50 Dollars Reward.

LOST, last evening, between eight and nine o'clock, as the subscriber was going to his house at the Falls of Schuylkill, from the house of his father-in-law, Mr. Frencis Stewart, in Sugar-alley, between Sixth and Seventh-streets, above Market street,

A black POCKET-BOOK, Containing 1190 Dollars, in Bank-Notes

From to 100 Dollars each,
One of which was of the Branch-Bank of New-York and feveral papers, such as receipts and orders.—The road the subscriber fook, was the Falls road, crofting at

the Upper Ferry.
Whoever finds the above Pocket-Book, and returns it to the subscriber at the Falls, or to his father-in-law, nor Stewart, living in Sugar Alley, shall be entitled to the above reward, paid by

JAMES HAFFY

INSURANCE COMPANY of the State of Pennsylvania.

OTICE is hereby given, that the directors have de-clared a dividend of THIRTY BOLLARS per share, on he business of the last six months: which will be paid to he stockholders or their legal representatives, after the

SAM. W. FISHFR, SEC'Y. Philadelphia, Feb. 2d, 1797.



FOR SALE, THE SHIP MARY,

SAMUEL PARKER, MASTER,

Two hundred tons burthen. Apply to JOSEPH ANTHONY, & Co.

If the MARY is not fold in a few days, the will tak freight for Hamburg. Apply as above.

October 31. d

For Sale, or Charter, The Ship DIANA, SAMUEL PILE, Mafter, Burthen 205 47-95 tens register, built in Philadelphia in the year 1992, of live oak and red cedar, and was sheathed 13 months ago, she has just had a compleat out-fit, and may be sent to sea at a very trifling expence.

For terms apply to

Philip Nicklin & Co.

Who have for fale on board faid veffel, 27 casks of fine yellow paint.
9 boxes and 12 bundles of writing slates.
1 box ink stands and note presses.
14 bales of sail canvass.

And on hand, Hyfen, and, Souchong

40,000 pieces Nankeens of the first quality.

19 tubs Quickfilver.

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A few chefts Manchefter gondswell afforted in Corprovs, thickfets, Ginghams, Muslinets, Diractics, &c.
3 boxes black fewing file
180 crates Queens ware well afforted.
10 tons sheet lead.
Nails afforted, flat and skarp points.

Madeira Wine in pipes and hogsheads. London Market, New-York Market, 40 pipes and to hogheads Teneriffe wine.
8 tierces Snake Root.
230 logs Mahogany.
Nov. 7.

FOR SALE, The schooner Orion,

Oak; the is a faithful-built veficl—handlomely holfied off—and well found in every particular: i a ready to receive a carge and can be put to Sea without any expence on her full, fails, or rigging. She flows '600 barrels, has a handlome cabin and ficerage, and a half deck which will flow feventy-five or eight, barrels. She is a fat failing vefiel—has been newly causked, graved and painted, and put in the ough good repair in every refpect; her inventory may be feen by applying to the captain on board faid fehomer, laying at Mr. John Wilcocks's wharf, between Chefnut and Walnut Street, where the at any time may be thereughly examined by those who

the at any time may be theroughly examined by those who wish to purchase.

The terms of sale may be known by applying to Samuel Smith, ship broker, No. 86, South Front Street,

def.

PRINTERS Who have inferted Advertisements at the request of the Editor of this Paper, are defined to forward their accounts

Washington Canal Lottery,

NO. I.

WHEREAS the State of Maryland has authorifed the underwritten, to raife twenty-fix thousand, two hundred, and fifty dollars, for the purpose of catting a Canal through the City of Washington, from the Potomacto the Eustern Branch Harwour.

The following is the SCHEME of No. I.

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Viz -1 Prize of	20,000 dollars,	20,000
I ditto	10,000	F0,000
7 last drawn Tickets, each	\$ 5,000	35,000
6 ditte	1,000	6,000
10 ditto	400	4,000
20 ditto	100	2,000
55 ditto	50 "	2,750
5750 ditto	12	69,008
To be rail	26,250	
5850 Prizes,		175,000

17500 Tickets, at Ten Dollars, - 175,000 The Commillioners have taken the Securities read by the aforefaid act for the punctual payment of

dured by the aforement the prizes.

