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

IN CHANCERY, 9th OCTOBER, 1807.

Benjamin Stoddert and John Mason,

versus

Thomas Waters Griffith, John R. Livingston, Jonathan Burrell, Gabault & Dodrey, James C. Montflorence, I. I. Pacaud and James Davidson.

THE bill states that the defendant, Thomas Waters Griffith was the agent of the house of Taney and Simond for the delivery of a cargo of flour belonging to the said Taney and Simmond to the French government. That the French government not being able to pay ready money for the said cargo, the balance due thereon from the said government was placed to the credit of the said Griffith, the agent, instead of being placed to the credit of the real owners Taney and Simmond. That the debt so due hath been liquidated under the Louisiana Convention in the said Griffith's name, for the sum of one hundred and ninety thousand, two hundred and seventy francs, French money of the value of 35,675 dollars. That the said Thomas Waters Griffith, now residing and for several years past having resided in Baltimore city in the state of Maryland, well knowing all the circumstances mentioned in the complainants said bill, and that the debt aforesaid was liquidated in his name in Paris under the Louisiana Convention was in truth and in fact a debt due to the said complainants as the trustees of Francis Lewis Taney, and Taney and Simmond, did execute a writing transferring all the interest of said Griffith in the said debt to the said complainants as trustees aforesaid. That notwithstanding the above circumstances the said Griffith did employ James C. Montflorence of Paris to receive for his own account and use the aforesaid debt, which actually belongs to the said complainants as trustees aforesaid; and the said Montflorence did actually receive the bills o the ministers of the United States, on the Treasury of the United States in part payment of the said debt in four sets of bills drawn in favor of said Thomas Waters Griffith, and which bills have been fraudulently endorsed by the said Montflorence, with a view as the said complainants believe, to defraud them the said complainants, and under a real or pretended power from the said Griffith and as his attorney to the said I. I. Pacaud, who endorsed the same over to John R. Livingston, who has endorsed the same over to Jonathan Burrall, cashier of the Bank of Discount and Deposit at New York, who has endorsed them over to James Davidson cashier of the Branch Bank of the United States in the city of Washington who now holds the same for collection. The complainants further state that four other bills for the balance of the aforesaid claim on the French government liquidated in the name of the said Griffith, but actually belonging to said complainants as trustees as aforesaid, have been drawn in favor of Gabault and Dodrey as transferees of Thomas Waters Griffith, for thirty thousand francs French money of the value of 5625 dollars, which said four bills have also been sent to the aforesaid James Davidson, and endorsed over to him for collection in the same manner as in the case of the four other bills first herein recited. That all the aforesaid eight bills of exchange drawn by the American minister at Paris on the treasury of the United States under the Louisiana Convention for the debt liquidated in the name of Thomas Waters Griffith, are actually the property of said complainants as trustees aforesaid. The object of the said bill is to save and protect the said complainants from the fraud projected against them on the part of the said Thomas Waters Griffith, and his co-adjutors, and to obtain a writ of injunction directed to all the before-mentioned defendants, &c. and particularly to the said James Davidson enjoining and commanding him from paying over to any person besides the said complainants the money that may be paid by the Treasury of the United States in virtue of the said bills of exchange, and particularly enjoining the said James Davidson from paying the said money arising from the said bills, or parting with the said bills until the further order of this court in the premises.

It is represented by the complainants that the said Thomas W. Griffith, John R. Livingston, Jonathan Burrall, Gabault and Dodrey, James C. Montflorence, and I. I. Pacaud, defendants in this cause all reside out of the district of Columbia and are not within the reach of the process of this court. It is therefore ordered that the complainants cause a copy of this order to be inserted once each week for six months previous to the first Monday in June next in the National Intelligencer, to the intent that the said defendants may have notice of this application and of the object of this bill and to be warned to appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the first Monday of June next, to shew cause, if any, why a decree shall not pass as prayed.

By order, WM. BRENT, Ck.

December 4—w6m

WAS committed to the jail of Cecil county, on the 2d inst. on suspicion of being a runaway, a Negro Man, who calls himself PHILIP, about 26 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, a very dark complexion; he had on when he was committed a woollen hat, linsey-woolsey jacket and trowsers. He says he was sold by John Tyler, near Frederick Town, to Mr. Crown. The owner of said Negro is requested to come forward within 60 days and pay all legal costs and charges, otherwise he will be sold out agreeably to law.

