ner Bladenfburg where he has a wife.—The above reward will be paid for delivering the faid fellows at the goal from whence they efcaped, or five dollars for either.

THOMAS MACGILL, Sheriff,
Prince George county.

September 2. 3t1aw

District of Columbia, Washington County, ss.

By the Orphan's Court, Auguft 16th, 1803.

CHARLES HYDE, having made application for letters of adminiftration on the eftates of Thomas Keen deceafed a foldier in the late captain D. Britts company of the 1ft fubegon who died in 1795, and of Jonathan Coffin deceafed a foldier in captain Kinfoury's company. It is ordered that the faid Charles Hyde give notice of his faid application, by advertifement in the Wafhington Federalift and National Intelligencer inferted once a week four fucceffive weeks, and that adminiftration be committed to him, unlefs caufe to the contrary be fhewn, on or before the fecond Tuefday in October next.

Teft. JOHN HEWITT, Reg.

And I do give notice accordingly.

CHARLES HYDE.

Auguft 19. 1aw4w

FOR Sale One hundred and fifty acres of land, One hundred acres of which is in wood—it is fituated within fix miles of the Eaftern Branch ferry. For terms apply to

MICHAEL LOWE.

Prince George county, July 22. 3t1aw

FOR SALE.

BY RAPINE CONRAD & CO.

WHEATON'S GENUINE PATENT JAUNDICE BITTERS.

A Medicine extremely ufeful when Jaundice and Billious complaints are fo prevalent among the citizens of America and the Weft Indies. They are a ufeful and efficacious medicine for curing jaundicy and billious diforders, and removing that finking, faint diftreffed feeling at the ftomach, difficulty of breathing, lofs of appetite, and fleepy, dull heavinefs in the fore part of the day, weaknefs and trembling of the limbs, dizzinefs of the head, and yallownefs of countenance, complaints fo common to jaundicy and bilious people.

Likewise Wheaten's Patent

ITCH OINTMENT :

The only medicine in the world which will certainly cure the Itch, without having in it any thing either dangerous or difagreeable; it being compofed moftly of ingrements never before difcovered or ufed in that diforder

Auguft 8. 1awtf.

United States of America.

Fifth circuit. Virginia district, May term, 1803.

Under a decree of the faid court, We the commiffioners will expofe for public fale, on the premifes, at 12 o'clock on Friday the 30th day of September next, *that valuable and extensive*

F A R M,

CALLED Mount Salus, alias Millthrope, lying in Fairfax county, on Difficult and Wolf Trap runs, containing by deed 550 acres, and by furvey 673 acres. The manfion houfe is on a high healthy and agreeable fituation, convenient to which are fprings of good water—The houfe is 40 by 18 feet, two rooms on a floor, with a nine feet paffage and ftair cafe, two brick chimnies, with a fire place to each room, a piazza the whole length of the front, a cellar 40 by 18 walled with ftone and divided into two apartments. There are feveral fmall buildings near the manfion houfe and garden. There are alfo a valuable merchant and grift mill, faw mill, diftillery, miller's houfe and overfeer's houfe. The mill houfe is 40 by 30, two ftories high, half the lower ftory of ftone, the other part framed work, and covered with fhingles. There are one pair of Burr, and one pair of Cologne ftones, three bolting cloths almoft new, and one fcreen, all now in ufe in manufacturing wheat and grinding grift. The ftill houfe 40 by 30, one ftory high, walls of ftone and fhingled roof, the floors planked, the upper laid for malting grain, and troughs fixed round the whole houfe, conftructed to carry water to every veffel which may need it. Three ftills and one boiler can be worked to advantage in faid houfe. The waters of Wolf Trap, on which the mill and faw mill ftand, are conftant ftreams. The fituation for country cuftom, or purchafing wheat is exceeded by none in the county or neighborhood, not being more than 17 miles from Alexandria and 13 from George Town, where there are excellent markets for country produce of every defcription ; and about 14 miles from the city of Wafhington. The land is fertile and productive, and the foil well adapted to received improvement from the ufe of plaifter of Paris. There are upwards of 3000 pannels of fence on the land, about 160 or 170 acres of well timbered land belonging to the track. There have been nearly 20 acres of timothy made, lying on Wolf Trap and Difficult runs, 50 acres more may be made at a fmall expence. This farm enjoys many natural advantages, which are unneceffary for us to mention, it being taken for granted that any perfon wifhing to buy fuch property will avail themfelves of the opportunity of viewing the premifes previous to the day of ale.

