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VOL. XXVII. CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1834. No. 5.

JOHN S. GALLAHER. TWO DOLLARS & FIFTY CENTS PER ANNUM.

A CARD. Dr. Francis A. McNeill. Having retired from the drug and medicine business...

SEMINARY For Young Ladies. PUBLIC attention is respectfully called to the Seminary under the care of Miss M. A. Polk...

Female Seminary. The solicitation of several gentlemen, the undersigned has engaged to undertake the establishment and instruction of a Female Seminary...

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Information Wanted. STEPHEN FLEMING, an Irishman by birth, and by trade a Stone Mason...

C. CORDELL. FULLY offers his professional services to the citizens of Charlestown...

KITZMILLER, RUBY AT LAW. Office in the Superior and Inferior Courts of Loudoun and Jefferson counties...

Smithfield Fair. ENCOURAGED by the success of the Fair in Charlestown, the Ladies of Smithfield and neighborhood have prepared a variety of articles...

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THE FREE PRESS.

THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1834.

One Usurpation begets Another. When we, last year, denounced the assumptions of the President in his famous Proclamation...

But, alas, for the instability of human opinion! While the people have been so justly commended...

The President says "all who are trading on borrowed capital ought to break." Let us ask the plain business men of Jefferson county a few plain questions...

We have been unable to find room for Mr. Dana's letters. His fourth No. contains a copy of a letter which he addressed to the President in August last...

Mr. Pinckney, of S. C., in a recent speech in the H. of R. made the following remarks: "The President, Mr. P., declared, would never venture to remove the deposits, if the Force Bill had been rejected."

IN CONGRESS. The debates are continued upon the existing topics of the day. In the Senate, the discussion upon the Bank bill has been carried on by Messrs. Webster, Leigh, Wright, Calhoun, Benton, and White.

JAMES W. BOULDER (the Jackson candidate) has been elected to Congress, in the Charlotte district, by a considerable majority, over Beverly Tucker. The latter gentleman, (the Whig says), "was scarcely entitled to citizenship in Virginia, having come into the Commonwealth some months ago, merely on a visit, we believe, and with an intention at the time to return to Missouri."

A transfer of the "Minority Address," is sending his way homeward, was robbed of his precious burden. "The robber, seeing the budget nicely done up, thought he was getting a package of fine goods—when, lo! upon opening it, he found it contained nothing but—Jupiter!"

BANK AT HARPER'S-FERRY.

We copy, this week, the act of the Legislature, authorizing the Bank of the Valley to establish an office of Discount and Deposit at Harper's-Ferry...

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IMPORTANT FROM WASHINGTON.

Washington, March 19, 1834. At length, we may discern some faint glimmer of light in our political prospect. Mr. Calhoun has devised a plan for a new National Bank on principles which wholly avoid the constitutional scruples of the southern representatives, and which will be generally acceptable...

MR. CLAY'S RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were submitted by Mr. CLAY, to the Senate, on Friday the 7th inst., and made the order of the day for the first Monday in April next. Resolved, That the Constitution of the United States does not vest in the President power to remove at his pleasure officers under the Government of the United States...

MR. CLAYTON, OF GEORGIA.

Nothing gives more satisfaction to a candid and judicious man, than to make acknowledgment of wrong, when he has been committed, and certainly nothing is more honorable. Mr. Clayton, of Georgia, in a recent speech in the House of Representatives, thus concludes his remarks...

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Warlike Preparations in France.—On Monday Feb. 9, Marshal Soult came down to the Chamber of Deputies, and retracting all he had promised in the way of military reductions, increased his demand to the original amount of 371,000 men and 78,230 horses...

During the year 1830 there were born in England and Wales 20,223 illegitimate children; 9,292 of these were females, and 10,931 were males.

AN ACT.

To authorize the Bank of the Valley, in Virginia, to establish an Office of Discount and Deposit at Harper's-Ferry, in the County of Jefferson. Enacted March 19, 1834.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia, that the Bank of the Valley in Virginia, be, and the same is hereby authorized to establish an Office of Discount and Deposit at Harper's-Ferry, in the County of Jefferson, with a Capital of two hundred thousand dollars...

REPORT.

The Committee on the Officers having now ascertained by an experience of several months, the progress in the reduction in the business of the Bank, ordered by the Bank on the 8th of October last, avail themselves of the monthly returns from the Bank and all its offices, made up for the month of March, to present a statement of those reductions...

What's the difference between a Republican and a monarchist? The one makes all government emanate from the people—the other creates all power in the will of one man: one is in favor of the law—the other in favor of the monarch. If, under the name of President, sovereign power is claimed and exercised, the title of monarch is most applicable.

THE EVENING POST, the leading Administration journal in New York, referring to the contemporary House of Representatives to close the session on a particular day, says: "We opine that the old General would cut the dispute very short between the two Houses of Congress, and send those honorable bodies home to their constituents, telling them not to come to Washington again until the 1st of Monday in December next, and giving them the long interval to regain their temper in, and to cut and dry materials for long-winded speeches against that time. We have no sort of doubt that the 'old Roman' would take upon himself to do this."