The drawing of this Lottery will commence, without delay, as foon as the Tickets are fold, of which timely notice will be given.

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Such prizes as are not demanded in fix months after the drawing is finished, shall be considered as relinquished for the benefit of the Canal, and appropriated accordingly.

(Signed)

NOTLEY YOUNG,
DANIEL CARROLL, of D
LEWIS DEBLOIS,
GEORGE WALKER,
W.M. DUNCANSON,
THOMAS LAW

Cit of Washington, Feb. 11.

JAMES BARRY.

In order to comply with contracts, I will fell, for approved bonds, on 3 equal annual payments,

A Square of LOTS,

A Square of LOTS,

At the upper end of Fredericksburg, beginning opposite to the lower corner of Doctor Wellford's, on Garoline-street, and running up to the cross street leading to Fitzhugh's ferry, and from thence back to Sophia-street. This square I have had off into 24 lets, 27 and an half feet front, and 122 back, 12 on Caroline-street, and 12 on Sophia-street. Nine of those on Caroline-street I have leased on an annual ground rent of 8 and 10 pounds, to the amount of 74 pounds, and the vacant lots a purchaser could enhance the value of by building small houses, which will as readily procure tenants as pots or goards will Martins in the spring, and yiele a greater profit in proportion to their cost than large buildings. Those who incline to purchase may know the terms by applying to MENRY FIT ZHUGH.

Bell-Air, Dec. 8, 1796. 7th J daw

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Red Clover Seed.

Fresh red Clever Seed of the best quality, in bags of

Madeira wine in pipes, fit for immediate use Teneriffe wine in pipes, hogsheads and quarter casks Ditto do of first quality, for the use of private

Connecticut foap in small boxes Window glass and Spanish segars, and, Two tranks of best patent, plain and ribbed filk and cotton holier, for fale by

JOHN CRAIG. Fresh Garden, Grass and Flower-Seeds,

Roots, &c. &c. This day landing from the this Lagle, cap from London,
And FOR SALE by

GOLDTHWAIT & MOORE,

Corner of Walnut and Second-streets,

A most capital and extensive Assortment of
GARDEN, GRASS and FLOWER-SEEDS,

я			Section Control of Control						
Ę			Among v	which are,					
Ē	Five ki	nds .	Afparagus	Three	kinds	Creffes			
i	Four		Berecole	Twelve		Onion			
į	Twenty-fi	ive	Beans	Thirteen		Radish			
ğ	Six		Beets	Fifteen		Turnip			
ğ	'Eleven		Brocoli	Fifteen		Peas			
ã	Twenty-fi	ix	Cabbage	Six		Savoy			
ã	Six		Carret			Parinip			
	Three	C	uliflower	Twenty-	three	Melon			
	Five		Celery	Twenty-	one	Lettuce			
ğ	Ten	(Jucumber						
	Common and lemon Thyme								
	Curled leaf and fprigged Parsley								
	Pot Marygold Pot Marjorum								
	Balm Thyme Mangel Wurtzel								
	Leek Kail Shallots								
	Rape Seed - Rye Grafs Saint Foin Lucerne								
	Red and white Clover Timothy, &c. &c.								
	With a curious collection of the most esteemed								
	FLOWER-SEEDS and ROOFS,								
	Being t	the most	extensive e	ver impor	ted into t	his city.			
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Printed catalogues may be had by applying as above. Women's Cloaks. GEORGE DOBSON, No. 25, South Third-firest, Has just received, per Eagle, Capt. Foldick, via Lon-on, an affortment of

Cloaks trimmed with tur and

NOTICE HE Sales of LANDS of the United States, in the North-Western Territory, heretofore advertised

in the feveral public papers, will commence this even-ing, at the City Tavern—to be continued from day to day, 'till the tenth of February next, if not somer

Treasury Department,

Treasury Department,

September 28, 1796.

