

INDEPENDENCE.

Anniversary celebration by the citizens of Baltimore.

ON SATURDAY LAST.

The Baltimore Typographical Society, joined by a considerable number of the Baltimore Union Volunteers, met at Mr. Huisler's...

The Fourth of July '76. On which our insatiable country burst the shackles of despotism...

America. May the Genius of Freedom never take her flight from that soil which nourishes the seeds of improvement.

The Immortal Memory of Washington. May the bright example of his virtues forever animate the valor and direct the patriotism of the American people.

The Memory of those Heroes who lost their lives in defence of Liberty; may a phœnix arise from their ashes...

The United States. Free from the infectious ambition of other nations, may she acquire glory only by doing justice to others...

The Honest American. Who at no period has ever been diverted from the love of his country...

The King of the United States. May the good will of man and the blessings of Heaven be their portion.

The American People. May their devotion to liberty, never be sacrificed to their love of peace.

The Legislature of the United States. May wisdom direct and national prosperity attend all their deliberations.

Our Foreign Ministers. May honesty be their policy, and love of country their ruling passion.

Admiral Berkeley and Captain Humphreys. Should they and those who sanction and reward their infernal conduct...

The American Navy. May it resist with freedom energy the tyrants of the ocean...

A free Press. May the instrument of Heaven to instruct mankind, never become the engine of its adversary...

The Charitable Institutions among us. Be remembered that Liberty is the path of sympathy, and that fellow-feeling is with equality.

The Rights of Hospitality. May they invariably and exclusively be conferred on the virtuous stranger...

The Agriculture of America. May those who sow, reap; the earth be filled with plenty and peace...

The fair Daughters of Columbia. Alike the blessing and ornament of their country, as their virtue and beauty...

By the President. May the sides of the Leopard be spotted with American balls...

By the Vice-President. The Sons of Columbia. If there be any among that should in the dark hour of tribulation...

The Declaration of Independence was read by Captain Leonard Fraley, and received with the loudest acclamations.

Towards evening the company returned to town in military order, passing up Hanover-street...

Never did order and harmony preside in a greater degree over the festive board than on this above occasion.

From the Washington Federalist of July 4. NATIONAL JUBILEE.

Once more we hail the auspicious morn that ushered in our independence. Again we witness the anniversary of that day which burst the bands that bound us...

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On taking a review, therefore, of the past, the people of these United States have much cause for gratitude and joyful gratulation.

John Mason, Chairman. David Wiley, Secretary.

from such contemplations as these, is much alloyed by the recollection of recent events; events so much out of the common course...

Collected, as we will be this day, for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of our independence, can we view with placidity...

Let us then, this day, renew our vows to live forever free; to protect inviolate those rights which from nature we possess...

Agreeably to a public notice given this morning by the Mayor, a very large and respectable number of the citizens of this place convened at the Union Tavern...

General John Mason was chosen chairman, and David Wiley, secretary.

A communication from the Corresponding Committee of Norfolk, addressed to the Mayor and Citizens of this place was read.

On motion, the following gentlemen were appointed a committee to draw up such resolutions as the occasion appeared to require.

After a short retirement, the committee made report—Whereupon.

Resolved, unanimously, That this meeting consider the late unwarrantable, dastardly and wanton attack on the frigate Chesapeake...

Resolved, unanimously, That we consider the death of those of our fellow citizens who have fallen on this unprecedented occasion...

As we first heard of this infamous act with astonishment, mingled with horror and indignation, so we yet regard it with feelings of the deepest resentment...

Resolved, unanimously, That having entire confidence in the wisdom and firmness of our government to repel injury and insult...

Resolved, unanimously, That in the present state of things, and until the decision of our national council be known...

Resolved, unanimously, That immediate enquiries be made for the families, if such they had, of Joseph Arnold and Robert McDonald...

Resolved, unanimously, That Mr. Mason, Mr. Morsel and Mr. Turner, be a committee on the part of this meeting...

Resolved, unanimously, that this meeting most cordially approve of the spirited, patriotic and decisive conduct of the good citizens of Norfolk, Portsmouth and Hampton...

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On motion, Resolved, That this meeting present their thanks to the chairman and committee, for their prompt and able management of the business of the evening.

FROM THE RICHMOND ENQUIRER.

REFLECTIONS

Relative to the aggressions of Great Britain upon the rights and interests of the United States.

UNIONED WE CAN STAND, DIVIDED WE SHALL FALL.

The meeting of the citizens of Richmond at the capitol, for the purpose of considering the aggressions of the British marine...

Every one had anticipated an impression of indignation and firmness suitable to the occasion; every circumstance indicated an animated declaration and avowal of patriotic sentiments...

The resolutions which were offered, were received and supported by such bursts of applause, as to prove that a sensation honorable to the meeting and necessary to the American interest, generally prevailed.

In the composition of these resolutions, embracing concerns of the greatest magnitude, and relating to deeds of great atrociousness...

It was unreasonably to presume that every expression or word should meet the entire approbation of every individual who might be present.

It ought to suffice that the objects were manifoldly expressed, that the patriotism of the meeting was fully met by the scope of the expressions...

It was of the highest importance that unanimity should prevail. If every nice objection had been weighed by grains and scruples...

The prosperity and independency of this country, depends, not, as in other parts of the world, upon the prudent counsels and energetic arm of government...

