









[The following is an Analysis of an act to amend the Militia laws of this Commonwealth, passed at the recent General Assembly of the state of Virginia.]

That every officer, non-commissioned officer, or private, who shall fail to obey the orders of the president of the United States, when communicated by an officer in the service of the United States, or by the executive of this state, or otherwise, (not having a reasonable excuse) or shall fail to obey the orders of the executive of this state, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one year's pay, to be adjudged & determined by a court martial; and such officer shall moreover, be liable to be cashiered by the sentence of such court, and being incapacitated from holding a commission in the militia for a term not exceeding twelve months; and such non-commissioned officer or private, as shall fail to appear at the place of rendezvous when ordered as aforesaid, or fail to march when ordered, or to furnish a substitute, shall be liable to be imprisoned by a like sentence, on failure of payment of such fine, one calendar month for every five dollars thereof;—on the certificate of the clerk of the court martial assessing such fine;—and shall, moreover, be enrolled in the division, or class destined to perform the next tour of duty. Hereafter, the officers attending court martial for the trial of arrested officers, shall be allowed two dollars per day, and one day for every 35 miles they shall necessarily travel in coming and returning. The compensation to persons appointed to summon courts martial shall be four cents per mile. Where any person destined to perform a tour of duty shall die before marching, or from any cause shall fail to march when ordered, the next man in the class or roll in his company shall march in the requisition then ordered, and so on, until the requisition be completed.—When any non-commissioned officer or soldier shall have appeared at the place of rendezvous, and shall absent himself without leave, it shall be the duty of any commissioned officer to order a sergeant and as many men as may be necessary to apprehend and deliver him to the commandant of any troops in service in Virginia; and the sergeant and privates performing this duty, shall receive two dollars each, for every 25 miles they shall travel in conveying such person, to be paid out of the contingent fund.—Any person detailed or drafted for service may furnish to the commandant of the regiment from which he is so detailed or drafted, or to the commandant of the company or detachment, or to the commandant of the regiment to which he may be transferred, at any time before the organization of the regiment, an able bodied man, well clothed, as a substitute, to be judged of, and received by either the commandant of such regiment, or the commandant of the company called into service; and the commandant of the regiment to which he is engaged shall expire, the person furnishing him as a substitute shall march in his place, or furnish another substitute, or be liable to the fines and imprisonment provided for by this law; & the person furnishing a substitute shall be liable to muster, and perform ordinary military duty.

When any detachment of militia shall be hereafter called into the service of the United States, or of this state, from any division, brigade or regiment; the officers intended to command such detachment shall be detailed from the division, brigade or regiment from which such detachment shall be detailed. In all cases where public arms have been, or may hereafter be placed in the hands of commandants of companies for distribution, such commandant may distribute them, according to his own discretion, without regard to existing laws restricting the distribution to freeholders, or responsible house keepers; provided that, in every case, he shall take a receipt for the arms so delivered. When any lieutenant colonel commandant shall be called into the state's service he shall have the exclusive right to appoint his field and regimental staff officers; provided that he shall cause the pay-master and quarter-master to give bond and security to the Governor and his successors, in the sum of \$7000.—The officers of the several Banks established by the authority of the Commonwealth, and the respective branches are

exempted from performing the ordinary militia duties, but are liable to be drafted and detailed for actual service. All supernumerary officers who have held commissions, without any corresponding command, for more than two years, shall be immediately returned to the general mass of the militia, without delay: and in future, whenever an officer shall become supernumerary, he shall apply to the court of his county to fill the next vacancy, corresponding to the commission which he holds in the regiment to which he belongs: and in case he fails to make such application, it shall be the duty of the officer in whose bounds he resides to enroll and muster him in the company under his command. The training of the commissioned officers of this Commonwealth shall hereafter take place at such times within the months of April and May in each year, and at such places as shall be fixed by the commanding officers of the several brigades within their respective regiments. It shall hereafter be the duty of such commanding officers of brigades to attend the regimental musters within their respective commands in each year: and, in future, it shall not be the duty of the Brigade Inspectors to attend the regimental musters within the brigades to which they respectively belong.

AN ACT, To authorize the President to receive into service certain volunteer corps. Be it enacted by the Senate & House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized to receive into the service of the United States such proportion of the volunteers authorized by the act of sixth of February, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and the act supplementary thereto, of the sixth July, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and accepted under the authority of said acts, as in his judgement the public service may require: Provided, That the volunteers so received shall engage to serve for five years or during the war, unless sooner discharged.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the volunteers which shall be taken into service, under the authority of the preceding section, shall be entitled to the same bounty, pay, rations, clothing, forage and emoluments of every kind, and to the same benefits and allowances as the regular troops of the United States.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the officers of corps of volunteers which shall be taken into service, shall rank according to grade and the dates of their commissions or appointments with other officers of the army.

