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TENNESSEE.—The Hon. Aaron V. Brown was installed into office as Govern of the State of Tennessee on the 15th instant, in presence of both branches of the General Assembly and a large number of spectators.

Governor Jones delivered a valedictory address on the occasion, which (as we learn from the Nashville Banner) was very effective and impressive. He was listened to with profound attention throughout, except when irrepressible bursts of applause followed some eloquent appeal or patriotic sentiment. He warmed up anew the affection of the Whigs who were present for the great cause of which he has been so distinguished an advocate, while he said nothing unkind or disrespectful of his political opponents.

The address of Gov. Brown (says the Banner) was superior to any thing we had before heard from him, and gave evidences of care and study in the composition. It was delivered in a smooth, unimpassioned manner, and fell slowly and studiedly from the tongue. His friends appeared to be well pleased, while his opponents could complain but little of undue violence or bitterness of sentiment or expression.

MIKE WALSH, in his last "Subterranean," remarks that an eminent Locofoco holding two good offices is now pushing for Register, and adds:

"Three such offices at a time would'nt be very bad to take. If such grasping and insatiable avarice can be called *democracy*, I would like to know what, in the name of heaven, they consider *federalism*."

Rather green that question, Mike! A man who works steadily, lives prudently, sleeps contentedly, envies no man, reads what is going on regularly, sends his children to good schools week-days, and takes them to church Sundays, never wishing for office, and always voting just as he thinks best for the country, is pretty certain to be branded a Federalist. It is not a bad name, however, if you have sense enough to understand it.—*Tribune.*

COMMENCEMENT OF THE CANAL.—The Georgetown Advocate of Thursday says:—"The enterprising contractors for the completion of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal from dam. No. 6 to Cumberland, we understand are already on the ground, and are entering with a becoming energy upon the prosecution of their undertaking. *There is no doubt now of its completion in due time.* The board of directors of the canal company, and the commissioners on the part of the State of Maryland, with other officers of the canal company, are to leave here on Monday next by canal, on a trip of inspection and reconnoisance, extending their observations to the point at which the new work is to be undertaken."

TARIFF CONVENTION--*Important Movement.*—A preliminary meeting of a number of the citizens of Pittsburg, without distinction of party, was held on Tuesday evening, at the Exchange Hotel, in that city, to take measures for calling a mass Tariff Convention at Hollidaysburg, at an early day, in order to protest against any change, by Congress, in the present revenue laws. This movement, says the Journal, "promises an energetic expression of the feelings of Pennsylvania on the subject, and we were glad to observe among the most prominent at this meeting, many of our leading democrats."

SENTENCE OF HUNTER HILL.—We stated yesterday that Hunter Hill had been found guilty of the murder of Major Smith, at Suffolk, Va., and sentenced to be hung on the second Friday in January. A correspondent of the Norfolk Courier gives the following sketch of the remarks he made after being sentenced:

"After sentence was passed, the prisoner asked leave to say a few words, which he did in an audible voice. He stated that he regretted the death of Major Smith as much as any brother he had—that when he took him out, on that fatal night, he had no design of killing him—that the evidence was not in accordance with the facts, as they occurred. He felt that he had enemies, but he forgave them; he hoped God would forgive both *him* and *them*—he hoped that his sad fate would be a warning to the rising generation, and the young men of his acquaintance in suffolk. He asked of his *Honor* that some minister might visit him, and that his wife might be permitted to visit him in the prison, as he knew she wished to do so—and he sat down in the midst of *profound silence*—In a few moments the Judge ordered him back to prison, and the court adjourned."

FROM WASHINGTON.—A Washington correspondent of the New York Courier mentions the following measures as likely to be discussed during the coming session of Congress.

1st—A revision of the Tariff.

2d—The resurrection of the defunct subtreasury.

3d—The twelve months notice to Great Britain for the abrogation of the compact of 1817 and 1837 on joint occupancy of the Oregon territory.

4th—The ratification of the Texas annexation; and collaterally the Mexican boundary, and the Mexican indemnities, embracing the question of international negotiations upon the subject.

5th—A revision of the Postage Laws, including an increse of postages, and an amendment of the laws relating to railroad contracts.