Upon the occasion before us, there was a pre-existing impression that such a sentiment generally prevailed. The event vindicated the truth, and the passage of the resolutions with the manifestation of the public feeling...

Let every American, whether native or naturalized, bear in mind these words—"United we stand, divided we shall fall."

Let every patriot and politician endeavor to inculcate the important and incontrovertible truth, by all the means which he may possess.

This important epoch in the annals and affairs of the United States, having commenced by an honest declaration of sentiments, truly patriotic, and by a manifestation of union...

From the foregoing observations it may be inferred that there is some room for objections to the manner in which the resolutions have appeared.

It will be alleged that the authority by which the attack of the Leopard was made did not emanate from the British government.

Although it is a generous and liberal sentiment, to presume that the atrocious deed of which we complain was not authorized by the government of Great-Britain...

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is not known to us, therefore we shall not know how to appreciate such an assumption, but judging from the general conduct of the other ships under his command...

Let the declarations of Admiral Berkeley be then what they may; or even if the British government should make a sham trial, as in the case of Whitchy...

To the Committee of Correspondence of Norfolk.

Gentlemen, We conceive, that until the decision of our government be known, it is proper, just and honorable, that provisional measures of retaliation should be with promptitude adopted...

It is therefore recommended to the committee at Norfolk, to adopt proper measures to secure the persons of any of the crew of the British squadron that may be found on shore...

We salute you. Champion Travis, Barwell Bassett, William Coleman, Leroy Anderson, Tully Robinson, Robert Saunders, James Sempé, Armistead T. Mason.

NEW-LONDON, July 1. Arrived, ship Leonidas, Williams, coast of Patagonia, 69, 1050 barrels of oil. Left, April 20, in lat. 46, 30, S. long. 61, 30...

NEW-YORK, July 6. Arrived, the brig Sea-Island, Burnham, 7 days from Savannah. Sailed in co. brig New-York, London, for Bordeaux...

The thirty-first anniversary of the independence of the United States was celebrated in this city on Saturday with a fervour of enthusiasm almost without example.

The recently cowardly attack upon our national sovereignty, and the assassination of our citizens on board the Chesapeake, have amalgamated every local prejudice...

PHILADELPHIA, July 4. Arrived, schs. Hymas, Brown, Norfolk, 4; Julia, Harris, North Carolina, 12; Resolution, Bartlet, Passamaquoddy, 13...

Arrived at the Lazaretto, Brigs Amphitrite, Hawley, Laguna, 14 days; Superior, Hayes, Havana, 14. Cleared, ship Agnes, Bunce, Charleston...

Yesterday arrived, schr. Hymas, Brown, from Norfolk came out of the Chesapeake on Friday last, and at noon saw the British squadron of 5 sail, 3 two deckers, a frigate...

On Saturday last the national festival was celebrated in this city in a manner worthy of the great occasion, and highly honorable to all classes of our citizens.

With the splendor of military exercises by the uniformed corps of artillery, cavalry, and infantry, were combined the joyous demonstrations of our citizens...

The tempering the warmth of feeling, which had been lately excited, with the calm firmness of reflection, full evidence was given that the spirit, which achieved, would forever maintain the national sovereignty and independence.

On Saturday last, the 4th inst. a number of citizens assembled, agreeably to previous arrangements, at the house of Mr. Abraham Sheridan, Upper Ferry...

1. The day we celebrate—May it even be remembered by Americans. 2. The president of the United States—May he, like the mainmast of a ship, well stayed and shrouded by his people...

3. In memory of the sailors and soldiers, who fell in the defence of American liberty. 4. In memory of our beloved Washington—As the admiral of the universe has thought proper to order him home...

5. The United States—Separate and distinct governments in time of peace, in war one and indivisible in sentiment. 6. The Congress of the United States—May their decrees be issued with wisdom...

7. The different commonwealths of the United States—Should war be the only...

Brig Amphitrite, Hawley, left at Laguna, schooners Hazard, Connell, for Philadelphia, in 10 days; Farmer, Scoyer, just arrived from do.;

Should there be any vessels in Philadelphia, sitting out for Laguna, you would perhaps, render the owners great service, by informing them that on or about the first of June last, an order had arrived from Spain...

Extract of a letter from captain Hawley, dated Lasaretto, July 5. "I left the following vessels at Laguna's brig Spencer, Barrel for Baltimore, in 9 days; Two-Basties for Beverly, in 13 do. scars. Hazard, M. Connell, for Philadelphia, in 10; Farmer, just arrived from Philadelphia...

Yesterday forenoon arrived, brig Superior, Hayes, Havana, 12 days. Left, brig Ruth and Mary, arrived 8 days before capt. H. sailed, with the loss of both anchors and cables; and brig Eliza and Union, for this port, to sail in 8 days.

Also arrived, brig Amphitrite, Hawley, 14 days from Laguna. Left, schr. Hazard, of and for Philadelphia, in 4 days; schooner Pocahontas, of Duxbury, time of sailing uncertain. All vessels bound to Laguna are captured by the Spaniards.

Agreeably to your request, I here send you all the information I could collect. The Superior sailed from the Havana the 22d June. Three days previous to our sailing, the Ruth and Mary arrived, after she had been twice ashore on the Florida Reef...