EARTHQUAKE at St. Paul's Bay, Eboulemens, &c. in CANADA.

When the lateſt advices come off from thoſe places, on Monday the 19th inſtant, the earthquake ſtill continued to the great alarm of the inhabitants.—An ingenious correſpondent on the ſpot, has favoured us with a circumſtantial account from its commencement up to that date. The following is an extract:

" All the different ſhocks were felt from weſt to eaſt, and did moſt damage within the breadth of two leagues, comprehending in their courſe (the length of which is yet unknown) the lower part of St. Paul's Bay, ſtriking north and ſouth, the lower end of the iſland of Coudre, and the lower part of Eboulemens.

" Within the above ſpace 21 chimneys have been thrown down or damaged. One ſtone houſe almoſt entirely demoliſhed, ſeveral others ſplit, and many ſtoves and ovens broke down, beſides the damage done to the church of the Eboulemens.

" It is remarkable that during the firſt days the ſhocks came on regularly at the ſame hour morning and evening—and ſince the 6th, until now (the 19th) we have had at leaſt four or five ſhocks every day.

" The 17th, about half after five o'clock in the evening, a globe of fire, appearing to the eye of the ſize of a 48 pound ball, was obſerved coming from the ſouth-eaſt, and at the height of about 140 toiſes diſappeared in its perpendicular deſcent above St. Paul's Bay, after burſting with an exploſion.

" Many old people remark that for ſeveral quarter centuries back earthquakes ſimilar to the preſent have happened, which laſted 40 days, and find their return tolerably exact every 25 years, to a year or two of variation, and that the preſent is the third which to their recollection has taken place in the ſame ſeaſon, within the difference of a month or two.

" In the hiſtory of Canada, mention is made of a more violent earthquake in the month of July 1663, than any felt ſince, having then laſted ſix months, and began in the preceding January.

" Dating from that period there appears to have happened one regularly every 25 years—for ſince 1668 to the preſent year, five quarter centuries and three years have elapſed.

" Previous to and ever ſince the 6th inſtant, the weather has been clouded and gloomy, particularly weſt and eaſt, and whenever it cleared up (which was very ſeldom) it always began to darken from thence."

Quebec, January, 1792.

Tranſlations from the Leyden Gazette, Jan. 3—6.

The earthquake at Lisbon, on the 27th of November, although not of long continuance, was the cauſe of horror and conſternation to the inhabitants. Since the terrible cataſtrophe of 1755 ſo violent a ſhock has not been experienced. The river Tagus became ſo agitated that a number of veſſels loſt their anchors, and ſuffered conſiderable other damage. Other damage was done on ſhore alſo, but not a ſingle houſe demoliſhed.

Diſpatches have been received at Paris from the court of Spain, announcing that his catholic majeſty has given order to the governor of Spaniſh St. Domingo to obſerve the ſtricteſt neutrality between the different parties that diſtract the French part of the iſland, and to form a line of troops on the frontier, that the diſturbances may not pervade the Spaniſh territory; where, if the Spaniſh blacks ſhould manifeſt any diſpoſition to join the French revolted negroes, they are immediately to aſſiſt, by every means in their power, to reduce and ſubdue them.

CHARLESTON, *March* 17.

A pewter dollar, having been found in the pocket of one M'Namara, who was lately committed to goal for robbery, it is ſuſpected that he has been engaged in paſſing ſuch counterfeit coin: The citizens, therefore, would do well to be on their guard againſt impoſitions of that ſort.

WINCHESTER, *April* 9.

Monday laſt three gentlemen arrived here from Kentucky: they inform, that the river Ohio is infeſted with Indians, on the Kentucky ſide—that ſome gentlemen who came down the river, and arrived at the Falls previous to their departure, acquainted them, that they ſcarcely ever caſt their eyes on ſhore, during the paſſage, but they diſcovered ſome of the tawny race—that the inhabitants on the frontier next the river, are undoubtedly in a very perilous ſituation—that many of them have already moved off to avoid the impending danger, and ſeveral others are preparing to follow their example.