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THE TIMES.

From the Baltimore American, March 24. The following notice was handed for publication by the Cashier of the Bank of Maryland last night, when this paper was about to press:

TO THE PUBLIC. BANK OF MARYLAND. 24th March, 1834. The Board of Directors of this Institution, have ascertained with surprise and regret, equal to any that the community could feel, that this Institution is unable to support its business at once in from a continuation to continue it longer would only be attended with loss to the community. Their advice to the creditors, founded upon the best judgment they are now able to form, is, not to sacrifice their claims. The debts of the Institution will have the privilege of paying their debts with the notes and certificates of deposit, and the open accounts with the Bank; and these, alone they hope to enable the note holders and depositors to realize nearly all if not the entire amount of their credits.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bank of Maryland, presided the following report, which was read:

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JEFFERSON LAND FOR SALE

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Law and Chancery, for the County of Loudoun, pronounced the 27th day of April, 1833...

THE TRACT OF LAND, In the bill and proceedings mentioned, or so much thereof as will pay the sum of \$700.75 with interest from the 27th day of April, 1833...

300 ACRES, And has ordinary improvements thereon, with a full supply of timber. Terms—One-third cash, and the remainder in two equal annual payments...

First-rate Jefferson Land FOR SALE, At the request of Mrs. Conklyn and sons, the subscriber offers for sale, all that Tract or parcel of LAND...

162 ACRES, A good proportion of which is heavily timbered. The improvements are a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, with all necessary out-buildings...

PRIVATE SALE, THE FARM upon which private sale, the FARM upon which private sale, the FARM upon which private sale...

A Valuable Tannery, &c. AT HARPER'S FERRY, FOR SALE, THE very valuable and eligible real property belonging to the estate of Townsend Beckwith...

An excellent Oil Mill, TWO COMMODIOUS DWELLING HOUSES, The yards and garden of one of them highly improved...

FOR SALE, A SET of half-patent STILLS, that will bear a comparison with any others holding 200 gallons each...

Lumber Yard in Shepherdstown, THE proprietor begs leave to inform the public, that in connection with his store, he has opened an extensive LUMBER YARD...

LUMBER YARD, and is now prepared to supply all demands for seasoned White and Yellow Pine PLANK, either 4 inch, 1 inch, 1 1/2 inch, 1 3/4 inch, 2 or 3 inch—also, 4 inch and 1 inch Poplar Plank...

MACKEREL, A FEW barrels of No. 3 MACKEREL for sale by H. KEYS, March 13, 1834.

TRAFFIC, RISING seven years old, full sixteen months...

RISING seven years old, full sixteen months, and in point of blood, surpassed by any horse in the upper country...

PEDIGREE, Traffic is out of the famous Sally Brown, dam of the celebrated Biliog, and several others, good runners, and by Buck Rabbit...

PERFORMANCE, The spring of 1833, Traffic won a jockey club purse at Fairfield, after winning 5 heats, beating Mr. Johnson's celebrated horse...

SEA GULL, WILL stand the ensuing season, commencing the 1st of July, in Charlottesville, Jefferson County...

THE BEAUTIFUL HORSE, YOUNG SIR CHARLES, WILL stand the present season at the subscriber's stable. Terms and pedigree will appear in hand-bills.

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THE FAMOUS RACE-HORSE, JOHN RICHARDS

WILL stand this season, to end the first day of July, at his stable, about 2 1/2 miles east of Bathtown, in Frederick County, Virginia...

PEDIGREE, John Richards, by Henry Richards, Henry Childers, Sumpter and Washington, by Timoleon, was decidedly my choice...

PERFORMANCE, John Richards, by the great Sir Archy, his dam was called Rattler (sometimes called Rattle)—not Dr. Thornton's...

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Sir Walter Scott

THIS beautiful and much admired Stallion will stand the ensuing season, ending on the 25th day of June, on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays...

PEDIGREE, Sir Walter Scott was sired by Monsieur Tonson, he by Paquet, he by the imported Citizen, he by Paquet of England...

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INDUSTRY

THIS thorough-bred race-horse will stand the ensuing season, commencing on the 1st of April, and ending on the 1st of July...

PEDIGREE, Industry was sired by Sir Archy, his dam by Ball's Florizel, his grand dam by Walter, great grand dam Lady Bolognino...

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WARRANTED

A FRESH SUPPLY just received and for sale by WM. CLEVELAND & CO. Fresh Garden Seeds...

Early frame Peas, six week ditto, Knight's marrowfat, dwarf marrowfat, ditto, Purple Lima Beans...

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The terms or less, \$1, in the same 25 cents per...

All a specific time and charged...

Farmers...

The Hon...

March 9...

To be...

General...