1500 DOLLARS REWARD.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

YESTERDAY about 11 o'clock in the forenoon, Mr. JOHN PETER, an Officer of the BANK OF COLUMBIA, was stopped on horseback on the road between this town and Alexandria, and within about 2 miles of the latter place, by some unknown villain, shot through the body with a pistol, and robbed of a sum of money in his possession belonging to this Institution which he was taking to Alexandria, for the purpose of exchanging with the banks there.

The whole sum taken amounted Eighteen Thousand One hundred and Fourteen Dollars and Sixty-five Cents, made up in several packages, among which were,

		Dol. C.
1	post note of the Bank of Virginia, for	800
1	do. of the same, for	500
1	do. of the same, for	500
1	do. of the same, for	450
1	do. of the Bank of Potomac in favor of Joseph Riddle by him endorsed to Washington Bowie, dated 6 July, 1805 No 117	149 65

A check of the Union Bank, on the Bank of Alexandria drawn by R. Higinbotham, cashier, in favor of Greetham and Deverau, by them endorsed and by Benj. Stoddert, and C. Smith, Teller.

There were also a parcel of post notes of the Bank of Alexandria for 100 dolls. and for 50 dolls. each. The remainder was in current notes, principally of the banks of Alexandria and Potomac, and some few of the Bank of Virginia of different sizes and denominations.

As the attack was sudden, and the wound received of a nature to deprive Mr. Peter instantly of his senses, (although it is now hoped he will recover) the description obtained may not be very accurate—As far as we are are informed—the man who perpetrated the act, is of middle stature, good countenance, and had a genteel appearance He had on a dark blue or black coat, nankeen pantaloons, shoes, and a black hat, he was on foot and alone at the time, but may have had accomplices concealed, and will probably change his clothes.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS will be given to any person or persons, who will detect and bring to conviction the robber: and ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS additional for the recovery of the whole of the money, or in proportion for any smaller sum recovered—should there be accomplices, and one of them make a discovery, so that it leads to the conviction of the robber, or to the recovery of the money he shall receive the above reward, and interest will be made to obtain his pardon.

WILLIAM WHANN, Cashier of the Bank of Columbia.

George Town, July 31—

NOTICE.

HAVING agreed with Mr. ANDREW REINHART for keeping in repair the Public PUMPS in the city of Washington. It is requested of those in whose neighborhood pumps of that kind are situated, in the event of their being out of order, to give Mr. Reinhart notice thereof, and to certify what he has done to the said pump, when finished.

ROBERT BRENT, Mayor of Washington.

August 2—3t

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY on the 9th inst. from the subscriber's farm near Frederick Town, (Maryland) a dark mulatto fellow named

MOSES,

But commonly called LANHAM,

He was raised near Piscataway and sold by a Mr. Burress to the late James Marshall, deceased, of Frederick county. Lanham is about thirty years of age, nearly six feet high, stout and very active, fond of spirituous liquors, has been accustomed to working aboard shipping, likewise in a brick yard and is well acquainted with the management of horses and with the ferrying business; he is a very artful fellow, and I expect he has obtained a pass and will pass under the name of Samuel Beall. He had on and took with him an oznaburg shirt & trowsers, a blue cloth coat with a black silk velvet cape bound with silk ferretting, a black fur hat nearly new, a pair of shoes nearly new, an old drab surtout coat, with sundry other cloathing not recollected; he has a scar under one of his eyes but it is not recollected which, somewhat hard of hearing and round shoulder'd. From his acquaintance in the city of Washington I suppose he has made for that place or some other sea port. Whoever takes up and secures said fellow in any jail so that I get him again shall receive if taken ten miles from home eight dollars, if twenty miles sixteen dollars, if thirty miles twenty dollars, if fifty miles thirty dollars, and if a greater distance the above reward with all reasonable charges if brought home.

JOHN L. HARDING.

N. B Masters of vessels and others are cautioned against harboring said runaway at their peril.

July 26—1m

To be Sold,

Or exchanged for other property in the City, or its vicinity.

TWO valuable and contiguous TRACTS of LAND in the state of Kentucky, the one containing 6880 acres, and the other 6252 acres, by late resurvey. They are under old and indisputable titles of more than twenty years, and situate in a populous county, adjoining flourishing settlements. All taxes thereon have been duly paid.