The terms of which are, one third of the money to be paid on the day of fale, (at which time deeds will be made to the purchafer) one third in fix months, and the other third in 12 months, with the intereft accruing on the two laft payments from the day of fale. A deed of truft will be expected to fecure the laft payments.

Some informality in the decree prevented the fale agreeably to the former notice. This defect being obviated by the parties, the property will moft certainly be fold as now notified.

Captain James Wiley, refididing near the land, will fhew the premifes, and alfo a plat of the furvey, which is left with him for the information of thofe concerned. The title papers will be exhibited on the day of fale.

CHARLES LITTLE,
JAMES WILEY,
JAMES DOUGLASS.

August 30. ep

Treasury of the United States,

Washington August 15, 1803.

WHEREAS by an act of Congrefs dated May the 8th, 1792, intitled "An act to provide for a Copper Coinage," in the fecond fection thereof it is enacted,

"That after the expiration of fix calender months from the time when there fhall have been paid into the Treafury by the faid Director (of the Mint) in cents and half cents, a fum not lefs than fifty-thoufand Dollars, which time fhall forthwith be announced by the Treafurer in at leaft two gazettes or newfpapers, publifhed at the feat of government of the United States for the time being, no copper coins or pieces whatfoever, except the faid cents and half cents, fhall pafs current as money, or fhall be paid or offered to be paid or received in payment for any debt, demand laim, matter or thing whatfoever; and all, copper coins or pieces, except the faid cents and half cents, which fhall be paid or offered to be paid or received in payment contrary to the prohibition aforefaid, fhall be forfeited, and every perfon by whom any of them fhall have been fo paid or offered to be paid or received in payment, fhall alfo forfeit the fum of ten dollars, and the faid forfeiture and penalty fhall and may be recovered with cofts of fuit for the benefit of any perfon or perfons by whom information of the incurring thereof fhall have been given,"

And whereas it appears by the books of this office, that more than fifty-thoufand dollars in cents and half cents, have been fo paid into the Treafury. I now therefore, in obedience to the faid act, do hereby give public notice of the fame.

TH. T. TUCKER.
Treasurer United States.

Auguft 15. taw3m

THIS is to give notice that the fubfcriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Calvert county in Maryland, letters of adminiftration, de bonis non in the perfonal eftate of Robert Gover, late of Calvert county deceafed, all perfons having claims againft the faid deceafed, are hereby warned to exhibit the fame, with the vouchers thereof, to the fubfcriber, on or before the 28th day of February next, as they may otherwife by law be excluded from all benefit of the faid eftate.

Given under my hand this 11th day of Auguft, 1803

GASSAWAY PINDELL Adm. d. bonis non, of Robert Gover deceafed

Auguft 27. 3t1aw

IN CHANCERY.

Territory of Columbia, Washington County, to wit :

Charles Daight, and John Blagge, and Edward W. Laight, and the faid Charles Laight, adminiftrator of Wm. Laight deceafed, complainants

against

George Walker, defendant.

THE bill ftates that the defendant George Walker, on the twenty third day of January one thoufand eight hundred and two, in order to fecure the payment of eighteen thoufand eight hundred twenty dollars twenty-fix cents, to William Laight and Charles Laight of the city of New York merchants, executed in addition to a bond for the fame purpofe, the deed exhibited by the complainant

The object of the bill is to foreclofe any equity of redemption which the faid George Walker has, or may fuppofe himfelf to have, under the faid deed, and to obtain a fale of the premifes under a decree of this honorable court.

