

50 American Eagles  
Withers wishing to hold them in their hands as matter of curiosity, will be charged 10 cents a minute, or fifty dollars for the whole day.  
As soon as the Eagle representation is closed, a new and elegant transparent painting will be displayed, illustrative of the departed rights of innumerable 50's, 25's, 10's and 62's, which have gone to the tomb of the Capulets.  
The scene lies near a beach, and requires will then be sung over the ashes by a select choir from the borders of Schuylkill, from different parts of North America, and some amateurs of Philadelphia. The drop scene will close with a grand chorus from a number of German and Mechanic, and some scientific celebrated trapezists from the Northern Liberties.  
To diversify the amusements as much as possible.

Eighty-eight Exchanges Along Brokers  
will go through several wonderful feats on the slack rope: (their names being rather slack) - Also which, they will throw  
Eighty-Eight Flip Flaps, through a PAPER BALLOON inflated with Gas, and slight on their heels, without any visible injury to their heads. - Othello's occupation's gone.

By way of Interlude a Commercial and Mechanic Professor will perform a Minuet on a platform of gauze; and in order to discountenance all idea of deception, will conclude by throwing

Sixty-Three Somersetts from the platform.  
Tune. - Click, Click, Croakery.

The Miraculous Plug-top which will revolve on its axis fifteen millions of times, without losing one cent's worth of its momentum, or centrifugal velocity. This will be the only time of its exhibition; and will conclude with a BRAVARO DANCE, in character.  
Tune. - Molly put the kettle on.

The whole to conclude with a newly composed Hornpipe with The American Mammoth.

Tune. - Come Paddy, nose & your blarney to me.  
Admittance gratis - to those who pay interest.  
NEBUCHADNAZER BRAZER

From the National Intelligencer.

It is well the compensation law is defunct, before the resolutions of the Kentucky legislature reached the seat of government. Otherwise, noxious as that law is confessed to have been in the estimation of a majority of the community, it would scarcely have been repealed. Presumably, if any thing could have retarded the proud feelings of contentious recititude to a resistance of the known public will, it must have been effected by the form and temper of those resolutions, as proposed, and even as amended, and we are not sure what might not have been the consequence, had they reached the city before Congress had, in a manner which became their dignity as a body and their self-respect as men, retraced their steps, by repealing that law. Retreat is always painful, but never was a retreat more honorable. It was with a deliberate step, and erect countenance.

KENTUCKY LEGISLATURE RESOLUTIONS.

In relation to the law increasing the compensation to Members of Congress, offered by Mr. Rowan.  
The report of the committee named by Congress to enquire into the expediency of modifying or repealing the law enacted at their last session, whereby the compensation of the members of that body for legislative services was varied, has treated the sentiment expressed by the American people in relation to that measure, with a disrespectful irreverence, but little short of a disguised contempt. It is to be regretted that a measure injurious and impolitic, and justly reprehensible by the matured opinion of the people, should be vindicated through a tumultuous pertinacity through the stages of its abandonment. Indeed it is desired to be abandoned. But while we forbear to

press the feelings, other than those of regret, which it is calculated to excite, we cannot forbear to express our wish for the repeal of that objectionable law. We say objectionable, not having but just emerged from a way of considerable duration, which though glorious in event was equally and expensive in its progress. It was to be expected that our representatives in Congress would display practically that patriotism which they had so often avowed, in sustaining cheerfully their equal share of the common pressure that they would not, while necessity and policy forbade the taxes to be repealed, or even much diminished, have changed their character, & doubled the amount of their own compensation. Justly obnoxious, because it may form a precedent by the authority of which inroads may in future be made upon the public treasury in times less pure and patriotic than the present: In times when cupidity and avarice shall have triumphed over delicacy and correct sentiment. The retroactive operation of that law, cannot, we think, be vindicated. In that respect, it isolated a great principle of political and moral fitness, which has, by the wisdom of the American people, been incorporated in most of their free constitutions. But most justly obnoxious in its change of the meridian into an annual compensation. In this the representative principle, the most highly characteristic feature of republicanism seems to have been forgotten or neglected; for all experience and the history of governments prove, that oppression finds its way most frequently through official channels to the people; that among the members of the official corps in every government there have been harmony of sentiment and sympathy of feeling in relation to power and to money; that under various specious pretexts, the one has been accumulated, and the other exacted, until the people have been weakened and impoverished, and consequently oppressed and enslaved. When the representatives of the people, whose their centinels against danger from official and other sources, shall have erected themselves into salaried officers, other representatives are wanting to supply the places of those who have attached themselves to the body whence danger is most to be apprehended: Wherefore,  
Resolved as the opinion of the Members of the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, That the law aforesaid is intrinsically & justly obnoxious, and ought to be repealed.