LANGDON CHEVES, Speaker of the House of Representatives. E. GERRY, Vice-President of the U. States, and President of the Senate. February 24, 1814. APPROVED, JAMES MADISON.

Walnut Plank Wanted. I will give a liberal price for well seasoned Walnut Plank of a good quality. ANDREW WOODS. Charlotte-Town, Feb. 10.

DANCING SCHOOL. The Subscriber submits to the patronage of the Ladies and Gentlemen of Charles-Town and its vicinity, his intention of opening a DANCING SCHOOL: from the encouragement he has heretofore received, he is flattered with the hope of success—the most fashionable steps and dances will be taught and the greatest attention paid to the department of the scholar. Practising Balls will from time to time be given for the further improvement of the pupils. The school will commence as soon as twenty scholars shall have subscribed—Price of ten dollars. A subscription paper is left at Fulton's Hotel. J. A. XAUFF. February 10.

A CARD. ALL those indebted to the subscriber are requested to come forward and pay their respective sums immediately. The necessity of this must be obvious to every person interested—it is well known that business cannot be done without money; he hopes that none will be so ungrateful of their own true interests as not to comply with this generous request.—As paying our debts is of as much necessity as to sleep, and more pleasing to those anxious to do so, he hopes that all will evince a willingness to comply with a request of so much importance to both parties, and the neglect of which is disadvantageous to none. JOHN CARLILE. Charles-Town, February 3.

JOHN CARLILE, HAS ON HAND AND FOR SALE AT HIS STORE IN CHARLES-TOWN, DRY GOODS, CHERSE, COFFEE, SUGAR, TEA, HERRINGS, SHAD, SPIRITS, WINES, AND WHISKEY, TOGETHER with a good assortment of HARD WARE, and many other articles in demand at present, all of which is offered to the public at the lowest price they possibly can afford. He returns his sincere acknowledgments to the generous public for the many favors he has received, and will feel happy in supplying them at present with any kind of Goods that he has, on the lowest terms. February 10.

Valuable Property FOR SALE. THE subscriber offers for sale the lot of land on which he at present resides, near Charles-Town, Jefferson County, Va. This lot contains about 30 acres of first rate limestone land, well improved, and in a high state of cultivation. It lies immediately adjoining said town, on the road leading from thence to Harper's Ferry, and is admirably calculated as a stand for a tavern. Also a valuable lot adjoining the above, upon which there is a comfortable small dwelling house, and an excellent brick yard. Also several valuable unimproved lots in said town, the most of which are in good situations on the main street. An additional quantity of from 30 to 60 acres of land adjoining the above mentioned lot of 30 acres, with a proportion of timber convenient thereto may be had should a purchaser require it. Any person wishing to purchase may know the terms by applying to the editor of the Farmer's Repository, or to the subscriber, on the premises. JAMES S. LANE. Shepherd's-Town, February 17.

Look out to March Court! YOU who are in "arrear" and have thought proper not to comply with my late "just and reasonable request," may expect to be visited by the public officers.—Produce at the fair market price will be received in payment.—After this let no person be heard to complain that they were not called on to pay before being sued. JAMES S. LANE. Shepherd's-Town, February 17.

10 Dollars Reward. DEBTTED on the night of the 6th inst. from the residence of Lieut. John Sticher, 38th Infantry, in Charles-Town, Jefferson County, Virginia, a private soldier in the 38th regt. U. States Infantry, named William Davis, born in or near Waynesburg, Penn. 19 years of age, or near inches high, fair complexion, light eyes, dark hair, and by profession a labourer, enlisted on the 27th of December 1813. Whoever takes up said deserter and delivers him to any officer of the U. States service will receive the above reward, with all reasonable charges. FRED W. HOFFMAN, Lieut. 38th Infantry, Shepherd's-Town, February 17.

Hides & Skins wanted. The highest price in cash will be given for hides and skins, delivered at my shop, opposite Mrs. Ann Frame's Store, in Charles-Town. HENRY ISLER. February 17.

