



Spirit of Jefferson.



Friday Morning, November 6, 1846.

THE NEXT CONGRESS.

The Union of a late date gives a better showing the probable complexion of the House of Representatives of the Thirtieth Congress...

TRIAL OF WM. CLIP.

We announced in most of our last issue, the verdict of the Jury in the case of Wm. Clip, arraigned for the murder of John Gray...

FINE APPLES.

We return our thanks to our kind friend Samuel Cameron, Esq., of Jefferson county, Va., for the large basket of fine Apples which he sent us a few days ago...

THE TURNPIKE TO BERRYVILLE.

One of the most important movements of the day, is the project of a Turnpike Road to connect with the Berryville and Snickers Ferry Road...

CHEERING PROSPECTS.

The New York Sun in an article upon our Commercial and Financial prospects, draws a cheering picture of the present condition and future prospects of our commercial affairs...

FAITH IN DEMOCRACY.

The Whigs, says the Baltimore Argus, are rejoicing over their gains in some of the States, and counting upon additional triumphs yet to come...

THE SCHOOL QUOTA.

The following apportionment has been made of the School Fund, for the education of the poor, under the old law, for the year 1847...

ODD FELLOWS PROCESSION, &c.

Adam Lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., of Frederick City, Md., will have a public Procession on Tuesday the 17th of November...

LOOK OUT!

The editor of the Baltimore Patriot states that he has been shown a counterfeit note of the denomination of \$20, on the Bank of the Valley of Virginia...

RE-PRINT OF BLACKWOOD.

Mr. GODEY, the enterprising publisher of the Lady's Book, Philadelphia, has sent us the first No. of his "Reprint of Blackwood's Ladies Magazine"...

VALUABLE CARGO.

The amount of duties paid on the goods imported by the steamship Calcutta, on her last trip, was about \$13,000.

HEAVY FALL OF RAIN.

The rain which commenced falling on Friday night last, has continued, with little intermission, up to this morning (Thursday)...

ODD FELLOWS PROCESSION.

The services incident to the Dedication of the new Hall of Winchester Lodge, I. O. O. F., on Wednesday week, was of a highly interesting character...

WASHINGTON UNION.

The State elections took place on Tuesday in New York and New Jersey. In the former it was for Governor, members of Congress, &c., and in the latter for members of Congress and for members of the State Legislature...

GENERAL BUTLER.

The Louisville papers publish extracts from a letter from this officer, who was wounded in the leg at Monterey, by a musket ball, which entered below the knee...

A TOWN CLOCK.

The suggestion has frequently been made, and generally acquiesced in, by our citizens, that we should have a Town Clock in the Cupola of our new Court-House...

LITERARY MESSENGER.

The November No. has been received. As usual, it is filled with highly interesting and valuable matter. We know not what circulation the Messenger has in this immediate neighborhood...

THE SOUTH CAROLINA DELEGATION.

The Congressional delegation stands as follows—all Democrats—Jos. A. Woodward, James A. Black, R. F. Simpson, A. D. Sims, R. Barnwell Rhet, I. E. Holmes, A. Butt, all re-elected without opposition, except Messrs. Black and Holmes.

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THE MAILS, &c.

Owing to some cause, the rain, we presume, no mail reached here by the Rail Road on Tuesday or Wednesday. We were favored, however, by a friend, on Tuesday, with the Baltimore Sun and Clipper...

ELECTIONS.

The State elections took place on Tuesday in New York and New Jersey. In the former it was for Governor, members of Congress, &c., and in the latter for members of Congress and for members of the State Legislature...

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EXPERIENCE vs. THEORY.

For the relief of the Tariff alarmists, says the Richmond Enquirer, we quote the following passages from the Liverpool correspondence of the Charleston Courier...

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THE FALLEN LEAVES.

BY MISS RAY. Westward to the fallen leaves, Young children at our play, And laugh to see the yellow things...

WE stand among the fallen leaves In youth's enchanted spring— When hope (who wears at the last) First spreads her eagle wing...

THEY were once a beautiful young lady, beautiful to look upon, who turned up her pretty nose at a shoemaker, and refused to acknowledge a painter in the street...

USEFUL RECIPES. Hogs are frequently taken sick, and sometimes die, without exhibiting any symptoms by which the uninitiated in such matters can either infer the nature of the disease, or apply a proper remedy...

