

the army, from the first of April last, to the first of September, 1796. A company of artillery-men which consisted of 130, lost in the month of August 61 men, and out of 23 officers, there died 17—and their loss of men among the shipping here is not less considerable, for the Majesty's loss by death in the space of 6 weeks, 225 of her officers and men—at St. Lucia, it is said to be more sickly, if possible, than at this place.

"I was informed yesterday that there were but about 500 at St. Lucia fit for duty, and that Abercromby's army was considered as knocked up."

BALTIMORE, December 19.

Extra of a letter from Port au Prince, dated Oct. 14.

"I am sorry to inform you that Mr. A. Forbes, a merchant of Kingston, arrived here some days ago from Jamaica, with a memorial from the other merchants of that island, representing to the commander in chief the hardships they undergo from the admission of dry goods in American bottoms, &c. The general has therefore given the most positive orders that no such vessels shall be admitted."

From Port-au-Prince we learn that the Spaniards have hoisted the British flag at their settlements in Hispaniola, which were lately ceded by the court of Madrid to the Republic of France.

Our last accounts from Buonaparte were dated Oct. 1, and mention the capture of two of the gates of Mantua, Pradies, and Ceresse, and the blockade of the citadel—Mantua had but one gate remaining in the hands of the Austrians, that of Foitezza.—News of its complete capture, will probably be the next we shall hear from thence.

## NOTICE.

WHEREAS the agent of the state of Maryland, about the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty, did grant unto a certain Smith Bishop, of Worcester county, a certificate for the sum of eight hundred and fifty pounds, the then circulating money of the state; and whereas since the death of the said Bishop, to wit, some time in the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six, the said certificate was lost by the administratrix of the said Bishop; this is therefore to give notice, that the subscriber, as guardian of Elizabeth, Hetty, and Sarah Bishop, the children and representatives of the said Smith Bishop, intends to petition the Governor and Council for the purpose of having the said certificate renewed, agreeable to the directions of an act of assembly, entitled, "An act respecting lost certificates," passed at November session, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two.

HANNAH BISHOP, Guardian.

December 21, 1796.

THIS is to give notice to all whom it may concern, that I intend to apply to the next county court of Calvert county, for a commission to mark and bound the lines of a tract of land called BAY CHESLOR'S QUARTER, lying in the county aforesaid.

JOSEPH SPRIGG.

December 20, 1796.

## A Stray Horse,

TAKEN up by RICHARD HOPKINS, of GERARD, on the head of South river, he is a dark bay, with a blaze face, a short bobtail, about fourteen hands high. The owner is desired to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away.

TAKEN up as a stray by the subscriber, living near Worthington's mill, on the head of Broad creek, a small red HEIFER, supposed to be two or three years old, marked with a crop on the right ear. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

ISAAC NICHOLLS

Agreeable to an order of the orphans court will be SOLD, at the late dwelling of BENJAMIN CARR, late of Anne-Arundel county, at PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 30th of December,

A VARIETY of household furniture, hogs, horses, sheep, and cattle, with several valuable negroes, among which is a valuable sawyer. For all sums above five pounds a credit of twelve months on giving bond with approved security.

Will be also sold, agreeable to the last will of B. Carr, one hundred and seventeen acres of valuable land, on the above credit.

BENJAMIN CARR, } Administrators.  
ROBERT CARR, }  
ROBERT WELCH, }

## Mr. O'DUHG,

HAS the honour of informing the public, and his friends, that he will open his SCHOOL on Friday next, the 9th of December, at the BALL ROOMS, for this season only, for young ladies on Fridays and Saturdays, from ten o'clock in the morning until one; and from three to five in the afternoon, and for young gentlemen in the evening of both days from five till eight o'clock; and a prizing ball every Saturday afternoon.

Annapolis, December 7, 1796.

WHEN R. K. HEATH lived in Annapolis (at Mr. STREYB'S) he lost a brass Gunter's SCALE, with JACOBUS HEATH cut on the edge thereof. Whoever will deliver it to Mr. Green, shall have TWO DOLLARS REWARD.

November 26, 1796.

## CAVEAT IN THE LAND-OFFICE.

By the CHANCELLOR, December 1, 1796.

