100 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber, a NEGRO man, named OE, about eighteen years old about five feet ten inches high, well made, he is a mulatto, has straigh black hair, which he wears over the forehead, agreeable to the present fashion and generally turned up behind with a comb—he has a long mark on one of his checks, which appears more black than his skin—one of his toes next to the great toe, appears to have lost a joint, or part of a joint, by being cut or some other accident, he has been accustomed to wait in the house, is an artful fellow, and will endeavor to pass as a free man, he has a variety of clothes, and had a watch, which it is probable he will be offering for sale.—He went off with a fustian round jacket and pantaloons of fustian or osnabrigs, a new felt hat.—I will give the above reward if taken out of the state of Maryland, or district of Columbia, twenty dollars if within the state of Maryland, and ten dollars if in the district of Columbia, and confined in any jail so that I can get him, and all reasonable charges if brought home. It is known he applied to get a passage in the stage to Baltimore.

DANIEL CARROLL of Dud'tn.

Washington, Oct. 15—1m.

CHARLES VARDEN,

MERCHANT TAYLOR,

Has received from Philadelphia

in addition to his former stock, a handsome assortment of goods, consisting of the best London and Spanish superfine cloths and cassimeres, white and fancy Marseilles, colored and white Janes, India nankeens, cotton cassimeres, black silk and sattin Florentines, with a variety of other articles suitable for the summer season.

N. B. Ladies habits, regimentals, and navy uniforms made in the first stile of fashion.

New Jersey avenue near the Capitol,

June 8—tf

Music & Language Teacher.

THE Subscriber, lately arrived at Mr. Semmes's tavern No. 6 in Georgetown, informs the lovers of music, that he intends teaching to play on the Pianna Forte, and the Flute, and having finished his studies in Europe under the tuition of the most eminent masters in this art, he flatters himself that he shall render complete satisfaction to those ladies and gentlemen who may favor him with their employment. He also intends to teach the German, French, and Italian languages, where it may here be necessary to inform the public that he has alternately lived in Germany, in France, and in Italy where he had time and opportunity to acquire those languages perfectly.

P. MAURO, at Mr. Semmes's tavern No. 6 in Georgetown.

October 24—3t

ELISHA RIGGS

Has removed his store to the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Pic, a few doors above the Union Tavern, where he has just received a large supply of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

which being bought on the best terms, will be sold unusually low for cash, viz.

Carpets and carpeting, constitution and bennets cords, velverets and corduroys, best London cloths and moleskins, London hats and bonnet plush, frize coatings and baizes, milled and shirting flannels, blankets silk rugs and counterpins, Irish linens and shirting muslins, bed ticking and sheetings, furniture calicoes and dimities, shin ees, lutestrings and sattins, umbrellas and neck comforts, white and black laces, veils and shades, shoulder comforts, and elegant muslin shawls, India book, mulmul and cambrick muslins, plaid silks and pickneit, gloves and mitts, ladies shoes, rich silk and cotton hose, and gloves, spangled fans, white sattin and sarsanett, lace cambricks, and Italian crapes, large camel hair and silk shawls, cords and tassels, and china by the box, lambswool and black worsted hose, outsize silk and cotton ditto, ladies exeter shammy and kid gloves, and many other articles.

Georgetown, Oct. 24th—M&F—8w.

New Shoe Store,

OPPOSITE MR. COCHRANE'S.

SAMUEL CLARK, respectfully informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Georgetown that he has removed from Alexandria to this place, with his large stock of shoes; consisting of Ladies kid and Morocco slippers all colours, from 1 Dollar to 2 1-4.

Womens leather slippers, 5s. 7 1-2d. to 6s.

Gentlemens fine shoes and Morocco pumps 11s. 3d. to 15s.

Mens common bound and unbound shoes.

Boys fine and coarse shoes, and children's Morocco bootees.

A variety of other shoes too numerous to mention, also, 200 reams wrapping paper, a quantity of suspenders, plated candlesticks, hair combs, trunks, &c.

Georgetown, October 24—1aw6w

AN ACT

Providing for the establishment of semi-annual Fairs.

BE it enacted by the First and Second Chambers of the City Council of Washington, That two FAIRS be held in every year within the city of Washington for the sale of all kinds of cattle, goods wares, and merchandise, on the first Wednesday's of May and November, under such regulations as the Mayor may prescribe, of which Fairs he shall make due notification.

