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,

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1	post note of the Bank of Virginia, for	800
1	do. of the same, for	500
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1	do. of the Bank of Potomac in favor of Joseph Biddle by him endorsed to Washington Bowie, dated 6 July, 1803 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 Deveraux, 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—

Republican Proceedings.

AGREEABLY to notice, a meeting of a number of respectable Republicans from the several election districts in Prince George's county, was held at Upper Marlborough in said county, on the 11th of September, for the purpose of recommending to the Republicans of said county, proper characters to represent them in the next General Assembly of Maryland.

RINALDO JOHNSON, Esq. was called to the chair, and Mr. FIELDER RIDGWAY appointed Secretary of this meeting.

On motion, Resolved that this meeting now proceed to ballot for four candidates to be recommended to the citizens of Prince Georges county as delegates to the next General Assembly and that this meeting will support by their votes at the ensuing election such gentlemen as shall have a majority of ballots in their favor.

The meeting then proceeded to the balloting, and upon casting up the votes it appeared that Alexander Contee, Osborn Sprigg, Samuel Tyler, Sen. and Thomas Woodward, Esquires had a majority of votes.

Whereupon,

Resolved, That this meeting recommend to the Republican Citizens of Prince George's county, Alexander Contee, Osborn Sprigg, Samuel Tyler, Sen. and Thomas Woodward, Esquires as proper characters to serve in the ensuing General Assembly.

Resolved, That the aforegoing proceedings be signed by the Chairman and Secretary of this meeting, and published in the National Intelligencer.

RINALDO JOHNSON, Chairman,
Test FIELDER RIDGWAY, Secretary.

Sept. 18—t0ct 7

A Brewery for Sale.

BY virtue of an authority given to the subscriber will be sold upon the premises to the highest bidder, on Monday the 21st day of October next at the hour of twelve, Lot numbered 10 in square east of square numbered 88 in the city of Washington; upon this lot are a malt house and kiln, a dwelling house of four rooms, to which is attached the brew house, containing a copper of 600 gallons and another of 100 gallons, a mashing tun, at present down, working tun and a number of hogsheads; also a small granary with cellar room for sixty rum hogsheads—the standing works are convenient and the whole may be put in complete repair for 300 dollars. annexed to the brewery is a good horse mill. A wharf may be extended from it at a small expence, to receive wood and grain, and beer may be conveyed from it by water to all the more populous parts of the city and George-Town. The above property is extremely desirable in all respects to a person wishing to go into the brewing line.

The terms of sale are, the purchase money to be paid one half in six and the other in nine months. For which payments security will be expected. Any person wishing to view the premises will please apply to Dr. Conningham residing thereon.

MARSHAM WARING.

Sept. 2—td0t

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

This is to give notice that

the subscribers of Prince George's County have obtained from the Orphan's Court of said county in Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of John Baden, of Thomas late of said county deceased; all persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned, to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof to the subscribers at or before the first day of May next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate, given under our hands this sixteenth day of September 1805.

CLEMENT BADEN, } Executors.
JOSEPH N. BADEN, }

N. B. ALL persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

C. B.
J. N. B.

Sept 20—3t

Negroes for Sale.

ON Thursday the 3d day of October next, at Semme's tavern in George town, I shall offer at public SALE for cash, TWELVE likely NEGROES, consisting of Boys from 8 to 18 years of age, and women and children.

JOSEPH BREWER.

Sept. 6—1awtdef.

TAKEN up on the premises of the subscriber living at WARREN'S MILL in Prince George's county, a stray GREY MARE, nine years old, fourteen and a half hands high, mane and tail cut very short and apparently with foal. The owner is requested to prove property pay charges and take her away.

JOSEPH CLARK ADDINGTON.

Sept. 20—3t

Ten Dollars Reward.

WAS missed on Sunday, the 5th of May a double cased silver Watch, maker's name Crosthwaite, 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

District of Columbia, Washington County, to wit.

ON the petition of HUGH DENSLEY an insolvent debtor confined in the prison of Washington County for debt, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said Hugh Densley, that on the thirtieth day of September instant at 9 o'clock A. M. at the Court room in the Capitol, the oath prescribed by the act of Congress for the relief of insolvent debtors within the district of Columbia, will be administered to the said Hugh Densley, and a trustee appointed unless sufficient cause then and there be shew to the contrary.

It is ordered that this notice be published twice in the National Intelligencer and Washington Federalist before that day.

By order of the honorable William Cranch, assistant judge of the Circuit Court of the District of Columbia.

WILLIAM BRENT, Clk.

Sep. 23—2t.

