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The Queen's honey moon is over. She keeps her man tied to her apron strings pretty closely. They are very often out together-have been to Covent They Garden Theatre several times privately-have been at a Concert or two-gone to church to hear prayers -drive out in the Park, and all that sort of thing. She has had several levees and drawing rooms at which to show him off. She has given him precedence next to herself (during her life time.) She has made him Field Marshal over the head of Welling. ton, whom she calls ' an old rebel,' because he said it was right the nation should know what the Prince's religion is. She has made him a Knight of the Garter. She has ordered that the 11th Light Dragoons shall be armed, clothed, and equipped as Hussars, and be styled the 11th (or Prince Albert's Own, Hussars. She wanted to get him £100,000 a year, and nearly boxed Lord Melbourne's ears when she heard the Commons would give him only £35,000 a year for life. And finally, she has made him Grand Cross of the Bath.

An ondit runs that Prince Albert's brother Ernest z very sweet upon the Princess Augusta, eldest daughter of the Duke of Cambridge. This young lady is about 18, very pretty, and cousin to the Queen, who is said to be extremely anxious that this marriage should take place, and it is said, hes even gone the length of saying that, if it does, the bride stfall have a portion out of the public money. Once upon a time, and such things were, but just now the ublic money is not to be wasted thus, and if the bride be portioned, it will be by her tather, or the Queen. The nation will not incur the expense. As a proof that public money is not to be thrown away upon Royalty, 1 may mention the fact that Mr. Hume gave notice in the House of Commons,

that on the 25th inst. he should move that the pen sion of £21,000 to the King of Hanover be suspend ed while he remained the sovereign of that State. I do not think he will press the motion, but he would carry it if he did.

It has long been believed that when the Dutchess of Kent was enciente of Queen Victoria, in 1819, her husband was most anxious that the child should be born in England, and that, detained by his debts on Continent, he owed to Alderman Wood the ineans of paying them, so as to be enabled to return to England. The fact of Wood's getting a baronetcy shortly after the Queen's accession appeared to conrirm this tale. A counter statement, however, was made at Gainsborough, in Yorkshire, at the dinner in honor of the Queen's nuptials. Mr. Clarke, a most respect. and another whose name he had forgotten, that the Duke of Kent had been enabled to return to England. He then said that the late Lord Fitzwilliam, the first Lord Dundas (the father of him lately made Earl, of Zetland) and the third nobleman, advanced the Royal Duke £6000 each. With this £18,000 the Duke and Duchess paid off their continental debts, and came back to England, where Victoria was born. Early in the Queen's reign the loans were repaid with interest, and her Majesty sent autograph letters to the three lenders, thanking them for the kindness, and requesting their acceptance (each) of a very handsome piece of plate, bearing an inscription expressive of her gratitude. From the N. Y. Signal. HUNTSMAN'S CHORUS IN DER

bringing out, God knows at what cost, had met with complete flusco, and the unhappy musician, repulsed, baffled and derided, had doubted his own powers, fled to the foot of Vesuvius, and retired to the humble roof where I had found him.

"Come, come,' said I, when he had told his mournful tale, • you must not despair thus. Success often awaits us when no longer hoped for. I'm sure And the Yankee States and York State and all of the music you have just written will yield more glory than your preceding works.'

"I now took up the music, sat invacif down to vretched spinnet that stood there, and began to play. It was a sublime melody, that you well know, M Weber. It was the Stabat Mater of Pergoleze. By legrees a voice, at first feeble, but afterwards power ful and expressive, mingled with mine. Angels must sing in Heaven as Pergoleze sung. The voice suddenly became more splendid—and then I heard it no more ! I stopped. Behind me lay a corpse which had softly dropped upon the floor. Pergoleze was ending in Heaven the notes he had begun uttering on earth !

