This is to give Notice,

THAT the subscriber of the city of Washington hath obtained from the Orphan's Court of the county of Washington in the district of Columbia letters of administration, on the personal estate of Samuel Hamilton, 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 Francis P. Hamilton, of the city of Washington (who is fully authorised to conduct and settle said administration) on or before the first day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 23d day of April 1807.

CHRISTINA HAMILTON, adm'x,

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

Washington April 24 3w

The thorough Bred Horse MONTICELLO,

NOW IN HIGH ORDER.

WILL be Let to Mares the ensuing season, to commence the first of April, at my seat, near Georgetown, at FIFTEEN DOLLARS, per Mare, for which a note must be sent payable the first of September, and one dollar to the groom; or in lieu thereof, ELEVEN DOLLARS in money.

Good and extensive pasturage, well enclosed, at 50 cents per week, and the mare fed, if required, at the market price, for which the money must be sent. The greatest care taken to prevent accidents or escapes, but will not be responsible for either.

JOHN THRELKELD.

March 23—tf

IN COUNCIL.

April 16, 1807.

FOR the information of those persons who are entitled to lands in that part of the state of Ohio reserved by the Legislature of Virginia in their act of cession, for satisfying bounties due to the officers and soldiers of the Virginia line, on continental establishment—It is advised that so much of the act of the last session of Congress as relates to the granting of further time for locating those warrants, be published by the printer for the commonwealth, at least once a week in his paper for three months; and also once a week for two weeks in all the other newspapers, published in Virginia and in the district of Columbia.

It is also advised, that the rules adopted by the executive in relation to the evidence to be adduced by claimants for military land warrants, and to the amount of allowances to be made them in certain cases be in like manner and for the above periods published in the said papers, which rules are as follows:

In all cases where a certificate of military services is adduced as evidence of a claim for land bounty, the signature of the person certifying, must be authenticated by his acknowledgment before some magistrate, or by the affidavits of two witnesses at least; and where a certificate of the same nature is granted by a person not a commandant of a corps, the same must be verified by the affidavit of such person, accompanied by a certificate of his credibility from the court of the county or corporation in which he resides, or from some magistrate thereof.

2nd. Any officer or soldier who has served for a longer period than six years, is entitled to additional land bounty in proportion to the time which he may have served beyond the six years, although the said additional service may fall short of or exceed one year.

Extract from the Journals of Council.

DANIEL H HYLTON, Clerk of the Council.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the officers and soldiers of the Virginia line on continental establishment, their heirs or assigns, entitled to bounty lands, within the tract reserved by Virginia, between the Little Miami and Scioto rivers, for satisfying the legal bounties to her officers and soldiers upon continental establishment, shall be allowed a further time of three years, from the twenty-third of March next to complete their locations, and a further time of five years from the said twenty third of March next to return their surveys and warrants or certified copies of warrants, to the office of the secretary of the war department, any thing in the act, entitled " An act to ascertain the boundary of the lands reserved by the state of Virginia north west of the river Ohio, for the satisfaction of her officers and soldiers on continental establishment, and to limit the period for locating the said lands," to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided, No locations as aforesaid, shall after the passing of this act, be made on tracts of land for which patents had previously been issued, or which had been previously surveyed, and any patent which may nevertheless be obtained for land located contrary to the provisions of this section, shall be considered as null and void.

D. H. HYLTON.

May 4—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

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By virtue of a decree of the hon. the circuit court of the district of Columbia for Washington county, will be sold at

PUBLIC SALE

on Wednesday the 20th of May next, all the right and title of Jacob Gross, Bernard French and John Threlkeld in and to Lot No. 100 in Threlkeld's addition to Georgetown, with the improvements thereon. The terms of sale will be on a credit of 9 months the purchaser giving bond with approved security with interest from the date; and the sale at Mr. Anthony Gosler's near the premises at 3 o'clock P. M. Conveyance will be made on receipt of the purchase money, and the sale being ratified by the court.

D. BUSSARD, Trustee.

The creditors of the said Jacob Gross are hereby notified to bring into the said court their claims against the said Jacob Gross with the vouchers thereof within two months from the day of sale aforesaid.

D. B. Trustee.

Georgetown, April 22—3w

United States court, Fifth Circuit and Virginia District, Nov. Term, 1806.

IN CHANCERY.

John M'Iver, assignee of Josiah Watson, plaintiff—AGAINST—Bird, Savage and Bird, James Watson, John Watson, jun. James Taylor and Richard M. Scott—defendants.

