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# *America's Jubilee*

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Jefferson Sumner

Lafayette -  
sympathetic with  
slavery

American Colonization  
Society

William West  
Attorney General  
prosecutor of Aaron Burr

610. Andrew Burstein  
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A Generation Remembered Fifty  
Years of Independence  
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John Adams - Demanding moralist

WED 2/14 11 A.M.

13,000 - D.C.

12 million people

24 States

19th Congress

6 Pres.

John Randolph duels Henry Clay  
Edward Everett

J.Q.A. - Corrupt Bargain

George Mc Kuffie - S.C.

Duel w. William Cunningham

Jackson	43%	99
Adams	30%	84
Crawford		41
Clay		37

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Rumor of William Henry Harrison  
seducing the daughter of a  
Cincinnati Doctor

Sang "Hail to the Chief"

Ethan Allan Brown - sniffs - refused to take a wife

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