NOTICE is hereby given, that proposals will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Treasury until the expiration of the first day of March next ensuing, for the supply of all rations which may be required for the use of the United States, from the first day of June, 1797, to the thirty-first day of May, 1798, both days inclusive, at the places and within the districts hereafter mentioned, viz. At Oswego; at Niagara; at Pacsque she; at Sandusky Lake, and on Sandusky River; at Detroit; at Michilimackinac; at Fort-Franklin; at Pittsburgh; at Cincionati; at Fort-Hamilton; at Fort St. Clair; at Fort-Jefferson; at Grenville; at Pitque Town and Loramies Store; at Fort Adams; at Fort Wayne; at Fort Defiance; at any place below Fort Defiance on the Mismi River to Lake Erie; af Fort Stenben; at Fort Massac; at any place from Fort Massac to the soundary of the United States on the river Missispip; at Fort Knox; at Ouistanon.

If supplies shall be required for any posts or places not mentioned in this notice, all such supplies shall be furnished at prices proportioned to those to be paid at the posts before recited, or as may be hereafter agreed on between the United States and the Contractor.

The rations to be supplied are to consist of the following articles.

The rations to be supplied are to consist of the fol-lowing articles, viz.

One pound two ounces of bread or flour.

One pound two ounces of beef, or fourteen ounces of

ork or bacon.
Half a gill of rum, brandy or whifkey.
One quart and half a pint of falt.
Two quarts of Vinegar,
Two pounds of Soap,
One pound of Candles,

One pound of Candles,

The rations are to be furnished in such quantities, as that there shall at all times during the faid term, be sufficient for the consumption of the troops at Michilimackinae, Detroit, Niagara, and Ofwego, for the term of fix months in advance, and at each of the other posts, for the term of at least three months in advance, in good and wholesome provisions, if the same shall be required. It is to be understood, that the Contraster is to be at the expense and risk of issuing the supplies to the troops at each post, and that all losses sufficiently of the United States, shall be paid for at the price of the articles captured or destroyed, on the depositions of two or more persons of creditable characters, and the certificate of a commissioned officer, ascertaining the circumstances of the loss, and the amount

of the articles for which compensation shall be claimed

OLIVER WOLCOTT,

Segretary of the Treasury Secretary of the Treasury.

PROPOSALS, For carrying the Mails of the UNITED STATES,

On the following Post Roads, will be received until the first day of March next inclusive: 1. From Charleston, S. C. by Jacksonboro' and Coofa-hatcher, to Savannah, twice a week. Receive the Van at Charlosson every Tuciday and Friday by 6, P. M. and deliver at Savannah the next Friday and Monday, by 8 A. M. Returning, receive the Mail at Savannah every Saturday, by 6, R. M. and Wednesday by 6, A. M. and deliver it at Charlestons the next Tuesday and Friday

Proposals for this route will be received by the post-master at

2. From Coofshatchy to Beaufort once a week—
Receive the mail at Coofshatchy every Thursday by 6, p. M. and deliver it at Beaufort by noon on Friday. Returning, leave Beaufort every Friday by 3, ?. M. and arrive at Coofshatchy on Saturday by 3, A. M.
Preposals for carrying the mail on this foute will be received by the poil-master at Beaufort.

Note 1. The Post-master General may after the times for the arrival and departure of the mails at any time during the continuance of the contracts, he previously stipulating an adequate compensation for any extra expence that may be occasioned thereby.

Note 2. For every hours delay (unavoidable accidents excepted) in arriving after the times prescribed by contract, the contractor shall forfeit one dollar, and if the delay continue until the departure of any depending mail

trace, the contractor shall forfeit one dollar, and if the delay continue until the departure of any depending mail an additional forfeiture of five dollars shall be incurred.

Note 3. Should any person making proposals defire an alteration of the times of arrival and departure above specified, he must state the alteration defired and the price he will carry the mail for with and without such alteration.

Note 4. The contracts are to be in operation on the fifth day of April next and to continue until the 30th of September in the year 1800.

ONLY OF Majler General.

General Post Office, Philadelphia, Jan. 13, 1797. }

MRS. GRATTAN Refpe fully, informs her friends, and the public in general, that on Tuefday the 10th day of January, the proposes opening, at No. 39, North Sixth-street,

A Linen and Muslin Warehouse. sook Muslins, from 6/3 to 12/11 per yard agonet ditto, from 8/8 to 9/8 per yard triped ditto, from 1/10 to 10/10 per yard ine Cossaes

ambour'd Book Muslins, from 13/9 to 21/per yard dia Muslin, from 11/3 to 15/ per yard

aconet muslin Handkerchiefs, from 4/3 to 6/ per hdkf. Book muslin Handkerchiefs from 5/3 to 10/6 per hdkf. Muslis color'd and border'd Handkerchiefs beur'd Cravats from 10/8 to 11/11 et Handkerchiefs from 11/3 to 16/3 per yard

chalinch Towelling men's Cotton Hole, from 6/8 to 13/ per pair mity from 5/10 to 6/11 Tambour'd mulin Handkerchiefs from 11/11 to 13/2 Irish linens for Gentler en's Shirts, from 5/5 to 9/7

And a variety of other articles.

