Drawn in the Canal Lottery, No. II. As certified by the Commissioners appointed by the Governor agreeably to Law.

No. 10,098 is 20,000 Dollars-No. 19,971 10,000 Dollars.

Nos. 613, 1566, 3195, 4766, 17862, are

Nos. 1797, 7054, 7260, 7741, 11441, 12659, 16268, 16973, 18015; and 28105, are 2000 dollars.

Nes. 1648, 2239, 3392, 3488, 4564, 7034, 7190, 8017, 9451, 9485, 11177, 12519, 14394, 17423, 19605, 22123 23909, 25665, 26251, and 29557, are 1000 dollars each.

The following Numbers are Prizes of 500 dollars each,

28 7565 9391 13207 17417 23197 1401 8232 395 452 588 24706 2213 235 881 15474 18874 27148 238 376 974 953 19874 28689 4447 528 12052 16325 21343 694 5904 9057 247 17012 22990 865 6429 262 388 163 23185 29223 919

The following Numbers are Prizes of 200 dollars each.

The following Numbers are Prizes of 100 dollars each.

The following Numbers are Prizes of 50 dollars each. 163 4592 9068 14968 21112 26062

All the numbers from 1 to 30,000 that re not here contained are prizes of five dollars each. Dated May 10, 1799 ROBERT BROOKE, Clerk.

> Just Published, By JOHN ORMROD, No, 41, Chesnut-street, SERMON,

DUTY OF CIVIL OBEDIENCE,

Belivered in Christ Church and St. Peter's, April 23, 1799, being a day of general Humiliation, Appointed by the President of the United

BY WILLIAM WHITE, D. D. Bishep of the Protestant Eniscopal Church, Inthe Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. May 10.

A Summer Retreat.

FOR SALE, Sixteen Acres of Land, About half a mile from the city of Philadelphia, HERF are on the premises a one story brick house 38 feet front, a stable and corn crib, a well of excellent water, and a few fruit trees, the thation is perhaps superior to any within the same distance of the city, and commands one of the most beautiful and picturesque prospects of the entry, Kensington, the Delaware and Jerseys,

Esquire of EDWARD BONSALL & Co. MACPHERSON'S BLUES.

BATTALION ORDERS.

The Artillery, Grenadiers and Inantry are ordered to parade at the Menag n Chesaut-ftreet on Thursday the 16th inft. precifely at 4 o'clock P. M. completely equiped for the purpose of going through their firings—Blank Cartridge will be furnished them on the parade.-

By order of the Commandant.

JOHN M'CAULEY.

Bank of North America.

May 10, 1799.

A General meeting of the stockholders infl. at ten o'clock, A. M. for the purpose of electing three Directors, in the places of Mordecai Lewis deceased, and Miers Fisher and Richard Rundle, refigned.

By order of the board. RICHARD WELLS, Cashier.

POST-OFFICE,
Philadelphia, May 11th, 1799.

THE Mail for the Eaftern shore of Maryland,
will in future be tlofed with the Southern
Mail, on Tuefdays, Thurfdays, and Saturdays at
half palt 7 o'clock A. M. and the Mail for the
Eaftern Shore of Virginia, via New-Caftle, to Northampton Court House, Virginia, will be closed
every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at half
an hour before sun set.

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Delaware & Schuylkill Canal Office,

Delaware & Schuylkill Canal Office,
Philadelphia, May 9, 1799.

In pursuance of a resolution of the president and managers of the Delaware and Schuylkill Canal Company, the Stock-holders are here by notified and required to pay, on each of their respective shares, to the Treasurer of the Company, at the Company's Office in this city,
15 dollars on the 15th June next,
20 dollars on the 15th July next, and
20 dollars on the 15th August next.

Wm. GOVETT, Treasurer.

May 13. m&tu4w(dfr.12to15A)

Equestrian Club.

THE Members composing the Equestrian Club, will meet on Thursday vening next, at Hardy's New Inn, in Mar-JOHN H. BARNES, Sec'ry.

Phila. May 10.

