supposed to have been done by Witchcraft, and some Persons in the Neighbourhood are committed to Bridewell, on that Account, suspected to have been the Perpetrators thereof.

On Wednesday arrived here the Cherokee Chiefs and Warriors, that pass'd thro' this City in December last, and were forwarded from hence to Albany, by His Excellency General Gage's Orders, by whose Interposition and Directions to Sir William Johnson, they were to endeavour to negociate a Peace between their's and the Six Confederate Indian Nations; which we are inform'd they have now accomplish'd, and are to return to South-Carolina, by the first Opportunity.

Last Saturday Se'nnight, the Wife of one Snead, (a Cooper, who lives on the College Ground) a sober Woman of good Character, her Husband being from Home, lay down on a Bed, in which were two Children, one an Infant she had to nurse, the other, her own Son about two Years old, in order to quiet and get one of them to sleep; when falling asleep herself, the Candle by some Accident set Fire to the Curtains, which were burnt, together with the Bed and most of the Things in the Room; but the Walls being Stone, the Fire went out without catching the upper Part of the House.

The Poor Woman did not wake till the Bed was in Flames, her self much burnt on the Shoulder, the Infant on the Chin, and her own Child so terribly that it died on Sunday Evening.

At the Amusements of the Theatre are drawing to a Conclusion, The Performers Benefits will commence on *Thursday* the fourteenth Instant. That Evening's Entertainment will consist in the *celebrated Tragedy of* ROMEO *and* JULIET, A Masquerade Dance and Minuet, by Mrs *HALLAM* and Miss *CHEER*, The grand funeral Procession and Dirge, Singing between the Acts, by Miss *Wainwright* and Mr. *Wools*. The Farce of *Catharine and Petruchio*, and conclude with a lively EPILOGUE, called, BUCKS *have at you All*, by Mr. *Hallam*. For the Benefit of Miss *Cheer*, whose exalted Merit in her Profession, which she first entered upon in *America*, justly entitles her to the publick Patronage.

Custom-House, New-York, Inward-Entries.

Brig Brisfel-Packet, *William Beals*, from Honduras.
Brig Diamond, *Patrick Crow*, from Teneriffe.
Sloop Diana, *William Frost*;
Sloop Two Brothers, *Samuel Warner*;
Sloop Phelix, *John Johnson*; and,
Brig Mary and Elizabeth, *William Hosier*, from Rhode-Island.

Outward Entries.

Snow Thistle, *Alexander Marquis*, for Lisbon.
Schooner Industry, *Thomas Davidson*, for Grenades.
Sloop Diana, *James Frost*, for Rhode-Island.
Snow Margaret, *John Blake*; and,
Sloop Samuel, *Thomas Tudor*, for Antigua.
Brig Mary and Elizabeth, *William Hosier*, for Hull.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Commerce, *Duncan Murray*, to Hull.
Sloop Hester, *William Lowndes*, to St. Croix.
Sloop Speedwell, *Paybell N. Smith*, to Boston.
Sloop Dolphin, *Andrew Langworthy*, to Rhode-Island.
Sloop Harlequin, *Jonathan Brockway*, to North Carolina.
Brig Pompey, *Jesse Smith*, to Hull.
Brig John, *John Rogers*, to Antigua.

THE Society for promoting Arts, &c. are to meet at Bolton and Sigell's, this Evening, at six o'Clock.

TO-MORROW,

Will be sold at publick Vendue, at the House of MATTHEW ERNEST, *in the Out-Ward of this City;*

SUNDRY *farming utensils, household and kitchen furniture, a very good fishing seine, and canoe, &c. &c. Also a likely strong negro wench about 22 years old, understands to do all sorts of house and farming work. The vendue to begin at 10 o'clock in the morning.*

On THURSDAY *next,*

The 7th Inst. will be sold at publick Vendue, at the Coffee-House,

Six Pipes of Genuine Madeira WINE,
Eight Quarter Casks of old Malaga Wine.

ALSO,

The Sloop DISPATCH,

Burthen about Eighty Tons, well found, and very fit for the Whaling Business.

THE Advertisement for convening the Merchants of this City on Thursday Evening last, in order to consider of a proper Answer to be returned to the Letter receiv'd from the Committee of the Merchants at Boston, not having prov'd effectual to bring together so great a Number as was expected; it is thought necessary by those Merchants who favoured the Meeting with their Presence before, to give this further Invitation to all the Merchants in the City, to meet at Bolton and Sigell's, on Thursday Evening next, at 6 o'Clock; and it is hoped that none will fail giving their Attendance accordingly.

