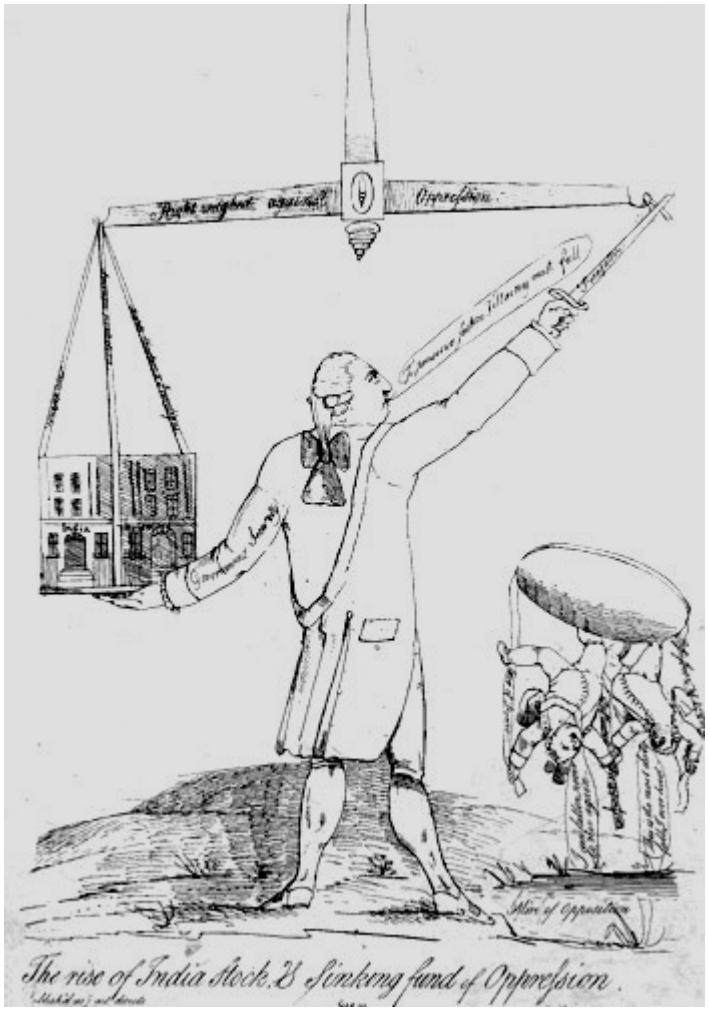
America, the “Rebellious Slut”: Gender & Political Cartoons in the American Revolution



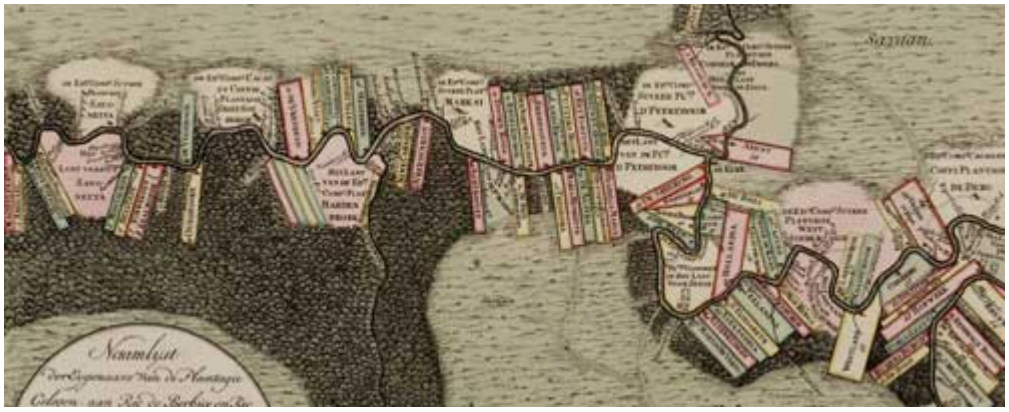
Combining Revolutionary politics with the social and cultural valences of gender, race, class, nation, and power, this political cartoon serves as a multidimensional cipher which people at every knowledge level can participate in analyzing.