Fulling and Dying. THE subscriber takes this method to inform his friends and the public that he intends to quit the employ of Mr. Wickham, with whom he has been for three seasons, and has rented Mr. Benjamin Beeler's Fulling Mill, at Mill's Grove, three miles from Charles-Town, where he intends carrying on the Fulling and Dying Business in all its various branches. He hopes by his strict and steady attention, and the knowledge he has of the business, to be able to render general satisfaction to all who may please to favour him with their custom. Those who are necessitated for their cloth can have it dressed on the shortest notice. Persons having undressed cloth at the Fulling Mill will please to call and have it measured, and give directions for dressing it. JAMES L. MORRIS. January 27.

Stamped Paper. THE Subscribers have for sale at their Store, (adjoining the Globe Tavern, in Shepherd's-Town) Stamps necessary for Bank transactions. JAMES BROWN, & Co. December 30, 1813.

RIFLE POWDER. OF A VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY. For sale by the Subscriber at his store in Shepherd's-Town. Any person purchasing has liberty to return it—if on trial they should not be pleased with the quickness and strength of the powder. JAMES S. LANE. Shepherd's-Town, Dec. 23, 1813.

To Millers & Millwrights. THE subscriber has just received a complete assortment of BOLTING CLOTHS, warranted five quality, at his store by the Market House, in Shepherd's-Town. JAMES S. LANE. P. S. Cash given for HIDES, SKINS, and clean FLAX SEED. November 18.

ASHES WANTED. A liberal price will be given for a quantity of good clean ashes, by the printer of the Farmer's Repository.

TO BE RENTED FOR A TERM OF YEARS. THAT well known and long established Tavern stand, in Charles-Town, Jefferson County, Virginia, belonging to the representatives of Thomas F. Deane, deceased, and which has been for several years in the occupancy of Mr. Robert Fulton, is now for sale by the first day of April next. For particulars apply to the subscriber living at Martinsburgh, Berkeley County, or to M. H. Hays, Esq. of Charles-Town. JOSEPH HINNOY. February 24.

PUBLIC SALE. THE Subscriber will sell at Public Vendue, on the 12th day of March next, at his present place of residence, near Charles-Town, all his stock consisting of Horses, Cows and Hogs—Also a credit of six months will be given, on the purchase of six months will be given, on the purchase of the State to commence at 10 o'clock. Date of sale will be given by the Subscriber. THOMAS LOCKBELL. February 24.

Negro Man for Sale. WILL be sold on the first day of March next before the door of R. Fulton's Hotel, a black Negro man who is a good Farmer. A credit of sixty days will be given to the purchaser, and a note negotiable at the Bank, in Winchester, with a good endorser. February 20, 1814.

Masons Wanted. TEN or FIFTEEN journeymen Stone masons are wanted immediately, to whom good wages will be given for the season. Apply to the subscriber in Charles-Town, Jefferson County, Va. JOHN WILKINS. Feb. 4.

NOTICE. All persons who made purchases at the subscriber's residence last year, will please take notice that their notes became due on the 10th day of this month, and that the money is now wanted. JOHN KEARSELEY. February 17.

HANNAH MUNIT, administrator of William Munit, deceased, take notice, that on the 26th inst. at Thomas McGinn's Tavern, in Jefferson County, I shall take the deposition of Mrs. John Sligh, to be read in evidence in the trial of a suit in Chancery, depending in Jefferson County Court, in which I am complainant and you defendant. JOHN AGER. March 2.

JESSE PENNELL, take notice, that on the second day of April next, at Robert Fulton's Tavern, in Charles-Town, we shall take the depositions of Nathan Haines, and Curtis Grubb, which we shall offer in evidence upon the trial of a suit in Chancery, depending in the county court of Jefferson, in which you are complainant, and as executor of William Grubb, are defendants. JOHN HAINES, JOHN M'PHESSION. March 3.

NEW FANCY STORE. THE undersigned fall upon this expedition to inform the public that they have now opened, and ready for sale, at their Store, (corner to the Globe Tavern) in Shepherd's-Town, A large and elegant Assortment of MERCHANDISE, CONSISTING IN PART OF Superfine & common cloths, Elegant Silk Buttons, Casimeres, Bed-Ford and Trimmings, Prino's Cord, Silk & Straw Bonnets, Stockings & Manchetts, Ginghams, Calicoes and English and India Nankeens, Ladies' Long & Short Kid and Silk Gloves, Men's Silk and Leather ditto, Ladies' Silk and Cotton Stockings, Muscote ditto, Men's do. do. Elegant Silk & Cotton Shawls, Handkerchiefs, fully assorted, A complete assortment of Ribbons, Home-made and imported Thread, Cotton Balls, White & Coloured, Sewing Silks & Twines, Ladies' Kid and Morocco Shoes, silver Men's and boys' Course and Fine Leather do. Cotton Garters and Spinning Cotton, Books and Stationery, Hard Ware, China, Queens' and Glass Ware, Groceries and Liquors, Best large twist Cheering Tobacco, Common ditto, Snuff and Spanish Cigars, &c. &c. N. B. I will also offer for sale, at the same time, Cash and dry goods, for cash. March 10.