It appearing to the fatisfaction of the court that the faid George Walker is abfent from, and does not refide at this time within the Territory of Columbia, but is abroad in fome part not known, and is believed to be on his way to the faid Territory, and is daily expected therein. It is ordered that the faid George Walker be notified of the object of this bill, and required to appear before this honorable court, in perfon or by folicitor, on the third monday in September next, to anfwer the allegations of the bill of the complainants, and that in the mean time time a copy of this order be publifhed, once in each week, for three fucceffive weeks in the National Intelligencer, printed in the city of Wafhington, and in the Morning Chronicle printed in the city of New York, before the twelfth day of September next.

Woodward Solicitor for the claimant.

By order, URIAH FORREST, clerk of the circuit court of the Diftrict of Columbia for the county of Wafhington

Auguft 15. 1aw3t

A CARD

H. O. HEBERT (from Philadelphia) folicits the attention of the citizens of Baltimore in general, and invalids in particular, to his "Air Pump Vapour Bath," a machine conftructed on true philofophical principles, the efficacy of which in gout, rheumatifm, palfy, contractions and enlargements of the joints, withered and enlarged limbs, cutaneous and many other difeafes, both chronic and acute, can be teftified by many refpectable perfons who have had recourfe to it.

This machine comprehends, and combines the application of fomentation and the cupping glafs, two of the moft powerful external applications for the removal of difeafe, and that on a plan more extenfive than was ever before known.

As many perfons who have never feen the apparatus might be deterred from ufing it, either from the reports of prejudiced perfons, or fear, they are refpectfully affured that its application is not attended with either pain or inconvenience.—It poffeffes all the good effects of warm bathing, without its attendant confequences, debility and relaxation ; on the contrary, it invigorates and ftrengthens the whole fyftem, but particularly the part to which the machine is applied. Perfons defirous of further information refpecting the nature and effects of this machine, will pleafe to apply to the proprietor, at No. 3, Eaft ftreet, near the affembly room.

N. B. "The Air Pump Vapour Bath" is particularly adapted for the removal of all obftructions occafioned by violent colds, which are the forerunners of confumptions, &c.

Complaints peculiarly incident to females, which too generally baffle the remedies hitherto applied, and to which they frequently fall victims in the prime of life, are readily and effectually removed by the application of this machine.

May 31.

TO be rented on moderate terms, either feparately or together. Three two ftory brick dwelling HOUSES, in the city of Wafhington, on north E Street, between 9th and 10th ftreets weft. They are well calculated for private families ; and the whole taken together, will anfwer extremely well for the accommodation of boarders, on a large and excellent plan.

Alfo a large frame building back of the above. Perfons wifhing to rent, will make early application to

T. H. GILLISS
At the Navy Office.

Auguft 27. wtN1.

WAS committed to the jail of Baltimor county as a runaway, on the 8th inft. a negro man, who calls himfelf EDWARD JACKSON ; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 11 inches high, ftout and well made, has loft the greater part of his left ear, has a fcar on his breaft, and one on each hand over his thumbs, has on a white kerfey jacket, blue cloth trowfers, and oznaburg fhirt ; he fays he is free and came laft from New-Orleans. If he is not releaied he will be fold for his jail fees according to law.

James Wilson, Sheriff.

June 20 1awtf

MECHANICS HALL.

THE fubfcriber refpectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has opened a Houfe of Entertainment, on the caufeway in George-Town, at the fign of the Golden Square and Compafs, for the accommodation of travellers and others, entitled the Mechanics Hall.

All thofe who do not think themfelves above a mechanic, will find it their intereft to call on him, as he pledges himfelf to the public to be moderate in his charges, and to keep a fupply of the beft of every article in his line of bufinefs. Having feveral genteel rooms with fire places in each, parties on bufinefs can have private rooms Oyfter fuppers while in feafon will be prepared on the florteft notice. Beer and porter. Alfo, newfpapers of different politics, regularly filed in the bar room.

He alfo keeps a fmall affortment of Groceries, of the beft quality, which he fells low. Any favor in either line will be gratefully acknowledged, by the public's humble fervant,

ANDREW M'DONALD.

☞ A few genteel perfons may be accommodated on moderate terms with boarding by the week, month or year.

A woman, well acquainted with cooking, and of good character, is wanted, to whom liberal wages will be given.

Auguft 3. 1awtf

BY LETTERS PATENT.

What is generally useful, ought to be generally known.