This cause was this day heard on the bill, answers, replications thereto, exhibits, and the proceedings in the suit lately depending in this court, between Robert Bird, against Josiah Watson & John Love, & was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof the court not now deciding on the respective claims of the parties to the lands in the proceedings mentioned, doth adjudge, order & decree that the marshal of this district, or one of his lawful deputies, after having advertised the time and place of such sale for five weeks successively in one or more newspapers printed in the town of Alexandria and the city of Washington,) do expose to sale, at public auction, the tract of land in the proceedings mentioned, called BUCKLAND either altogether or in parcels as the parties may agree; or in case of their disagreement, in the way he may think will most enhance the price thereof upon the following terms, to wit—one fifth part of the purchase money agreed to be paid therefor, to be cash, and the balance in four equal annual payments, bearing interest from the date if not punctually paid, taking bond with sufficient securities from the purchaser or purchasers, payable to the marshal, for the use of such of the parties to this sale, and the sale aforesaid, as may hereafter be adjudged entitled thereto, and retaining the title to the said lands as security for the payment of the said annual instalments; and in case default be made in the said payments, or either of them that shall fall due, that the said tract of land, or the lot or lots for which the payments shall not have been made according to the tenor of the sale be set up for public sale by the marshal for ready money after the time and place of such sale shall have been advertised in manner as aforesaid, and the proceeds of sale to be applied to the discharge of the sums remaining due on the purchase of the said tract of land or the lot or lots so to be sold, and the surplus, if any, to be paid to the original purchaser. And if the parties shall prefer the said tracts of land being sold in two or more lots, or the marshal or his deputy who may act, shall be of opinion in case of their disagreement, that the value of the said tract of land will be enhanced by a division thereof, the court doth direct that he have the same divided into as many lots as the parties shall agree on, or he think best by the surveyor of the county of Fauquier, and sell the same so divided, and that he bring the said bonds and pay the money so to be received in cash at the sale, after having defrayed the expences thereof and of the division if any shall be made into court, subject to its future order, and the marshal is directed to report his proceedings to the court; and the court doth further order and decree that the defendants, trustees for Mrs. Watson, be permitted to reap and carry off the now growing crop from the said lands, and that the marshal sell the same, subject to that privilege, and this is to be without prejudice to any suit that Robert Bird, Bird, Savage and Bird, may hereafter bring claiming the profits of the said lands against the said defendants, trustees as aforesaid.

WM MARSHALL, Clerk.

In pursuance of the foregoing decree will be sold the *lands and premises* therein mentioned, called Buckland lying in the counties of Fauquier and Prince William—The sale will be made on the premises on the 16th day of May next, and the land will be sold entire, or in lots, as may be thought proper on the day of sale

Also, Under a decree of the said court, pronounced at the May term 1803 between Robert Bird plaintiff, against Josiah Watson and John Love, defendants, will be sold, to the highest bidder, for ready money, a tract of Land lying in the county of Westmoreland, called Chantilly. The sale will be made on the premises, on the 12th day of May next.

BENJAMIN MOSBY, D. M.

For Jo. Scott, M. V. D't.

March 16—taw M 16

Washington, April 30th, 1807.

HAVING been appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury, agent for purchasing the 8 per cent. stock of the United States standing on the Books of the Treasury, and the books of the commissioners of Loans for Maryland and Virginia.

Notice is hereby given,

That I am ready to treat with any persons for the purchase of said stock at private sale, within the price limited by the 2d section of the act of Congress of the 18th of April, 1806, a copy whereof is hereunto annexed.

JAMES DAVIDSON, Jun.

Agent, &c

SEC. 2d. *And be it further enacted,* That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund shall not be authorized to purchase any of the several species of the public debt, at a higher price than at the rates following, that is to say—they shall not pay more for three per cent stock than sixty per cent of its nominal value; nor for any other species of the public debt more than the nominal value of its unredeemed amount, the eight per cent stock only excepted, for which they shall be authorized in addition thereto, to give at the rate of one half of one per cent on the said nominal value for each quarterly dividend, which may be payable on such purchased stock from the time of such purchase to the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and nine.

May 1—3 w.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

FOR apprehending RICHARD GOTIER, who broke jail last night. He was committed on his confession of passing counterfeit checks; he is about 5 feet 7 inches high, fair complexion, light hair, grey eyes, very much pitted with the small pox, and pretty much round shouldered. He was a sailor in the United States' service, had a blue sailor jacket and trowsers, a long blue coat, several white linen shirts, a pair of shoes and a very good black hat. The above reward will be given for apprehending and securing the said Gotier in any jail and giving me information thereof.

DANL. C. BRENT,

Marshal of the district of Columbia.

December 8—2awtf

SPRING GOODS.