JO. BAXTER, Sheriff of Cecil county.

Elkton, January 20—w9t

CHARLES H. VARDEN,

MERCHANT TAYLOR,

RESPECTFULLY informs the gentlemen of the district of Columbia and public in general, that he has just received by a late arrival from Philadelphia,

A CHOICE ASSORTMENT

Of superfine Cloths, Cassimeres, single and double mill'd, superfine Coating, black silk Florentines. Likewise an elegant assortment of Spanelets and rich silk Moleskins for waistcoats with a variety of other articles suitable for the season.

Regimentals and Navy Uniforms made in the most elegant and uniform stile of fashion.

Richard Horwell's celebrated patent parallel SUSPENDERS far superior to any hitherto in use can be had on the same terms retail, as at his manufactory.

FOUR or FIVE good *Journeymen* wanted, who will find constant employ.

November 27—tf

In pursuance of a deed of trust, dated on the 17th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and three, from Isidore Hardey, of Prince George's county, Maryland, to John Francis Hardey, will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises, on Tuesday the first day of March next, if fair, and if not, the first fair day thereafter,

ALL those two Tracts or Parts of Tracts or Parcels of Land, lying and being in Prince George's county, called *Gardinor's Meadows* and *Tyler's Advantage*, containing 330 acres. These lands are encumbered with the right of dower, and will be sold for cash.

The above tracts of land are situated about 5 miles from Piscataway, in Prince George's county, and are tolerably well improved. A more minute description is deemed unnecessary, as those who wish to purchase will view the premises, either on or before the day of sale.

RICHARD B. GARDINOR,

Adm'r of John F. Hardey.

January 29—tMar.

A GREAT BARGAIN.

JOSEPH WHEATON *Broker and Commission Merchant*, has put into his hands for sale, at his office in F street near the Bank, a valuable property in the city of Washington, consisting of 646,453 square feet of city LOTS advantageously situated on the most prominent and valuable streets, and near the Navy Yard and Bridge, and to be had on the most reasonable terms of payment. This great bargain is recommended to gentlemen desirous of securing an early fortune, in this truly growing and flourishing city; the permanent residence and seat of the government of the United States. Other city property to be had—HOUSES and LOTS—Enquire as above.

All kinds of STOCKS bought and sold.

☞ *Wanted to Purchase a few MILITARY LAND WARRANTS.*

Washington city, Dec. 11—tf

Will be Sold at Public Auction,

ON the Premises, on Thursday the 25th day of February next, part of LOT No. 4, in Square 78 being 28 feet front, near the Western Market, and extending back about 147 feet to an alley. There is erected upon this Lot, a good BRICK BUILDING covering the whole front, with a good Kitchen and enclosure, and was formerly occupied by Dr. Bullus. As the property is well known, nothing further descriptive is thought necessary.

January 25—

NOTICE.

IT has been represented to the Secretary of State that John Porter, William Sloane, George Wagnere, William Callient, William Bartlet, John Moore, Clement Rivers, Joseph Pew, Peter Jones, John Troup, Jonathan Stuart, William Wagemen, Joseph Mead, and George A. Cope, who call themselves citizens of the United States, have been impressed into the British service, and are detained for want of documents to prove their citizenship. The friends of these men are therefore notified that on their transmitting to the Secretary of State, proof of their citizenship, together with a description of the persons of the above named seamen, measures will be taken to obtain their discharge.

Department of State, February 9, 1808.

☞ The Editor of the National Intelligencer, and the Editors who publish the Laws of the Union, in the Seaports, are requested to insert the above three times in their respective Gazettes.

February 12—3t

By order of the Orphan's Court of Prince George's county, will be exposed to Public Sale, on Thursday the 18th of February next, at the dwelling house of the late capt. Hezekiah Wheeler,

ALL the Personal Property of the deceased, consisting of Negroes, Horses, Oxen, Sheep, Cattle, and Hogs, Household and Kitchen Furniture, a Waggon and Cart. Part of the above property will be sold under certain restrictions made known on the day of sale. Six months credit, with interest from the day of Sale, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with approved security. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

HEZEKIAH WHEELER, Executor.

January 25—

All persons having claims against the above estate, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the first day of April next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. H. W.

