

POLITICAL.

Should the President appoint his successor?

The day is rapidly approaching which is to determine the great question whether the "freedom of elections" is any thing more than an empty name...

That sagacious politician, John Randolph once remarked, "Turn our constitution as you please, the President will elect his successor; and that successor will be his own son, whenever he may have one of suitable age..."

Every man admits that he has no popularity of his own—and none can point to any act of his life which entitles him to the gratitude of the nation or to the suffrages of the people...

Let his whole career as a public man be sifted, and his warmest advocates cannot put his finger on a single act of his life which places him above the level of the most ordinary men...

Should Jackson withdraw from him his favor, the sycophant, who has been buoyed into unnatural elevation by his patronage, would sink with a rapidity even more astonishing if possible, than the so-called greatness of his elevation...

Let the bull of excommunication appear to-morrow in the Globe, and, like Jonah's gourd, it would wither in a night.

And is it possible that the high-minded and intelligent people of Virginia can be slow their suffrages upon a man, who, destitute of all claims to the high office which he seeks, with an audacity of manner only surpassed by the slavishness of the sentiment, dares to come before them as the nominated favorite of the President...

MARYLAND.

The troubles in this State, caused by the indefensible conduct of the 19 Anarchists, are not yet over.

Annapolis, Oct. 13, 1836. Several of the Electors left town this morning for Baltimore, and others are expected to go off to-morrow.

Various speculations are afloat here as to the course to be pursued in the event of the ultimate refusal of the factions minority to form a quorum of the college.

It is in our wish that the truth, the whole truth; on this subject, should come out.

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THE TREASURY CIRCULAR.

The Sangamo (Illinois) Journal states that Gov. Reynolds and Mr. Ewing, the one a Van Buren Representative, and the other a Van Buren Senator in Congress from that State, have come out in vigorous and active opposition to the specie circular.

TREASURY CIRCULAR.

The Arkansas Times thus notices the effects of the late Treasury Circular, which should have been entitled, "An Executive Decree, nullifying the laws of Congress, for the benefit of swindlers and speculators."

LAND SPECULATIONS.

It has been frequently charged that Mr. Van Buren, as well as Kendall, Blair & Co. is deeply engaged in land speculations—and the charge has been as frequently denied.

THE RUBICON IS CROSSED.

Countrymen! people of Alabama! pause for a moment and reflect on the fearful state of affairs to which our government is hastening.

The circumstances to which we allude, & we have received them thro' an individual of the highest respectability, whose name shall be given to the public if requested—are simply these: That a prominent member of one of the mammoth land-speculating companies, whose name, for the sake of precision, we shall call David Hubbard, Esq. of Lawrence county, was recently commissioned by the company to procure lands to be rested in lands during the present sales at Pontonoc.

Now what must be the conclusion of every honest man on the establishment of his testimony? Will it be said that this is not proof sufficient, clearly to identify Mr. Van Buren among the speculators in the public domain.

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Because he has two sets of opinions on every important national question. Being, in the North, a tariff man. In the South, an anti-tariff man.

In New York, a safety-lund bank man. In Pennsylvania, a pure anti-bank man. In the North, a foe to slavery and a friend of abolition.

Because he has shamelessly endeavored to mingle religion with politics; by causing his confidential friends, in different parts of the Union, to electorize his religious opinions in aid of his ambition.

A PORTRAIT.

One of the best portraits ever taken was that of Martin Van Buren by Alexander H. Everett, when the latter professed Whiggism.

His little, narrow, scolded soul is at home in the little intrigues, the little, miserable, mischievous monkey tricks that may be supposed to decide questions in a council of chambermaids.

HOCKER REWARDED.—Hocker, the deputy sheriff of Lincoln county, who withheld his county poll books at the election between Messrs. Moore and Letcher, in 1833; by which infamous conduct Moore obtained a certificate of election, although Letcher got a majority of votes, (and for which offence, the Kentucky Legislature passed a law to make hereafter felony, and subject the culprit to confinement in the Penitentiary;) this Hocker has been appointed postmaster at Sanford Kentucky.—Ken. paper.

FRUITS OF THE VAN BUREN ANTI-DISTRIBUTION POLICY.

The Government stock in the United States Bank has been sold, when it might have been disposed of at from 120 to \$130 per share; and when the Government officers have been proposing that the Bank should never pay 90 cents on the dollar.

FROM THE NEW YORK FREEMAN.

Presentation at Court.—We perceive by the London Morning Chronicle, among the presentations at his Majesty's law-courts, Mr. Charles H. Delavan, of New York, by the American Minister—Tark of aristocracy and royalty after this; we deny it in toto; the British Court and the British King are more orthodox and democratic than we are at Tammany.

REMARKS BY THE NEW YORK EXPRESS.

Mr. VAIL, our Secretary of Legation, once received a pretty broad hint, that he presented too many Americans at Court.

THE CHEROKEES.

A Council of the Cherokees was held at Red Clay, on the 13th instant, for the purpose of explaining the Cherokee Treaty to the people, and to settle the affairs of the nation preparatory to their emigrating to Mississippi.

FROM THE MERCANTILE ADVERTISER.

TO THE PUBLIC. DENTISTRY. BY STEPHEN B. NORTH—NO. VII. Dentition.

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The GREAT MATCH—Kentucky against Tennessee.—The match between Kentucky and Tennessee, came off over the Louisville course on 21st ult. Rodolph was the champion of Kentucky, and Angora appeared on the part of Tennessee.

Probably ten thousand persons witnessed the contest. The tract, on account of the long and violent rains, was in a most exorable condition.

DOMESTIC MEDICINE.

The estors on a dinner table are said, by a late London work, to be a kind of medicine chest containing drugs of great virtues. 1. Salt.—This is a decided cathartic in the dose—of from half an ounce to an ounce. It is also veruifuge in large doses.

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For President, HUGH LAWSON WHITE. For Vice President, JOHN TYLER.

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ELECTORAL TICKETS.

We have a large supply of Whig Electoral Tickets on hand at \$4 per thousand—those counties in our neighborhood that have not been supplied, will do well to let us know forthwith.

The 3-5 and 2-5 Principle.

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