William Moran }  
against } WILLIAM MORAN having  
} long since entered the caveat  
} aforesaid, and having (as it is said)  
} removed out of the state without prosecuting the same,  
} it is, at the instance of the defendant, ordered, that  
} unless he, the said caveator, appear here, on the first  
} day of July next, to support the said caveat, agreeably  
} to the tenor of a subpoena this day issued, the said  
} caveat shall be dismissed, provided the said subpoena  
} be regularly returned by the sheriff of Charles county,  
} where the caveator is said to have last resided in the  
} state, and provided a copy of this order be inserted in  
} the Maryland Gazette, three times before the first day  
} of January next.

Tell. JOHN CALLAHAN,  
Reg. La. Of. W. S.

By the COMMITTEE OF GRIEVANCES AND COURTS OF JUSTICE.

THE COMMITTEE OF GRIEVANCES AND COURTS OF JUSTICE will sit every day during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order, J. W. KING, Clk.

November 10, 1796.

## WANTED,

AS an assistant in the clerk's office of Prince-George's county, a young man acquainted with the business would be preferred and well encouraged, but an application from any person of business, writing a good hand, will be attended to. A good recommendation will be required of any applicant.

November 17, 1796.

In CHANCERY, December 6, 1796.

William Deakins, junior, }  
and Jane his wife, and } THE object of the bill  
} John Threlkeld and Eli- } filed in this cause is  
} zabeth his wife, } to obtain a decree for  
} the recording of a deed  
} made by the said Charles  
} Beatty and George Haw-  
} kins, deceased, to Nicholas  
} Greenbury Ridgely, de-  
} ceased, dated the 15th day  
} of March, 1771, for lots  
} No. 42 and 218, in the addition to George-town,  
} called Hawkins and Beatty's Addition to George-  
} town; the bill states, that Jane, wife of William  
} Deakins, junior, and Elizabeth, the wife of John  
} Threlkeld, the complainants, are the devisees of the  
} said Nicholas Greenbury Ridgely, and George Frazer  
} Hawkins is the heir and devisee of George Frazer  
} Hawkins, and that the said George Frazer Hawkins  
} lives out of the state of Maryland; and thereupon, on  
} motion of the complainants, ordered and adjudged,  
} that the complainants cause a copy of this order to be  
} inserted, at least three weeks (necessarily) in the Mary-  
} land Gazette before the 23d day of December next,  
} to the intent that the said George Frazer Hawkins  
} may have notice of the complainants application to this  
} court, and may be warned to appear here, on or be-  
} fore the first Tuesday in March next, to shew cause,  
} if any he hath, why a decree should not pass as prayed  
} by the bill.

A. C. HANSON, Chan.

## Patowmack Company.

THE STOCKHOLDERS in the PATOWMACK COMPANY will please to take notice, that the shares of delinquent subscribers will be sold on the first Monday in January next, at the Union tavern in George-town. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock, unless in the mean-time these payments are fully made.

The stockholders in the additional capital, are required to pay ten per cent. on the amount of each share to WILLIAM HARTSHORN, treasurer, on or before the first day of January next.

TOBIAS LEAR, President,  
J. TEMPLEMAN, } Directors.  
JAMES KEITH, }  
JOHN MASON, }

George-town, November 5, 1796.

TAKEN up as strays by the subscriber, living near Elk-Ridge Landing, in Anne-Arundel county, two MARES, one a sorrel, with a blaze in her face, about thirteen hands high; branded with some letter on her near buttock; the other a bay, about thirteen hands and an half high, no perceivable brand; they both appear to be old, and each was shod before; the sorrel has a very fore bayk. The owner or owners may have them again on proving property and paying charges.

WILLIAM CLARK.

December 2, 1796.

HEREBY forewarn all persons whatever from hunting on my land, lying at the mouth of Ramsey's creek, with either dog or gun, likewise from fishing at my fishing landing, or oystering in the mouth of the creek, known by the name of Ramsey's Gut, as I am determined to prosecute all such offenders as the law directs.

JOSHUA LINTHICOMB.

December 5, 1796.

## WANTED,

A FEW thousand CHESNUT RAILES, for which a good price will be given. Apply to the Printers.