PUBLIC SALE. THE subscriber will sell, at public vendue, on Tuesday, the 22d inst. at the Sulphur Spring, on Opequan creek, the following property, viz. a number of Feather Beds, and Bedding, Cots, Mattresses and Bedsteads, one Desk, Book Case and Bureau, large and small Tables, a number of Chairs, large and small Looking Glasses, China Cups and Saucers, large and small Dishes and Plates, Rives and Forks, Wash Bowls, and Baking Dish, a large quantity of Poster Boards, large and small wide Pitchers, and Stone Dishes, White Glasses, quart, pint and half pint Decanters, large and small Stone Jars, Brass and Iron Castles, a large Copper Coffee Boiler, one Cooler, Brass Tea Kettles, Coffee Mills, one Kitchen Boiler, containing 120 gallons, Sull Top-heads, a number of Whiskey Barrels, an Apple Mill and Washing Machine.—Likewise, Cattle, Hogs, and some Sheep.—One Blacksmith's Vice and Anvil, and a great number of articles too tedious to enumerate. A credit of nine months will be given, on the purchase giving bond with approved security. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock.—Due attendance will be given by the subscriber. JOSEPH MINGHINE. N. B. I will also sell, for cash, three stacks of Rye, one forty or fifty barrels of Corn. March 10.

PUBLIC SALE. THE subscriber will sell, at public vendue, on the 19th inst. at his residence on Bullskin Run in Jefferson County, Va. his stock, consisting of Horses, Cows, Hogs and Sheep—Also Farming Utensils, Household and Kitchen Furniture, and a variety of other articles. A credit of six months will be given, on the purchase giving bond with approved security. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock, when due attendance will be given by the subscriber. JOHN GANTT, junr. Cash and dry goods, for cash. March 10.

EDUCATION. THE Subscriber will take a few Scholars as boarders. The terms including Tuition, Books and other articles necessary for the School, will be 12 dollars per annum, paid quarterly in advance. The summer session will commence April 12th, and conclude the first week in October. FRANCIS TILLET. Winchester, March 10.

NOTICE. ALL persons having claims against the estate of Giles Cook, senr. dec'd., are desired to exhibit them to the subscribers, with proper vouchers for settlement. And all persons indebted to said estate are requested to discharge what they may owe. GILES COOK, JOHN BAKER, Executors. March 3.

TERMS OF THIS PAPER. THE price of the FARMER'S REPOSITORY is Two Dollars a year; one dollar to be paid at the time of subscribing, and one at the expiration of the year. Distant subscribers will be required to pay the whole in advance. No paper will be discontinued until arrears are paid. ADVERTISEMENTS not exceeding a square, will be inserted three weeks to non-subscribers for one dollar, and 25 cents for every subsequent publication; and when not particularly directed to the contrary, will be inserted until forbid, and charged accordingly.—Subscribers will receive a reduction of one fourth on their advertisements. All letters addressed to the Editor must be post paid.

Public Sale. THE Subscriber will sell, at Public Vendue, on the 23d inst. at the place where he resides, near Garhart's Tavern, in the neighborhood of the Brick Mill, Jefferson County, his Grain in the ground, a Farm Wagon, Horses, Hay and Hye in the stack, a Wheat Fan, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils of almost every description. A credit of nine months will be given on all sums above five dollars, the purchaser giving bond and security. The sale to begin at 11 o'clock. THOMAS LITLOR. March 10.

FOR SALE, A VERY VALUABLE FARM In Jefferson County, Virginia, about three miles from Charles-Town. IT lies in that body of land known and commonly called the Rich Woods. This tract contains three hundred and twenty acres, and is inferior to none in the county as to fertility of soil, the balance is cleared, and in good farming order, having at this time one hundred and twenty acres sown in clover. On the premises are a good barn three feet square, shelled all round, and a threshing floor for thirty feet square, two excellent wells about thirty feet deep, and have never been known to fail, a good dwelling house, with stone chimney, and other convenient buildings—There is also a small apple and peach orchard. Any person wishing to purchase may know the terms by applying to the subscriber. RICHARD BAYLOR. March 10, 1814.