Common Sense and Imperial Atrocity



Beneath and between its profoundly conservative and aristocratic institutions, Paine’s Britain was a rude, irreverent place where power was fragmented and liberty celebrated.

Opting Out



Historians have tended to assume that enslaved people inevitably, and eagerly, resisted slavery in a quest for liberty. Yet in fact, in the Berbice rebellion, many enslaved people were reluctant to join.

Using 1776


The TIMES are Dreadful, Distrest, Doleful Dolorous, and DOLLAR-LESS.

Thursday, October 31, 1765. THE NUMB 1195.

PENNSYLVANIA JOURNAL; AND WEEKLY ADVERTISER.

EXPIRING: In Hopes of a Resurrection to LIFE again.

I AM sorry to be obliged to acquaint my Readers, that as The STAMP-Act, is fixed to be obligatory upon us after the first of November ensuing, (the fatal Day that must prove) the Publisher of this Paper unable to bear the Burthen, has thought it expedient to stop awhile, in order to deliberate, whether any Methods can be found to elude the Chains forged for us, and shape the insupportable Slavery, which it is hoped, even the last Representations now made against that Act, may be effected. Mean while, I must earnestly Request every Individual of my Subscribers many of whom have been long behind Hand, that they would immediately Discharge their respective Arrears that I may be able, not only to support myself during the Interval, but be better prepared to proceed again with this Paper, whenever an opening for that Purpose appears, which I hope will be soon. WILLIAM BRADFORD

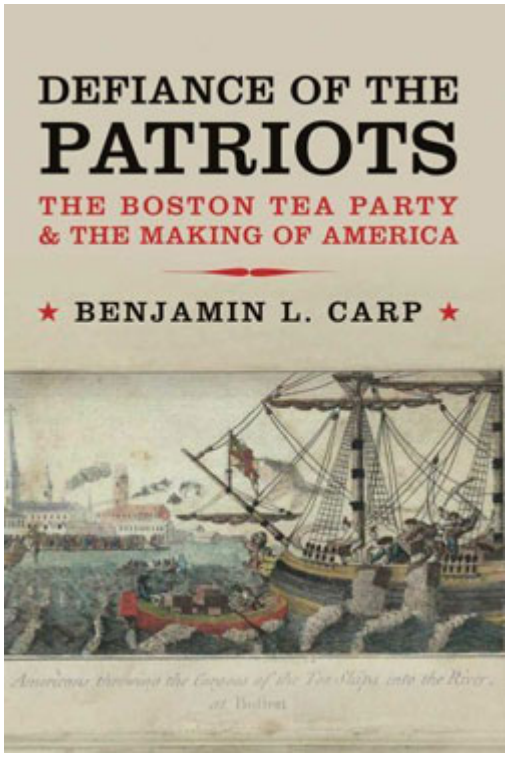
while students may giggle when the first clip begins, they really do listen to and enjoy the music.

Exeter’s Declaration of Independence: A Festival, a Broadside, and a Lesson in Public History



It turns out that, in legal terms, the mystery of who found the broadside matters a lot less than who lost it.

America’s First Flash Mob: The Boston Tea Party



Carp’s Boston Sons of Liberty are not the vanguard of the revolutionary era, as we have often seen them depicted, but rather a lot of wayward republicans.

