makes the majority in favor of gov. Gilman 44. If we deduct the majority for Col. Langdon in Wentworth, it swallows up the whole of the former, and leaves one in favor of the latter gentleman.

At a stated meeting of the American Philosophical Society, held at Philadelphia on Friday, April 20th, 1804, the following gentlemen were elected honorary members of that institution :—

Samuel Webber, A. M. Holisian Professor of Natural Philosophy in the University of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

His excellency, the Prince of Peace, Generalissimo of the Spanish monarchy, Madrid.

His excellency Don Pedro Cevallos, First Secretary of State, and Patron of the Royal Batanic Garden, Madrid.

Don Antonio Joseph Cevanilles, Professor of Botany, and conductor of the Royal Botanic Garden, Madrid.

Edward Jenner, M. D. F. R. S. London.

Philadelphia, April 30.

Yesterday arrived, ship Roebuck, capt. Kelly, from Amsterdam, which he left the 14th ult. Capt. K. Mentions that a new French general named Mermont, was appointed over the Batavian troops, who was generally disliked, and the appointment created great uneasiness in that quarter. On the 22d of Feb. orders were given, for all the neutral vessels to go into the road, to give room for a number of transports in the Dieppe ; but it was countermanded the next day, on the petition of a number of American captains, and they were all hurrying to get to sea, as an embargo was hourly expected. The French and Dutch were preparing for an expedition, three sail of the line, two frigates, sixty sail of large transports and some gun boats, all which had sailed from Amsterdam for Rotterdam. Capt. K. further informs, that accounts from Paris said, Moreau, Pichegru and some other of the generals taken up, were tried and convicted. That on the trial, several letters were produced, and Moreau asked if they were his writing, which he denied, saying, whenever his hand writing was shewn him, he would not deny it.

Arrived last evening, the Eliza, of Providence, capt. Hallowell, from Allicant, left 28th Feb. He informs that when he sailed the Spanish packet was daily expected from Algiers, and it was confidently believed would bring accounts of the liberation of capt. Bainbridge and his officers, through the interference of the Dey and French commercial agent resident at Algiers.

United States brig Argus, lieut. Hull, had arrived at Allicant from Genoa, and informed that the American vessels at that port had been put in requisition to convey French troops, on a secret expedition—the ship Alexander, Hodgdon, of Baltimore, was one of them.

Capt. Peterson, informs that a gentleman arrived at Gonaives on the 1st of April, who stated that 10 days previous, a general massacre of the whites had taken place at Port-au Prince, and that the massacre was to be carried all over the Southern department. The Americans were treated with great respect throughout the island, except at the Cape, where Christophe inflicted the greatest cruelties upon every description, without regard to age or sex.

The accounts received from Port-au-Prince, by Commodore Barry, arrived at Charleston, confirm the former statement of the dreadful situation of the unfortunate whites in that island. On the 16th of March, a horrible massacre commenced at Port-au-Prince, which was continued four days, during which upwards of 400 persons were killed. Dessalines had arrived there, on his way to St. Domingo, against which he was determined to bring all his force ; but, as he expressed himself, would leave no whites in his rear.

Captain Dashwood, arrived at Boston, from Bordeaux, informs that Moreau, was still in confinement, and that the commander of the Consular Guards had also been arrested as an accomplice in the late conspiracy, against the life of Bonaparte, and, after a summary trial, was immediately shot. Pichegru and Moreau, it was expected would meet the same fate.

Extract from the Secret Deliberations of the government of the Island of Hayti.

LIBERTY! INDEPENDENCE! OR DEATH!

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL,

Considering that there still remains in the island of Hayti, individuals who have contributed either by their guilty writings or by their sanguinary accusations to the drowning, suffocating, assassinating, hanging and shooting of more than sixty thousand of our brethren under the inhuman government of Le Clerc and of Rochambeau.

Considering that every man who has dishonoured human nature by prostituting himself with enthusiasm to the vile offices of informers and of executioners, ought to be classed with assassins and delivered up without remorse to the sword of justice ; decrees as follow :

ARTICLE I.

Every commandant of a division shall cause to be arrested within their respective commands those persons who are or shall be known to have taken an active part in the different massacres and assassinations ordered by Le Clerc or Rochambeau.

ART. II.