In virtue of powers vested in me by the above act, I do hereby order and direct that the Fairs authorised thereby shall be held on the public grounds appropriated in the plan of the city of Washington for the Mall on the south side of the Tyber, extending from the Bridge at the Centre Market to the river Potomac, and that the continuance of said Fairs shall be for three days successively, viz. on the first Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in May and November.

ROBERT BRENT, Mayor.

September 14—

NOTICE.

THE taxable inhabitants of Washington city and others concerned, are hereby informed that the tax on real and personal property, also the tax on Slaves and Dogs for the year 1804, must be paid to the subscriber on or before the 1st day of December next.

WASHINGTON BOYD,

Treasurer of Washington city.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That every person who shall neglect to pay his tax to the Treasurer on or before the said first day of December in each year, shall in addition thereto pay five per centum, on the amount thereof, provided the same be paid within one month thereafter, and in case the same be not then paid at the rate of three per centum for every month's further delay; it being understood that at the period of payment or satisfaction therefor, any shorter period than a month beyond an entire month shall be reckoned the same as a month; provided that such penalty shall not be demandable from the residents of the county of Washington, or persons having known agents therein, unless the tax on which the same may have accrued shall have been demanded according to the provisions of this act.

Oct. 3—ep2m.

Washington Jockey Club RACES.

ON Tuesday, November 13th, 1804, will be run for over the Washington Course, a JOCKEY CLUB PURSE, the four mile heats, free for any horse, mare or gelding, agreeably to the rules of the Club—carrying weight as follows: an aged horse, 126—six years old, 120—five years old, 112—four years old, 100—and three years old, 86 pounds. Also, a Match, the two mile heats for 2000 dollars.

WEDNESDAY.

A Jockey Club Purse, the three mile heats, free as aforesaid, the winning horse of the preceding day excepted. And a sweepstake in the evening.

THURSDAY.

An elegant Fifty guinea Silver Cup—eight subscribers.

And a handsome City and Town Purse, free as aforesaid, the winning horses of the preceding days excepted.

The members of the Club are requested to be punctual in meeting at the club room on the evening preceding the races, in order to make proper arrangements for the same, and those who cannot attend will please to forward their dues to the subscriber.

C. M'LAUGHLIN,

Secretary and Treasurer, W. J. C.

N. B. The amount of the purses cannot at this time be ascertained: as they are in part to be raised from tolls at the gates and the rent of booths. C. M'L.

October 3—t13N

FOR SALE.

The following

City Lots,

ON A LIBERAL TIME,

Upon SECURITY, *viz.*

LOTS—3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, in square No. 919.—Lots 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, & 16, in sq. No. 938. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 13, 14, 15, & 16, in sq. No 986. Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 & 19, in square No. 1042. Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 & 13, in square No. 1066.

Apply to CHARLES MINIFIE, Washington City, or to RICHARD C. JONES, at Philadelphia.

Washington, August 3—tf.

N.B. C. M. hath sundry other lots for sale or ground rent (on easy terms to improvers,) and in eligible situations.

MEDITERRANEAN PASSPORTS.

Notice is hereby given, that it has been deemed expedient to change the form of the Mediterranean Passport issued to vessels of the United States, that from the eighth day of July nextt those of the new form will be issued at the custom houses to every vessel, for which application may be made on a compliance with the terms prescribed by law and surrendering the former passort of which she may be possessed, if any, in which latter case no fees will be required for the exchange: and that by an arrangement agreed upon by the Barbary powers, with whom we are at peace, either the old or the new form of passport will be sufficient to protect the vessels of the United States, from capture until the 1st of July 1805, after which the old form of passport will be unavailable and the new one alone in use.

Department of State, 23d of May, 1804.

The printers of the laws of the United States are requested to insert the above in their Gazettes twice a week for the space of six months, and the Collectors of the Customs to keep copies of it posted up in their offices.

May 30—2aw6m

Runaway Negro

WAS Committed to the jail of Frederick county, on the 22nd of September last, negro

ELIJAH,

who says he is about 24 years old, very black; a bold, impudent fellow, 4 feet 10 inches high, has three suits of clothes, and says that he belongs to one James Fishback, living in Culpepper county, state of Virginia. If his owner does not release him, he will be sold for his jail fees agreeably to law.