WE are now receiving our supply of FALL DRESS GOODS, which consists of a variety of styles of Mounting and Cashmere, plain and satin-striped, Pale Alto, Oregon and Monterey Plaids, new and desirable articles for Dressing...

WE have on hand a large and choice lot of BACON which will be sold low. GIBSON & HARRIS.

WE have just received a large addition of School and Miscellaneous Books, making one of the best stocks I have ever offered to the public.

ONE thousand good oak Shingles, is wanted immediately at THIS OFFICE. Oct. 9, 1846.

THE undersigned has moved from the Warehouse lately rented from Mr. Shepherd's Heirs, into his own large new Stone Ware-House...

BEAUTIFUL LITTLE ALLEGORY.—A humming bird met a butterfly, and being pleased with the beauty of its person, and the glory of its wings made an offer of perpetual friendship.

THE undersigned takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Charlestown and its vicinity, that he has opened a BOOT and SHOE SHOP, in the building in the rear of Mr. N. S. White's dwelling...

LAND FOR SALE. I HAVE several fine TRACTS OF LAND in this county and in Berkeley, for sale at low prices and on most accommodating payments.

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NO DOUBT.—"You look like death on the pale horse," said a gentleman to a toper, who was pale and emaciated.

TALK TALKING.—"May it please the court," said a gentleman addressing the judge on the bench, speaking in reply to some rather repugnant remarks that fell from another barrister.

COULD we but look into many domestic circles, with all their outward show of finery, what scenes of misery would present themselves to our view, all originating in the senseless rage for gentility; or the silly ambition of figuring in a higher station than that to which they belong.

A WISE FATHER.—One of our exchanges tells a story of an editor out West, who wished to marry a blue-eyed damsel in his neighborhood.

CHRISTMAS ON FRIDAY.—Our great holiday falls on Friday this year, and if old writers and legends are to be believed, it signifies a hard winter.

CONGRESSIONAL GLOBE AND APPENDIX. Congress at its last session, through the Joint Library Committee of the two Houses, having authorized a large subscription for the Congressional GLOBE AND APPENDIX...

J. GREGG GIBSON, M. D. RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the public. He has become associated with Dr. J. H. Strath, so that he will always have the benefit of his instruction and counsel...

DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c. THE undersigned has just replenished from the Markets of Philadelphia and Baltimore, his Drug Store in Charlestown, with every article belonging to his line.

STEPIENS & WELLS, Merchant Tailor and Ready-made CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT. Corner of Potomac and Shenandoah Streets, HARPERS-FERRY, VA.

THE undersigned, having obtained the agency for the sale of BACON & RAVEN'S celebrated French action Pianos, of New York, now offers to the public a really superior instrument...

NEW PIANO FORTE WARE-HOUSE. No. 151 Pratt St., adjoining the Railroad Depot, Baltimore, Md.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Carpet Warehouse, No. 3, North Gay street, near Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md.

THE subscriber respectfully calls the attention of the citizens of Jefferson and adjoining counties, to his large and well selected assortment of Carpets and Oil Cloths...

CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE subscribers have this day entered into Co-Partnership for the purpose of conducting the FLOOR and GENERAL PRODUCE COMMISSION BUSINESS...

LIU'S BALM OF CHINA. AN infallible cure for all cuts, burns, sores, &c. The worst cut may be cured in a few hours by the use of this all-healing compound...

HEALTHY GOODS.—Just received every description of coarse and fine cotton and woolen Goods, suitable for the season, which I can and will sell as low as the lowest.

THE undersigned has moved from the Warehouse lately rented from Mr. Shepherd's Heirs, into his own large new Stone Ware-House...

PERSONS desiring of buying heavy goods, either woolen or cotton, can get them at my store, from 20 to 30 per cent lower than they ever bought them. Farmers and others are requested to call and examine them.

THE following gentlemen have kindly consented to act as Agents for our paper, and will forward names for subscriptions, &c., or receive any additional names to our list that can be procured.