TUNIS CRAVEN

HAS removed his entire stock of DRY GOODS from Alexandria to Washington, and is now opening, at his new Store, between the Marine Garrison and Navy Yard Gate, an assortment equal to any in the District;—among which are,

Wood's best London cloths,
Do. double milled & plain cassimeres,
Bennett's cords and velvets,
Constitution Gerrow, hunting, Trafalgar, and silver cords,
Velvets,
Imperial, Brunswick waistcoating,
Silk moleskins do.
Toilinets, swansdown do.
Plain and figured Marseilles do.
Bearskin coatings,
Plains, kerseys, halfthicks,
Rose and duffil blankets, flannels,
Superfine green cloth table covers,
Calicoes, colored cambrics,
Ginghams, silk and cotton chambrays,
Furniture Chintz,
Cambric and jaconet muslins,
India and British hook do.
India mullmull figured and plain,
Plain and figured lenoes,
Laced cambrics,
Elegant tamboured mulls,
Grecian robes and Pelisse dresses,
8-4 damask and raw silk shawls,
Damask scarfs,
Camel's hair and swansdown do.
Down scarfs,
Long and short lace sleeves, spider & nett sleeves,
Extra long and habit kid gloves,
Do. do. silk do.
Do do. raw silk do.
Cross-barred and plain Mantuas and lutestrings,
Persians and Medes,
Thread and cotton laces,
Lace caps and handkerchiefs,
Book muslin and leno cap patterns,
4-4 7-8 Irish linens,
Long lawns, linen cambrics,
Irish diapers, table-cloths, napkins,
Cotton counterpanes,
Cambric Dimities,
Common do.
Furniture do.
Ladies' and gentlemen's silk, thread, cotton, worsted, lamb's wool & Angola hose,
Gentlemen's pantaloon do.
Silk cords and buttons,
Ribbons, floss threads,
Scarlet and other colored bombazets,
Hearth rugs, Russia sheeting, ticklingburg,
Osnaburgs, baftas, gurrahs, &c. &c.

ALSO,

Imperial and young hyson tea of a superior quality in small boxes, to suit families, or by the pound—Also genuine Havanna segars.

T. C. is determined to sell on the lowest terms.

February 3—tf

ROSS AND GETTY,

HAVE for sale at their store George Town, the following articles just received from Philadelphia, by the schooner Carolina, capt. HAND, jun. viz.

30 kegs butter,
20 barrels, New Town, Pippin Apples,
10 do. buck wheat flour,
10 do. Cranberries, and
10 do shell bark hickery nuts.

Also a small assignment of very elegant Looking Glasses, Waiters, Trays, polished steel Shovel and Tongs, with cut and brass heads, &c. &c.

January 9—tf

IN CHANCERY,

January 25, 1808.

Thomas Beall, of Samuel, Thomas, John, Benjamin, Joseph, and Richard Foster, and Isaac Van Meter,

vs.

George, William, Richard, Ann, and Sarah Mason, and Jared Hooe, and Elizabeth, his wife.

THE object of the bill filed in this cause is to obtain the conveyance of a tract of land, lying in Allegany county, called The Welshman's Conquest, which Thomas Beall, of Samuel, as attorney in fact for George Mason, deceased, contracted to sell to John Foster, by bond of conveyance, bearing date on the 24th day of February, 1787. The bill states that the defendants reside out of the state.

It is thereupon upon motion of the complainants ordered and adjudged, that they cause a copy of this order to be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in the National Intelligencer, in the District of Columbia, before the 27th day of February next, to the intent that the absent defendants may have notice of the present application and the object of the bill filed, and may be warned to appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the 27th day of June next, to shew cause (if any they have) why a decree should not pass as prayed.

True copy.

Test, NICH. BREWER, Reg. Cur. Can.

w3t

February 3.

RUNAWAY.

WAS committed to the jail of Washington county district of Columbia as a runaway, on the 5th inst. a black man who calls himself STEPHEN LOCKERMAN, and says he belongs to John McFadden of Baltimore; he further says that he sailed out of Baltimore in March 1804, with captain Deshan in the ship Margaret, bound to Batavia—he is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, had on when committed, a brown cloth jacket and trowsers, blue striped vest, black hat, fine linnen shirt, half boots, and no other clothes with him. His owner is desired to come and prove him and take him away or he will be sold for his jail fees and other expences as the law directs.