PUBLIC SALE. THE Subscriber has lately purchased of Nathan Dillon, the lease of a Tan Yard (together with a large stock of Spanish and leather), the property of M. Redick Danforth, four miles west of Winchester, on the road to Berry and Hightown. In addition to his old stock of Spanish and Country Leather, he intends constantly keeping a good assortment of PRIME UPPER, SOAL LEATHER AND CALF SKINS which he will sell upon good terms as can be had in the county. The highest price in Cash or Leather, will be given for HIDES and SKINS, delivered at the Tan-Yard. He returns his sincere thanks to his old customers and the public generally, and solicits a continuance of their favors. HENRY ISLER, Junr. Frederick County, March 3.

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124 Dollars Bounty!! ALL Patriotic young men who wish to enter into the service of their insulted country, are hereby informed that the subscriber has just received orders to give a bounty of one hundred and twenty-four dollars, fifty dollars to be paid in hand, fifty when mustered, and twenty-four dollars when they receive an honorable discharge from the service, with the addition of one hundred and sixty acres of land. Young men! will not the liberal rewards of your country, the blood that was spilt by your sires to establish your freedom, that spilt by a savage and relentless enemy, the conflagrations of our villages on the frontiers, or the dreadful scenes of Hampton, arouse your patriotism? Rouse your men, and join your brothers in arms, receive the honor of once more subduing that foe, who would with her accursed policy, make you slaves. I will attend the three first days in each week at my quarters in Charles-Town; on Thursdays at Moully's Tavern, in Smith-ld; and Fridays and Saturdays at Williamsow's Tavern, at Harper's Ferry, to receive all those young men who wish to join the service. ANGUS McDONALD, Lt. 12th U. S. Infantry. March 3, 1814.

NOTICE. ALL those who are indebted to the subscriber for carding and fulling, are required to come forward and discharge their accounts by the first of April next. Those who fail to comply with this reasonable request, may expect to have their accounts put into the hands of an officer for collection. He will have his machines for carding wool in complete order this spring, and good hands to attend them. JONA. WICKERSHAM. Bucklestown, March 3.

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FROM THE BOSTON CHRONICLE. MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE. QUINCY'S RESOLUTIONS CONFIRMED. On the 29th Jan. the Hon. Mr. HOLMES submitted the following resolution for enacting from the Journals of the Senate of Massachusetts, Mr. Quincy's famous resolution of June last, relative to our rejecting our old resolutions. The subject was called up in Senate on Saturday last, when an animated debate ensued, which eventuated in the rejection of the resolution to expunge a vote of the 22d of June 1812. The Hon. Messrs. Dwight, Taft, Quincy, Thurlike, Perkins, Adams, Lewis, Putnam, Hollman, White, Stephens, Allen, Whitson, Strong, Brownell, Heath, Mitchell, Abbott, Richardson, and Andrews, Messrs. Folger, Moody, Reed, Hoar, Holmes, Foster, Campbell and Fuller, were, however, notwithstanding, that all moderate federalists of the Legislature, were opposed to Quincy's resolutions, and wished them erased. In 1813, Jan. 29.

Whereas a certain resolve was on the fifth day of June, 1813, passed by this Senate, relating to the capture of his Britannic Majesty's ship *Peacock*, by the United States ship *Hornet*, commanding by the late gallant and patriotic Captain JAMES LAWRENCE; and whereas an act of the things it is resolved, as the sense of the Senate of Massachusetts, that in a war like the present, valour without justifiable cause, and prosecuted in a manner which indicates that conquest and ambition are its real motives, it is not becoming a moral and religious people to express any approbation of military or naval exploits, which are not immediately connected with the defence of our sea coast and soil;

And whereas resolves of approbation and procure to be enlisted and be enlisted according to law, an able bodied man to serve for the term of five years or during the war, shall be paid the sum of eight dollars.