London, Manchester, & Scotch Goods

Imported in the Fair American, Fame, Abeona, and Hercules, for Sale, by

APPLETON & Co.

No. 16. Calvert street, Baltimore.

CALICOES, furniture dimity, nankinets, velvets and cords, muslins, cambrics, broad cloths, cassimeres, vestings, hats, umbrellas, hosiery stuffs, ginghams, chambrays, shawls, handkerchiefs, silks, laces, and lace goods of every kind, &c. &c.

These goods were purchased in England with cash and 60 days acceptance, and will be sold very low, by the package or piece, for cash or 90 day bills.

Daily expected,

By the Diana, Globe, and John Adams. An additional Supply—many of these goods are in assorted cases, calculated for exportation, and are entitled to debenture.

Baltimore, May 6— tf

FOR RENT,

The House now occupied by Mr. Edward Jones—its advantageous situation to market and the many real and essential conveniences appertaining thereto, render it a very desirable residence for any genteel family to a person, who I can be satisfied will make a good tenant, a lease of years will be granted if required.

Possession can be given the first day of July next ensuing.

WM. STEUART.

Georgetown, April 20 2awtJuly.

THE BEAUTIFUL DARK BAY HORSE.

THORNTON MEDLEY.

SIX YEARS OLD,

WILL cover Mares this season at the subscriber's stable in Upper Marlborough, at SIXTEEN DOLLARS a mare, and a DOLLAR to the Groom; his performances on the turf, and pedigree entitle him to rank among the first horses in the state.

Thornton Medley was gotten by Punch, his dam by Old Medley, his grand dam, by Specimen, great grand dam by Secretary Nelson's celebrated horse Lonsdale, great great grand dam by Jolly Roger, (Roger of the Vale) Punch was by King Herod, dam by Old Marske, (sire of Eclipse) grand dam by the Cullen Arabian—Medley was by Gimcrack—Specimen was by old Fearnought, which was by Regulus, Regulus by the Godolphin Arabian—Specimen's dam was old Jenny Dismal, (imported).

W. THORNTON.

Note. The Dam of Dr. Beane's horse (Helen) was trained and always distanced in training young Medley, afterwards the property of gen Ridgeley, which ran a dead heat with Flagilator, afterwards called Leviathan, when in his prime. The dam of Helen, Dina belonged to Mr. Joseph Poller of Virginia, she won six Jockey Club Purses out of eight.

W. T.

RAINBOW,

A fine Chesnut five years old this spring will cover mares at the same place at EIGHT DOLLARS a mare, and half a dollar to the groom; he is a full blooded Spread Eagle colt, bred by George Washington Custis, esq. 15 hands high, of great strength and activity, but has never been trained.

W. BEANES.

Upper Marlbro, April 14—taw3w

Treasury Department, United States, April 28, 1807.

WHEREAS the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held on the 23d day of March 1807, did among other things resolve, that the Eight per cent. Stock, created in pursuance of the several acts of Congress passed on the 16th day of July 1798, and 7th day of May 1800, should be reimbursed on the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and nine.

This is therefore to give notice that the principal of the said Eight per cent. stock will, on surrender of the certificates, be paid on the first day of January 1809 to the respective Stockholders or their lawful representatives or attornies duly constituted and authorised, either at the Treasury or at the Loan Office, as the case may be, where credits have been given for the amount of Stock respectively held by them.

It is further made known for the information of the parties concerned, that no transfers of the said Eight per Cent Stock either from or to the books of the Treasury, or from or to the books of a Commissioner of Loans will be allowed after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eight. And the interest on all certificates of said Stock, which shall not have been surrendered in pursuance of this notification, will cease and determine on the day preceding the day hereby fixed for the reimbursement thereof.

And whereas the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at their meeting held on the 23d day of March as aforesaid, did also resolve, that the sum which after making the current payments for the years 1807 and 1808, and after reimbursing the Four and a half per Cent Stock might remain to complete the annual appropriation of Eight Millions of dollars, for those two years, should, among other purposes, be applied to the purchase of the Eight per Cent Stock at private sale, and that such of the Cashiers of the Bank of the United States, and of its office of Discount and Deposit as the Secretary of the Treasury shall designate, be the agents under his superintendance for making the said purchases. Notice is hereby accordingly given, That James Davidson jun. Cashier of the office of Discount and Deposit at Washington, has been appointed agent for that purpose in Washington, to whom such of the proprietors of Eight per Cent Stock as may be willing to sell the same within the prices limited by law, are requested to apply.

ALBERT GALLATIN,

Secretary of the Treasury.