WILL be offered at Public

Sale on Tuesday 22d October next, if not sold at private sale, before that day, all that rich, valuable and well known farm, called "Enfield Choice," containing about 600 acres, lying in Prince George county on the road leading from the city of Washington to the city of Annapolis, 18 miles from the former and 12 miles from the latter place, and 4 miles from the Queen Anne Inspection. The situation of the dwelling house (which is large and convenient) is high and healthy; there are on the land five tobacco houses, a carriage house, stables and all other necessary outhouses, all of which are nearly new. The soil of this land is well adapted to the growth of Tobacco, Indian corn and every kind of grain, and a great proportion of timber, rails and fire wood, so situated that little labor is required to make the necessary repairs; 30 acres are now in timothy and more may be made at a small expence; few farms in this county afford greater advantages and flatter the industrious with greater prospects of success. The purchaser may be accommodated with choice stock and provender of every kind. The property will be shewn and the terms made known by application to the subscriber living on the premises.

ISAAC LANSDALE.

Sept. 23—3t

SALE at AUCTION.

ON the 7th of October at 11 o'clock in the forenoon will be sold at public auction *(at the COLUMBIAN INN in GEORGE TOWN.)* a handsome assortment of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of beds, bedsteads and furniture, mahogany dining tables, side board, walnut tables, looking glasses, carpets, chairs, brass andirons, fenders, shovels and tongs, &c. &c. and a great variety of other articles—a liberal credit will be given for all sums above one hundred dollars

JOHN TRAVERS, Auct.

Aug. 21—2awtf

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers having obtained letters of administration from the Orphan's Court of Prince George's county upon the personal estate of JOHN FRANCIS HARDY, deceased; they therefore give notice to all those indebted to the estate of the said John Francis Hardy to settle their respective debts. Those who have claims upon the estate are requested to exhibit them legally authenticated.

ELIZABETH HARDY, } Admr's.
RICHARD E. GARDINER, }
Magruder's Ferry, Prince George's county, Sept. 13—3w

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BY GILBERT STUART, L. L. D.

THE Lectures of Professor Sullivan, delivered to the Students in the University of Dublin, are in very high repute among all Lawyers of eminence, and have been uniformly recommended as an elementary book to those young gentlemen who begin the study of Law with a view to render themselves respectable in the profession.

However obsolete the feudal policy may now seem to be, it having gradually disappeared as mankind grew more civilized and became better acquainted with their natural and inalienable rights and privileges; yet a research into the history of the government of jurisprudence of the nations of Europe, will satisfy any one, that many consequences of that system still exist and influence the opinions and decisions of the highest and most enlightened tribunals of justice. Every author who has undertaken to give a regular and systematic account of the rise and progress of modern nations, has felt himself obliged to resort to the history of feuds and feudal rights, as the fundamental principle from which all existing civil and political institutions have taken their rise; and every jurist who has employed himself in explaining the constitution and laws of his country, has gone to the same source for the correct materials of his essays and dissertations. Robertson, in his history of the Emperor Charles V. has with great beauty and perspicuity illustrated so much of the feudal policy as was necessary to enable the scientific reader to understand that valuable book; and Sir Wm. Blackstone has in the course of his commentaries, led the student to a contemplation of the ansient tenures, many of which depend upon the doctrine of feuds, as established in England by the Norman conqueror.

But in both those invaluable productions, the feudal policy was adverted to, only as incidental to the principal object of the authors, and therefore cannot be supposed to furnish so complete and satisfactory an account, as would be given by so distinguished a lawyer as professor Sullivan, who declares the great purpose of his lectures to be the full discussion of the subject, which was of necessity but partially considered by the other writers.

This work has become so scarce in this country, as to be seldom seen, even on the shelves of a practising lawyer; a fact to be accounted for only by the difficulty of obtaining the book: for it cannot well be supposed that any one of the profession, who has higher views than the mere pecuniary advantages of the practise, would willingly neglect an enquiry into those ancient institutions, upon which, notwithstanding the lapse of ages, most modern improvements are founded. But it is not to the profession alone, that this book may be considered useful. In this rising empire, where polical knowledge to a certain degree is claimed by all, and actually possessed by many; a book which succinctly and perspicuously brings to view the laws, institutions, manners and customs of those nations from which our English ancestors descended, must be peculiarly useful as it will enable young politicians to trace all our civil regulations to their source, and thus to account methodically and scientifically for many modern usages and practises, of which their knowledge is extremely superficial. In this book they will see how our ancestors struggled for the establishment of those privileges which artful monarchs and a proud nobility were continually attempting to destroy; and they will also learn that the persevering industry of the people, aided by the wealth which their skill and enterprize brought into the country, finally obtained a complete victory in the establishment of principles and customs, which, transplanted into America by our progenitors, terminated in those glorious constitutions which distinguish the people of America, for liberty and happiness, from every other people on the earth.

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The work shall be elegantly printed, in two octavo volumes, on fine wove paper, with a new and beautiful type. It will be delivered to Subscribers, bound in calf, at Five Dollars; and in boards, at Four Dollars—To non subscribers the price will be enhanced. No money will be required till the delivery of the work.

Those who subscribe for ten sets shall have one gratis. To booksellers the usual allowance will be made.