6th—A monthly mail line overland to and from Oregon. Whether this measure is recommended by the President or not, (and we hope it will, as it will be a feather in the official bonnet of the Executive) it will be brought up before the Senate at an early day by Mr. Allen, Chairman on Foreign Relations, or by Mr. Niles, of the Post Office Committee, or by Col. Benton.

CONDITION OF THE TREASURY.—The New York Journal of Commerce contains the following from an occasional correspondent:—

Washington City Oct. 21.

For the information of your readers, you may state in advance of the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, that the receipts from customs for the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1845, will exceed $27,500,000; from public lands, $2,000,000; miscellaneous and incidental sources, $163,998,56; making in all, over $29,700,000. There was a balance in the Treasury 1st July, 1844, of $7,857,379 64, which added to the receipts, will make a total of over $37,500,000.

The expenditures for the same time were about $30,000,000, which leave a balance in the Treasury of above $7,500,000. In the items, the expenditures under the direction of the War Department were very large, being over $15,000,000, or more than one half of the whole expenses of the government.—The civil list will not much exceed two and a quarter millions of dollars, and the foreign intercourse not half a million.—The Navy Department has expended above $6,000,000; making upwards of $21,000,000 for our active national defence.

THE LAW OF LIBEL.—We have recently read, with much pleasure and profit, the opinion of the Supreme Court of the U. S. in the case of White vs. Nichols and others, reported in 3d Howard's Reports. It was delivered by Judge Daniel, and covers the whole ground of the law of libel. Among other important points determined, the decision throws around all ample protection against written or printed malevolence, from whatever quarter it may come especially is it direct against the hypocrite, who under the pretext of duty, and the guise of privileged communications, seeks to injure others. The case grew out of an effort to have White, the plaintiff, removed from office by means of certain communications addressed to the Executive Department of the U. S. The decision is particularly valuable to the bar, bringing together, as it does, in a concise and clear manner, all the learning upon an important branch of the profession.—*Rich. Enq.*

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAIL ROAD. At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, held yesterday, the Hon. Louis McLane was unanimously re-elected President of the Company; and, in consequence of his absence as Minister to England, Samuel Jones, jr, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President *pro tem.* The proposition for a reduction of fare to Cumberland and intermediate places, it is expected will be finally acted upon at the next meeting.

THE TARIFF.—The Washington Union, speaking of the Treasury Department and the Tariff says:—"We contend for the great principle that the tariff must be reduced to a *tariff for revenue;* and we entertain no doubt that the President of the United States and the Secretary of the Treasury will adopt the same true and legitimate standard."

There is much good sense, and sound logic, and refined sentiment in the following paragraph from the Salem Gazette:

"GRATUITOUS PRINTING."—There is no such thing as doing any thing "gratuitously" in a printing office. *Somebody* must pay for every thing that is done.—Not a line can be set that does not cost money for the setting. Either the printer must pay the whole, or the advertiser must pay his share. The only question, therefore, to be asked by the publisher who is to pay the money for the labor, is, what ground has this party or individual to require me to pay for the promotion of its or his object?

Upwards of 69 000 persons have arrived at New York from foreign ports within the last nine months.

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ROCKVILLE, MD.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1845.

"COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE."—In a Government like ours, in which the people are the depository of their own political happiness, it seldom happens that they obstinately persevere in erroneous opinions respecting the policy best calculated to promote their true interests. As soon as experience has developed the pernicious tendency of any measure, or series of measures, to which they were favorably inclined, with patriotic magnanimity they sunder the shackles of party, abandon those measures, and discard those interested leaders through whose agency the evils they suffer were brought upon them. The history of our Government furnishes more than one encouraging instance of this noble sacrifice of party to country; and the shadows now cast over the political horizon, by the coming events of the present Administration, may be regarded as the harbinger of another, which will establish our national prosperity upon a foundation never to be subverted.

It does not require the vision of a seer to discern the fate of the present administration and all its cherished principles. Those principles have been announced authoritatively by the "organ" of government, and the people know the baneful effects which their operation will produce upon their dearest interests. Their mere announcement has already called forth the voice of condemnation from many who were eminently instrumental in elevating to power those who would now sacrifice the general welfare to the sectional interests of a favorite division of the confederacy.