THE subscriber hereby respectfully informs his friends, and the public in general, that he has again commenced business in the house where he formerly kept store, below the Stadt-haus, in the city of Annapolis, where he has on hand a small but general assortment of GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season, among which he has a very handsome assortment of fashionable superfine Spanish broad cloths, castimers, printed castimer and swandown jacket patterns, coatings, superfine ladies coating for cloaks, coarse cloths of various kinds and prices, chintzes, calicoes, shawls, coarse and fine linens, table cloths, modes and fartin, pelong for cloaks and bonnets, fancy cords and thickets, flannels, blankets of different kinds and prices, bed bants and ticking of the first quality, &c. He has also on hand, in the grocery line, toulouge, pedsoulouge, and hyson teas of the first quality, mustard, pepper, allspice, brown sugar, spirit and Cognac brandy of the first quality, &c. all which he will sell at the most reasonable advance for cash or country produce. It is with pleasure that he embraces the present opportunity of returning his sincere thanks to his friends and former customers for their former favours, and respectfully solicits a continuance of their custom. He also embraces the present opportunity of assuring the public, that he has met with sundry heavy and grievous losses, through insolvencies and other misfortunes, and therefore solicitously hopes for their generous patronage, and the more so, as they may have the pleasing satisfaction of contributing to the aid of misfortune without the least diminution of their purse, excepting purchasing such articles as they need, and must necessarily purchase some where, for the subscriber is satisfied he can furnish them with such articles as he has on as good terms as they can purchase them elsewhere, and he intends adding to his assortment in proportion to the encouragement given him by his friends and a generous public. In the mean-time he begs leave to subscribe himself their

Obliged humble servant,

ROBERT DUVALL.

Mrs. DUVALL also respectfully informs her friends and the public, that in future she intends making gowns, habits, bonnets, cloaks, &c. and will be thankful to those who shall please to favour her with their custom.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, on 17th instant, a negro girl, who says her name is CHLOE CURTIS, her clothing is a striped petticoat, white cotton bed gown, and white linen shift, and says she belongs to RICHARD BERRY, of Charles county. Her matter is hereby requested to take her away in two months from this date, or she will be sold for her prison fees, and other expenses.

RICHARD HARWOOD, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

November 25, 1796.

TAKEN up as a stray by the subscriber, living near Elk-Ridge Landing, in Anne-Arundel county, a dark bay HORSE, six years old, has a star in his forehead, his left eye out, a pair of old shoes on before, and no brand. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

WILLIAM APPLEBY.

November 28, 1796.

## NOTICE.

THE subscriber is obliged, from repeated trespasses, to forbid all persons hunting with dog or gun, or riding through any of his enclosures on West river, or Sparrow's Point near Baltimore-town, without particular leave obtained from

RICHARD SPRIGG.

November 21, 1796.

## For SALE,

A VALUABLE MILL, on South river, lately thoroughly repaired for the merchant business, and now in good order. Said mill is furnished with one pair of best new burr stones, and one pair of B-logie, and will be sold together with 150 or 200 acres of land, 25 of which are in timothy and highly improved, and 25 acres more could at a small expence be converted into most excellent meadow, the remaining part is well timbered, and will yield staves to answer the use of the mill for many years; besides the many advantages that could be mentioned of the situation of said mill, it can command by little expence a water navigation within the distance of two hundred yards. The terms of sale are, one third of the purchase money in hand, the residue at such periods as may be agreed on. Whoever may be inclined to purchase, will apply to JOHN BATEZ, jun. living in Baltimore-town, near the marsh market, in Market-street, or to the subscriber on the spot.

SAMUEL MACCUBBIN.

South river, Anne-Arundel county.

November 6, 1796.

## Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the Hochley Works, near Elk-Ridge Landing, on the 14th instant, a negro man named BEN, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, stout made, middling black, his dress cannot be described, as he took away several cloths with him, amongst which were a short dark drab jacket and trousers, gray searought ditto; the said negro was purchased from Mr. DAVID STEWART, West river, and it is supposed that he is gone to that neighbourhood. Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in any garb, so that the owner gets him again, shall receive the above reward, and if brought home reasonable expences will be paid, by

November 15, 1796.

JOHN WRIGHT.