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THE UNITED STATES BANK—The Philadelphia papers are filled with a letter from Mr. Biddle, President of the Bank of the United States... The Convention is a body created under a law of the State...

CASE OF SLANDER.—We learn from the Petersburg (Va.) Intelligencer that the case of slander, in which Nicholas Mills, Esq. of Richmond, was plaintiff, and Mrs. Josephine Mills, nee Magowan, was defendant, came on for trial at the present term of the Petersburg Superior Court... A verdict of five thousand dollars damages, should serve as a tolerable warning against evil speaking...

ADA BYRON.—A private letter from London, received by the Roscoe, at the office of the New York Times, and which speaks by authority, says—Lord and Lady King, (late Miss Ada Byron), will sail in February for New York, where they will remain until the opening of the spring... A private letter from London, received by the Roscoe...

JEFFERSON LAND FOR SALE.—THE HEIRS OF THE LATE WILLIAM TAYLOR, offer for sale that beautiful farm called "The Valley," lying in the county of Jefferson, Virginia... 255 ACRES OF PRIME LAND, about 100 of which are covered with fine timber... BARBERING, AT HARPER'S FERRY.—SOLOMON WILLIAMS, Barber, Hair Dresser, etc., respectfully informs the citizens of Harper's Ferry...

FOR RENT.—That well-known TAVERN STAND, The Valley Hotel, Charlottesville, Jefferson County, Virginia... TRANSPORTATION.—The President and Directors of the Company have established the following rates of travel and transportation between Winchester and Harper's Ferry... FANCY GOODS.—The subscriber would again invite the attention of the Ladies to his stock of Fancy Goods, which now, from recent additions, comprises the latest winter fashions...

Clark's Old Established LUCKY OFFICE, N. W. Corner of Baltimore and Calvert Streets, (Under the Museum)... NOTICE.—Any citizen or person living out of the Union, who may desire to try their luck, either in the Maryland State Lottery, or in the authorized Lotteries of other States...

THE SILK CULTURE IN OUR COUNTRY may no longer be regarded as the pastime of idlers... THE GREAT FIRE.—Our readers are aware, says the Philadelphia U. S. Gazette, that General Jackson, several of his cabinet, and some of his family, had ordered splendid carriages from Knowles & Co. in Archer, Mass...

THE SOUTH.—New Norfolk steam-boat navigation... THE TEXAS.—The President has made a tour of inspection...

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**VARIETY.**  
**DON'T BE DISCOURAGED.**  
Don't be discouraged, if in the outset of life, things do not go smoothly. It seldom happens that the hopes that we cherish for the future, are realized. The path of life, in the prospect, appears smooth and level enough, but when we come to travel it, we find it all uphill, and generally rough enough. The journey is a laborious one, and when we reach it, we find it high or low, we shall find it to our disappointment, if we have built on any other calculation. To endure it with as much cheerfulness as possible, and to show our way through the great crowd, "hoping for a little, yet striving much," is perhaps the true plan. But  
Don't be discouraged if occasionally you slip down on the way, and your neighbor treads over you a little; or, in other words, don't let a failure dishearten you—accidents will happen; miscalculations will sometimes be made; things will turn out differently from our expectations, and we may be sufferers. It is worth while to remember that fortune is like the albatross in Apsich, sometimes cloudy, and sometimes clear and favorable, and as it would be folly to despair of again seeing the sun, because to-day is stormy, so it is unwise to sink into despondency when fortune frowns, since in the common course of things she may be surely expected to smile again and again.  
Don't be discouraged if you are deceived in the people of the world, they are rotten at the core. From such sources as these you may be most unexpectedly deceived; and you naturally feel sore under such deceptions; but to these you must become used; if you fare as most people do, they will lose their novelty before you grow grey, and you will learn to trust men cautiously and examine the character closely before you allow them great opportunities to injure you.  
Don't be discouraged under any circumstances. Go steadily forward. Rather consult your own conscience than the opinions of men, though the last are not to be disregarded. Be industrious, be sober, be honest, deal in perfect kindness with all who come in your way, exercising a neighborly and obliging spirit in your whole intercourse, and if you do not prosper as rapidly new as some of your neighbors, depend upon it you will be happy.  
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**VIRGINIA, to wit:**  
In the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for Jefferson county, November 10th, 1836.  
Thomas Campbell and wife, PLAINTIFFS,  
vs.  
John Hurst, executor of James Hurst, senr. decd., Francis Hurst, John Pickett, sheriff of Jefferson county, and as such consulting administrator of said James Hurst, decd., Henry Hurst, James Hurst, James Hurst, Henry Hurst, in his own right and as administrator of John M. Hurst, deceased, John O'Rannon and Harriet his wife, John Pickett, sheriff of Jefferson county, administrator of James Hurst, deceased, John Pickett, in the same sheriff, administrator of William Hurst, deceased, the same sheriff, administrator of Fanny Stanhope, deceased, Robert Williams, administrator of James Hurst, junr, deceased, John Pickett, in the same sheriff, administrator of Elizabeth his wife, Elizabeth C. Richard, Alfred and William Stanhope, junr, children of Fanny Stanhope, decd., William Stanhope, senr, and Amelia his wife, and Mary Gessell, DEBTORS.

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James Duncanson and Andrew Hinder, Trustees for Wall & Duncanson, PLAINTIFFS,  
vs.  
Caleb Wall and Edward S. Duncanson, Jonathan Tyson, administrator of Nathan Shephard, deceased, P. Albion, Elizabeth C. Richard, John Pickett, sheriff of Jefferson county, John Pickett, in the same sheriff, administrator of William Hurst, deceased, the same sheriff, administrator of Fanny Stanhope, deceased, Robert Williams, administrator of James Hurst, junr, deceased, John Pickett, in the same sheriff, administrator of Elizabeth his wife, Elizabeth C. Richard, Alfred and William Stanhope, junr, children of Fanny Stanhope, decd., William Stanhope, senr, and Amelia his wife, and Mary Gessell, DEBTORS.

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Confidential Clerks of Chancery,  
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