"I spent the night by him in prayer, for I then prayed .- Next day I expended my remaining cash upon the burial of the poor great composer, and left for Rome with his immortal Stabat Mater. All proclaimed that unrivalled work sublime. Pergoleze's operas were revived at the theatres, and he whom the obscurity of his name had killed, became renowned after his death. 5

"This is a melancholy tale, M. Weber, and yet I know one more woful still: it is that of a man who has relinquished, the life of a respectable tradesman to go in pursuit of fame, and who has found but misery and opprobrium. In short, M. Weber, it is my own history. When overwhelmed with want plies are given below, by a member of the and humiliations, I saw that I had mistaken my House, who heard the remarks, stating their course, and that Heaven had not gifted me with the substance, and requesting from each a state-

Will find the timber for the clabboards and chinkin'-'Twill all be the first rate stuff I'm thinkin'. And when we want to daubt it, it happens very locky That we have got the best CLAY in Old Kentucky

For there's no other State has such good clays in To make the mortar for Old Tippecanoe's raisin'. For the hauling of the logs, we'll call on Pennsylvania For their Conestuga teams will pull as well as any.

the others Will come and help us lift like so many brothers. The Hoosiers and the Suckers, and the Wolverine farmers.

They all know now the right way to carry up the corners. And every one's a good enough carpenter and mason,

To do a little work at Old Tippecanoe's raisin' We'll cut out a window and have a wide door in, We'll lay a good loft and a first rate floor in,

We'll fix it all complete, for Old Tip to see his friends in. And we know that the latch-string will never have

its end in. On the fourth day of March, OLD TIP will move in it. And then little Martin will have to shin it. So hurrah Boys, there's no two ways in

The fun we'll have at Old Tippeconoe's raisin'. From the Ohio State Journal-Extra.

Gen Harrison's Military Character-Slanders Refuted.

The following correspondence was called out in consequence of remarks relative to the character and conduct of Gen. Harrison, made by members of the House of Representatives of the State of Ohio, in their places on the floor of that House. A letter was addressed to each of the gentlemen, whose rement of the tacts which fell within his person

Washington, 28th. Feb. 1840, Dear Sir-Since writing to you, in answer to your

letter of the 17.h inst. It has occurred to me that a principal object of the falsehoods, relative to Gen. Harrison, which have found propogation on the floor of the Ohio House of Representatives, must be to make the impression that he is a Coward-and though you do not state in your letter the cause as. signed by his slanderers for his alledged absence from the command of his army at the battle of the Thames, I presume no motive for it less charitable than sheer cowardice would have been imputed by one capable of such misrepresentation of his conduct. But whatever may be the alleged inducement for the conduct attributed to him, the relation in which I then stood to hun, and my knowledge of what his actual conduct was, imposes on me the duty I have performed, of pronouncing the charge fulse-and I trust you will pardon me for suggesting the proprie ty, (if an appropriate occasion prevents itself, or car. be made in open session.) of demanding of the members of your House, who have made the charge, the authority upon which they made it; whether from their own knowledge or observation, or upon the in formation of others; and if upon the information of others, their names and residence. The original inventors of the falsehood ought to have the advantage of all the celebrity it is calculated to give them. On the subject of Gen. Harrison's personal bravery, is it not very remarkable, if he is a coward, that none of the gallant officers or soldiers who served with him under Gen. Wayne, or those who fought under his command at Tippecaçoe, at Fort Meigs, and the Thames, discovered his cowardice; and that the discovery should have remained to be made by some scurvy politician of the present day: for I will venture to predict, that no officer or soldier of respectability, who served with hun, or under his command, can be found to " take the responsibility" of charging him with cowardice. In connection with this subject, permit me to relate a fact which occur red in my presence, and which is calculated to give some idea of the character of Gen. Harrison's preger. On the day preceding the battle of the Thames,