A letter from a gentleman in Woodford county, Kentucky, to a gentleman in Frederick county, dated March 12, informs, that within a few days previous to the date of his letter, 15 perſons had been killed by the Indians on the frontier.

" The man who feels for others woes,
" Shall find each ſelfiſh ſorrow leſs."

Thurſday evening arrived in this town, on his way from Fort Waſhington to Philadelphia, the unfortunate, though gallant, major Butler—unfortunate, becauſe the wounds he received in the battle with the ſavages, on the 4th of November, have reduced him from all the vigour of health and ſtrength to a moſt decrepid and abject ſtate—gallant, becauſe, notwithſtanding the deſperate wounds he received, he ſtill kept the field, and by his preſence gave an ardour and courage to deſponding troops. What heart of ſympathetic mould but muſt be ſenſibly impreſſed with this recital—what citizen of America, in whoſe cauſe he bled, but muſt applaud his valour, and commiſerate in his ſufferings.

ANNAPOLIS, *April* 26.

David Rittenhouſe, Eſquire, of Pennſylvania, is appointed director of the mint of the United States.

Mr. Samuel Green, of New-York, has invented and taken a patent for a machine that ſafely conducts perſons and effects from houſes when on fire. This machine, a model of which is advertiſed to be ſeen, it is ſaid, will deliver ten people, or effects in proportion, from any height, every minute, with the greateſt ſafety.

Extract of a letter from a houſe in Nantes, to their correſpondents in Liverpool, dated February 14, 1792.

" Our ſituation in France is very little better, new troubles are breaking out every day in the capital, liberty and property are not reſpected by the ſpirit of party; and ſome cataſtrophe is expected to take place and put an end to the dreadful criſis we are labouring under. The two parties which divide the kingdom muſt ſoon ſtrike a blow at each other which will determine our future fate; unluckily we ſee no pleaſing perſpective; let the event be what it will, increaſing anarchy, or cruſhing deſpotiſm will be our lot; happy thoſe, who in the conflict, don't loſe their property, their lives, their all—the proſpect is gloomy. Our ſtocks are falling and exchanges riſing to an alarming degree, which ſhews a ſtrange apprehenſion of impending danger.

To be SOLD, on Monday the 14th of May next, if fair, if not the firſt fair day, at the houſe of Jonathan Selby, about ſix miles from Annapolis, for ready money,

SUNDRY NEGROES, viz. An old fellow, two young women, between 20 and 30 years, and three children, between 6 and 12 years of age, and a few horſes and cattle, and ſome other articles. The ſale to begin at 11 o'clock.

Z. DUVALL.

Every kind of

Latin and Greek BOOKS,

For Sale, at Adams's Office, Baltimore.

PUBLIC SALE
On CREDIT.

On TUESDAY the 15th of May, will be ſold, at public vendue, at the late dwelling plantation of Mr. *William Sanders*, on South river, in Anne-Arundel county,

HORSES, cattle, ſheep and hogs; plantation utenſils, houſehold and kitchen furniture; wheat, corn and tobacco; a boat about twenty feet keel, with anchor, ſails and oars, complete; and a valuable ſtud-horſe. Bond on intereſt, with approved ſecurity, will be required; the intereſt to be regularly paid, or the indulgence of credit to be forfeited.

F. GREEN,
W. W. DAVIS, } Executors.

Patowmack Company.

By the President and Directors of the Patowmack Company, April 12, 1792.

EIGHT per cent. on each ſhare in the Patowmack Company is hereby required to be paid into the hands of William Hartſhorne, treaſurer to the company, on or before the 10th day of October next.

Thoſe who have not yet paid up former calls are deſired to diſcharge the whole due thereon as ſoon as may be, and if not done by the firſt day of Auguſt, legal proceedings will be had againſt them.

THOMAS JOHNSON, Preſident,
GEORGE GILPIN,
DAVID STUART,
NOTLEY YOUNG, } Directors.