N. B. Orders received for all kinds of ready made Linen, Gentlemen's Shirts, ruffled or plain, Gravats, Pocket Handkerchiefs, &c. &c.

Houfhold Linen, &c. &c.

A plain fhirt, made and mark'd, 3 1-2 dollars.
A full ruffled ditto, 4 dollars.
A plain fhirt, made and mark'd, 5 dollars.
A full ruffled citto 6 dollars
A plain fhirt, made and marked, 5 1-2 dollars.
A full ruffled ditto 7 dollars.
A plain fhirt, made and mark'd, 6 dollars.
A full ruffled ditto 7 1-2.

A plain fhirt, made and mark'd, 6 r-2 dollars. A very fine ruffled ditto 8 dollars. Linen included.

Cheap French China. THE feloferibers finding it impossible to supply their core with any more China from France, the prices being too immoderate in the manufactories, give no-tice that they will fell at prime cost the remaining slock on hand, confishing of Desirer Setts,

Tea-Table Setts Separate Cups and Saucers' Groupes and Figures Alabafter Vafes

Alabaster Vales
Looking Glasses, in gilt frames,
Besides India Japan'd Toilet Desks, Chairs, Tables
and Quadrille Boxes.
PASQUIER & Co.
No. 91, South Second-street.

The Elephant, Now exhibited, was bought for Ten Thousand

He is 3 years old, 6 feet high, growing to 18 feet.
He eats 150 weight a-day, and drinks a barrel of
water; he has drank fome days forty bottles of porter,
drawing the corks with his trunk.

Me is perfectly inoffentive; travels loofe, at the
rate of five railes an hour, and is the greatest curiofity

ever brought to this Continent.

He is to be feen 'till the 15th of January, in Market-street between Third and Fourth-streets, at quarter of a dollar, that every one may fee h

He will leave Philadelphia as foon as the weather

Brokers Office, and COMMISSION STORE.

COMMISSION STORE.

No. 63 South Third breet, opposite the national new Banks.

SAMUEL M FR UNCES and JOHN VAN REED, have entered into co-partnership, under the firm of FRAUNCES & VAN REED, in the business of Brokers, Conveyancers and Commission merchants. They buy and fell on commission every species of stock, notes of hand, bills of exchange, houses and lands, &c.

Money procured on deposits, &c. &c. all kinds of writings in the conveyancing line, done with neatness and dispatch; accounts adjusted, and books fettled, in the most correct manner. Constant attendance will be given. They solicit a share of the public favor; they are determined to endeavour to deserve it.

N. B. The utmost secrecy observed.

SAMUEL M. FRAUNCES, JOHN VAN REED.

Philad. august 27, 1796.

FOR SALE AT WILLIAM PRIESTMAN'S No. 15 fouth Fifth street.

Between Market and Chefine Streets,
A Quantity of Plain Gold Watches; Gold enamel'd & ornamented with pearls; Silver and metal ditto, by he first makers in London and Paris; a Time-Piece by Arnold; plain gold by Mudge & Dutton; feveral liamond and diamond of pearl lockets, rings, ear-rings, &c.; about to lb. of Secret thread; double harrel'douns. night placed candlekieks, branches, &c. 46 volumes of Law-Books, in ese lot, moftly reports, fells, fearce and valuable books; books of Prints;—amongit which are Martyn on Shells, Statue da Roffi, Calmer's Dictionagire de Bible, Johnson's Poets, 75 vols. Bafkerville's Addison, 4 vols. Biographia Britannica, Opere de Machiavelli, Ruins of Balbec, Blair's Chronology, Plinii Historica Naturalis, Montfaucon's Astiquities, State Trials; Evelyn's Silva, Polyhymana's Di silva Polyhymana Kunison Brider, Ban turalis, Montfaucon's Antiquities, State Trials; Evelyn's Silva, Postlewayte's Dictionary, Rittrattii duomini illus-tri Toscani, Quevres de Bayle, Caracci.