FOR Want of Bidders, the Sale of the House of Mr. John Garritson, at Brooklyn Ferry, on Long-Island, was postponed from the second Instant, to Monday next, the eleventh Instant April, when it will then come on at the Premises. Rutgert Van Brunt, Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD,

By *Philip Livingston*,

At his Store on Burnets-Quay near the Ferry Stairs;

TWENTY-penny, 24 d. and 30 d. nails, the very best Hambro twine for fishing nets, brass kettles for the Indian trade with iron wire suitable for the same, teaketettels with fixted spouts, 10 nail, 11 nail, 3-4, 7-8, 9d. wd. and 3d. and 3-8 wide cotton checks of the best patterns, Irish linens silk damasses for mens vests, marble hearths very beautifully variegated with different colours, marble squares, geneva in cases and in casks, brandy, cable yarns, Russia duck, single refin'd sugar and lump sugar, white wash brushes, and a variety of other brushes, bound hats for seamen, 7 by 9, and 8 by 6 glass, Comeynekaas, or Leyden cheese, also a variety of dry goods. Choice new rice, and writing paper by the ream very cheap.

To be LET, and entered upon at MAY Day next,

A Very commodious two-story House, in Chappell-Street (now in the Tenure of Mr. Robert M'Ginnis) with a good Yard, Pump, Cellar and Cellar Kitchen. For further Particulars, enquire of the Printer. WANTED, A small Farm, about 20 Miles distant from New-York; whoever has such a one to dispose of, may hear of a Purchaser by applying as above.

WHEREAS a malicious Report has been propagated, that there was a Quantity of Gunpowder in the Store of Messrs. *Greg, Cunningham, and Co.* in Pettycoat Lane, at the Time of the late Fire; Mr. *Waddell*, for the Satisfaction of the Publick in this Matter, has exhibited the annexed Depositions to be inserted; and as no Motive can be assigned for so groundless a Charge, except that of deterring the Inhabitants from lending their friendly Assistance in such Time of Distress, and thereby exposing the Property of the Sufferers to a set of merciless Villains, who are too frequently lying in Wait for such Opportunities: It is hoped the Endeavours of all good Men will be used to discover the Author of the above Report, who is most deservedly the Object of publick Resentment.

City of New-York, } ss.

PERSONALLY appeared before me *Dirck Brinckerhoff*, Esq; Alderman for the said City, *Robert Rose Waddell*, of the said City, Merchant, one of the Partners in the House of *Greg, Cunningham and Co.* who being duly sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God, did depose and say, That they have rented a Store for several Years last past, in Pettycoat Lane, and that at the Time the Fire communicated thereto on the Morning of the 28th of March last, there was not, nor has there been at any Time before or since, any Gun-powder stored therein, to the best of this Deponent's Knowledge and Belief. ROBERT ROSE WADDELL.

Sworn before me this 2d Day of April, 1768. DIRCK BRINCKERHOFF.

City of New-York, } ss.

THIS Day personally appeared before me *Dirck Brinckerhoff*, Esq; Alderman of the said City, *Hugh Davis & John Falls*, both of the said City, who being duly sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God, do severally depose and say, That they have lived in the House of *Greg, Cunningham, and Co.* for some Years past, and do well know the Store which the said Company have hired in Pettycoat Lane; that there is not now, nor has there been at any Time before, any Gun-powder stored in the aforesaid store, to the best of their Knowledge and Belief. And farther these Deponents say not. *Hugh Davis & John Falls.*

Sworn before me this second Day of April, 1768. DIRCK BRINCKERHOFF.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Monday the 11th of April Instant, or at private Sale any Time before,

THE House on Golden Hill, wherein George Hopkins now lives: 'Tis very convenient, having seven Rooms with Fire Places in each, an excellent Cellar, and a good Yard, with a small Stable therein. Whoever inclines to purchase the same before the Day of Sale, may apply to the said George Hopkins living on the Premisses, by whom an indisputable will be given.

PUBLICK Notice is hereby given, That the Trustees of Queen's College, are to meet the Second Day in May next at New-Brunswick. DAVID MARINUS, Clerk.