GEORGE CREAGER, Sheriff of Frederick County.

Oct. 29—1aw8t

FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

JOHN COX,

GEORGE-TOWN.

HAS received a large and general assortment of Fall and Winter Goods, which he will sell on the very best terms. Amongst which are carpets and carpeting, negro cottons, kerseys and plains, rose and striped blankets, superfine, second and coarse cloth, and cassimeres, patent Bennets cord, thicksetts, velvets and fancy cords, coatings, Flushing's baizes, flannel and bockings, swansdown and moleskin waistcoasting, gentlemen's fine fur and silk moleskin hats, common fur and coarse wool do. children's do. men's and women's silk, cotton, worsted and yarn hose, muffs and tippets, gentlemen and ladies neck and shoulder comforts, book, jaconet, cambric and lace muslin, white and colored embossed cambric, do. silk and muslin shawls and handkerchiefs, fur and moleskin do. elegant laces and edgings, silver, silk, and cotton trimmings, silver frogs and shoe roses, American manufactured bed ticken, bed lace, Irish linens and sheeting, Oznaburghs, Tecklenburgh's, brown hempen and rolls, mahogany dressing cases with silk cushions, do. dressing glasses, tea trays and Morocco decanter stands, ladies pic net, silk, cotton, doe skin, kid and beaver gloves and mitts, men's beaver, cotton and fulled gloves, Leghorn flats and bonnets, white and black feathers and sprays—crapes pealongs, sattins, lutestrings and sarcenets, Marseilles and cotton counterpanes, elegant fans, with almost every other article of fancy and substantial goods.

October 1—tawtf

Charlotte Hall School.

AGREEABLY to public notice, the Trustees of this institution held their annual examination of the pupils on the 4th, 5th, and 6th of September: *John A. Stuart,* Esq. of Fairhaven, Virginia, at the particular request of the Board presided during this examination and, at the close, in a most elegant and appropriate address, expressed "*his highest approbation, his most unbounded astonishment and applause.*" How grateful to the feelings of the Trustees were the loud plaudits of a numerous assemblage of the parents and guardians of children committed to their care! During the orations there appeared an ecstacy of joy! and, the calm satisfaction which was exhibited in the examination of the different classes in Homer, Lucian, Greek Testament, Cicero, Terence, Virgil, Caesar, Ovid, Cornelius Nepos, Sel. Vet. Erasmus, Corderius, and every part of Grammar, gave equal pleasure to the Trustees and to an attentive audience.

With what rapture did every spectator anticipate the future benefits which may result to society from the growing success of this rising establishment—with what delight did all behold 128 pupils in perfect health! and not a single child, accidentally detained, was absent from sickness.

The Trustees hope, that this public approbation of the performance of the pupils will stimulate them to persevere in the race of glory and will rivet to their youthful minds this important truth, that education will render them useful citizens and good men.

The classes will open on the 6th day of October next under the following arrangement,

GEORGE RALPH, A. M. Principal.

OWEN F. MAGRATH, A. M. Vice Principal.

JAMES TOOMY, Assistant in the classical school.

NEALE H. SHAW, English master.

M. DESMANGLES, Professor of the French language.

By order of the Board of Trustees,

WM. THOMAS, Chairman.

October 5—

TO BE RENTED

For one year from the 1st of Nov. next, the dwelling house lately occupied by Mrs. Williams as a boarding house, in New Jersey Avenue, on the Capitol Hill. It has ten good lodging rooms, with a fire place in each, besides a parlour and dining room, and is in every respect well calculated for a boarding house.

For terms apply to Doctor May, or to the subscriber,

W. CRANCH.

October 6, 1804—ep1Nov.

BARLEY.

I will give one dollar per bushel for all good well cleaned barley, delivered at my Brew-House in Alexandria till the 10th of December 1804.

THOMAS CRUSE.

☞ I have commenced Brewing and will have a steady supply of BEER through the season at the usual prices. T. C.

Oct. 10—1m.

PROPOSALS

WILL be received by the Subscribers or by either of them, till the 5th of November next, for ploughing up, leveling and gravelling North G street from 17 to 19th streets, and 18th street west, from New York avenue to Pennsylvania avenue.