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20 DOLLARS REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber in August last, Negro CHARLES—he is a straight well made black man, about 26 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high; has lost some of his fore teeth; is remarkably polite and much of a gallant. The above reward will be paid to any person who will bring him home or lodge him any jail so that I get him again.

WM. S. BEANES,

Upper Marlboro', Jan. 9—tawtf

Treasury Department, May 1st, 1807

PROPOSALS

WILL be received at the Treasury till the 15th of June next inclusive, for building a light house on an island situate at the mouth of the River Missisippi, according to the designs and description prepared by B. H. Latrobe.

The light house to be a circular tower forming a truncated cone 27 feet diameter at the top of the basement, 12 feet diameter at the top of the platform, which forms the floor of the lanthern, and 81 feet 7 inches high from the natural surface of the ground to the said platform. The foundation to be sunk 8 feet six inches below the surface of the ground, and 28 feet 6 inches in diameter, is to rest on piles driven 20 feet into the earth, and to consist of a reversed Cupola of brick of 25 feet external diameter, 7 feet 6 inches in depth, and bedded in a work of solid masonry, one foot thick above the piling, and which must fill the whole space dug for the foundation and not occupied by the said Cupola. A circular basement wall 3 feet 6 inches high, and 2 feet 3 inches wide to be built of well bonded broad rough stones upon the rim of the reversed Cupola, and upon the solid wall in which it is bedded. The exterior wall of the tower from the top of the basement is to be two feet thick, built of wrought free stones perfectly jointed and bedded, in no part less than two feet thick on the bed of each stone going quite through the wall, the exterior to be chissellied fair; the interior rough pointed. Six equidistant interior brick walls, two bricks and a half thick each, must be bonded with the external wall and extend within the tower, their interior end forming the well of the stair case which is 12 feet wide at the surface of the ground. Those buttress walls (which must be founded upon sprayed arches turned on a brick wall, erected on the rim of a smaller inversed Cupola turned within the larger one) to be united together at each revolution of the stairs, by brick splayed arches, forming the well of the staircase and extending to the external wall of the tower; and on the crown of those splayed arches, reversed arches must be turned, the reversed feet of which support the buttresses above. Those arches forming a succession of recesses rising with the spiral line of steps will continue to the elevation of fifty feet; and thence upwards the interior lining of bricks is to be built solidly and well bonded with the external wall to the top of the tower, the three upper courses of free stones excepted, which are to go through the whole wall in single blocks. The spiral staircase 12 feet diameter at the surface of the ground, and 8 feet diameter at the top of the tower is to consist of 133 steps of Pennsylvania marble with a 9 inches newell supported on a capped free stone pillar, resting on the centre of the foundation Cupola; the other ends of the steps to be supported by, and to go six inches into the brick buttresses and arches above described. A marble platform to cover that part of the Cupola which is not occupied by the first stairs; and the platform which forms the floor of the lantern to consist of ten slabs of marble well jointed together and projecting three inches beyond the upper course of free stone. The entrance into the lantern to be through a sheet iron door sliding on rollers. The lantern 8 feet 6 inches diameter, and 9 feet 6 inches high, is to be fixed in its place by 12 strong iron bars, worked solidly six feet six inches into the wall and secured at the lower end by strong cross bolts one foot in length, with a screw six inches long above the stone work. The twelve corner posts of the lantern to be also iron bars, turned with a flat foot through which the screws of the ancher bars must pass and be strongly fastened to the nuts; their upper ends being morticed into a strong circular iron ring, upon which the iron rafters are rivetted. The rafters to be also framed into an iron hoop with a copper funnel and a large copper ventilator above turned by a vane. The space between the corner posts to be occupied by strong iron sashes glazed with 10 by 12 glass of the first quality, and one of the sashes to be hung on hinges for a door to go out on the platform which is to be surrounded by iron ballustrades 3 feet high with a rail and a strong wire netting carried from the rail to the eaves of the lantern. The necessary lamp or lamps, either suspended by iron chains or supported on iron feet; and a close stove be placed in the lantern.

The building to be painted black, to be provided with two complete electrical rods with gilt points; and to have one door, and at each revolution of stairs two opposite windows 2 feet by 9 inches.

The keeper's dwelling house to be erected round the basis of the tower forming a concentric circular building entirely of brick, and of 60 feet external diameter, including that of the tower. The foundation sunk 4 feet, to rest on piles driven 20 feet into the earth, and to be 2 and a half brick thick, continuing of that thickness 3 feet 6 inches above the ground. The wall to rise 10 feet higher 2 bricks thick, to be connected with the external wall of the light house by nine partition brick walls and to have internal brick piers from which at the elevation of six feet above the base wall spring arches against the body of the light house: and on the top of these carriage arches segment arches must be turned all round the building. The house to be furnished with two stacks of chimnies, and to have twelve external doors or windows, and also internal doors communicating from one room to another; and the internal walls and ceilings to be plaistered.