To be sold at public Vendue, (and entered upon the first Day of May 1769,) on the 10th Day of June next, on the Premises, or at private Sale any Time before;

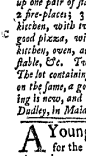
A FARM belonging to Doctor Innes, containing 192 Acres of Land, wherein is included 15 Acres of choice Salt Meadow: The Whole finely timbered and watered; two Miles on the Ferry Road to the Westward of Jamaica; whereon is two Dwelling-Houses, two Kitchen Cellars under the Houses; Milk Cellars, a Barn, Smoak-House, Fowl-House, House of Office, two Corn Cribs, and a large new Hay Barrack; three large bearing Orchards of the very best Fruit, a vast many Newtown Pippens, Golden Pippens, Golden Rennets, Bough Apples, &c. &c. Pears, Peaches, Plumbs, Blackwalnuts, and young Madeira Nut Trees. A large Garden, one whole Quarter of which is full of Asparagus, as good as any in Europe. The Situation extreamly pleasant, the Soil dry and Healthy. Half the Purchase Money will be let at 6 per Cent. for some Time, giving good Security for the same.

A Man's brown Camblet CLOAK,

WAS *some Time ago taken up on Suspicion of being stole; Whoever has lost the same, giving a true Description thereof, and paying the Charges, may have it again, by applying to Samuel Wall, near the Tewater-Pump.*

THE *Copartnership of* PETERS, *and* RAPALJE, *will expire the first of May next; all those indebted to said Partnership, are desired to make Payment by said Time. They have by them a few Hogsheads of 6 Months old New-England, and York distill'd Rum, Muscovado Sugar by the Hogshead or Barrel; Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Pepper, Allspice, Nutmegs, French Indigo, Dutch Snuff, Sheet of all Sorts; and a few Casks of excellent Gunpowder; The above Articles will be sold cheap, for Cash only.*

TO BE RUN FOR,



TO-morrow, *being the 5th of April, at Mr. James Noblett's, at Brookland, a neat SADDLE, with a Hogskin Seat, Value five Pounds; the best two out of three single Mile Heats, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not more than quarter Blood, carrying Ten Stone each. Horses to be entered at Mr. James Noblett's, paying Five Shillings each.*

To be sold at publick Vendue, on the Premises, on Wednesday the 20th of April Inst.

A *Very commodious house at* BEDFORD, *in Long-Island, about 3 miles from the ferry, suitable for a gentleman or merchant, there being 4 rooms on the ground floor, 3 rooms up one pair of stairs, one of which is a commodious large room, with 2 fire-places; 3 lodging rooms on the upper story, a very good cellar kitchen, with two cellars, and two convenient rooms for servants, a good pump, with a balony in the front of said house; with an out kitchen, oven, and a room over the said kitchen; a good chaise house, stable, &c. Two gardens, with peach, cherry, and other fruit trees. The lot containing two acres of good land, with a fine young orchard on the same, a good well of water, and other conveniences; the building is new, and in good order. A good title will be given by Francis Dudley, in Maiden-Lane, New-York.*

A Young Man, (a Clerk) is to be sold for the Term of Two Years, from the 1d of May next, who writes a good Hand, and will be recommended. Enquire of the Printer.

ONE THOUSAND *Pounds*,

To be put out at Interest; any Person that will leave their Letter with the Printer of this Paper, directed to X. Y. Z. informing him of the Security he will give, shall be treated with, if agreeable.

ALL Persons having any Demands upon me the Subscriber (as a Candidate at the late Election for the City and County of NEW-YORK) for any House being kept open upon my Account, are desired to bring in their Accounts immediately to me, and they shall be paid. Amos Dodge.

TO be sold at publick Vendue, the following Farms, In North Lot, No. 4, viz. Lot, No. 1, containing 206 Acres, in the Possession of John Ketchum. No. 4, 215 Acres, David Travis; No. 7, 206 Acres, Aaron Foreman; No. 8, 206 Acres, Elisha Turner; No. 9, 202 Acres, Daniel Turner; No. 10, 206 Acres, John Stevens; No. 11, 190 Acres, Robert Gallop; No. 13, 217 Acres, James Perry; as also two other Lots South of Croton River, the one contains 202 Acres, in the Possession of Widow Gerow; and the other contains 331 Acres, in the Possession of Bartow Underhill, all in the Manor of Cortland. The Sale to begin on Tuesday the 16th of May, at the House of Mr. David Travis, and every following Day, until the Whole are sold. One third of the Purchase Money only is required, and the Purchaser may have the Remainder, at Interest, giving either the Lands or other good Security. If any Person incline to purchase at private Sale, they may know the Conditions, and agree with Philip Ver Plank, Esq; at his Seat in the Manor of Cortland. *Philip Schuyler,*
Cortland Schuyler,
Stephen Schuyler,
John Cochrane

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Monday the first of *August* next, at 10 o'Clock in the Morning, at the Merchant's Coffee House, the following Houses, Lots of Ground, &c.

A HOUSE and Lot of Ground fronting on Burnet's-Street, wherein Mr. James Depyster now lives.