After the return of the army to Detroit, that brave veteran, that just, good, and pure citizen, the late

when the first gun was fired at our advanced picket. I was at the tent of Gen. Harrison, who was then up at the fire. I had an opportunity to observe his manner; he was cool and collected, and every movement of his countenance, and every word he uttered at that trying moment-perhaps the most embarrasstantly, and accompanied by his staff, hastened in the direction of the line first attacked. A part of this line unable to witnstand the fierce and desperate onset of the Indians, the General met retiring within our lines in some disorder and confusion, closely pressed by the Indians, some of whom were in the midst of them. Gen. Harrison led in person a company of the 4th Infantry to the breach; and such was the effect of his bold and fearless behaviour, and so great was the confidence of his army in his ability to conduct them to victory, that his presence and voice at once rallied the rotreating detachment, and they took position at a point equally exposed, where half of their number, if not more, were either killed or wounded. The battle commenced at about 3 o'clock, in the morning, during a slight rain, and the attack became general within five minutes afterwards, and continued until the dawn of day; when by an almost general charge, the Indians broke and fled before out bayonets. The Dragoons afterwards proceeded to their village and burnt it. During the battle, Gen. Harrison was seen wherever danger was most imminen't, wherever the fight was the thickest. His Aid, Col. Owen, was killed at his side, and almost at the same moment a ball passed through the General's hat, grazing his head. There was not a spot within our lines secure from the shot of the enemy. On this, as on every other occasion within my observation, Gen. Harrison's conduct was that of a brave and skilful commander; always calm and cool in his manner, and wholly indifferent to his personal safety, possessing the peculiar faculty of at once discerning whatever was wanting, and of promptly applying the remedy. A single instant of vacillation or uncertainty of purpose; the slightest tremor of nerve or hesitation in mind, in the critical and appalling periods of the battle, would have been disastrous to his army. After the action, there seemed to be a universal admission by the officers and soldiers of the army, that there was not another officer in the battle, capable of having prevented a defeat and general massacre. Alt seemed to regard General Harrison as their deliverer

from the Indian scalping knife. According, to my best recollections, Fort Meigs was cannonaded, day and night, with but little intermission for about 11 days. Shortly after its commencement, Major Chambers, of the British army, was admitted into the stockade, the bearer from Gen. tensions to firmness and disregard of personal dan | Proctor of an invitation to surrender the garrison with the honors of war, on the ground that so small a force, about 1.000 men, could not sus

by their physicians as incoreable with theonsump tion," have been restored to perfect health by it.

Dr. Jonathan Going, President of the Granville College, Ohio, (late of New York) in a letter to Dr. Jayne, dated New York, December, 1836, says-"He was laboring under a severe cold, cough and hoarsness, and that his difficulty of breathing was able gentleman, was in the chair, and said it was so great that he telt hunself in imminent danger of | owing to the liberality of two Yorkshire noblemen, immediate suffication, but was pecfectly cured by using this Expectorant." Mrs Delks, of Salem, New Jarsey, was cured of Asthma, of twenty years standing, by using two bottles of this medicine .-Mrs. Ward, also of Salem, was cured of the same complaint by one bottle. A young lady, ilso of Sa-lein, who was believed by her friends to be far gone with consumption was perfectly restored by three bottles. Dr. Hamilton, of St. James, South Caroli na, was greatly affected by a cough, hoardness, and soreness of the lungs, and on using a bottle of this medicine found permanent relief.

Extract of a Certificate from the Rev. Dr. Babcock late President of the Waterville College, Maine. "From intimate personal acquaintance with Dr D. Jayne, a regular student of the Medical University of Pennsylvania, and an experienced success ful practitioner of medicine, I was prepaid to appreciate the numerous testimonials in favor of his different medical preparations, much more highly than, the great majority of those which are extensively enlogised. On trial of them in my own tamily, and some of them personally. I have more than realized their favorable anticipations. They are what they profess to be not quack nostrums-but skilfully prepared antidotes for some of the most afflictive of human diseases. 'I know that they are highly esteemed, and frequently prescribed, by some the most respectable of the regular practitioners of medicine in this city and elsewhere, and I do not hesitate to commend them as a valuable iddition to our materia medica, and a safe, as well as eminently useful remedy for the diseased." RUFUS BADCOCK, Jr.