Apply to the subscriber,

JOHN BECKLEY.

City of Washington, July 17—ep2m

Ten Dollars Reward.

WAS missed on Sunday, the 5th of May a double cased silver Watch, maker's name Crossthwaite, Dublin, and in the outer case was a watch paper with Mr. Parker's name of Philadelphia ——Whoever will bring the said watch to the office of the National Intelligencer, shall receive the above reward, and no questions will be asked.

May 10—tf.

PUBLIC SALE.

IN virtue of an order issued from the hon. court of Calvert county, will be offered at public sale, on the 28th day of August next, (if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter) at the late mansion of Benjamin Ward, deceased, at the hour of 12 o'clock, a valuable plantation, containing 184 acres of Land, lying on the Chesapeake Bay, in Calvert county. The improvements are a small dwelling house, kitchen, tobacco house, corn house, and other out houses; a large orchard of fine fruit. This fertile spot has every advantage, it abounds in heavy timber, and has a great proportion of rich low ground, capable of being made into meadow at a very trifling expence. The soil is extremely rich—tobacco, wheat, rye, and Indian corn, grow with little labour—the neighbourhood affords a society of very genteel and friendly people—places of worship surround it—convenient to mills, and a ware house for the inspection of tobacco within two miles of the premises. This Land will be laid off in small parcels, or sold all together, as may best suit purchasers.—Bond with approved security will be required, carrying interest from the day of sale, payable in two equal payments, the first in 12, and the last in 18 months from the day of sale.

WM. M. CARCAUD,
DAVID L. WEEMS,
CHAS. WILLIAMSON,
Commissioners.

July 3 ep8w

West Indies.

BERNARD McMAHON SEEDSMAN,

No. 129.

CHESNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA,

Has just imported from London by the ship Columbia,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Garden Seeds,

PARTICULARLY of such kinds as are usually in demand in the West Indies, and as other hot climates; and also of such sorts in are necessary for summer and fall sowing in the United States They are all fresh, of the last season's growth, and will be disposed of on moderate terms.

TURNIP SEED.

He has likewise imported from one of the most eminent Turnip farmers in England, a quantity of the genuine White Norfolk field turnip seed, which is the most profitable kind yet known for cattle feeding, and exceeded by none for ordinary purposes.

FLOWER ROOTS.

His flower roots being now taken up, his friends and the public may be supplied with upwards of three hundred varieties of the most superb Tulips, all named, and arranged in their proper divisions, a large collection of the best double Hyacinths, Anemones, Ranunculuses and Jonquils; likewise Crown Imperial, crocus spring and autumnal Cyclamen roots, with several other kinds.

BOOKS.

He is constantly supplied with the best and most approved works on Agriculture, Botany and Gardening, and in a few weeks will have ready for publication his treaties on AMERICAN GARDENING, adapted particularly to the climates, seasons, and vegetable productions, that are, or may be profitably cultivated in the United States

He is also supplied with the best English flour of mustard and split peas; white and brown mustard seed for mangoes, &c watering pots, bass mats, pruning, grafting, and inoculating knives; garden rakes, hoes, reels, lines, spades, shovels, trowels and edging irons, hot bed lights and glass, hyacinth glasses, red, white, and yellow clover seed, burnet, lucerne, ray grass, timothy, herd grass and orchar grass seeds, lentils, vetches, peas, beans and every other necessary article in the seed trade.

McMAHON invites, nay he solicits a correspondence and reciprocity of services with the admirers of curious and useful vegetable productions, in the United States and elsewhere; and having it considerably in his power, being generally supplied with an immense number of scarce, curious, and valuable seeds, he hopes they will find in him an attentive and useful correspondent.

July 15.

Pursuant to a decree of the Court Chancery,

I shall sell at Public Auction in the town of Piscataway, on Tuesday the 6th day of August next,

ALL the real estate (not heretofore sold) of Thomas Clagett, Esq late of Prince George's county deceased, containing about the quantity of eleven hundred acres, of which that handsome well improved lot in the town of Piscataway is a part.