The act of incorporation of the company having made it eſſential to the operation of transfers of ſhares, that the ſame ſhould be by deed executed before two witneſſes, and regiſtered, after proof of the execution thereof, in the company's books, without having defined the mode of proof, this board judge that it is convenient and neceſſary that a uniform mode of proof ſhould be followed, and they therefore Resolve, That the execution of all deeds of transfer, before the ſame be regiſtered in the company's books, be proved by the oath of at leaſt two of the witneſſes thereto before two judges or juſtices of ſome court of record or county, and be by them ſo certified, and that a certificate, under the hand of the clerk and ſeal of the county of which they are judges or juſtices, or of the court of the county of which they are judges or juſtices, that they were judges or juſtices as aforeſaid, be endorſed on the deed and regiſtered therewith.

THOMAS JOHNSON, Preſident,
JOHN FITZGERALD,
DAVID STUART, } Directors.

April 13, 1792.

This is to give notice, that by virtue of an order from the orphan's court of Anne-Arundel county, will be EXPOSED to SALE, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 9th day of May next,

TWO valuable NEGROES, for the purpoſe of diſcharging the debts due from Matthew Birkhead, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceaſed. The terms of ſale are for READY CASH.

THOMAS BATSON, Executor of Matthew Birkhead.

Sotterly, St. Mary's county, April 9, 1792.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of GEORGE PLATER, late of St. Mary's county, deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment to Thomas Plater, of George-town, or the ſubſcribers, and thoſe who have any claims are deſired to bring them in legally proved, to

GEORGE PLATER,
JOHN ROUSBY PLATER, } Executors.

THIS is to give notice, that ninety-eight LOTTERY TICKETS, from No. 953 to 1050 incluſive, the ſame being as follows—953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1349, 1050—and belonging to Richard Chew, Eſquire, of Anne-Arundel county, for whoſe uſe I had them to ſell, were loſt or ſtolen in or near Upper-Marlborough, during Prince-George's April court. Should any of the aforeſaid numbers be offered for ſale, I hope they will be ſtopt, and information given to the ſubſcriber.

STEPHEN WEST,
for
RICHARD CHEW.

N. B. No prizes will be paid that the aforeſaid ninety-eight tickets may draw.

In CHANCERY, April 25, 1792.

ON application, by a petition in writing, of Mr. THOMAS SMYTH, of Kent county, offering to deliver up all his property for the benefit of his creditors, agreeably to the act of aſſembly at the laſt ſeſſion for ſuch purpoſes provided, and a ſchedule of his ſaid property, and a liſt of his creditors, ſo far as he ſaith he can recollect or aſcertain, on oath, being annexed to the ſaid petition; It is thereupon by the chancellor adjudged and ordered, that the ſaid Thomas Smyth appear before the chancellor, in the chancery-office, in Annapolis, on Friday the firſt day of June next, for the purpoſe of taking the oath by the ſaid act preſcribed, to be by the chancellor adminiſtered, in the preſence of ſuch of his creditors as ſhall attend in perſon, or by their agents or attornies, for delivering up his property as aforeſaid, and that in the mean time he give notice to his creditors of his application aforeſaid, by cauſing a copy of this order to be inſerted in the news-paper of Meſſieurs Goddard and Angell, and in the Maryland Gazette, at any time before the third day of May next, and continued therein three weeks.

Teſt. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

Annapolis, April 11, 1792.

To be SOLD, on credit, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Wedneſday the 9th day of May next, at 11 o'clock, on the premiſes, by authority of a decree of the honourable the chancellor,

THE lot of GROUND which formerly belonged to Samuel Horatio Middleton, deceaſed, ſituated near the Dock and market houſe in this city, with all the improvements thereon, to wit: that valuable and commodious houſe now in the occupation of Mr. Gilbert Middleton, in which Mr. George Mann formerly kept tavern, with the ſeveral out buildings belonging thereto; and a houſe now in poſſeſſion of Mr. William Middleton.

At the ſame time and place will alſo be ſold an unimproved lot, containing near half an acre, ſituated near the government houſe, and oppoſite the ſouth weſt ſide of the lot belonging to William Paca, Eſquire, being a part of the ſame eſtate. Bond with ſecurity, to be approved of by the chancellor, for payment of the purchaſe money, in three equal annual portions, with intereſt from the day of ſale, will be required.