The Pennsylvania Claimants to Lands in Luzerne county, in the Wyoming Controverfy, are earnefly defired to attend their Committee at HARDIE'S l'avern, in Market-firect on the 17th inft. at 7 o'clock in the evening, in order to comply with the law in that case made and provided.' may 15

To be fold at Public Auction On Wednesday evening the 23d of May instant at the City Tavern, in Second-street, at 7

A VERY valuable Three flory BRICK HOUSE, Kitchen and the Lot of ground thereunto belonging, fituate at the fouth east corner of Race and Seventh-streets in this City. The Lot is 76 feet front on Race-street and 88 feet deep on Seventh-street. The House is about twenty-five feet front, is well built and completely furnished. There is also a small completely furnished. There is also a small rame Building on part of this lot fronting on Race-street, it is free of every incumbrance, and Race-street, it is free of every incumbrance, and immediate possession will be given. Also a ground rent of one hundred and fifty pounds oer ann. free of all taxes and charges whatfoever, payable half yearly, issuing out of a lot of ground situate at the north east corner of Walnut and Fifth-street, in the City of Philadelphia, on which lot is erected several Brick and Frame tenements. The situation is desireable, being opposite the State House square on Fifth-street. The terms of sale will be made known at the time thereof, or on application to the fubcribers.

Connelly & Co. Auct'rs.

may 13. The British Letter-of-Marque NIGER,

For KINGSTON, (Jam.)
Now ready to take her cargo on
boar, ean receive fome freight. For terms
apply to ROSS & SIMSON.

A country Seat for Sale.

SITUATE about four miles from the city, and bounding on the river Schuylkill, against the lower end of the white rock, and between Mount Pleafant and the Fountain Green Farms, contain Pleasant and the Fountain Green Farms, containing about twenty acras of well watered land, and the prospects from several points thereof are exceeded by sew in the neighborhood of Philadelphia. there are now on the premises, a farm house, &c; There are several excellent sone quarries already opened, which are so conveniently situated, that when the Canal shall be in operation, the boats plying therein, may load from the quarries.

For terms of sale apply at No. 21, Arch-street, No. 12, North Third-street, or No. 52, South Second-street.

N. B. An indifputable title will be given to the

may 15 To be Sold at Public Sale, At the MERCHANTS' COFFEE-HOUSE, On Wednesday next, the 15th instant, at seven o'clock, in the Evening,
Several very Elegant Situations for

SUMMER RETREATS,

Three and a half miles from the Court-House, near Frankfort Road. THESE fituations are confidered in point of health, beauty and elegance, equal to any near the city; commanding a very extensive view of the Delaware, the hipping in the harbour, the City, Harrowgate, Frankford, and feveral elegant converse feats.

Any person destrous of viewing the grounds will please apply to Henry Haines on the premis-The terms, which will be easy, will be made known at the time of fale.

The plan of the above Lotsmay le seen at the Cossee House. CONNELLY & Co. auctioneers.

For Sale,

HE time of a Black Boy, thirteen years of age, has fifteen years to serve—He is flout, Give and healthy. Enquire at No 129, Chefnut-flieet.

The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 16.

INTERESTING AND IMPORTANT AMERICANS.

Appendix to Dr. Morse's Sermon.

HERE follow the observations of the nember of Congress, before mentioned, made knowing the truth, and with fuch authentic and full evidence to support them, his observations cannot fail to have great weight with all candid readers.