Philadelphia, 7th June, 1838.

The Rev. C. C. P. Crosby, late Editor of the American Baptist, writes as follows:

NEW YORK. June 15, 1838. To Dr. Jayne-Dear Sir: I have made use of your Expectorant, personally and in my family, for the last six years with great benefit. Indied I may consider my life prolonged by the use of this valuable medicine, under the blessing of God, for several years. I may say almost as much in the case of my wife, and also of the Rev. Mr. Tin son, of the Isand of Jamuica. For all cases of cough, influmation of the chest, lungs, and throat. I do most unhesitatingly recommend this as the best medicine I have ever tried. My earnest wish is, that others afflicted as I have been, may experience the same relief, which I am persuaded they will, by using your Expectorant.

Extract of a certificate from the Rev. Mr. Brad-

ford. Dr. Jayne-Dear Sir My child, swing to expo sure, when recently coming up the Ohio, was attacked by that horrible malady; croup. We landde in the night at Beaver Point; and when our fears were alarmed, least the ligarse, sepulchral cough was the forerunner of death, we gave him a teaspoonful of the "Expectatant" (a bottle of which you presented me with when in Philadelphia) and applied some linament to the throat and breast; and before many minutes the hoarsness was gone, the child breathed freely and slept sweetly. Owing to These circumstances it cannot be wondered at why I have so high an opinion of Dr. Jayne's medicine, and why I advise every family to keep it on hand ready for any emergency. ARTHUR B. BRADFORD,

Pastor of the Presbylerian Church, Darlington, Pa. June 9th. 1839.

Numerous other certificates might be added, but the above are considered sufficient evidence of its great usefulness. Dr. Jayne's office is No. 20 South Third street, Philadelphia, where all priders will be promptly at-

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FREISCHUTZ.

One stormy night, at Vienna, a young man stumoled over a corpse which lay in the kennel. He shuddered, for he fancied that he had trodden upon the victim of some misfortune or some murder; but on stooping to assist a fellow creature, he soon ascertained that his foot had touched only a man who had taken too much wine.

"Thou drunkard !" exclaimed he. At these words the brute, wallowing in the mire, raised his head, wiand, with a faltering voice, said, "Don't go, I pray you, M. Weber. I am a drubkard ; but it is no reason why I should be left to die here. Take me to no fear; you are already soaked enough with rain not to dread being wetted to me."

Weber, moved by compassion, took the drunkard by the arm, and proceeded with him toward the quarter he had mentioned. Being put on his legs and in motion, the tippler recovered some strength, and some small share of his senses. In the struggle be- his cheeks .- The half burned fragment was an adtween nind and wine, various incoherant sentences escaped his lips.

"What a storm," said he "a splendid storm, infifty years ago, in the environs of Torre del Greco. ir, Italy. Then, Mr. Weber, I was young, handsome, and, like you, had talent. I composed operas, as you do. Brute that I am, I then dreamed of fame, glory and wealth, whilst doomed, in the pursuit of art, to fall into an abyss of gross intemperance and crunkenness. Once plunged into such infamy, it is as well to fall dead drunk into some kennel, and forget all for some hours.

Here he had a fit of laughter so loud and bitter that the howling of three or four terrified dogs responded

to it. "Let me see," continued he, " what was I just now saying ? Ah, I recollect. I was wandering about Torre del Greco in as horrible weather as this. I repeatedly knocked at the door of an isolated house. At length, a . Who's there ?' was uttered by a feeble voice. A stranger, who has lost his way and wants shelter,' cried I. The door was opened, and I beheld before me a nale-looking young man, who had just left his bed, where he was suffering, to afford me a refuge.—Shelter was all he could give, for I found in the room neither morsel of bread nor a drop of wine. When we had made some little acquaintance, I could not help expressing to my host my curprise at his loneliness.