CARTWRIGHT TIPPET,

Keeper of the jail for Washington

Boyd, marshal.

February 12—w3t

BURNS AND BEALL.

WOOLLEN drapers, men's mercers, and taylors, New-Jersey Avenue, opposite the Secretary of the Navy's, respectfully inform the public that they have commenced business in the above line, where they will endeavor to give satisfaction—they have on hand a fresh supply of the most fashionable goods, suitable for the approaching season, all fresh and of the very best quality.

N. B. Regimentals and naval uniforms made in the most elegant and fashionable stile with neatness and dispatch.

October 23—tf.

TWO ELEGANT FORTEPIANOES.

THE subscriber has just received two instruments made by Broadwood, of the first quality, and probably superior to any in this place. He has also all kinds of *DRY & WET GOODS*, among the latter peach brandy 6 years old, fourth proof, and best kind of *HAMS*—also, he offers a pair of *PISTOLS*, in mahogany case, said to shoot between two and three hundred yards, with a musket handle, original cost 100 dollars.

F. A. WAGLER,

At his New Store, near the Centre Market.

N. B. Instruments tuned on the shortest notice.

December 25—tf.

LINDSAY'S HOTEL.

The Subscriber has taken that well calculated house on the Capitol Hill, Late occupied by *Mr. Frost* formerly by *Mr. Stelle*—Where he intends to open a Tavern on the 24th October. Those gentlemen who may favor him with their Custom may rely on every attention in the Power of the Public's devoted Servant.

GEO. W. LINDSAY.

N.B.—EIGHT or TEN *BOARDERS* may be conveniently accommodated.

October 19—tf.

IN CHANCERY, JANUARY 26, 1808.

Issachar, and Malon Scholfield

versus

M'Garty, Theodorick and Daniel Fitzhugh, Mary Brent, Henry Lee, and Nathaniel Pendleton.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a decree to foreclose a mortgage executed by Philip Fitzhugh to the complainants for an undivided moiety of the Mills in Prince Georges county known by the name of "The Adelphi Mills" and the land adjoining included in said mortgage, or for a sale of the premises for the payment of the debt, also for a sale of the real estate of said Philip Fitzhugh for the payment of his debts.

The bill states that the complainants sold the above property to said Fitzhugh for the sum of 9800 dollars, that the complainants executed to Fitzhugh a deed for the property (which has never been recorded) and obtained from him a mortgage to secure the last sum mentioned; also that exclusive of that debt Fitzhugh is otherwise indebted to them, that Fitzhugh executed a bond for the conveyance of the said property to the said defendant Pendleton, and has since died, leaving the defendants the Fitzhughs, and Mary Brent his heirs at law or devisees of his estate; that Henry Lee the defendant is his executor or administrator, and that all the defendants reside out of the state.

It is thereupon on the motion of the complainant ordered that they cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the National Intelligencer during three successive weeks before the first day of March next to the end that the said defendants may have notice of this bill and of the subject and object thereof and may be warned to appear in this court in person or by a solicitor on or before the first day of July next to shew cause if any they there be, wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed.

True copy,

Test NICHS. BREWER, Reg. Cur. Can.

February 12—w3t

WANTED a man in the occupation of a SCHOOLMASTER; any person coming well recommended will find encouragement by applying to

THOMAS H. LYLES,
RICHARD IRELAND, Jr.
THEODORE HODGKIN,
MORDECAI SMITH.

Calvert county, Feb. 17—3t

FOR SALE.

THE Two story Brick HOUSE, situate on square number 930 in the city of *Washington* now occupied by Mr. Tunis Craven, as a retail store. The eligibility of this stand for the retail business is excelled by none in this city; being situate on the principal street to the Navy Yard, and very near the Navy Yard Gate. Any person desirous of purchasing the above property may be shewn it by applying to the subscriber, who will also make known the terms of sale

WM. BRENT.

Washington city, Dec. 18—wtf

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Prince Georges county, letters of administration on the Personal Estate of *Thomas H Harson*, late of Prince Georges county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 17th of June next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

THOMAS G. ADDISON, Ad'mr.