Mons. Chevalier de Luzerne memorialized Congress last year (1792) in favor of the Tories, and endeavored to prepare Congress for the articles which they expected to be able to infert in the treaty of peace, for making compensation to, and admitting them into our country and councils.—The conduct of the chevalier of Marbois, and the principal French characters in America, was in conformity to this plan, endeavoring to cultivate an acquaintance and friendship between them and the tories. The loyal principles of the tories, their fondness for royalty, their numerous connexions and acquaintance, all these made it an object of importance to provide for and secure those people to the French interest. For this purpose, and to secure other points, the French minister pressed Congress to give the disgraced instructions to our ministers, to be governed ultimately by the French court as to the terms of peace. They feared that at the peace an independent party would arife, which could not eafily be managed by them. This appears from Marbois' letter, from the letters of our commissioners, and the declarations of Count de Vergennes at different times. For this reason they wished to strengthen their party, by attaching the tories and their friends to their interest. Could they have fecured to the tories their confilerted effates, or a compensation for them, and a permanent refidence in America. at a period when the British had given over all hopes of providing in that way for them, and when despair, as to their darling object, had seized the minds of the tories themselves, fo that refloration might appear to have been effected by the French folely, and that unmerited, there can be no doubt, but tories would have become the most devoted tools to France. Count de Vergennes even went fo far as to defire Mr. Adams to recommend it to Congress to leave all the European affairs to the court of France, and attend only to the affairs of America at home.

Our commissioners repeatedly say, in different letters, that it was to them very clear that the court of France meant to prevent any of the great powers in Europe acknow-ledging our independence; and that we should obtain, by the peace, from Britain, nothing beyond the point of naked indedence; and not even that, till the French nfluence was more firmly established in A. merica. They accordingly endeavored to break off the negociations, in order to gain more time and means. Marbois recommended this to Count de Vergennes in his letter, intimating that the French influence was not fufficiently weighty to have a general peace. Mr. Jay, in one letter, fays, "We have more reason to admire the patience, than to be fatisfied with the generosity of our allies;" alluding to the great reluctance with which they furnished us with money, and the fleadiness with which they pursued their

great objects. The conduct of the French, during the negociation for peace, appears clearly to have been part of a system, formed as early as 1778, by that court, to prevent our becoming independent of, and unmanageable by, them after a peace. They appear to have apprehended that if our claims as to indedence by preliminary, territory, filhery, &c. should be obtained by us, we should foon throw off our dependence on them, and learn to think and act for ourselves. They accordingly began to guard against this evil to them by the terms of the treaty of alliance made in 1778, and by taking proper meafures to have our ministers in Europe dependent upon them; and their instructions such that the French ministers might have it in their power to determine what points America should infift upon at the treaty for peace; and of course what the terms of that treaty, as to America, should be. For this purpos they, by their influence, procured Dr. Frank lin to be appointed sole minister at the court of France. This gave them a good chance of his being the sole minister for negociating eace, which must have as effectually secured o them all their views, as if the Count de

Vergennes had been the fole negociator. In proof that the court of France had long go determined on the plan they purfued at the negociation, and that they have all along been preparing Congress for their purposes, we need only attend to the memorial of nonfieur Gerard, and his communications from his court, in 1779, as they stand upon the secret journals of Congress. He says that " his mafter was highly pleafed with Congress, for having made Dr. Franklin the alone minister to his court, who was a gendeman remarkable for his integrity, his abiities and disposition to conciliate; he conidered it as a new evidence of the disposition of Congress to oblige the king, and cement the alliance."

He further fays, that " the publication of the treaty by Congress was improper and unprecedented; his mafter, however, was not angry, at it, fince it was only discovering to the world how kind and generous he had been to undertake our defence, without any re-

the high obligations be had conferred upon to them, and was proposed by Monf. Gerard America. He fays also that "Congress, should to a committee of Congress, appointed to give their minister at the Court of Spain, directons to make the most liberal propositions to her to induce her to acknowledge our independence, & to mediate for us, if a peace is Here end the remarks of the foremention. on the tapis; & if the war is to continue, to take a part with us. For this purpose, great cessions of territory, &c. were necessary: that our ministers for negociating peace should be instructed to insist upon no points, but such as Frence should advise to; that no preliminaries should be nuconditionally insist. oreliminaries should be unconditionally in fifted upon, not even independence; that it might to happen, as that to have it only ta-citly acknowledged in the treaty, would be most prudent, according to the circumstances at the time; that fach an acknowledgment would answer every purpose to us, as France would then be a guaranty thereto, as the was to Switzerland, Geneva," &c.