Before proceeding to the arrest of any individual (as it often happens that many are innocent who nevertheless may be strongly suspected) we order each commandant to make all necessary enquiries for procuring proofs ; and above all not to confound with true and faithful reports, those denunciations too frequently suggested by hatred or envy.

ART. III.

The names and sirnames of persons executed shall be inscribed in a list and sent to the general in chief, who will make them public. This measure is entered into in order to inform the nations of the world, that although we grant an asylum and protection to those who act candidly and friendly towards us, nothing shall ever turn our vengeance from those murderers, who have bathed themselves with pleasure in the blood of the innocent children of Hayti.

ART. IV.

Every chief who, in contempt of the orders and unalterable will of the government shall sacrifice to his ambition, to his hatred, or to any other passion any individual whose guilt shall not have been previously well ascertained, and proved, shall undergo the same punishment which he shall have thus inflicted ; and the property of every such unjust officer shall be confiscated ; one half to the government and the other half to the relations of the innocent victim, if any there may be in the island, at the time of his death.

Done at head quarters, Gonaives, Feb. 29. (Signed)

DESSALINES.

True copy,
B. AIME, Sec'ry.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

STRAYED or Stolen from the subscriber on the 23d April, a Hack HORSE about fourteen hands high, branded on the nigh shoulder with C. H. has a few white hairs on the left side of his head—any person or persons who shall secure the horse, and apprehend the villain or villains, shall receive the above reward, or any person who shall bring the horse to me shall receive five dollars reward with all reasonable expences.

DAVID OGILVIE.

Washington city, May 4——3t

United States, District of Columbia, county of Washington, to wit :

IN CHANCERY, May 1, 1804.

Thomas Law, complainant.
versus
Richard Gridley, jun. defendant.

The bill states that the defendant Richard Gridley, jun being indebted to the complainant in a large sum of money and being also bound by contract with the complainant to build a large two story brick house on a certain lot in the city of Washington to secure the payment of said money and assure the building of said house in the bill mentioned, mortgaged a lot of ground lying within the city of Washington and described on the plan of the said city, as part of square numbered seven hundred and seventy, which lot or part of square, contains 4032 square feet to the complainant. The object of the bill is to foreclose the said Richard Gridley, jun. from all right of redemption in the said lot of ground. It is represented by the complainant that the said Richard Gridley, jun. hath removed from the district of Columbia and is not within the reach of the process of this court. It is therefore ordered that the complainant cause a copy of this order to be inserted at least once in each of three successive weeks in the two papers printed in the county of Washington before the first Monday in July next to the intent that the defendant may have notice of this application and of the object of this bill, and be warned to appear in this court in person or by solicitor, on or before the fourth Monday in July next to shew cause if any he can, why a decree shall not pass as prayed.

By order of the hon. William Kilty chief judge of the circuit court of the district of Columbia.

Copy test. U. FORREST, Clk.
May 4—Fw3t

REMOVAL.

THOMAS CARPENTER,
TAYLOR,
Has removed to the house above Mr. RHODES (LATE LOVEL'S) HOTEL, near the President's Square.

In addition to the present stock of goods, an

Handsome Assortment

Is expected immediately.

Gentlemen at a distance, by sending a line by post, will be waited upon with all possible expedition.

T. C. will pledge himself to execute any order with a taste, expedition and moderation of charge, which shall not be excelled by any.

April 16——tf.

UNITED STATES, District of Columbia, County of Washington, ss.

In CHANCERY, Jan. 28th, 1804.

FRANCIS MANTZ, complainant
vs
JOHN MANTZ, defendant.

THE bill states that antecedent to the cession of that part of the District of Columbia (which was in Maryland) to Congress, the complainant and the defendant purchased, in partnership by equal moieties, of a certain George Zimmerman, two lots in the then town of Hamburg, in Prince George's county, but now in the city of Washington. That the said Zimmerman afterwards conveyed the said lots to the defendant, alone, and not to the complainant and defendant agreeably to the nature of the purchase ; and that the complainant afterwards paid to the defendant his proportion of the balance of the purchase money of the said lots, and obtained from the defendant his bond of conveyance for the complainant's part of the said lots. That the defendant refuses to convey to the complainant agreeably to his bond of conveyance.

The object of the bill is to obtain from this court a decree to compel a conveyance of the complainant's proportion of said lots to him.