And it is further resolved. That our senators and representatives in the Congress of the United States, to whom, upon that subject, gross error of judgment and not tergiversation (if motives is ascribed) be, and they are hereby instructed, to use their best influence to procure the unqualified repeal of that law.  
Resolved, That the acting government be, and he is hereby requested to transmit to each of our senators and members of the house of representatives in the Congress of the United States, a copy of the foregoing statement and resolutions.

The following is given by the Reporter for the Baltimore Federal Republic as a part of one of Mr. Randolph's speeches upon the bill for repealing the compensation law.  
"A great name has been introduced into this debate, the name of Edmund Burke, and not more to my surprise than to my regret, it has been treated by some gentlemen with unwarrantable freedom. Sir, his great name has been mentioned as if he was some miserable hireling, some Peter Porcupine, no longer known under that appellation, but now become 'Mr. Cobbeet,' and as such referred to and quoted as high authority - the highest jacobinic authority cited beyond the Atlantic, surpassing even in weight that of a noble pupil, the member from Westminster himself.  
Sir, the name of Burke excites in me the same train of ideas as to government, that Newton does in relation to physics, and Locke in relation to the human mind; and I look upon every man who calls in question the political principles of Burke as I should regard him who should attempt to build up the old, or to construct some new theory of philosophy, upon the ruins of the Newtonian system. Sir, with respect to the principles of Burke, there is now no longer room for dispute - they are settled as incontestably as the principles of Sir Isaac Newton - they now are and must forever be the principles of every sagacious

statesman, they are the principles of the honorable gentleman, from S. C. (Mr. Calhoun) if I understood him the other day; and may be comprised in four short words - MAXIMS, in contradiction to dreams and fancies of governing as a hog is not, and will never be, and as well as might the priests by imputing to matter some imaginary quality which does not and never can belong to it - unless it should please him who made it to change its nature - hope to overthrow the system of gratulation, as to carp at the doctrines of Burke: Sir, Edmund Burke was no empiric. He did not present the world with the infallible pill, or the infallible drop, which was to cure every disease incident to man; suited to every constitution, and season. No sir, he said, 'let me see the patient, let me hear the case.' And in this, sir, consists the difference, not in medicine only, but in politics, and in every profession & calling in life between the regular practitioner and the quack.  
Sir, it is with reluctance, that with every other light that can be thrown upon the case, the physician will prescribe without seeing the patient; never where access to him is practicable, and what shall we think of the frontless impostor, who for all ages, sexes, habits and diseases has but one prescription and one nostrum. Who wishes not to see the patient not to know even the nature of the complaint, but is prepared, before-hand, with a mode of treatment, at whatever hazard of health, of happiness of life; and trust me, sir, millions and tens of millions have been sacrificed by this empiricism in politics, as well as in medicine. For do you believe that this complicated machine called government, and all the multifarious disorders and distempers to which it is liable require less judgment and skill in the treatment than are necessary in an ordinary case of bodily disease. What, sir, will you stimulate and deplete with the same nostrum - shall we purge the general weal, and cleanse the public blood, with less knowledge of the patient of the science than would set up a country apothecary? Will you trust the impostor who tells you, 'although your blood were as leprous as the buried majesty of Denmark,' 'poisoned through his ears,' 'take that and you shall be whole and smooth, and fair as a healthy infant?' It was against this whole tribe of political Charlatans that Burke entered the lists, and they were no more.  
Sir, I have been hurried away from the question by the name of Edmund Burke - a powerful spell - for I had not the most remote thought of him when I rose, or of the subject of instruction. Let me, however suggest to my honorable colleague - he will pardon the liberty, for I have known him from his childhood, and have been in the habits of personal and political intimacy with his father before him - let me suggest to him, who has spoken some what lightly, not to say irreverently of the august name of the great father of political philosophy, that he may stand in danger of that which I am persuaded he would shun, the sin of ingratitude; a deep and deadly sin. Sir, next to George Washington, Edmund Burke was the best friend that this country ever knew. I will not refer to his other works, imperishable as the art of printing or as language, but I will in treat my worthy colleague to read his address to the king and to the colonists in 1777, and then lay his head upon his pillow if he can, without sentiments of the deepest gratitude and veneration for the memory of Edmund Burke.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 27.  
INTERESTING TRIAL.  
The Trial of Thos Hatchman of the scht. Jefferson, who was indicted for the murder of Wm. Millgrove, a seaman, belonging to the British brig Waterloo, came on in the court of Sessions, on Friday last. The examination of witnesses & the pleadings of counsel, occupied all that day, and until late on Saturday evening. The jury, after receiving a luminous charge from the Hon. Judge Geimke, who presided, retired, and in about 25 minutes returned with a verdict Not Guilty.  
It will be recollected that the unfortunate man, Millgrove, was shot on the night of the 27th Dec. last, in consequence of a dispute which arose between some of the crew of the British brig, Thomas Naylor, & Hatchman, relative to a hog, stated to belong to that vessel, and which Hatchman had picked up in the river.