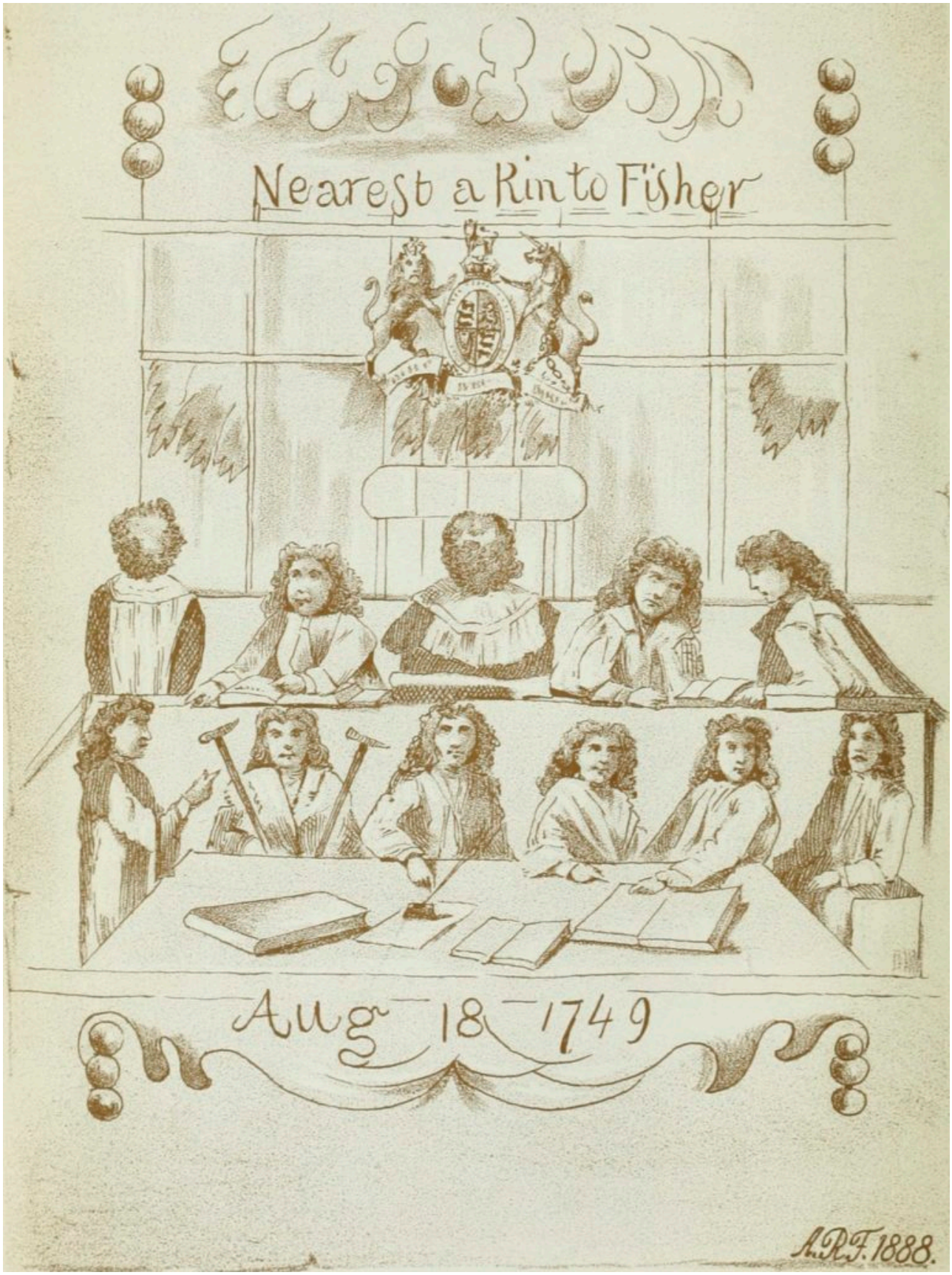
Bringing Rapes to Court



“While bringing an incident of rape to legal officials was undoubtedly challenging for all victims, ironically, the cases that might be most