Some have already discovered, and before the close of the approaching session of congress many more will discover, that they misplaced their confidence when they listened to the representations of those demagogues who scrupled not to use all kinds of deception to accomplish selfish and partizan objects. We pretend to no extraordinary sagacity, when we declare that we perceive unambiguous indications of the final overthrow of Locofoco principles. A cloud is now gathering which will, ere long, break in torrents of popular indignation upon the heads of our government functionaries. We already hear the mutterings of the discordant elements which, one year ago, were brought into an unnatural ccalition, as they are thrown back from the centre of attraction—*the spoils of office.* We confidently predict the downfall of Locofocoism from the working of its own principles. Before the term of service of the present Executive expires, we expect to witness the same state of feeling which brought together the true patriots of the land at the close of Mr. Van Buren's administration. "The same causes will produce the same effects," upon which axiom, connected with the signs of the times, our assurance of the speedy dismemberment of the present Locofoco party is based.

☞ Our citizens will be pleased to learn that a course of Lectures, upon the interesting subject of Chemistry, has been announced for the present and coming seasons. The gentleman who is to deliver those Lectures, stands high as a general scholar, and will doubtless do justice to the subject.

☞ The "*Ladies' National,*" "*Columbian,*" and "*Arthur's Magazine,*" for November, have been received.—The contents are highly interesting, and the embellishments most elegant.

THE CANAL.—We understand, says the Cumberland Alleganian, of Saturday last, that all the "sections" between this place and Dam No. 6 (fifteen in number) were sub-let during the early part of the present week.

A few cases of small pox have occurred at Washington, and the Board of Health have made provision for vaccinating all the citizens who desire it gratuitously. Only one case has proved fatal.

The Governor of Kentucky has appointed the 20th of next month as a day of thanksgiving and praise.

SEASONABLE HINTS.—As this is the time of year when those social parties, known as *husking matches*, are in vogue, we hope that a few hints to those of our young men who feel disposed to indulge in their festivities, will give them no offence. In the first place, when you attend such parties, take care to get so "*glorious*" that your feet will refuse to bring you back to annoy the sleeping villagers; or, if you have no taste for the "*ardent,*" shout yourselves so hoarse around the corn bank, that your voice may not be heard above a whisper when you return home. Secondly, do not be guilty of such mischievous tricks as throwing stones at any curiosity you may see in the street, especially such as strangers are interested in—misplacing every box, barrel or vehicle against which you may stumble. Thirdly, if public worship is going on in any of the churches, do not leave your revels to disturb the devotions of christians, by entering the house of God—playing more pranks than a monkey, and exposing yourself to the derision of all by whom you are surrounded. If these hints are properly attended to, there will be no occasion for a renewal of the complaints which we have lately heard.

A MISTAKE.—The Georgetown Advocate, of Thursday last, contains a marriage notice, in which we observe a slight mistake. The parties are said to have been married in Rockville, on the 22d instant. As we take peculiar interest in the doings of "Hymen," in this village of ours, we have put ourselves to the trouble of inquiring into this matter, and the result of our inquiry is, that no persons of the names of Mr. *John Oyster* and Miss *Elizabeth Ann Johnson* were united in "holy wedlock," in this town at that time, or any other. There may be some other Rockville in Maryland; if so, it may have been the scene of this marriage.

FIRE.—On Thursday night last the tobacco house of Mr. Wm. George Robertson, a young and enterprising farmer of this neighborhood, was consumed by fire. The house had recently been filled with new tobacco which was all destroyed. We learn that the burning resulted from the process of firing which the tobacco had just undergone. Our experience in these matters is limited, but we believe this is a thing which requires much skill and carefulness in the person engaged in it.

☞ A destructive fire broke out in Winchester, Va., on Tuesday the 21st. inst. The loss of property was considerable, but not so great as at first represented. The fire originated in an extensive hotel which was entirely destroyed.

The present year has been distinguished by destructive conflagrations. More damage has been done by the devouring element, in this country, within the last twelve months, than we ever heard of in the same length of time. Its ravages have been seen and felt all around us, while we, of Maryland, have happily escaped the scourge. Our exemption therefrom should call forth the voice of general thanksgiving to that great Being, who, in his mercy, has not suffered the evil to fall heavily upon us.