Wm. J. STEPHENS, Harpers-Ferry; John G. Wilson, do; SOLOMON SPALDY, Shepherdstown; H. B. MILLER, Elk Branch; JOHN COOK, Elk Branch; Wm. ROBERTSON, John Hess, Union School House; GEORGE E. MOORE, Elk Branch; JOHN H. SMITH or J. R. REDMAN, Smithfield; EDWIN A. REILLY, Summit Point; DOLPHUS DRAKE or S. HEFFELBERGER, Kabetown; JACOB ISLER or J. M. NICKLIN, Berryville; Wm. TIMMERLAKE, Dr. J. J. JANNEY, or J. O. COYLE, Brucetown, Frederick County; HENRY F. BAKER, Winchester; Col. Wm. HANCOCK, Bath, Morgan County; JOHN H. LERENS, Martinsburg; Wm. A. STUBBS, Romney, Hampshire county; J. P. MEGSAITH, Philmont, Loudoun county; Wm. A. STEPHENSON, Upperville, Fauquier county; SILAS MARSHBURN, Hillsborough, Loudoun county; GEORGE H. STUBBS, Romney, Hampshire county; GABRIEL JORDAN or W. BASK, Luray, Page County.

Carroll's Western Exchange, HARPERS-FERRY, VA., The Regular Opposition Dining HOUSE.

FOR the accommodation of the Passengers in the Cars, I will have OYSTERS and other Delicacies of the season served up daily, in a superior style, where Ladies and Gentlemen can get what they want, and only pay for what they eat. My situation is the most convenient on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, where passengers cannot possibly be left. I return my grateful thanks to the many thousands who have patronized the Cars.

THE BEST OF OYSTERS. Put up expressly for Exportation and Family use. At all seasons of the year, and in the following manner: Pickled, Spiced and Fresh. Dealers from the country will be supplied at the shortest notice, and their orders will be promptly attended to.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Hat, Cap, and Fancy Fur Store, No. 132 BALTIMORE STREET. THE subscriber has on hand a large and general assortment of Hats, Caps and Furs, or FURS comprising one of the most complete stocks ever offered in this city.

THE FRANKLIN HOUSE, No. 105 CHESTNUT STREET, Between Third and Fourth, PHILADELPHIA. D. K. MINOR, of New York, Proprietor. JAS. M. SANDERSON, of Phila., Assistant. GEO. P. BURNHAM, of Boston, do. Sept. 25, 1846—ly.

WALTER & CO., No. 28, South Howard Street, BALTIMORE, FLOUR, CONSUMPTION MERCHANTS, and Dealers in Country Produce generally. Liberal advances made on consignments. Refer to H. M. Brent, Esq., Cashier; H. H. Sherrard, Esq., J. P. Reily, Esq., Sam'l Jones, Jr. Esq., Pres't B. & O. R. R., Baltimore. Messrs. W. & S. Wyman, J. Landstreet & Son, Baltimore, June 26, 1846—6m.

THE undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Jefferson County, that he has commenced the business of Cabinet-Making, on the Island of Virginia, at Harpers-Ferry, and is ready to fill every order with any article in his trade, on the cheapest and most accommodating terms. He hopes by strict attention to business, and by promptly turning out such work as cannot fail to please to merit a large share of public patronage.

CASH FOR NEGROES. THE subscriber is anxious to purchase a large number of Negroes of both sexes, sound and likely. Persons having Negroes to dispose of, will find it to their interest to give him a call before selling, as he will pay the very highest cash prices. He can be seen at the Berkeley Courts, at Martinsburg, on the second Monday, and at Berryville on the fourth Monday in each month, and usually at his residence in Charlestown. All letters addressed to him will be promptly attended to. WILLIAM CROW, Charlestown, Dec. 5, 1845.

TO FARMERS AND MILLERS. THE undersigned has moved from the Warehouse lately rented from Mr. Shepherd's Heirs, into his own large new Stone Ware-House...

GRAIN AND FLOUR. SHEPHERDSTOWN, Feb. 13, 1846—ly.

TO FARMERS AND MILLERS. THE undersigned having leased the WAREHOUSE, at Shepherdstown, recently occupied by Mr. William Short, is now prepared to forward Grain and Flour to the District Market, or to purchase, or make liberal advances when received. THOMAS G. HARRIS, Jan. 23, 1846—ly.

STAPLE GOODS. PERSONS desiring of buying heavy goods, either woolen or cotton, can get them at my store, from 20 to 30 per cent lower than they ever bought them. Farmers and others are requested to call and examine them. J. J. MILLER, Oct. 2.

PATENT Hair Cloth Skirts—for sale by Oct. 30. CRANE & SADLER.

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