CH. W. GOLDSBOROUGH,

T. H. GILLISS,

JOHN LITTLE.

Washington, Oct. 29—4t

THEATRE.

Those persons who have subscribed in PLAISTERING for the Theatre are requested without delay to work out their shares, which they have an opportunity of doing by application at the Theatre to MR. HADFIELD.

PROPOSALS

BY JOHN DIXON,

For Printing by Subscription, a Periodical Work, to be entitled the

VIRGINIA MAGAZINE,

OR,

Monthly Miscellany.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work to contain 68 pages (Octavo) monthly, of selected miscellaneous prose, and of original prose also, whenever the exertions of the Editor, and his Assistant, and the communications of correspondents can supply it.

Of improvements and experiments in Agriculture, with which the Editor hopes to be furnished by the Farmers, &c. of this and other states, or to select himself.

Of Debates in Congress.

Of Foreign and Domestic Intelligence.

Of Selected Poetry, and Original too, when ever good can be procured and not other Owise.

Of Marriages and Deaths.

Of Prices Current.

II. The work to be printed on good paper, and with a neat type.

III. The price to Subscribers, to be Five Dollars per annum, one half to be paid on the delivery of the first number, and the balance at the expiration of six months after.

IV. The work to be put to press as soon as 300 Subscribers are obtained.

PROSPECTUS.

THE utility and rational amusement derivable from well conducted Magazines, probably will not be controverted. They afford an asylum for many fugitive essays, that might otherwise meet with a more rigorous fate than they merit. The brevity of their articles and their longer duration of existence than that of some other periodical publications, hold out an inducement to that indolence, too frequently the attendant of genius, and to those pressed by the cares of business, to devote an hour or two to their own entertainment, and the pleasure and instruction of the community, while the greater variety of subjects they comprise, gives them a decided superiority over several other works.—For they contain something to suit the Palate of every one, and may be particularly pleasing and instructive to those who have not the inclination or the leisure to peruse more prolix writings. There are few countries, where a love of reading prevails and science is regarded, in which Magazines are not numerous and well received. And yet the Subscriber thinks he is correct in saying that not one is published in the respectable state of Virginia. He designs to publish one, principally of a Literary compilation, provided he obtains adequate support, in which case he flatters himself, that his exertions will prove fully satisfactory to his patrons. For any reluctance to subscribe, arising from a non-compliance of any persons who may have issued proposals, similar to the foregoing, the subscriber has it only in his power to say that he pledges his honor to comply with his engagement, if supported by the public.

September 7.

J. DIXON.

A TEN THOUSAND Dollar Prize,

Now to be had for the small sum of SIX dollars!

SCHEME OF A

Lottery

for the use of

THE GERMAN

TRINITY CHURCH,

In SIXTH STREET, PHILADELPHIA,

Which will positively commence drawing at the state house in this city the fourth Monday of November next, prizes will be received in payment for such tickets as may remain for sale during the drawing, or the cash advanced for them, on allowing a small discount. From the great proportion already sold, it is expected that the tickets will soon be raised to six dollars and an half.

		Dollars.
1	Prize of 10 thousand dolls.	10,000
1	Three thousand	3,000
1	Two thousand	2,000
1	One thousand	1,000
4	Five hundred	2,000
10	Three hundred	3,000
20	Two hundred	4,000
35	One hundred	3,500
90	Fifty	4,500
100	Twenty	2,000
6000	Seven	42,000
1	1st drawn No. on the 10th day	500
1	15th	500
1	20th	500
1	25th	500
1	30th	500
1	35th	500
1	40th	1,000
1	45th	1,000
1	50th	1,000
1	55th	1,000
1	First drawn No. on the last day when there shall be only 600 tickets in the wheel,	6,009

6274 Prizes. Dollars,—90 000

Considerably less than two blanks to a prize, The prizes to be paid 30 days after the close of the drawing—Subject to a deduction of 15 per cent.

☞ Tickets for sale by,

GEORGE TAYLOR, Jun. No. 85, South Second street, or

MATTHEW M'CONNELL, No. 82, Chesnut street.

ADAM PREMIR, No. 134, south sixth st.
ANTHY. HOOKLEY, No. Corner of Green and third streets,
CHARLES BOWMAN, No. 16 Budd street. } Commissioners.