France foreseeing it might be necessary, from circumstances, to have the American Independence rest upon that ground, (the ground on which Switzerland and Geneva eld theirs) the 8th article in the treaty of alliance, eventual and defensive, was formed fo as that France might judge herfelf whether to infift upon a previous and express acknowledgement of our independence, or only a tacit one,* which was undoubtedly intenled to put America absolutely in her power. From all this it is clear, that France had determined on the line of policy which she in fact purfued at the negociation for peace, as ong ago as when the treaty of alliance was formed; and the Monf. Gerard was preparing matters to carry it into effect in 1779. The fact is, she intended effectually to seperate us from Great-Britain, but never meant that America should be entirely independent of

The extract from Mr. Gerard's representation, which follows, was obtained after writing the above, and will shew that Congress must have seen the policy of France as long ago as July, 1779, and yet they afterwards gave those famous instructions to our

After flating to Congress the situation of things in Europe, and the then prospect of obtaining peace through the mediation of Spain, and the necessity of having the American ministers empowered to make peace, he favs he had stated these things to Congress. "that they may, if they think proper, take under confideration, if it would not be expedient to give their plenipotentiary † instructions and full powers, founded upon the ne-ceffity of circumftances and the treaty of alliance, the express and formal terms of which shall be, that peace shall not be made without an express or tacit acknowledgment of the fovereignty, and confequently, a fortiori, of the rights inherent in fovereignty, as well as of the independence of the United States, in matters of government and commerce. This fubstantial alternative in an engagement which is a mere gratuitous gift, without any compensation or Ripulation, ought indeed never to be forgotten in a negociation for peace. France forefaw the extreme difficulties a formal and explicit acknowledgment might meet with. It was only obtained by Holland tacitly after a war of thirty years, and explicitly after a relistance of seventy. To this day, Geseva and the Swifs cantons have obtained His court thought it important that difficulties of this nature, which reside only in words, enjoying the thing itself. From these con-siderations arose the very important and explicit stipulations in the treaty which he had ust now related, and which had received the anction of the United States ; and it remains with the prudence of Congress to examine, whether instructions upon some particular points may not frustrate the salutary purpose of the treaty of alliance, relative to a tacit acknowledgment which the fituation of affairs may require." The salutary purpose of that treaty was, boyond all doubt, to separate America from Britain, and to keep her dependent on France for her liberty and existence as a nation.

The foregoing representation was made by Monf. Gerard, at the time when Congress were about instructing the ministers in the terms of peace, there being a prospect of a negociation under the mediation of Spain; and it was evidently intended to prevent Congress from giving any instructions to their ministers which might obstruct the views of France; to have our independence only tacitly acknowledged by the treaty, and dependent altogether upon the guaranty of France. This would have placed America in a fituation fo humiliating, fo dependent, as to have deprived us of all the great advantages that we now fucceed to by the treaty. Congress were so embarrassed by that

representation, and the influence of the French over many of the members, that they spent nearly two years debating upon, and altering the instructions to their ministers. Motion after motion was made, and amendment after amendment proposed; month after month, and year after year passed away, till finally, in 1782, the French minister obtained fuch instructions to the American ministers as he wished, such as he supposed would answer their purpose, and enable the French court to fettle the terms for America. But the virtue and the firmness of Meffrs. ADAMS and JAY defeated their views; and though fettered with one colleague who was devoted to France, and, as far as he could, promoted her interest in opposition to that of America, they, notwithstanding all these embarrassments, gained by the treaty every important point for America; and immortal on the pages of our bistory be their respected names.

*. This article of the treaty runs thus . " They mutually eng ge not to lay down their arms until the Independence of the United States shall have been FORMALLY OFTACITLY allured," &c. + Dr. Franklin.

gard to bis own interest; and showed what in the infirmations finally given to our mindisinterested attachment he had to American history were agreeable to the foregoing exca and the liberties of mankind, and of course tract, which was the hist amendment moderate.