Two hundred and twenty-five acres of good forrest land part of Marlow's resurvey, being about three miles from Piscataway—eight hundred and fifty acres, part of several different tracts, commodiously adjoining each other on Piscataway creek, about a quarter of a mile from the Tobacco Warehouse, on the navigation of Potomac river—This is a valuable tract of land, and will be sold in one body, or divided into lots as may best suit those who wish to purchase.

These lands will be sold on a credit of four years, payable in four equal annual installments, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond with approved security to the trustee on interest from the day of sale—on the chancellor's ratifying the sales and the whole of the purchase money being paid (and not before) The trustee by a good deed, will convey and transfer to the purchaser or purchasers and his or their heirs, the land to him, her, or them sold, free, clear, and discharged from all claims of the heirs of the aforesaid Thomas Clagett. THOMAS DUCKETT.

Prince George's county,
June 14—cop1st

Rapine, Conrad, & Co.

On New Jersey Avenue Capitol Hill,

HAVE just received and offer for sale, at a low price. a quantity of PERUVIAN BARK by the pound and smaller quantity.

They have also, lately received an addition to their former assortment of books and stationary.

July 10—

Council, Annapolis, May 16, 1805.

ORDERED, That the act to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals, be published twice in each week for the space of three months in the Maryland Gazette at Annapolis; the American, Telegraphe and the Federal Gazette at Baltimore; the National Intelligencer; the Republican Advocate and Bartgis's paper at Frederick-Town; Greeves's paper at Hagerstown, and in Smith's and Cowan's paper at Easton.

By order,
NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.

AN ACT

To provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and forms of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals.

BE it enacted by the general assembly of Maryland, That this state shall be divided into six judicial districts in manner and form following to wit: St. Mary's, Charles and Prince George's counties, shall be the first district; Cæcil, Kent, Queen Anne's and Talbot counties, shall be the second district; Calvert, Anne Arundel and Montgomery counties shall be the third district; Caroline, Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester counties, shall be the fourth district, Frederick, Washington and Allegany counties shall be the fifth district; Baltimore and Harford counties shall be the sixth district; and there shall be appointed, for each of the said judicial districts, three persons of integrity and sound legal knowledge, residents of the state of Maryland, who shall previous to and during their acting as judges, reside in the district for which they shall respectively be appointed, one of whom shall be styled in the commission chief judge, and the other two associate judges, of the district for which they shall be appointed; and the chief judge, together with the two associate judges, shall compose the county courts in each respective district; and each judge shall hold his commission during good behavior, removeable for misbehavior on conviction in a court of law, or shall be removed by the governor, upon the address of the general assembly, provided that two thirds of all the members of each house concur in such address; and the county courts, so as aforesaid established, shall have, hold and exercise, in the several counties of this state, all and every the powers authorities and jurisdictions, which the county courts of this state now have, use and exercise, and which shall be hereafter prescribed by law; and the said county courts established by this act shall respectively hold their sessions in the several counties at such times and places as the legislature shall direct and appoint, and the salaries of the said judges shall not be diminished during the period of their continuance in office.

II. And be it enacted, That in any suit or action at law hereafter to be commenced or instituted in any county court of this state, the judges thereof, upon suggestion in writing by either of the parties thereto, supported by affidavit or other proper evidence, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in the county court of the county where such suit or action is depending, shall and may order and direct the record of their proceedings in such suit or action to be transmitted to the judges of any county court within the district for trial, and the judges of such county court, to whom the said record shall be transmitted, shall hear and determine the same in like manner as if such suit or action had been originally instituted therein; provided, nevertheless, that such suggestion shall be made as aforesaid before or during the term in which the issue or issues may be joined in the said suit or action; and provided also, that such further remedy may be provided by law, in the premises, as the legislature shall from time to time direct and enact.

III. And be it enacted, That if any party presented or indicted in any of the county courts of this state, shall suggest in writing to the court in which such prosecution is depending, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such adjoining county court shall hear and determine the same in the same manner as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein; provided that such further and other remedy may be provided by law in the premises as the legislature may direct and enact.

IV. And be it enacted, That if the attorney general, or the prosecutor for the state, shall suggest in writing to any county court, before whom an indictment is or may be depending, that the state cannot have a fair and impartial trial in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court, in their discretion, to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such county court shall hear and determine the same as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein.