Whole tickets—6 dollars

Half tickets—3 25

Quarter tickets, 1 75

Prizes in other lotteries received in payment.

☞ Letters addressed to either of whom, post-paid and inclosing the cash, will be duly attended to.

Aug. 27th—2aw t15N.

N. B. Tickets to be had of Edgar Patterson, John March, and John Barnes—at George Town.

LOTTERY No. III.

For the encouragement of Literature.

SCHEME.

1	Prize of 25,000 dolls.	25 000
1	5,000	5 000
1	2,000	2,000
1	1,000	1,000
18	500	9,000
60	200	12 000
120	100	12,000
200	50	10,000
500	20	10 000
9000	10	90,000
1	first drawn no. 1st day	500
1	5th	1 000
1	10th	1,000
1	15th	1,500
1	20th	1,500
1	25th	2,000
1	30th	.0,000
1	35th	2 000
1	40th	1,000
1	45th	1,000
1	50th	500

9,913 prizes Dolls. 198,000

23,087 blanks.

33,000 tickets at 6 dollars is 198,000

Less than 2 1-2 blanks to a prize.

☞ Subject to a deduction of 15 per cent.

The drawing of the above lottery will certainly commence in the city of New York, on the first Tuesday in December next, and will be continued at the rate of 600 tickets each day until completed.

The managers having disposed of twenty thousand tickets, to a company of contractor in the city of New York, the remainder wil be sold for cash only, by the respective managers, until the first Tuesday in October next. This is the third of five lotteries, directed by an act of the Legislature, passed the 3d of April, 1801, entitled an "act for the encouragement of Literature"—and "an act making further provision for improving the navigation between the villages of Troy and Waterford, and for other purposes."

DAVID GELSTON,
THOMAS STORM,
DANIEL HALE,
PHILIP TEN EYCK,
S. SOUTHWICK, } Managers.

June 6—*

STRAYED

From the Subscriber living near the Navy Yard, a MILCH COW. Her color is partly a red and black brindle, and in part red and white spotted—She has no horns—has a lump like a wen on the right side of her neck and a slit in her left ear. Whoever will inform me where the said cow is, so that I get her again, I will pay two dollars reward.

JOHN MYERS.

October 26—3t

Journey-men Shoemakers wanted immediatly.

TO whom constant employment and liberal wages will be given. For further particulars, enquire at the store of

ALEX. M'CORMICK,

Capitol-Hill, Washington.

October 26—3t

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500 Dollars Reward.

WHEREAS on the first day of April last a Negro fellow named STROTHER and his wife named PHILLIS absconded from my plantation near Chester court house South Carolina—and as I have reason to suspect that some white person or persons has been accessary in said negroes elopement, or has feloniously carried them away——I hereby offer the above reward upon conviction of any white person concealing or carrying away said negroes.

Forty dollars with all reasonable expences will be paid for lodging said negroes in any jail and giving notice by letter to me at Chester C. H. South Carolina, so that I may get them, or twenty dollars for each; that is, if they are taken by any person after this date—any jailor or other persons giving notice to me of said negroes, that they are lodged in any jail before this date shall be very handsomely rewarded.

STROTHER is 22 or 23 years of age, little yellow complexioned, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, stout made, crooked legged, very large feet, has a sour countenance, has large scars on his back occasioned by a severe whipping, by his former overseer in Virginia for rebelling against him.

PHILLIS is 20 or 22 years old of a middle size, trim made, black complexion, has a small lisp when she speaks—Said negroes formerly belonged to Mr. Edward Carter, in Prince William county, state of Virginia, where it is supposed (if they have eloped of themselves) they will try to go.

Any letters of information will be very thankfully received.

JOHN JOHNSTON.

Chester C. H. South Carolina,

July 11—1awtf

Valuable Land for Sale.

The executors of the last will and testament of Anthony Holmead deceased, will sell at private sale about forty acres of Land adjoining the city of Washington at the northern extremity of 20th street west. This land is generally allowed to be one of the handsomest situations near the city, having a beautiful prospect of nearly the whole of the city of Washington, Alexandria and George Town, and any person inclinable to purchase this valuable property, will be shewn the same, and know the terms by application to the subscriber near the premises.

JOHN HOLMEAD.