A CARD.

If Monsieur G. H. Söhle,
Who left Bordeaux the 20th June last, and arrived at Boston about the middle of August, in the schooner Jane, is in Philadelphia, he is requested to call on Joseph Anthony & Co. No. 5, Chesnut-street, who will give him some information of importance.

December 24, 1796.

New Theatre.

BY PARTICULAR DESIRE, ON MONDAY EVENING, February 6, Will be prefented, the Historical Play of

Columbus;

Or, A WOPLD DISCOVERED.
WITH NEW SCENERY, MACHINERY, DRESSES
AND DECORATIONS.

The music composed by Mr. Reinagle.

The processions and Pageant by Mr. Byrne.
In this Play the manners and customs of Mexico and.
Peru characterize the first discovered nations of America.
Such deviation from Historical truth was deemed necessary for dramatic effect, and has enabled the author to introduce the pathetic Tale of CORA and ALONZO, from Marmontel's Incas.

The PROLOGY.

The PROLOGUE will be spoken by Mr. WIGNELLS

SPANISH PARTY. Alonzo, Harry Herbert, Doctor Dolores, Roldan, Valverdo, Mr. Fox Mr. Darley Mr. Bliffett Mr. M Donald Molcofo, Captain, 2d Spaniard, Mr. Warren
Mr. L'Estrange
Mr. Warrell
Mr. H Warrell
Mrs. Merry
Mrs. Francis Orozimbo. Solafo, Catalpo,

Priestes of the Sun, Mrs. L'Estrange Mrs. Mechtler, &co. Indian Women, Mrs Harvey, Mrs. Doctor, Mils Mile bourne, Mils Oldfield Mils L'Estrange, Mils Bates, Mile Anderson, and M'elle Sophie

A PROCESSION OF INDIANS and the first Landing of COLUMBUS.

A MARCH of SACRIFICE, and Procession to the Execution of Cora.

The whole to conclude with A GRAND PAGEANT.

The scene of the Volcano designed by J. Richards, Ffg. R. A. principal Scene Painter to Covent-Garden.

The reft of the Scenery defigned by Mr. Milbourne, and the whole executed by him and under his direc-

Machinist, Mr. Lenthall. The dreffes defigned by Mr. Gibbons.

To which will be added, A FARCE, called

Barnaby Brittle; Or, A WIFE AT HER WIT'S END.
(As often performed at Covent Garden, with general

applause.) Mr. Bates Cledpole, Jeremy, Sir Peter Pride, Mr. Bliffett Mr. Francis Mr. Morgan Mr. Fox Lovemore, Jeffery, Mrs. Brittle, Mrs. Francis Mrs. Metchtler

Box, One Dollar twenty-five cents. Pit Seven Eighthe of a Dollar, and Gallery, half a dollar.
Tickets to be had at H. & P. Rice's Book flore.
No. 50 High-firect, and at the Office adjoining the

Ladies and Gentlemen are requested to send their servants to keep places a quarter before 5 o'clock, and to order them, as soon as the company are seated, to withdraw, as they sampet on any account be permit-

The Doors of the Theatre will open at 5, and the Curtain rife precisely at 6 o'clock.

Places for the Boxes to be taken at the Office in the front of the theatre, from 10 till 2 o'clock, and from 10 till 4 on the days of performance.

VIVAT RESPUBLICA! Pennsylvania Population Company. Penntylvania Population Company.

Notice is hereby given, to fuch Share-holders as as have not paid their affeffments on their finates—to pay the fame immediately to the Secretary of the Company, at the Company's Office, No. 53 north Fourth street, Philadelphia. I hey are further informed, that in default of paying the same within thirty days from the 4th of February, instant, the several forfeitures will be strictly exacted in conformity to the 21st article of affociation.

By order of the Board,

SOL. MARACHE, Secretary.

Inis Day Published, AND FOR SALE BY THE EDITOR,

Price three eights of a Dellar.

THE Letter of the Secretary of State, to Mr. Pinckey, Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States, to he French Republic.