Portland, June 24—

☞ The above work will be printed from a *correct* London Edition—The few copies of an Irish Edition now circulating in this country are considered by the first law characters as extremely *incorrect*, and not to be relied on by historical autority.

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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 edition 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 severa 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.

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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.

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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—

LOST,

A few days ago between

Rhodes's tavern and George Town, a BUNDLE containing a variety of Female Wearing Apparel, among which were several pair of cotton stockings marked with the initials M. B. There was also in the bundle an English Grammar, with the name "Matilda Berry" written therein.

The person who has found the bundle will be compensated for his trouble by leaving it at the bar of Rhodes's tavern.

Washington city, Sept. 20—3t

To be Sold,

ON the 10th of October next, if fair, if not the next fair day, by order of the Orphans Court of Prince George's county, at the plantation of WILLIAM HUTCHISON near Upper Marlbro', to the highest bidder on 9 month's credit, all the personal estate of JOHN T. WILLETT, late of Prince George's county, deceased, viz. seven negroes, consisting of women, boys and girls, horses, cows and hogs, some household furniture—the purchaser to give bond with approved security bearing interest from the date, the sale to commence at 12 o'clock.

NINIAN T. WILLETT, Adm'r.

Sept 13—taw3w

IN CHANCERY, MARY LAND August 5, 1805.

Hezekiah Berry,
vs.
Samuel Smallwood, Amastatia Smith & Cornelius Smith her husband and others.

The object of the bill in this cause filed is to obtain a decree to foreclose a mortgage executed by Henry Smallwood on first day of July seventeen hundred and ninety-nine for conveying to the complainant sundry tracts of land in Charles county. The bill states that Samuel Smallwood, Amastatia Smith and Cornelius Smith her husband reside out of the state of Maryland. It is thereupon adjudged and ordered that the complainant by by causing a copy of this order to be inserted three successive weeks in a newspaper in the city of Washington, before the 25th day of October next, give notice to the defendants of this application and of the substance and object of the bill, that they may be warned to appear here in person or by a solicitor of this court before the twenty-fifth day of February next, to shew cause if any they have wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed

Test
SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg Cur. Can.

Sept 11—w3t

Runaway Negro.

ON the 29th ult a yellow man calling himself JOSEPH R LEE, was committed to the jail of Washington County, in the district of Columbia, on suspicion of being a runaway; but who says he is free, was raised in Accomack county, Virginia, by his parents, who were also free; that he has since lived 14 years in Baltimore, and has likewise lived some time in Charleston, S Carolina. he appears to be 6 or 7 and twenty years of age, is 5 feet 5 inches high, can read and write, has a decent respectful look, long hair, for his color, well made, and is tolerably well dressed His owner, (if he has any) is requested to come and prove property, pay charges, and take him away; otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs.

DANIEL C. BRENT.
Marshal of the district of Columbia.

Sept. 16—1aw3w.

MARYLAND—IN CHANCERY, SEPTEMBER 7th 1805.

Darius Gamble,
against
Samuel Beck, Simon Beck, Wm. Carroll and Mary his wife, Joshua Beck, Nathan Beck and George Beck heirs of Joshua Beck.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a decree for the sale of part of the tract of Land called Gambles Farm" lying in Kent co. for the payment of the aforesaid Joshua Beck from whom the said land descended to the defendants as his heirs at law

The bill states that some of the defendants reside out of this state, and it is on the complainant's motion ordered that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in the National Intelligencer before the 10th day of October next, he give notice to such of the said defendants as reside out of this state and their guardian or guardians of the application to this court and of the substance and object of the bill and may warn them them to appear here in person or by solicitor before the 10th day of February next, to shew cause why a decree should not pass as prayed.

True copy,
Test
SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, R. C. C

September 18—w3t

Runaway Negro.

CAMPBELL, about 32 or 33 years of age, five feet 9 inches high, yellow complexioned, has a scar between his eye brows, and 3 or 4 remarkable ones on his breast, besides several on his shoulders, apparently occasioned by the whip—Has with him a blue cloth coat with a black cape, a pair of blue pantaloons, and several other articles of clothing less notable—has for some time back passed in the city as a free man; but latterly confesses that he is the property of Wm. Smith of Fauquier county, Virginia, to whom he was sold by George Robinson—was committed to the jail of Washington county, in the district of Columbia, on the first instant.

ALSO,

On the 12th instant was committed as aforesaid a mulato man, calling himself JIM ALIAS RICHMOND, about 22 or 23 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, has a remarkable scar over his left eye, and says that about a month ago, his former master, Thomas Strachan of Spotsylvania, Virginia, sold him to John Crumson, from whom he shortly afterwards made his escape. He has a blue round jacket, grey pantaloons, and half boots, which appear to be all the outer clothes he has with him.

The owners of the above slaves are requested to come and prove property, pay charges, and take them away; otherwise they will be disposed of as the law directs.

DANIEL C. BRENT.
Marshal of the district of Columbia.

Sept. 16—w3t.