IMPROVEMENTS AT ELLICOTTS' MILLS. The foundation of a large factory has recently been laid at this place. A great number of private dwellings are in the course of erection, and there is every indication of the growing prosperity of the village.

The factories of Alleghany city have all resumed work, with nearly a full complement of hands. The Pittsburg Gazette states that at least twenty-five thousand dollars, in wages, have been lost to the working people of Alleghany by their late unfortunate movement.

The Councils of Philadelphia assembled on the 22d instant, and elected Col. SWIFT Mayor of that city for the ensuing year, none of the candidates at the recent election having received a majority of all the votes.

DEATH OF A MEMBER OF CONGRESS. Dr. John B. McFarland, member elect to the House of Representatives, died at his residence in Nashville, Tennessee, on Friday week.

YET ANOTHER WHIG VICTORY!—It appears by the latest accounts from Florida (says the National Intelligencer) that EDWARD C. CABELL (Whig) has been elected Representative to Congress from the new State by a majority of some two hundred votes over W. H. BROCKENROUGH, his Locofoco competitor. This victory is the more gratifying from its having been entirely unexpected. GEORGIA, OHIO, MARYLAND, and now FLORIDA—nobly have the Whigs sustained themselves in the elections of this month!

THE RESULT IN OHIO.—We complete to-day our list of members of the Legislature. Footing up the list, it stands thus:

	Whig.	*Loco.*
Senators holding over	12	6
Elected this year	9	9
Members of the House	44	28

Whig majority on joint ballot 22—last year 16. Our majority is, unquestionably, abundantly large for all practical purposes; but, large as it is, the proper efforts and a thorough organization would have made it much larger.

The victory achieved by the Whigs of Ohio in the contest just closed surpasses all former achievements. It is thorough, complete; leaving scarce a foothold for the Destructives.—*State Journal.*

The Eutaw House, in Baltimore, one of the largest Hotels, was sold on Friday last at public auction for $58,500—purchased by Robert Garrett & Sons.—It cost, when built, some ten years ago, about $126,000.

THANKSGIVING IN PENNSYLVANIA.—Governor Shunk has appointed a day for general thanksgiving, the 27th of November next, the same day that has already been appointed by the Governors of Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maryland. This is the second time, we believe that such a day has been appointed in Pennsylvania, at least of late years.

PORK TRADE OF THE WEST.—The St. Louis Republican says that since the beginning of the present year there has been exported from that city not less than 12,000,000 lbs. of pork and bacon. And during the last winter, when, from the unusual scarcity of hogs all over the country, there was no where much over a third of the ordinary number packed; there were killed at St. Louis as many as 18,000, which number was an actual increase of several thousand over the year preceding.

SOLD.—The large and well known hotel at Ellicotts' Mills, with all the buildings attached thereto, was sold on the 21st instant, at public auction, for the sum of $8,000. Thos. Wilson, Esq. purchaser.

TOBACCO HOUSE BURNED.—The Annapolis star states that on Saturday, a tobacco house, containing about six thousand pounds, belonging to Judge Wilkinson, of Calvert county, was accidentally burned.

RECOVERING.—Mrs. Ann Royal, whose severe sickness we recently noticed, is so much recovered as to be able to write a brief editorial in the last number of the Huntress. She returns especial thanks to Dr. Frederick May for his kind attention to her during her late dangerous sickness.

EXPULSION OF MR. BARNEY.—The First Troop, Delaware Light Dragoons, at a meeting held on Saturday, unanimously adopted a resolution expelling W. Chace Barney from the company, on account of certain conduct by which they say, he has forfeited all claim to the character of a gentleman or soldier." The proceedings have been approved and signed by the Governor of the State. *Clipper.*

POTATOES.—The Boston Journal says: "A late letter from Halifax, received in Boston, says that potatoes are selling there for fifty cents a barrel—but that they are pouring in from all quarters, and prices must fall. The crop in Nova Scotia is large.

The report which reached here a few days since, of the burning of the treasurer's office at Austin, in Texas, including the records and papers up to the commencement of President Houston's second term, is confirmed. The building was isolated, and no one slept in it, so that the fire was unquestionably the work of an incendiary—doubtless some person or persons of whose defalcations or speculations the records of the office furnished evidence.—*Alex. Gazette.*

THE RACE.—Fashion won the race over the Union Course, at New York, on Thursday in one heat, beating Liatunah by about a length. Time 7 45 ½. Liatunah was drawn after the heat. She was badly wounded by the rider's spurs, and bled freely.