It is on the complainant's motion ordered that he procure a copy of this order to be inserted, at least once a week in each of three successive weeks, in the National Intelligencer before the 20th day of June next, to the intent that the defendant may have notice of the complainant's application, and of the nature of this bill ; and that the said defendant may be warned to appear here in person or by a solicitor on or before the fourth Monday in July next, to shew cause, if any he can, why a decree should not pass as prayed in said bill.

By Order,
URIAH FORREST, Clerk.

Copy, Teste.
John T. Mason, solicitor for the complainant.
May 4th ——F3w.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the circuit court of the district of Columbia for the county of Washington, in the suit of the United States against Samuel Jackson, William Shannon, Philip Fitzhugh, Joshua B. Bond and Frederick Shaffer, defendants, in chancery ; will be sold at the premises to the highest bidder at public auction on Friday the 4th May next ; all that piece or parcel of land situate in the second addition of George Town, made by Thomas Beal of George, being part of a tract of land called the Rock of Dunbarton and bounded as is described and set forth in the said decree and containing four acres and one eighth part of an acre of land with all and singular the buildings, improvements and appurtenances thereon or thereunto belonging or appertaining. The improvements are on a high, dry, and handsome situation, and consist of a large two story brick house with passage through the center, four rooms on a floor and good cellars. The front rooms are about 17 by 18 feet—the back rooms are semicircular and are about 22 by 17 feet—the passage 9 feet wide and 38 feet long—two brick offices two stories high 17 feet 6 inches square and are connected with the House by covered ways. The said premises are the same property possessed by the said Samuel Jackson and by him expensively improved—The sale will commence at 12 o'clock. The terms ready money or money to be paid immediately on the courts ratifying the same, the time of which ratification will be notified in the same papers in which the sale is advertised, within one month after the report of the said sale shall be made to the court, which report will not be made until the fourth Monday in July, when the court commence their next sitting for the county of Washington.

DANIEL C. BRENT, Trustee.

March 23—tdc.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit court of the district of Columbia for the county of Washington in the suit of Thomas Law against James Piercy, jun. James Ray, Samuel Treat, and James Piercy, sen. defendants, in Chancery, will be sold at the premises to the highest bidder at public auction on Saturday the 5th day of May next, the lot of ground mentioned in the complainant's bill, situate in the city of Washington, and known and distinguished in the general plan of the said city by lot numbered one, in square numbered seven hundred and forty-four, it being the south half part of said square and containing sixty-three thousand four hundred and forty square feet of ground, with the Sugar House, and all the other buildings and improvements thereon or thereunto belonging. The sugar house is large and extensive and is said to be extremely well calculated for sugar refining—the other buildings consist of several wooden houses sufficient with some repairs for those conducting the business to live in. The sale will commence at 11 o'clock A. M. The terms ready money or money to be paid immediately on the courts ratifying the same, the time of which ratification will be notified in the same papers in which the sale is advertised, within one month after the report of the said sale shall be made to the court, which report will not be made until the fourth Monday in July, when the court commence their next sitting for the county of Washington.

DANIEL C. BRENT, Trustee.

March 23—tdcf

TO RENT,

And immediate Possession given,

A Two-story Frame House, in the City of Washington, situated on N. F street, square 224—containing 4 rooms beside two garret rooms, piaza and pantry, kitchen, store room, &c. with a good garden—lately occupied by Mrs. Lee, adjoining to Mr. Xaupie's store—Also that convenient two-story frame on same square, late in possession of Dr. Tabs, opposite to which Robert Peacock, Esq. lately resided—consisting of 6 rooms, and two garret rooms, piaza and balcony to south front, cellar with dry well, kitchen, carriage house, stable, an excellent garden, with every convenience fit for the reception of a genteel family. For particulars enquire at Mr. Rhode's tavern, Mr. Xaupie's store, or to the subscriber

REDMUND PURCEL.

January 13, 1804—tf

District of Columbia,

Be it remembered that on this 31st day of March in the twenty eighth year of the Independence of the United States of America, John Francis Renault of the said District hath deposited in this office the "Title of a Print or Picture, the right whereof he claims as Author in the words following, to wit : "A Historical and Allegorical Picture, entitled "The Siege of York or the British surrendering their arms to General Washington after their defeat at York Town in Virginia in the month of October 1781." in conformity to the act of the congress of the United States, entitled, "An act for the encouragement of Learning by securing the copies of Maps, Charts, and Books to the authors and proprietors of such copies during the times therein mentioned.

