

I have said that the members of the Hartford Convention merited punishment:—So I have ever believed, and so, doubtless, thought Mr. Madison. Situated as he then was, the attempts of those deluded men, to render the war unpopular, to distract the councils of the country and to paralyze the arm of Government, must have excited in his bosom, an ardent desire to see them severely punished. Yet much as he may have desired it, he had the good of his country so much at heart; his veneration for its laws; his respect for the rights of individuals; were so fixed and rooted in his mind, that it was impossible for him to desire to see any punishment inflicted, unless it could be done by due course of law, and by the proper authorities of the land. All the information that could be obtained, (and if I am not misinformed, a diligent enquiry was made) was such as to preclude the idea of being able to convict them of the crime of treason, and it was, therefore, judged most advisable that, the members of this convention, should be permitted to run at large—living monuments of the lenity of American laws.

By the moderation, no less than by the firmness of Mr. Madison, at this critical period, our country was saved from the horrors of a civil war, which would indubitably, have been the consequence, had Gen. Jackson been in a situation to have enforced those rash and ill gal measures, which he avers he would, *at the risk of his life*, have attempted.

This assertion of the gallant General, is so novel and extraordinary that, was it not for the situation he now occupies; a candidate for the most difficult and important civil office upon earth, it could not fail to excite our laughter. But as things now stand, methinks it assumes a more serious and alarming aspect, and the inference I unavoidably draw from it is such as to create in my mind the most gloomy prospect of the safety and happiness of my country, should the people see proper to invest him with the powers of their chief magistrate.

I might instance many other wild and incorrect statements, which have dropped from the pen of *W. W.*, but as the whole of his Jesuitical argument, is bottomed upon the construction he has given to the second section, and as I think I have clearly shewn its fallacy, and thereby sapped the foundation of his edifice, the whole must, necessarily tumble to the ground.

I now take my leave of *W. W.*, and of the second section of the rules and articles of war.
BRUTUS.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit court, I will expose to public sale agreeable to the third section of the law subjecting real and personal estate to execution, on Saturday the 11th day of September next, at the Court house in Vincennes, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. the following property to wit: a lot or parcel of land containing in width or breadth on the river Wabash, in front two arpents French measure, and extending in length or depth to the Elm road, and from thence of the same breadth, forty arpents like measure back towards the high lands, bounded on one side north and east by lands now or lately owned by Thomas Jones, and on the south west side by lands of General Harrison formerly owned by Nicholas Cardinal—whereon is erected one brick house three frame houses, one barn, a blacksmith and cooper shop, also, the steam distillery the steam boiler and brick of the old steam mill, also two brick houses commenced building, the one eighth of the undivided part of the above described property being delivered on an execution by Atlas Fellows, as the property of the said Fellows,

and also, the following property to wit: four lots or parcel of land lying situated front or width on the said street, and one hundred and fifty feet be the same more or less, like measure in depth, running back joining the lot of the late Lawrence Bazadone on his southwest, that formerly of Saml. Lane, now the heirs of William Jones on his northwest, and the other two thirds of the entire lot on the northeast, it being the one third part of the entire town lot, as the property of John M'Giffin, at the suit of Joshua Har-

ker.
JOHN DECKER, *Shff.*

August 21, 1824.—§3-27-2t.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni Exponas to me directed from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit court, I will expose to public sale at the Court house in Vincennes on Saturday the 11th day of September next, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. agreeable to the third section of the law subjecting real and personal estate to execution, the following tract of land to wit: sixty acres (be the same more or less) lying situate and being in the prairie below Vincennes, adjoining lands on the east side of Jean Bt Bonhomme, and on which Pierre Andre now lives as the property of the said Andre, at the suit of Arthur Patterson.

JOHN DECKER *Shff.*

August 20, 1825.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of an execution to me directed from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit court, I will expose to public sale at the Court house in Vincennes, on the 20th day of September next, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. agreeable to the 3d section of the law subjecting real and personal estate to execution, to wit: two town lots, lying in the borough of Vincennes, nos. 194 and 195, with the exception of 40 feet taken off the northwest side of lot no. 194, and bounded on the southeast by fifth street, and northeast by market street, on the southwest by Vigo street—whereon is erected a frame dwelling house and a log stable, as the property of Francis Cunningham, at the suit of George & George W. Ewing administrators of the estate of Wm E Breeding decd.

JOHN DE KER, *Shff.*

August 26, 1824.—§150-28-3t

BY virtue of a venditioni exponas to me directed from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit court, I will expose to public sale on the 20th day of September next, at the Court house in Vincennes, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. agreeable to the third section of the law subjecting real and personal estate to execution, to wit: part of lot no. 101, as the fences now stands in the borough of Vincennes, whereon there is a small frame house, as the property of Wm. Lindsey Jour James & George A Wasson

JOHN DECKER *Shff.*

August 26, 1824

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BY virtue of a venditioni exponas to me directed from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit court, I will expose to public sale at the Court house in Vincennes, on the 20th day of September next, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. the fee simple of a certain dwelling house and lot in the borough of Vincennes, containing a-

bout fifty five feet English measure in front or width on the said street, and one hundred and fifty feet be the same more or less, like measure in depth, running back joining the lot of the late Lawrence Bazadone on his southwest, that formerly of Saml. Lane, now the heirs of William Jones on his northwest, and the other two thirds of the entire lot on the northeast, it being the one third part of the entire town lot, as the property of John M'Giffin, at the suit of Joshua Har-

ker.
JOHN DECKER *Shff.*

August 26, 1824.—§150-28-3t.

BY virtue of a venditioni exponas to me directed from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit court, I will expose to public sale at the Court house in Vincennes, on the 20th day of September next, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. agreeable to the third section of the law subjecting real and personal estate to execution, all that certain tract of land containing sixty acres, be the same more or less, lying situate and being in the prairie below Vincennes adjoining lands on the east of Jean Bt Bonhomme, the aforesaid land being taken by virtue of two executions, one in favor of Patterson, and the other in favor of Kigore, Taylor & Webb against H. Lasselle, J Bt. Laplant and Pierre Andre, as the property of said Andre to satisfy the said Kigore, Taylor & Webb.

JOHN DE KER, *Shff.*

August 26, 1824.—§150-28-3t.

WHEREAS my wife Lucy has eloped from my bed and board, without any cause or provocation—I hereby forwarn all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account—as I will pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

W. M. TYLOR.

Vincennes. Aug 24, 1824.

Collector's Last Notice.

HAVING waited upon the people, until my duty to the laws of the state, will no longer indulge me, it will therefore become necessary (however disagreeable) to coerce the payment of all taxes unpaid by the 10th of September next—immediately after which time I shall proceed to levy upon property, and expose the same to sale, exacting all legal charges. Therefore I do most earnestly request the people to make payment previous to that time, as they will save considerable cost.

W. M. L. WITHERS, *Col. K.C.*

August 19, 1824.

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NOTICE

ALL persons indebted to the firm of A W & R. M. I'ANSON, are informed that their notes and accounts, are left with Saml Hill Esqr. on whom they will please call for settlement, on or before the 1st of October next, as after that time suits will be instituted against all delinquents—Those having claims (if any here be) are requested to present them as above for payment.

A W & R. M. I'ANSON have at the office of Mr. Hill, some valuable household FURNITURE, which they will sell very low for good notes of hand, or merchantable WHEAT delivered at Mr. COLMAN'S mill.

Vincennes. Aug. 14, 1824—27 4t

Apprentice Wanted

A BOY between the age of 15 & 16 years, is wanted immediately to learn the Tanning and Currying business.—For further particulars apply to

JOHN WISE,