" It feems there are some amo who openly approve the conduct of France during the negociations for peace, and condemn the conduct of our ministers. This I expected, or elfe that they would deny the whole, and rely upon their own effrontery to carry it through. The French have certa ly their partisans among you, and violent one too. The divulging their intrigues rendered it necessary for them to adopt one of those lines of conduct. Their money and their flattery, both which they use, may gain them ome active devoted tools; but if the body of the people fuffer themselves to be duped by them, they deserve to be the servant of ervants forever.

" I expect you are not aware that their influence will be exerted to encourage the op. position to the 4th, 5th, and 6th, articles the treaty [of 1783.] Their object now is to prevent that treaty from taking effect to keep Britain and us still at variance; to promote divisions both here and in En the more effectually to keep us dependent o themselves. That this is their policy, and that their engines are all at work, I think very evident from a great variety of circum stances; and an attention to their form conduct will shew that the same vie same principles of policy, which induced the former will lead them to the latter. The partifans here, both in and out of office, a highly pleased at the rising fermentation,

and fuch intriguing spirits. I have suggeted the ideas to some, who appeared alarmed but could not believe that such duplicit could be practifed. It is, in their or too deep, too hazardous a game, and too in-imical for a friend to play. For my part, I look first for the interest of a nation; having found where that lies, I always expect them to purfue it, let the appearances be as

" In truth, the French did not intend a peace, but were furprised into it. The count de Vergennes, when he politely confented that the American commissioners should meet Mr. Ofwald, relied wholly on the restrictions he conceived them to be under, of recurring to him for advice; well knowing, that in every fuch recurrence, he would have it in his power to defeat the negociation. He expected too, that sufficient obstructions would necessarily arise on the part of the British, especially as be bimself encouraged them. He intended to have dragged America through another campaign at least: and instead of leaving her in circumstances from which the would rife and make a figure, he meant the tacit or formal, from their former fovereigns; | she bould be so fettered with embarrassments, but they enjoy their sovereignty and inde-pendence only under the guaranty of France gree dependent on France. Had this been the case, the political connexion with that nation might have been indisfoluble. It is should not delay or prevent America from to the Count's mistake of the characters of the American commissioners, that we are in fome measures indebted for the present pacification. Had he supposed they would have dared to construe their instructions in the liberal manner they have done, he affuredly would never have trufted them with the opportunity. Mr. Ofwald, i appears, confidered the interest of the two countries in the fame light with Mr. Adams and Mr. Jay; every effay of the French, therefore, to divert him from the purpose, was vain and fruitless. But peace, however grateful it is to the many, causes great chagrin to some in public life. We have a junto here so completely enlisted in the French service, and fo closely attached to them by some invisi-ble tie, that I almost despair of seeing a se-paration. These men, like these whom they ferve have it now in view to deprive us of those inestimable advantages, which, if we act wifely, must refult to us from the peace. Their object is to prevent our forming any commercial counexion with any European power, other than Spain and Sweden, these courts being entirely under the French management. To this end, they have preffer the recal of Messrs. Dana, Adams &c. and have urged that instructions should be given not to enter into a treaty, nor even conversation, on the subject -Mr. Data might have finished a very advantageous treaty long ago, but for the French minister, whom he was bound to obey. Every opposition from the same quarter was made to Mr. Adams in Holland; and it was their policy which fo exceedingly embarraffed Mr. Jay at the court of Madrid. In a ford, it is clear, by the advices from all our minister's, except Dr. F-n, that they oppose our connection with any power but themselves. They meant to fave us, but it was to themselves, and FOR THEIR OWN USE. "We are now told, that they are juit

entitled to a monopoly of our tobacco trade; that it is the smallest compensation we can make for their kindness and their expense in faving us; and that their farmers have made arrangements, counting on the b fits to arise from this exclusive trade. shall we give ourselves up in this aranner. Shall we neglect to avail ourselves of the advantages within our reach? Shall the great council of America discover less knowledge and less virtue than their servan s have done in every line and every character

Shall they, at this stage of the business, the first to betray or relinquish the interest of their country ? God forbid ! For the ho-