V. And be it enacted, That there shall be a court of appeals, and the same shall be composed of the chief judges of the several judicial districts of the state, which said court of appeals shall hold, use and exercise, all and singular the powers, authorities and jurisdictions, heretofore held, used and exercised, by the court of appeals of this state, and also the appellate jurisdiction heretofore used and exercised by the general court; and the said court of appeals hereby established, shall sit on the western and eastern shores for tranacting and determining the business of the respective shores, at such times and places as the future legislature of this state shall direct and appoint, and any three of the said judges of the court of appeals shall form a quorum to hear and decide in all case pending in said court and the judge who has given a decision in any case in the county court, shall withdraw from the bench upon the deciding of the same case before the court of appeals; and the judges of the court of appeals may appoint the clerks of said court for the western and eastern shore respectively, who shall hold their appointments during good behavior, removeable only for misbehavior on conviction in a court of law: and in case of death, resignation, disqualification or removal out of the state, or from their respective shores, of either of the said clerks in the vacation of the said court, the governor, with the advice of the council, may appoint and commission a fit and proper person to such vacant office, to hold the same until the next meeting of the said court; and all laws passed after this act shall take effect, shall be recorded in the office of the court of appeals of the western shore.

VI. And be it enacted, That all and every part of the constitution and form of government which relates to the court of appeals and the general court, or the judges thereof, or that is in any manner repugnant to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of this act, be and the same is hereby repealed, abrogated and annulled upon the confirmation hereof; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed so as to authorise the removal of the clerks of the respective county courts being in commission at the time of the passing of this act, in any other mode or manner than that prescribed by the constitution and form of government.

VII. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, that in such case this act, and the alterations and amendments of the constitution and form of government therein contained, shall be taken and considered, and shall constitute and be valid, as a part of the said constitution and form of goverment, to all intents and purposes, any thing in the said constitution and form of government to the contrary, nowithstanding.

May 31—2aw3m

STELLE's HOTEL & *CITY TAVERN.*

THE Subscriber takes this method of thanking his friends and the public for their favors whilst on the Capitol Square and begs leave to acquaint them that having purchased and now occupying the tavern, late Tunnicliff's hotel; which he has commenced enlarging and improving—he respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage of his friends and the public; assuring them that 'tis his full determination to fit up his present hotel, and so to conduct it, as to merit, he hopes, the preference of the public travelling, as well as those coming to the permanent seat of the Government of our Land of Liberty.

PONTIUS D. STELLE.

Washington City, March 25—tf

BOOT-MAKING.

JOHN MINCHIN, boot maker, from Philadelphia, respectfully acquaints his friends, former customers, andthe public, that he has recommenced his business in all its various branches, at his established stand, where he will thankfully receive all orders in his line, which he will endeavor to execute with punctuality and satisfaction. He has on hands gentlemen's boots of all kinds, dress and strong shoes.——Wanted, a number of men to make strong shoes, and a few boot men—Also two apprentices to the above business.

New Jersey Avenue,
July 17—eptf.

CHARLES H. VARDEN,

MERCHANT TAYLOR.

Has received from Philadelphia a handsome assortment of FALL goods, consisting of the best London and French superfine cloths, cassimeres, patent Bennet's cord, toilenetts, fancy and white Marseilles, black and figured silk, moleskins, fancy silk, Marseilles, constitution cords, velvets, Genoa cord, silk and sattin Florenteens, superfine coating, knapped cloths, with a variety of other articles suitable for the winter season.

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

New Jersey avenue near the Capitol,
December 10——tf

ADAM KING, & Co.

AT their wine Store in High street George Town, have in addition to their stock of old wines, laid in a large and general assortment of all kinds of Liquors and Groceries suitable to the present season; where bills of any description, in their line, will constantly be filled up on the shortest notice and they flatter themselves, from the quality of their wines, &c. they will be able to give general satisfaction to all those who may think proper to favor them with a call—where all kind of commission business ausua will be attended to with the utmost attention

George Town, November 5—tf

Twenty Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber's plantation near this place, on Monday the 10th of Jane,

PHIL,

Who commonly calls himself Phil Brice, a dark mulatto, aged about twenty four years, five feet eight or nine inches high, remarkably polite, speaks quick (though with difficulty) when spoken to, his clothing unknown. Having acquaintances in Baltimore, Alexandria and the City of Washington, I think it probable he has gone to one of those places. The above reward will be paid to any person who shall bring him home, or ten dollars for lodging him in any jail, so that I get him again.