JOHN CALLAHAN, Truſtee.

BY virtue of a power of attorney from MARGARET DALZIELL, executrix of the laſt will and teſtament of Thomas Dalziell, late of the city of Annapolis, deceaſed, the ſubſcriber is authoriſed to requeſt all perſons who have claims againſt the eſtate of the ſaid Thomas Dalziell to bring them in properly authenticated before the 15th day of May next, and all thoſe who are indebted to the ſaid eſtate to make immediate payment.

By virtue of an order from orphans court, will be expoſed to public ſale, for caſh, by the ſubſcriber, at the city of Annapolis, on Tueſday the 15th day of May next, one lot of GROUND, containing 120 feet ſquare, with all the improvements, conſiſting of two houſes, oppoſite Mr. William Whetcroft's; alſo a young negro man, a very good carpenter and joiner, the property of Thomas Dalziell, deceaſed, to ſatisfy his creditors.

PAUL RICHARDS, Attorney for Margaret Dalziell, Executrix.

March 29, 1792.

April 16, 1792.

THE ſubſcriber gives notice to thoſe who have open accounts on his books, that he has left them with Mr. H. HALL DORSEY to ſettle, and requeſts all perſons that owe him money to call on Mr. Dorſey and pay him ſhortly, whoſe receipts will operate againſt

F. RIDGELY.

John Petty, and Co.

Have for SALE at their Store in ANNAPOLIS.

A LARGE and general aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon, which they will diſpoſe off, on the very loweſt terms for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Country Produce.

April, 1792.

A Scheme

For the purpoſe of diſpoſ...
belonging to the ſub...
polis, viz.

A WELL finiſhed t... School-ſtreet, 36 ... lot 50 feet front, and ... higheſt prize. The ne... Church-ſtreet, now in ... Burneſton, 46 feet front, ...

ARC...

1 Prize of a houſe ... ſtreet, in fee ſim...
1 ditto of a houſe ... ditto - ditt...
1 ditto 12 neat ... hair ſeats and br...
1 ditto a mahogany ... caſe
1 ditto a mahogany...
1 ditto a mahogany...
1 ditto a ſet of ... tables
2 ditto a mahogany ... each
4 ditto of 6 mal... £. 12 per half d...
4 ditto of a pair ... tables, at £. 9 ...
4 ditto of 6 waln... per half dozen
2 ditto of a mahog... £. 5 10 each
4 ditto of a field ... ay poſts and w... £ 5 5 each
4 ditto of a mahog... at £ 4 10 each
4 ditto of a gum ... plete, at £. 4 e...
2 ditto of a mahog... £. 3 5 each
1 ditto of a mahog...
2 ditto of a back... £. 2 5 each
6 ditto of a mah... ble, at 40ſ. eac...
2 ditto of a fire-...
298 ditto caſh, at 3...

346 Prizes,
782 Blanks,

1128 Tickets at 35ſ...

As the above proper... caſh prices, and there ... and a quarter blanks to ... will ſee the advantage... lottery will be drawn ... or ſooner if the ticket... tice will be given. ... pointed previous to the...

*** *Tickets may be ... John Randall, William ... and at the Printing-Offi...*

In CHANC...

ON application to ... writing, of IS... Arundel county, offeri... for the benefit of his c... aſſembly, at the laſt ſe... and a ſchedule of his ſa... ditors, ſo far as he ſa... on oath, being anne... thereupon by the cha... that the ſaid Iſaac Si... cellor, in the chance... fifth Tueſday in May ... the oath by the ſaid a... cellor adminiſtered, in ... ditors as ſhall attend i... attornies, for deliveri... and that in the mean ... tors of his application, ... to be inſerted in the ... before the eighteenth ... the three following w...

Teſt.

St. M...

WHEREAS my ... Bond hath ... without juſt cauſe, an... fuſes to return and ... all perſons from truſti... pay no debts of her ... thoſe who harbour a... according to law.

P ...

WILL ſtand thi... in Annapoli... price of two barrels ... firſt day of Decem... to pay two and an h...

PITT was got b... nine years old, fifte... and active, and in h...