"I have come hither,' said he, 'to conceal my shame, and die unknown.""

""Unknown!' exclaimed I. 'Yet I see here musical manuscript, with numerous corrections, which seem to denote that you are engaged in composition. It is a singular chance that brings us together ! I also dream of a maestro's glory, and am seeking through poverty, access to the sanctuary of art. I have fled

sacred fire of genius, I remembered poor Pergoleze's advice, and would return to my father's shop. Alas! al knowledge, respectively. The high char-I could no longer breathe in it; it was unto me a nur- acter of the gentlemen whose statements row cage, wherein I felt as if I were dving, for having rashly attempted to spread my wings towards the broad heavens. To quell my despair, to forget all, I took to drinking. Such is the reason why the boys daily pursue me in the streets, shouting out, 'There goes the drunkard!' Such is the reason you | youd doubt: have just found me rolling in the mire !"

As he was uttering this he had reached the door of a wretched dwelling. His voice was no longer af-

fected by his potations; his steps had become firm and steady. Weher was touched with compassion on beholding his pale countenance expressive of deep despair.

"Master," said the unknown," your voice and the recollections it has revived have destroyed in me the welcome effects of wine. This is the first time, for ten years past, that I re-enter this den not dead drunk. Heaven has doubtless ordained it to put an end to my miseries.

"Yes," exclaimed Weber, whose heart melted with pity, and who had mistook his meaning, "yes, tomorrow I shall come and see you. Yes, I shall assist you with my advice and the interest of my friends." The unknown shook his head, raised his eyes to

heaven, and took leave of Weber. Next day, when the latter, faithful to his promise, approached the unfortunate man's house, he perceived a large crowd gathered about it. He drew. near a party of police officers; they were conveying away the corpse of a man who had hanged himself ped the mud off his forehead with the back of his hand, | in the night, and in whose room, according to a neighbor's statement, nothing had been found but a wretched truckle bed and a large heap of burned papers. None knew the name of the man who for my home : I live close by, in the new staadt. Have | twenty years past had gone out drunk every morning | and returned drunk every night.

Weber recognized the dead body. Impelled by a sorrowful curiosity, he followed into the suicide's room a host of idie people who amused themselves in exploring it, and he happened to pick up a fragment of music paper. As he perused it a tear ran down mirable chorus of huntsmen. From a pious recolection of the poor unknown musician who had thus destroyed himself, Carl Maria Von Weber inserted deed! and yet I beheld one much more magnificent the piece into the opera he was then composing-the immortal Der Freuschutz.

Harrison Song.

TUNE-Gaily the Troubadore. Gaily did Harrison Come from his home, Whilst he was yet a youth, Not twenty-one; He joined our gallant band On our fiontiers, Harrison-Harrison-Give him three cheers.

Hark, all ye gallant Whigs, Firm, brave, and true, After he'd joined the band What did he do? He led to victory, Free from all fears, Harrison-Harrison-Give him three cheers.

Huzza for Harrison. Success to bim. He makes the Vanocrate Look rather slim; He is the people's man, Away with our fear, Harrison-Harrison-Give him three cheers.

Then let us stick to him, Young, old, and all, And, like Proctor's men, Matty must fall; Turn then, ye Vanocrats, Fear not their encers, Harrison-Harrison-Give him three cheers

have thus been obtained, (one of whom has been a uniform and prominent supporter of the last and present Administrations of the General Government.) is such as to put the facts to which they bear testimony, entirely be-WASHINGTON, Ky. 24th Feb. 1840.