URIAH FORREST, Clerk of the circuit court of the district of Columbia for the county of Washington.

April 6—tm

VINEGAR.

FOR sale 50 barrels strong Vinegar of a good quality price 20 cents per gallon—apply at the

BREWHOUSE ALEXANDRIA,

Where may be had a regular supply of good Bere at 6 dollars per barrel—also Ale highly hopp'd to stand the summer at 7 dollars per barrel.

N. B. Any quantity that might be wanted by ships going foreign voyages may be had by giving a short notice—The business in future will be carried on alone by the subscriber, who will be thankful for orders.

THOMAS CRUSE.

Alexandria, April 18—6t

The subscriber as trustee of Francis Boone an insolvent debtor, will set up at public sale on Friday the fourth day of May next, on the premises, a tract of Land whereon the said Boone now resides, supposed to contain one hundred and twenty-five acres. The improvements are a Dwelling House and sundry out houses in tolerable repair—at the same time and place will also be offered for sale sundry articles of personal property conveyed to me by said Boone for the benefit of his creditors. The sale will be for cash.

JOHN DUVALL.

April 13

On the day mentioned in the foregoing advertisement, and at the same place will be exposed to sale, in virtue of a deed of trust to Robert Bowie and Alexs. Boone, fifteen negroes mentioned in said deed consisting of men, women and children ; also the other articles of personal property contained in said deed. The terms of this sale will be for cash also.

ROBERT BOWIE,
ALEXS. BOONE.

April 21—3w

NOTICE

IS hereby given that on the 21st day of May next, will be exposed to sale, part of a LOT numbered seven in square 690 fronting on B street, with a BRICK HOUSE thereon, covered in, two stories high, 34 feet deep by 24 feet front more or less, at Mr. Steiles tavern for cash, should the first bidder not pay the amount of his bid in an hour, the premises will be again put up immediately after for sale; any persons wishing to examine the House and Lot, or to know particulars of the same are desired to apply to the Subscriber. The Lot is subject to an incumbrance of 468 Dollars.

THOMAS LAW.

April 21—tdcf——

Fifty Dollars reward.

STRAYED or stolen on Monday the 16th inst. belonging to the subscriber residing in the City of Washington,

A CHESNUT SORREL HORSE,

fourteen and a half hands high, light coloured main and tail, carries his tail a little nicked, six years old this spring ; has a white spot in his forehead, one white hind foot, and shod all round ; paces when rode ; hair rubbed by gear. He was late the property of the Rev. Mr. Knox, formerly of Frederick. If strayed Five Dollars will be given for securing the horse, or, if stolen, Fifty Dollars for the horse and thief.

SAMUEL SPEAKE.

April 23—6t

WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION.

The office of the Washington Association and United States Insurance company is removed to the corner of square No. 226 fronting on the President's square and Pennsylvania Avenue.

THOMAS HERTY, sec'ry P. T.

Jan. 18—tf.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested that a sale of all those Lands, Lots, Houses, &c. within the District of Columbia, whereon a tax of the United States called the direct tax, was laid in 1798, which tax has not yet been discharged will commence on Monday the 14th May next, at 12 o'clock at Mr. Rhodes's tavern city of Washington and continue from day to day until the whole are sold.

GEO: MAGRUDER, Collector.

April 30——tM14

—NOTICE—

WILL be exposed to public sale, for ready cash, on the 4th day of May next, on the premises all the right, title, claim and interest of Joseph Boone, in and to Lot No. 2, in square No. 1044, as laid down in the plan of the city of Washington, with a two-story framed dwelling house, and four other small framed houses thereon—all in good repair—taken by virtue of two writs of fieri facias, issued from the circuit court of the district of Columbia for the county of Washington, at the suit of Wilson Hunt, for the use of Philip Nicklin and Robert Griffith. The sale will commence precisely at eleven o'clock

DANIEL C. BRENT, Marshal.

April 16.——2awt4M.

In the case of NICOLAS FEBRUARY

An Insolvent debtor,

SIX months from and after the first day of March, is limited, and appointed for the creditors to bring in, and exhibit their claims to the trustee, and that notice be given in the Washington Federalist, and National Intelligencer once a month, three times in each paper before the expiration of said term —It is further ordered, that the trustee sell the property of the insolvent, at public sale to the highest bidder, on a credit of 6 months, giving six months previous notice thereof, by public advertisement, in the same papers once a week for 6 weeks prior to the day of sale.