THE undeniable fuccefs which has attended the ufe of

West's Rheumatic Ring,

In the cures of the Rheumatifm, Rheumatic pains and Cramps, has induced him to obtain Letters Patent for his invention, in order to fecure his property therein, and defend the public againft the mifchievous effects of fpurious imitations.

The following inftances of the efficacy of Weft's Rheumatic Ring, are felected from a confiderable number, and fubmitted for public infpection, to demonftrate the vaft importance of his difcovery, and in no inftance have they failed of fuccefs. A few of which are to be had at Mr. Wm. Rhodes's, city of Wafhington near the Treafury office, at two dollars each.

THOMAS WEST.

I do certify, that I have had the Rheumatifm in my knee, till it was much fwelled, I then applied to Edward Weft for one of his Rheumatic Bands and by ufing it two weeks, I was perfectly well. Given under my hand this 6th day of December 1799, about fix miles from Lexington.

BENJAMIN BEELER.

I do hereby certify, that I had pains in my arms, and I do believe by wearing a ring I have got from Mr. Weft, I have got clear of the pains. Lexington, Dec. 4, 1799.

WM. ROSS.

I do certify that my wife hath had the rheumatifm in one of her arms, and was very helplefs with it for a long time; and I applied to Mr. Edward Weft, for fome of his Rheumatic Rings, which appears to have greatly relieved her, and I believe it will perfectly cure her. Given under my hand, this 6th day of Dec. 1799.

AZARIAH HIGGINS,
near Lexington.

I do certify that I have had the cramp in one of my legs thefe three years, and the latter part of the time extreme bad; I could receive no benefit from any thing until I tried one of Edward Weft's Rheumatic Bands, which perfectly cured me in three days.—given under my hand this 13th of March 1800.

THOMAS VAUGHAN.

I do hereby certify that I have had the rheumatic pains in both my arms, fo that I was not able to work, and by wearing two rings which I got of Edward Weft, I have got perfectly well. Given under my hand this 26th day of December, 1799.

ASA COMBS.

I hereby certify that for feveral years paft I have been much afflicted with a rheumatifm. Mr. Edward Weft of Lexington, complimented me with one of his Rheumatic Rings, which I have generally worn, and have been intirely free from all fymptoms of that complaint ever fince. Given under my hand this 17th December, 1799

JESSE WILLIAMS, Bourbon Co.

I do hereby certify that I got of Mr Edward Weft a ring called a Rheumatic Ring, and it has perfectly cured me of the pain which had conftantly followed me for fifteen months, lefs or more, in teftimony whereof I have hereunto fet my hand and feal, the laft day of March 1800.

WM. N. POTTS.

The above Thomas Vaughan, Afa Combs, Wm. N. Potts, and Jeffe Williams, fworn to before me, this 27th day of July, 1800.

ARCHIBALD M'ILVAIN,
Juftice of Peace.

☞ Obferve thofe rings are to be worn on the fingers or the wrifts and the fmall of the legs, if the fkin be very dry, it requires to be flightly rubbed with a little falt butter, on the part they are applied

Auguft 31. 1awfm

Upper Marlboro, July 30, 1803.

Purfuant to adjournment the genera Republican Committee, for Prince George's county, met this day, at Upper Marlboro.

GABRIEL P. VAN HORNE, Esq.
in the chair.

TRUEMAN TYLER, *Secretary.*

The General Committee being informed by letter from Stephen Weft, efq. one of the gentlemen named on the republican ticket that his bad health will render it impoffible for him to continue a candidate without great rifk and danger. Refolved unanimoufly, That this committee regret extremely any circumftances which will deprive the county of Mr. Weft's fervices in the legiflature, and particularly regret the caufe from which his refignation arifes.

Refolved unanimoufly, That this committee receive with pleafure, the confent of col. William Lyles to become the candidate in the place of Stephen Weft, efq.

Refolved unanimoufly, That colonel William Lyles be recommended to the citizens of this county as a proper character to reprefent them in the next General Affembly of Maryland, in the place of major Stephen Weft, who has declined being a candidate.

GABRIEL P. VAN HORNE,
Chairman.

TRUEMAN TYLER, *Secretary.*