December 23—w2m

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on the 10th day of October last a mulatto man named HARRY; he is about 6 feet high, well made, about 28 or 29 years of age, plays the fiddle well; he is a tolerable good carpenter and stone mason, he has a white spot on the top of his head about 2 or 3 inches square, occasioned by a hurt when small; no other mark or scar recollected on him. He had on when he went away a brown broad cloth coat, white fur hat, corduroy pantaloons and waistcoat. It is likely he has altered his name and clothing as he is a cunning fellow, and took plenty of money with him, or at least fifty dollars; he is an easy spoken fellow and generally speaks low, no ways forward or impudent. Any person that will take up said slave and secure him in any jail in the United States, and give information to the subscriber living in Hampshire county, 18 miles from Winchester on the road leading from Winchester, Romney and Morefield, shall receive the above reward and all reasonable charges if brought home.

JACOB JENKINS.

February 19—3t

THE COLUMBIAD,

BY JOEL BARLOW.

THE Lovers of the FINE ARTS need only see it, and they will universally pronounce it the most splendid Work ever published in America. The ENGRAVING of the PLATES alone, cost upwards of 4,000 dollars.

☞ A few copies of the above work are received, & for Sale at J. MARCH'S Book-store, Georgetown.

February 12—1aw1m

A BRICK HOUSE AND LOT

FOR SALE.

ON Monday the 8th day of February next, if fair, if not the next fair day, will be exposed to public sale on the premises at 4 o'clock in the evening, part of Lot No. 6, in square No. 141, in this city, fronting 16 feet 9 inches on North G street, and running back 133 feet, with the improvements thereon, consisting of a convenient two story Brick House and enclosure. The Lot was leased to the former tenant for a term of 99 years at the rent of 35 dollars per annum, and the benefit of a covenant to purchase the fee simple thereof.

On default of payment of three years rent, the subscriber has been put in possession of the premises, according to the law in such cases provided; for which, and accruing expences, it will be sold, subject to the conditions of the former case, and a new lease executed to the purchaser on complying with the terms of sale. Being in the vicinity of the public offices, and in a thick settled genteel neighborhood, it would be an eligible situation for a gentleman doing business in either of the departments. The premises may be viewed and the papers seen by applying to Thomas Herty, prior to the day of sale.

JOSEPH NOURSE.

☞ Terms of sale, a negotiable note with an approved endorser, payable 60 days after date.

The Sale of the above Property is poned until Monday the 14th day of March next, when it will be offered for sale at the hour and place above-mentioned

February 17—tdos

I WISH to SELL, about 20 acres of *LAND*, adjoining George-town, with the following improvements: a new framed dwelling 40 feet cellar under the whole, 5 rooms and a piazzo on the first floor, stone kitchen 18 by 24, a wash house 14 by 16, smoke house, stable and carriage house, also, paled yard and garden, there are a number of young fruit trees beginning to bear, and 6 or 7 acres in clover. I believe this place as healthy as the Alleghany mountain, and perhaps second to none for a country seat; for although about three quarters of a mile from Georgetown market, yet by reason of a deep valley between it and town it is rendered very private, and the road good; the prospect commanding and variegated.

As I wish to improve near the Rope Walk, I would sell this place low.

RICHD. PARROTT.

Georgetown, December 14—wtMh

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD,

FOR apprehending a certain Young man who calls himself Leo Tabergan, fair complexioned, about six feet high, stout made, 19 or 20 years of age, says he was raised in the state of Ohio, who engaged himself with the subscriber as an overseer for the ensuing year, he left his plantation last evening, taking with him sundry wearing apparel belonging to the subscriber, viz. 4 shirts, 4 pair of country knit stockings, 2 white neck handkerchiefs, marked J. W. 4 mock-madrass, do. one long blue cloth coat with plain gilt buttons, some small holes in the body near the right arm-hole, 1 short blue do. lined through with yellow flannel, 1 pair buff colored cassimere pantaloons, 1 pair fancy cord do. took with him at the same time, wearing apparel belonging to Mr. Saml. C. Jones, viz. 1 pair light colored velvet pantaloons, 1 pair dark grey, do. Bennets cord, 1 pair shoes of a large size, 1 vest yellow cord, 1 pair dark worsted stockings, new. The above reward will be given to any person for apprehending and securing the said thief in any jail so that he may be punished agreeable to law.

JOHN WELCH,

St. Mary's cy. Ridge Post Office.

February 12—2t