By order, Wm. Cranch, Esq.

URIAH FORREST, Clk.

March 7.—1am3t

To be Sold,

At public sale, at Mr. John Barney's Columbian Inn, on the 10th day of September next, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

ALL the right, title, interest, and estate of Nicholas February (an insolvent debtor) in, and to sixteen and three quarter acres of land, with a dwelling house thereon, in the vicinity of George Town, also some household and kitchen furniture.—Terms of sale, the purchaser to give bond with approved security, payable in six months after the day of sale, any person wishing to view the property before the sale, may apply to the subscriber. In the above case, the creditors are requested to exhibit their claims within the time limited, to the subscriber.

CHARLES BEATTY, Trustee.

George-Town' March 7

CHARLES VARDEN,
TAYLOR,
FROM PHILADELPHIA.

HAS received from Philadelphia an elegant assortment of the best quality Superfine Cloths, Cassimeres, Silk florintine, Black and fancy silk mole-skin velvet, white & figure Marselles, Swandowns, Toilinettes, Velveteens, Fancy cords, Coating, &c.

With a variety of other articles suitable for the winter season.

N. B. Ladies Habits, Regimentals and Navy uniforms made in the first style of fashion.

New-Jersey Avenue, the second House from the Capitol Square.

November 8, 1803

HOTEL.

A spacious corner lot next the capitol on Square 687 having been presented by Daniel Carroll of Duddington, and Thomas Law Esquires, for the purposes of building a commodious HOTEL thereon.

A subscription is now opened, on advantageous terms, for the names of those who wish to promote this important work, and may be seen in the hands of Daniel C. Brent, George Blagden, James Hoban, Griffith Coombs and Robert Brent, or either of them.

April 11—

A DIAMOND RING,

Estimated at fifteen hundred dollars deposited with the subscriber in trust to secure payment of the sum of 200l. sterling, with interest, charges, &c. WILL BE SOLD for ready money, to the highest bidder at PUBLIC VENDUE at STELLE'S HOTEL in the city of Washington, on MONDAY THE 21st OF MAY next at noon. If the purchase money shall not be paid in one hour after knocked down, it will be again set up immediately, and so successively until the money shall be paid.

WILLIAM CRANCH.

April 16.—Eop. 20th May.

CLOVER SEED.

DOCTOR MAGRUDER has just received for sale, a supply of good Timothy and Clover seed.

April 16—tf.

PROPOSALS,

BY THOMAS HERTY,
Of the City of Washington, Conveyancer, for publishing by SUBSCRIPTION
The Second Volume of his
DIGEST OF THE
Laws of Maryland.

IT will contain all the public acts of assembly passed since the publication of the first volume to the present time, which have not been repealed—that is, the acts of the sessions of 1798, 1799, 1800, 1801, 1802 and 1803. It will be printed of the same size, in the same order of arrangement and have reference to such parts of the first volume as are repealed, expired or which may otherwise undergo alterations, with a neat Index ; subjoined to which, will be given by way of Appendix, a variety of precedents adapted to the law, for the use of justices of the peace, &c. &c.

CONDITIONS.

1. It will be put to press as soon as a sufficient number of subscribers is procured to defray the expence of the work, and finished immediately thereafter as soon a strict attention to neatness and accuracy will admit.

2. Price to subscribers 2 Dollars stitched, to be paid for on delivery ; to non-subscribers the price will be enhanced.

3. Those procuring 9 subscribers, and accountable for the money, will be entitled to an additional copy.

Subscriptions received by the Editor at his office near the Treasury Department, by the Booksellers in Maryland, and by those in whose hands subscription papers are left.

☞ Printers of Newspapers in Maryland giving the above due publicity will be entitled to a copy.

N. B. He has in forwardness and will issue proposals as soon as ready for

A System of Conveyancing

calculated for each state in the union ; to the precedents of each species, will be prefixed observations on their nature and use, the law on the subject of alienation by deed of each particular state, shall be exhibited, and how such deed shall be authenticated when executed as well by residents as by non-residents, or, as well in the state as out of the state ; together with other interesting particulars.

March 19— wtf.