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approv'd. Has nothing, since the passing of this resolve, happened to convince you of the justice of the war? Nothing to stop your admiration of French valour? Nothing that in the remotest degree, discovers the precise disposition of our government? I shall not trouble the gentlemen nor myself again on this subject. It is gentlemen could divert themselves of their British partialities, and practice towards their government, the same charities which they practice in *social life*, they would by this time, cease their clamor of the injustice of this war. It is but fair to say, that in a dispute of your own family with a neighbor, you should believe your own right, until they are proved in the wrong. If you could but practice the same charity towards your country, you should hear none of these charges of an unjust and wicked war. But suppose you will not, suppose that you and G. Britain on the one hand should contend with the other, should the contented American people on the other, should contend that they were exclusively right. But that Britain and her partisans in America should tenaciously contend against us on all points: And that some great wise good and magnanimous Prince, who way interpose in our favor, should be willing to mediate between us, and settle this dispute. And suppose we should accept his proposition and you should reject it—would this be no evidence of the justice of our quarrel? And after this, this prince should give us his approbation of our conduct, take pleasure in doing justice to the wisdom and magnanimity of our government, express his conviction that we had no foreign partialities, and that we had done all we could do to avoid this content, would this satisfy you?

Now, what is the fact? Alexander the deliverer, the Emperor of all the Russias, a man who reigns in the hearts of near 30 millions of people; a man whose justice you have extolled, whose virtues you have celebrated, and whose virtues you have extolled to the skies, has done all this and more. Let it be remembered that this man takes pleasure in doing our government justice, in republishing the charge of French influence, and in expressing his satisfaction that we have done all we could to avoid this content. What was his situation at this time? The ally of England, the enemy of France, and bound, as you say, not to make peace with her without Britain's consent—with us he has no political connection, he wants none. Peace, commerce and honest friendship is all he wishes. These facts, I perceive, make gentlemen somewhat uneasy. But I shall take care not to forget to call them to their remembrance on every proper occasion.

But I apprehend that "Alexander the deliverer" is becoming unpopular with your party.—You will, I suspect, celebrate no more Russian victories. He has been guilty of establishing the reputation of our administration in Europe, and you will never forgive him.

I have dwelt longer than I intended on the justice of the war. It wants no proof. I return to the enquiry—What is the policy or justice of this resolve? It may with much reason be said that if (Lawrence) had not lost the Chesapeake in the manner he did, we never should have spread this cold, unfeeling, negative resolve on our journals. No, sir, had he brought the Shannon into this harbor you would have extolled him to the skies. Your party have a wonderful faculty of engrossing the honour of the war, and throwing off the disgrace. Whenever a man gains a victory, he is *celebrated*. It is his naval victory it was done with a federal navy. When Perry gained his victory on the lake your party claimed the man and his ships too. Notwithstanding they had all been built since the war, it made no difference in the claim. Harrison's victory was yours. But the moment any event takes place, which you can convert into a *defeat*, then, then you sing another tune. Then the vengeance of Heaven, and the vials of God's wrath are poured down upon the perpetrators of this wicked war. In this case it was known the Chesapeake was taken, and was a favorable time to get placed on your records a resolve of this description. As it was a disaster, you could declaim the act and exorcise it from your memory. It is not always the conqueror who does the most honor to, or confers the most benefit on his country. The dying words of the vanquished, are often the pass word to fame. It is this prompts him to deeds of immortal glory. The dying cry of the ship was his dying injunction—Don't give up the ship! Has been the word, and it has been obeyed—Don't give up the ship shall be the word of every American. And, sir, will not give up the ship. She is well furnished, conditioned and manned, and we have a pilot at her helm who knows his duty and will perform it. No, sir, let the storm of faction rage and exert its fury, the ship is safe. But this injunction don't please you—You will give up the ship.—And the ship *Massachusetts* is given up—You strike your flag at the commencement of the contest—Your man deserted—Your pilot left the helm in a storm, and told you it was sacrilege to resist it, because it was God's temple.—The ship is driven upon the rocks, she is wrecked, and I prophesy that her destruction is inevitable.

But, sir, I beg pardon of the gentlemen for detaching them so long—I have been impelled by my feelings. We have met at us, proprieties, which it is difficult to control—I perceive we are fettered by this resolve—I wish it were erased. I suppose the resolve which has passed the House this session in honor of Perry should come up for concurrence, we must either reject it, or be guilty of a most daring partiality.—What is to be done? Restore your record to blank, wipe off the disgrace, and the public will be satisfied.

From the Plattsburg Republican, Feb. 26. MILITARY MOVEMENTS. We understand that in conformity to orders from the war department, major Gen. Brown, and brig. gen. Macomb marched from the French Mills, in two columns, on the morning of the 13th inst. Gen. Wilkinson remained on the ground, with the rear guard, consisting of Forsythe's riflemen, and a detachment of dragoons, under Lieut. Wright, until 1