A circular piazza ten feet wide, to be erected round the dwelling house, resting on a foundation brick wall of one and a half brick thick, sunk five feet below the ground rising three feet above the same and coped with free stone; into which 24 cast iron pillars 3 feet 8 inches high are to be fixed. The piazza to have two porches formed by arched brick walls connecting it with the dwelling house.

On the top of the pillars, plates are to be laid framed together and supporting a ceiling floor. A framed roof covered with cypress shingles, to cover both the dwelling house and piazza. The interval between the walls of the piazza of the dwelling house and of the light house, to be filled with the rubbish, sand or earth, as high as the top of the base wall; and both the piazza and dwelling house to be paved with brick.

All the bricks to be sound Philadelphia bricks.

A more particular written description and drawings of the building may be seen by applying at the Treasury in Washington, or to Mr. Latrobe at Philadelphia.

Separate proposals will also be received for the freight of not more than 800 tons of stone, either from the Delaware and Potomac, and of not more than 250,000 bricks from Philadelphia to the mouth of the Mississippi. The stones and bricks to be delivered within the bar will be received on board of lighters.

April 11—ep1m

This is to give notice, that the subscriber of the city of Washington in the district of Columbia, hath obtained from the Orphan's Court of Prince George's county in the state of Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Thomas Ducket, 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 subscriber on or before the first day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Those indebted to the deceased are desired to make immediate payment.

ALLEN B DUCKETT, Adm.

City of Washington, March 18—tf

☞ All claims forwarded by mail must be post paid.

CHARLES H. VARDEN,

Merchant Taylor

New Jersey Avenue, near the Capitol.

RESPECTFULLY informs the gentlemen of the district of Columbia, he has imported by ship ELIZA ANN lately arrived at Philadelphia,

A choice assortment

Of Extra Superfine cloths, Peunets, Velvets and Cords, Cassimeres, single and double milled Sattin cloths, fashionable Spanish Orleans and Toilenets, rich silk Moleskin velvets, silk and sattin Florentines, with a variety of other articles suitable for the season.

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

Richard Harwell's celebrated patent parallel Suspenders, can be had on the same terms as at his manufactory.

November 14—tf

LAND FOR SALE.

The Subscriber offers for sale 780 acres of land on Bullskin run in Jefferson county Virginia about 10 miles from Harper's Ferry, and 2 miles from the Shenandoah river 400 acres of this land is cleared, the rest in woods, on it there is a valuable Mill seat with 22 feet fall, the stream affording a sufficiency of water to turn two pair of stones, 25 acres of watered meadow which produces abundant crops of Hay, and as much more may be made at a trifling expence the cleared land may be laid off into fields of 50 acres and each field have running water in it; there is generally sown on this farm 120 acres in wheat which has not for some years past, produced less than 2500 bushels per annum—the improvements are a stone Dwelling House and kitchen, a stone Dairy with a large never failing spring near the dwelling, a barn with stables under it for 30 horses, an apple orchard of 200 trees of choice fruit, and a variety of other fruit trees; on another part of this farm, there is a small frame Dwelling House, Kitchen and Dairy, Smoke house, Barn and Stables—this property will be shewn and the terms made known on application to the subscriber on the premises

JOHN GANTT, Sen.

April 29—e2am

HENRY HUNT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Has an Office in Mr. INGLE'S Brick House, on the Capital Hill, where he gives constant attendance, and may be consulted on any subject within the line of his profession.

Washington city, April 13—1m

WM. H P. TUCKFIELD,

INFORMS the Ladies and Gentlemen of Washington and its vicinity that he has received by the latest arrivals from Philadelphia & Baltimore, a large and elegant assortment of SHOES, amongst which are Kid, Morocco, &c. &c. Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes; all of the newest fashions, and hopes he may receive a share of their patronage. Work of every kind executed at his shop near the Navy Yard with punctuality and dispatch.

May 8—3t

This is to give Notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans court of Washington county in the district of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of JOHN WILKS PRATT, late of said county, deceased—All persons having claims against the said deceased estate hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to JOHN A. WILSON, in said county, or to JOHN M'GILL, in Prince George's county, who are fully authorized to conduct and settle the said administration, on or before the 30th of October; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal, this 23d of April, 1807.

RACHEL PRATT, administratrix.

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

Washington, April 23, 1807—3t