Dear Sir:-Your letter of the 17th inst. eached me to day by the Southern mail. marked "mis sent, forwarded." This will account for your not having my answer at an earlier day. You have been correctly informed that "I was at the battle of the Thames, and near the person of Gen. Harrison, from the commencement to the termination of the engagement, and that I personally know what part Gen. Harrison took in it." I had the honor to act as a volunter Aid de-camp to

General Harrison, during the active operations of that campaign; and was at no time more than five minutes out of sight of him, on the day of the battle, until after the surrender of the British army, and retreat of the Indians. You say "it has been avowed on the floor of the Honse of Representatives (of Ohio) now in session, by members in their places, that Gen. Harrison was at no time in the battle, nor within two miles of the battle ground; that the entire plan of operation was

projected by Col. R. M. Johnson; that he led the troops on to conquest, and that Gen. Harrison had neither part or lot in the matter." From the reckless character of the attacks made upon Gen. Harrison, through the prostituted and pensioned press devoted to the support of the present administration, it is not surprising that that portion of its supporters, who read nothing else but the papers devoted to the re-election of Mr. Van Buren and abuse of Gen. Harrison, should make such statements; but that a member of a le gislative body, who, from his station, ought to be a man of information, and a gentleman, should be so ignorant of the history of one of the most important battles of the late war, or so utterly regardless of truth as to make such a statement, is truly astonishing. Every member of your legislature has, I presume, read Gen. Harrison's official account of the battle of the Thames; and wanton and unprincipled as have been the misrepresentations of Gen. Harrison's military character and conduct. I have now, (after a lapse of upwards of twenty-six years,) for the first time heard the intumation that his account was in any particular untrue. In that paper Gen. Harrison states correctly the position he occupied at the commencement of the action; and he might have stated, with equal truth, that he in person gave the word of command to the mounted regiment to "charge;" and that he advanced with it until it received the enemy's fire, and then passed rapidly to the left, where the Indians still obstinately maintained the fight. Such, sir. I aver to be the facts, and feel perfectly confident that General Cass (who was in the battle) and Gen. Harrison's other Aids de camp, will unhesitatingly sustain me in the statement; and it happens that they are all yet alive. One of them, Col. John O'Fallon, resides at St. Lonis, Missouri; and the others, Cols. Charles S. Todd, and John Speed Smith, at Shelbyville and Richmond, in this State. As to the statement, that," the entire plan of operations was projected by Col. Johnson," it is like the charge that Gen. Harrison was at no time in

of the river, (called, I think, M'Gregor's tork,) Gen. Harrison, occompanied by Commodore Perry and his aids de camp, rode forward to examine the bridge which crossed the month of the stream, and which the enemy had partially destroyed; and while viewing it, several hundred Indians, under the command of Tecomseh, as we learned afterwards, who were concealed at some cabins called Chatham. and in the bushes on the opposite side of the stream, commenced a brisk fire upon the little party, in the midst of which Gen. Harrison was. At that moment a di mounted company of Col. Johnson's Regiment, commanded by Gapt. Benjamin Warfield, who now resides in the neighborhood of Lexington, in this State, came up; the fire of the Indians was so severe, as to induce the gallant Perry to expostulate earnestly with Gen. Harrison against the exposure of his person to such a firc, when no good could result from it-but the General coolly replied, that he could not set the example of retiring from the fire of the enemy. The artillery came up in a few minutes and opened a fire upon the cabins, about which the Indians were concealed, and Capt. Warfield, crossing with his company on the timbers of the bridge to charge them, they ran off Respectfully, your obt. servt.

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JOHN CHAMBERS. Moses B. Corwin, Esq Columbus, Ohio. St. Louis, Feb. 26th, 1840.

Hon. Moses B. Conwin, Sir: Your favor of the 17th inst is just received, and I lose no time in giving it acknowledgement .----You request me to communicate the information I possess in relation to the military conduct of General Harrison at the battle of the Thames, the arrangements for the baltle, the position of the troops, as well as of the Gendral, during the engagement, together with any other knowledge I have touching his military character.