OHIO WOOL.—The Cincinnati Chronicle thinks that the wool produced in Ohio, amounts to about 2,000,000 lbs. per annum.

J. Q. Adams has refused to return to Com. Elliott, the medal sent back to him by the Rhode Island Historical Society.

MR. CLAY.—The Frankfort Commonwealth of the 21st inst. says:—Mr. Clay spent several days of last week in Frankfort, two of which were employed in the argument of an important cause in the court of appeals. He was in fine spirits, looking far better than we have seen him in ten years. In his argument he displayed the vivacity which sparkled in his brilliant oratory thirty years ago—so say those who are old enough to remember his style so long ago.

BALTIMORE TOBACCO MARKET.—The American says that the quantity of Tobacco which will be inspected at Baltimore the present year will exceed *sixty thousand hogsheads*—a larger amount than was ever inspected at Baltimore in any one year, and about double the average inspections of 1825 to 1828.

Marriages.

Married, on the 16th instant, by the Rev. Mr. HUTTON, Mr. T. P. HARVEY, of Cumberland, Md., to Miss MARTHA THOMAS, of this county.

Married, on the 16th instant, by the Rev. Mr. EGGLESTON, Mr. ALFRED C. BELT to Miss AGNES McGILL, both of Washington city.

☞ **Chemical Lectures.**—The first Lecture of a course about to be delivered before the students of the Academy, will be given, FRIDAY EVENING, (this week,) commencing at seven o'clock. Each Lecture will be illustrated by a variety of experiments.

The public are respectfully invited to attend. [oct 29] O. C. WIGHT.

The Scientific American. The office of this paper having been destroyed by fire, this is to give notice that its publication will be resumed as soon as the requisite engravings and printing materials can be procured—probably in two weeks. [oct 29] R. PORTER.

☞ Mr. BRADDOCK:—If **Nathan C. Dickerson** will consent to become a candidate for County Commissioner, he will receive a liberal support from [oct 29] MEDLEY'S.

☞ Mr. EDITOR: You will please announce **Henry H. Young** as a candidate for County Commissioner.

oct 8 A DEMOCRAT.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an order from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, the subscriber will offer at public sale, on THURSDAY, the 20th of November next, at the late residence of Zachariah Gatton, deceased, the following *PERSONAL PROPERTY*, to wit:

EIGHT NEGROES,

3 Men, 3 Boys and 2 Girls;

Horses, Mules, Oxen, Cattle, Sheep, and Hogs:

WHEAT, OATS, CORN, AND HAY; LOT OF VEGETABLES;

FARMING UTENSILS,

Consisting in part of—

OX & HORSE CART, ONE WAGON, PLOWS, HARROWS, SCYTHES AND CRADLES, &c. &c.

Set of Blacksmith's Tools;

Household and Kitchen Furniture,

—Such as—

Tables, one Sideboard, Chairs, fine and common Dinner and Tea Setts, Looking Glass, Beds, Bedsteads and Bedding, Tumblers, &c. &c. &c.

A LOT OF BACON,

with many other article too tedious to enumerate.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of five dollars and under cash; all sums over five dollars, a credit of nine months will be given, the purchaser or purchasers giving note with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

GREENBURY M. WATKINS,
oct 29-ts Administrator.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, appointed Commissioners to divide the Real Estate of Aaron Offutt, deceased, will meet at the late residence of the deceased, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th of January, 1846, in discharge of the duties required; and all who are interested are requested to attend.

OTHO MAGRUDER,
FRANCIS C. CLOPPER,
NICHOLAS GASSAWAY,
LEMUEL CLEMENTS.
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NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late WM. DARNE before his death, are earnestly requested to come forward and settle their accounts forthwith, otherwise they will be placed in an officer's hand for collection. Persons having claims against said estate, are requested to bring them forward, as the subscriber is determined to close the business as soon as possible.

A. C. H. DARNE, Adm'r.
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HOPS.

THE subscriber has just received a bale of *FRESH HOPS*, of an excellent quality, which he offers for sale low. WM. P. BRADDOCK.
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