It appeared in evidence, that the hog was promised by Hatchman, to be given up to the claimants in the morning, but this not satisfying them a party of seamen assembled for the purpose of enforcing its immediate delivery. Millgrove, a seaman of the Waterloo, a brig lying at some distance from the Thomas Naylor, was one of the number. When these men were manifestly about to board the Jefferson, from a vessel which lay alongside of her, with avowed evil intention, towards Hatchman, he (after giving them repeated warnings) fired at them three times and killed Millgrove.  
The trial excited considerable interest, and the sanctity of a Hall of Justice was insufficient to repress the feelings of Hatchman's sympathizing brother tars, who greeted his honourable acquittal with a shout of exultation.  
Counsel for the prosecution, John S. Richardson, Esq. Attorney General, and Samuel Prioleau, Esq., Counsel for Hatchman, Keating Lewis Simons, and George Warren Cross, Esq's.

From the N. Y. Evening Post.  
Claim of Beaumarchais' heir, or Monsieur Toulson come again.  
We have just received from our correspondent at Washington, a pamphlet of 42 pages, containing a message from the president, recommending to the favourable attention of congress the claim of Beaumarchais' heir against the U. States, to the amount of a million of money, with the interest from the year 1778 - This is not the first nor the fifth time that this subject has been obtruded on congress, and been dismissed after a fair and full discussion of its merits. We hope that it will at this time be disposed of as justice shall appertain, and forever. There is annexed to the message the objections of the treasury and the answer to them by Monsieur Turreau. We shall take an early opportunity to republish the article which on a former occasion appeared in the Evening Post, in which the whole transaction was fully developed, and the shallowness of the pretence on which this claim rests, made apparent.

SPECIE PAYMENTS.  
The decision of the Convention of State Banks, assembled in Philadelphia, to resume specie payments on the twentieth day of this month, was made in compliance with certain propositions offered to the Convention by a committee on behalf of the Bank of the United States. These propositions are calculated to promote a spirit of harmony and union between the State Banks and the Bank of the United States and its Branches, and to be mutually beneficial. Their effect will be to remove all obstructions to the resumption of specie payments, without producing injury to individuals which might have resulted from an apprehension on the part of the directors of the State Banks of an extensive demand for specie, which might have been made on any one Bank suddenly, and which the directors must, in prudence, have prevented by lessening their discounts, and thus drawing in their funds, to the manifest prejudice of the mercantile part of the community.

The liberal arrangement thus made by the Banks to give facility to the resumption of specie payments, may be greatly aided by the conduct of individuals, as is very properly suggested in a Philadelphia paper, and we cannot doubt but every good citizen will readily give his aid to promote an object of so much importance to the community. Fed. Gaz.

State of Maryland, sc.  
Anne Arundel county, Orphans Court, January 14th, 1817.  
On application of petition of Eleanor Welch, administratrix of John Welch, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that she give the notice required by law, for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette and Political Intelligencer, and the Federal Gazette of Baltimore.  
John Gassaway, Reg. of Wills, for A. A. county.  
This is to give notice.  
That the subscribers of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of A. A. county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Welch, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, to the subscriber, or to William Warfield, Annapolis, who is authorized to settle the estate, at or before the fifth day of June next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 14th day of January 1817.  
Eleanor Welch, administratrix. Jan. 16.