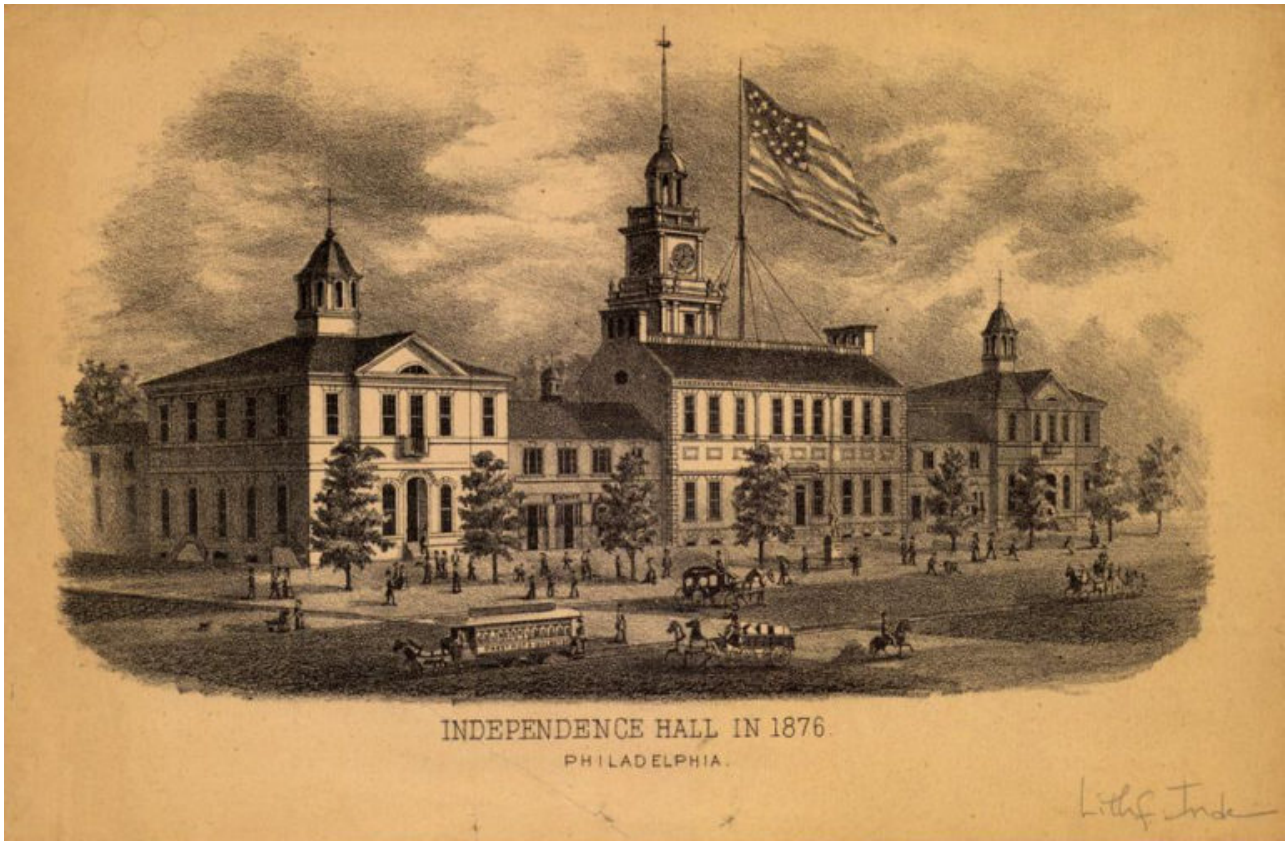
successfully prosecuted were often the most difficult for victims to bring to court.”

“Nearest a Kin to Fisher” Tavern Keepers as Common Lawyers



“As a result of their proximity to legal proceedings, many tavern keepers worked as common lawyers in addition to running their hostels.”

The Supreme Court Confronts History: Or, Habeas Corpus Redivivus



It should be said that the founders' views on these matters have not survived strict historical scrutiny.

Women and the Constitution: The Asymmetries of Citizenship



“Which babies born outside the U.S. count as Americans from birth? And which men and women can bestow U.S. citizenship, automatically, upon their children?”