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Poor Dear Capt. Brown. The blackest wing of the Republican party is preparing to send up a general howl of indignation, upon the execution of Brown.

The Recent Baltimore Election. The contemplated action of the Maryland Legislature on the recent election in Baltimore can hardly fail to render it quite questionable whether Messrs. Winter Davis and Harris will hold their seats in the United States House of Representatives in virtue of the certificates they will present.

Evading the Question. We observe that most of those who have been implicated in the Harper's Ferry outrage have appeared in print with a denial of their knowledge that Brown intended to seize the town and arsenal.

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News of the Week. There is a spirit of War abroad, and the flapping of his bloody wings are already heard over three-quarters of the habitable globe.

Democratic Meeting. A Democratic Meeting was held in the Court House on Tuesday evening last, for the purpose, as the call stated, of perfecting the organization of the Democratic party for the campaign of 1860.

Spain has not been wholly neglected by the spirit of Progress; and though her visits have been seldom, and at long and distant intervals, yet her traces have not been wholly obliterated before she would again return and meet afresh her drooping energies.

Whatever be the action of the part of a sufficient number of organized persons to call forth an armed force from the Government can put it down—however insignificant or contemptuous it may appear, is of sufficient importance to command the serious attention of the public, and should be treated seriously.

The country where all this "rebellion," "insurrection," "revolution," or "row," has occurred, is one where more prosperity, more freedom, more plenty exist than any other upon the face of the globe; and yet this unnamed spirit, this monster, engendered and grown and nourished in the hearts of a class of dissatisfied politicians and religious fanatics has burst its chrysalis, and is not like a bold spirit, in open day, with sword glittering in the sunshine, demanding retribution for a wrong it is found creeping about Harper's Ferry, with the heavy shadows of Jefferson Bowk adding deeper darkness to the night, with pike and knife, still weapons that would make no report of their deed of blood when done.

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Republican Party not Responsible. Some of the Republicans pretend to say that that party is not responsible for the insurrection of Old John Brown. We are perfectly satisfied that there are hundreds of Republicans, who earnestly repudiate the treason of Old Brown, and who would be amongst the first to defend the Constitution from assault.

In the Spring John Brown, Jr. who was a member of the Topsham Legislature, organized a company of about sixty men, and marched towards Lawrence. Arriving at Palmyra, he learned of the sacking of the town, and the position of the people.

It cannot be denied, that the Abolitionists are the leading spirits of the party—are moulding and fashioning the resolves and sentiments to suit themselves, and whose leadership the body of the Republican party dare not openly and formally repudiate.

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The Free Blacks of the North. Some of the influential leaders of the Republican party seem just now inclined to incorporate in their party's creed a scheme for colonizing their free blacks somewhere on the North American Continent. We have no free blacks that can succeed, inasmuch as the free blacks will not migrate willingly, as has been amply demonstrated by the failure of the American Colonization Society's efforts to induce any considerable number of them to migrate to Liberia.

The Spruance Case. Much more uncertainty relative to the termination of the approaching contest for the various offices of the House of Representatives exists at this moment than was supposed to exist a month ago, when it was conceded by all, apparently, that whoever might be nominated by the Republican party would surely be the Speaker.

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An Apology for Old Brown Knocked in the Head. Several of the Republican prints put in a plea for the conduct of Old Brown at Harper's Ferry, that he had been cruelly treated by Pro-slavery men in Kansas, who had murdered his sons and destroyed his property.

It will be seen that Brown and his party of marauders commenced the work of violence in Kansas, and that they would several pro-slavery men, and that it was in consequence of this act that his sons were killed.

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The Republican press are "counting their chickens before they are hatched." There will be no election for U. S. Senator in Pennsylvania until the legislative session of 1861, and in the meantime the election of '60 will come off. Perhaps by that time the Democrats will have a say in the matter.

The notorious Fred Douglas, whose complicity with the recent insurrection at Harper's Ferry has rendered him obnoxious to all patriotic and sober minded people, has left for Europe. Prejudiced to his departure he wrote a long letter, denying that he is guilty of treason, but thinks that if he ever was caught in Virginia, he would be hung anyhow.

H. Griswold, one of Brown's counsel, collected from the Paymaster at Harper's Ferry, a balance due Brown, and a Brown's request retained \$200 of the amount for his services on the trial.

PEN, PASTE & SCISSORS. What's the news! One fifty in advance. At an end—Indian summer, from all appearances.

The young woman to whom General Fort has pledged his heart and hand is just forty two inches in height.

It is a general remark that all classes of persons are ever ready to give their opinions. We think the lawyers must be excepted—they sell theirs.

It is better for a man to send his children to a good evening school than to put them to graduate at the schools kept at the corners of the streets.

Some Supper That gotten up by Mrs. Sheriff McMay on Saturday evening last would not care to take boarding there—in the lower apartments, of course.

The sympathizers with Old Brown will hold their State Convention at Harrisburg, on the 22d of February next, to nominate a Governor, Electoral ticket, etc.

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