WM. B. BEANES.

Upper Marlborough, July 12—w6t

HISTORY
Of the West Indies:

A WORK in the contents of which every citizen of America must be interested, whether devoted to business, or desirous of information through the medium of amusement.

A new & revised adition of Mr. EDWARDS's History of the West Indies, with a third volume, (completed by its amiable author a short time previous to his death) has lately been published in London. This third volume contains the interesting and important history, with a large Map of the Island of St. Domingo, or Hispaniola, as also that of Tobago; likewise a history of the war in the West Indies from its commencement in 1793, and a tour of Sir William Young through several of the islands. It is accompanied by a highly finished portrait of Mr. Edwards, a history of his life written by himself, and a prefatory advertisement by Sir WILLIAM YOUNG, Baronet, M. P. F R. S. &c. under whose editorship it has been given to the public.

The subscriber, impressed with a sense of the great importance a general knowledge of the History, civil and commercial, of the West Indies, must be to every citizen of America, and of the great celebrity of the above work, proposes to print it by subscription, and respectfully offers the following for public patronage and encouragement.

Proposals for Printing,

From the London copy, 3 volumes quarto,

THE HISTORY,

CIVIL AND COMMERCIAL,

Of the British Colonies in the West Indies.

BY BRYAN EDWARDS, ESQ F R. S. A. S.

Containing, with a variety of other matter:—

A political and topographical survey of the sugar islands.

A comprehensive account of the ancient and present inhabitants, agriculture, productions, laws, government, constitution and commerce.

An historical review of the slave trade; including observations on the character, genius, dispositions, and situations of the enslaved Africans.

An historical review of St. Domingo, comprehending an account of the former government of the French part of that island, its political state, populations, productions, and exports; a narrative of the calamities which have desolated the island ever since the year 1789; and a detail of the transactions of the British army in that island.

Also, a tour through the islands of Barbadoes, St. Vincent, Antigua, Tobago and Grenada, by Sir William Young, Baronet, &c. And

A history of the war in the West Indies from its commencement in 1793, &c. &c

CONDITIONS.

It will be printed in four volumes, large octavo, on a perfectly new and beautiful type and on a handsome large medium paper, agreeable to a specimen, which may be had at the subscriber's Book Store.

The price to subscribers to be three dollars the volume, in boards; each volume to be paid for on delivery.

With the last volume will be given an ATLAS, (without any additional price) containing the following maps, viz

1	A large general map of the West Indies.
2	Map of Jamaica.
3	Barbadoes.
4	Grenada.
5	St. Vincents.
6	Dominica.
7	St. Christophers.
8	Nevis.
9	Antigua.
10	Virgin islands.
11	St. Domingo, or Hispaniola.
12	Tobago.

To prevent disappointment or complaint, it is now premised, that on the publication of the second volume the subscription price will be advanced to three dollars and a half the volume, and on the publication of the last volume the price will be again enhanced.

With the last volume, besides the Atlas, will be given an elegant engraving of the celebrated author. Also a list of the subscribers names.

The London copy of the foregoing work in three volumes cannot be sold in America, in boards, under sixty dollars.

JAMES HUMPHREYS.

☞ Subscriptions are received by said Humphreys at his book-store the corner of Second and Walnut streets, and by the principal Booksellers through the Union.

Philadelphia, July 15—

Forty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on the 8th April 1805, a small negro man named NACE, 21 years old, about five feet high, dark complection, a small scar on his upper lip, quick spoken: had on when he went away an oznaburg shirt, striped cotton round ever jacket, white dimity waistcoat, striped cotton pantaloons and a straw hat, but no doubt he has changed his dress by this time: he was seen at the fishing landings on the Potomac a few days after he left home; probably he might get a passage in a fishing vessel to Baltimore or elsewhere. Whoever apprehends and secures the said negro man in any jail, or brings him home, so that I may get him again, shall be entitled to the above reward, including what the law allows.

THOMAS MUDD,

Prince George county, near Piscataway, Maryland—July 29—w3t

ELIAS B. CALDWELL,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

HAS removed his Office, to the house lately occupied by Mr. LAW, on Capitol Hill.

Washington, July 26—tf