State of Maryland, sc.  
Anne Arundel county, Orphans Court, December 21, 1816.  
On application by petition of Charles Robinson, administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of Hampton Robinson, late of Anne Arundel county deceased, it is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of six successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette and Political Intelligencer.  
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Charles Robinson, Adm. D. B. N. Will annexed.

To be Rented  
For three years, either for a certain sum, or a share, at the option of the tenant, Mr. Kerr's farm on the north side of Severn, opposite to Annapolis. For terms apply to  
January 30.

STRAY COWS.  
Come to the subscriber's premises in December last, two stray COWS, trespassing on the premises of the subscriber. One a red and white cow, about four or five years old; the other a red cow about the same age, with a star in the forehead, and wide horns. The red and white cow has a swallow fork in the left ear, and under his on the right ear and a crop; the red cow has an under bit on the left ear, & a crop on the right. The owners are requested to come, prove property, and pay all expenses, and take them away.  
Thomas Barby, Head of South river. Feb. 13/17

FOR SALE.  
About seven hundred and fifty acres of land, situated in Caroline county, about two hundred and fifty acres of which are cleared, the rest in wood, and white oak timber, equal to any on the Eastern Shore of Maryland; within a mile of the timber land is now erected a saw mill. The above lands are about five miles from the residence of Col. Wm. Richardson, on the Great Choptank, and will be shewn to persons wishing to purchase by Mr. Thomas Cheesman living thereon.  
Also the FARM on which Mrs. P. W. Stewart resided, situated in Tuckahoe Neck, (Caroline County.) This farm contains about five hundred acres of land, about three hundred of which are cleared, the rest in wood and timber. There is also an excellent mill seat thereon.  
On payment of the consideration money the above lands will be sold and conveyed free of incumbrances.  
Richard Loeckerman. Feb. 13/17

NEW STORE.  
G. & J. BARBER, & Co.  
Have recently received, a complete and general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Glass, Liverpool and Queens Ware, Ironmongery and Cutlery, also a large quantity of Fine and Coarse Salt, Seign Twine, Cider. Also Oats and Corn, &c. &c.  
All of which we will sell cheap for Cash, or to punctual dealers on short dates.  
We will purchase or barter Gold for Rye, Oats and Corn.  
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NOTICE.  
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It is hoped that due notice will be paid to this notice, as the subscribers will be resorted to against all those who disregard it.  
Nicholas Brewer, Extra. Dennis Claude, 4 ff. January 23.

Public Sale.  
By virtue of a decree of the court of chancery, the subscriber will sell at public sale, on the premises, on Friday the 21st day of February next, if fair, if not on the next fair day thereafter, all that tract or parcel of land called Puddington's Gift, &c. late the property of Charles Stewart, deceased, lying on the south side of South river, and on the navigable waters thereof, and adjoining the property of Mr. Wm. Stewart, and the Rev. Mr. Duncan. This land is well adapted to the growth of wheat, corn and tobacco, and plaster operates to great advantage thereon. The improvements are a good dwelling house, kitchen, tobacco house, granary, and every other out houses.  
A further description is thought unnecessary, as those wishing to purchase will no doubt view the premises before the sale.  
The above will be sold on a credit of twelve months, the purchaser giving bond or notes with such security as the trustees shall approve.  
Saml. Harrison & John, Trustees. January 30.

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John Conner. Bloomsfield, Jan. 20.

In Council.  
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In pursuance of a resolution of the General Assembly, authorizing the Governor and Council, to instruct the Treasurer what money to receive in payment of state debts, passed at December Session 1816.  
Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore be and he is hereby required and directed, to instruct the Treasurer of the Eastern Shore, to receive in payment for debts due the state the notes of any chartered bank within this state, the president and directors, whomof shall have previously agreed to redeem the same with paper current in the City of Baltimore, within sixty days after demand made.  
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A PROCLAMATION:  
WHEREAS it appears from the deposition of Upton Bruce, Esquire, of the City of Baltimore, that a negro girl named Rebecca, slave to the said Bruce, did, to answer certain purposes, and to accomplish certain views, give to his infant child, about seven months old, a poisonous dose, and that in a few days afterwards she absconded; I have therefore thought proper to issue this my proclamation, and do, by and with the advice and consent of the Council, offer a reward of two hundred dollars to any person who shall apprehend and deliver the said Rebecca to the sheriff of Baltimore county.  
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