A House and Lot adjoining thereto, fronting on Burnet's-Street, wherein Mr. Daniel Phenix now lives.

A Store-house and Lot of Ground, adjoining the House Mr. Phenix lives in, likewise fronting on Burnet-street, containing in Breadth in Front, about 24 Feet, and in depth about 100 Feet.

A Stable and Lot, fronting on Queen-street, adjoining to the House, wherein the late Treasurer lived, containing in Breadth, in Front, about 27 Feet, and in Depth about 100 Feet.

A House and Lot on Burnet's-Quay, fronting the East-River, wherein Mr. Thomas Duncan now lives.

A House and Lot in French-Church-Street, next Door to Mr. William Horsfield's, wherein Mrs Springall now lives.

A House and three Lots beyond Fresh-Water, next Door to Mr. Stout's, where Christopher Tauner now lives.

A Store House and Lot in Dock-street, now possessed by Mr. Theodorus Van Wyck, containing in Breadth in Front on Dock-Street, about 33 Feet, and in Length about 80 Feet. On the Rear of said Lot is a small Tenement wherein Isaac Brown (Cooper) now lives.

A Lot of Ground adjoining the Rear of the last mentioned lot, and fronting the East-River, in Breadth about 33 Feet, in Length about 80 Feet.

A Tract of Land in the Great Patent, near Esopus, called, Lot No. 1, in the Division of Lot, No. 2, containing about 3 or 4000 Acres.

A Tract of Land in the County of Ulster, near the Great Pond containing 1035 Acres.

By Permission of his Excellency the Governor.

By the AMERICAN COMPANY,

At the Theatre, in *John-street*, this present Evening, being the 4th of April, will be presented, a COMEDY, call'd, *The*

Constant Couple:

OR,

A TRIP to the JUBILEE.

Sir Harry Wildair, by Mr. HALLAM,
Col. Standard, by Mr. DOUGLASS,
Beau Clincher, by Mr. HENRY,
Young Clincher, by Mr. WALL,
Alderman Smuggler, by Mr. MORRIS,
Vizard, by Mr. TOMLINSON,
Dickey, by Mr. WOOLLS,
Tom Errand, by Mr. GREVILLE,
Angelica, by Miss CHEER,
Lady Darling, by Mrs. TOMLINSON,
Parley, by Miss F. STORER,
Lady Lurewell, by Mrs. HARMAN.

To which will be added,

By *Command* of His Excellency the *General*,

For the ENTERTAINMENT of the *Cherokee* CHIEFS and WARRIORS, lately return'd from the *Mohawk* Country, The

WITCHES:

OR,

HARLEQUIN RESTOR'D,

Harlequin, by Mr. HALLAM,
Pantaloon, by Mr. MORRIS,
Petit-Maitre, by Mr. WALL,
Monsieur, by Mr. ROBERTS,
Peirot, by Mr. TOMLINSON,
Necromancer, by Mr. WOOLLS,
Witches, by Miss *Hallam*, Miss *Storer*, Mrs. *Harman*, Mrs. *Wall*, Mrs. *Tomlinson*, &c.
Colombine, by Miss CHEER.

To conclude with a Country Dance by the Characters. To begin at half after Six o'Clock. *Vivant Rex & Regina.*

On *Wednesday*, by COMMAND of

LADY MOORE,

A New COMEDY, (never acted here) call'd, ALL in the WRONG; *TICKETS to be had at the* Bible and Crown, in Hanover-Square, *at Mr.* Hayes's, and of Mr. Lansdowne, *at the Theatre.*

TO be sold, a very good farm, lying on the north side of the Fishkills, in Dutchess-county, where the widow of Jacob Brinckerhoff, deceased, now lives; containing 350 acres of good tillable land, about one half improved, and almost clear of any stones, (unless it be at some quarries) and what is referved for timber, is good; it has meadow land cleared sufficient to cut about 50 loads of hay, of good tame grass, and as much more to be cleared of low intervale land or swamp; upon it are about 200 good bearing apple trees, a very good house of 45 feet long, and 36 feet broad, 3 rooms on a floor, with 3 fire-places, a good cellar under the whole house, and kitchen which is 19 feet long, and 24 feet wide; a good barn 50 feet square, a frame corn crib, and smoak-house; situated about nine miles from the landing, and a small room in a store-house there: An indisputable title to be given for the same; the field farm is also well watered, a sprout of the fishkills running through the farm.—Whoever incline to purchase, may apply to JOHN BRINCKERHOFF, and ISAAC BRINCKERHOFF, executors.

Fishkills, March 22, 1768.