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CLINTOONS — (Saturdays at the Bayou, indefinitely)

Specializing in recycling headlines into punchlines, Gross National Product, the capital's long-running resident satirical gang, is obviously feeling inspired and refreshed by its new gallery of targets. The fresh First Family and friends prove to be juicier and far more comedy-friendly subjects than the played-out "Bushcapades" bunch, and GNP's current crop of comics is its sharpest in years. "Clintoons" is a breathlessly fast and funny dash through the "First 100 Daze" of the new administration, featuring a mock Town Hall meeting, in which fast-thinking Clinton impersonator Bob Heck entertains impudent questions from the audience; plus GNP's usual quota of clever improv games and quick-on-the-uptake pokes at pundits, policymakers and pop culture at large.

— Joe Brown