In reply, I submit the following statement: At the battle of the Thames, Col. Charles S. Todd, afterwards Inspector General of the Northwestern Army, and myself were the regular aids-de-camp of General Harrison. Majors John Chambers and John Speed Smith were the volunteer aids. The battle, as is well known, took place on the right bank of the Thames, near the Moravian village. A short distance from this place, and whilst our troops were in rapid pursuit of the enemy, General Harrison received information from an advanced party that the British and Indian forces had halted, and seemed to be awaiting us for battle. When within half a mile of the enemy, after the American forces were formed in the order of battle, Gen. Trotter's brigade in front, Col. Paul's regulars, with the artillery, near his right, Col. Johnson's mounted regiment on the left of Trotter as a reserve, and the residue of the Kentucky volunteers covering the left flank and rear. . Col. Wood, of the Engineer Corps, who, by order of Gen. Harrison. had approached, unobsesved by them, sufficiently near the front line of the enemy to ascertain their position and the order in which they were drawn up, reported that the British troops, in order to occupy the high ground between the river and the swamp a allel to it, were drawn up in extended or open or ler between these points; the Indians on their right, occupying the swamp and ground beyond it. Gen Harrison, without one moment's delay or the slightest embarrassment, formed his purpose. I was within a few feet of him when the report of Col. Wood was made, and he instantly remarked that he would make a novel movement by ordering Col. Johnson's mounted regiment to charge the line of the British regulars; which thus drawn up, contrary to the habits and usage of that description of troops, always accustomed to the touch, could be easily penetrated and thrown into confusion by the spirited charge of Col. Johnson's Regiment. With a view to this intended charge, Coll Johnson's command was ordered to the front, supported in his rear as a reserve by Gen. Trotter's Brigade. I know that all the grrangements, and every movement of the troops dueing the battle, were made by Gen. Harrison, whose attempted to force a bill through, legalizing the marposition at the commencement of the action was just | riage of blacks and whitee. The same thing was in rear of Col. Johnson's command, and mainly af- done in the Senate of Locofoco Maine, by a vote of the battle, nor within two miles of the battle terwards near the crotchet formed by the junction . 17 to Z.

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selves against four times their number, the estimated British and Indian force. Gen. Harrison at once rejected indignantly this proposition, replying to the insult in terms worthy of his high character. Both day and night during the siege, Gen. Harrison was most active, observing every movement of the enemy, and evincing his usual coolness, dauntless courage, and his happy readmoss to perceive and apply every incident to his advantage. He succoded in accomplishing every plan and movement where his orders were obeyed. I recollect not one instance to the contrary. The detachment under Col. Dudley, effected, in part, the object intended, in driving the Britisb Troops from their position; but they disobeyed order in not spiking the enemy's cannon, destroying then ammunition, and thereupon immediately recrossing the river to the main army. The two sorties on the south side of the river, and on the same day, planned and executed under orders from Gen. Harrison, were eminently scccessful, resulting in the objects designed, forcing the British to raise the siego of Fort Meige. That conducted by the brave and accomplished officer, then Col. John Miller, now a Representative in Congress from Missouri, intended to destroy a sunken battery, that had annoved us very seriously, by enfilading our rear line of pickets, as well as to prevent the almost entire Indian force, then investing the fort on that side of the river, from co-operating with the British against Dudley's attack, made at the same time, on the opposite side, considering the very great disparity between our force, and that of the enemy, being as four to one, was, I must be allowed to say,

one of the most brilliant affairs of the last war. Gen. Winchester's movement, to the river Raisin where he was defeate !, was in disobedience of Gen. Harrison's order, which required him to proceed to the Rapids of the Maumee of the Lakes, and to remain there for further orders.

I have extended my remarks beyond what I designed, when I commenced, but you will perceive my object was to give a full and satisfactory answer to your interrogatories. I aver, that on every occasion, when Gen. Harrison commanded, he ever disregarded personal danger and sacrifice, in the performance of duty, exhibiting all the fine qualities of a dauntless soldier, combined with those of a talented. skillful, and most able General. Why, at this remote period, when death has swept away so many memorials of Gen. Harrison's intrepidity and excellence, should the poisoned spirit of political envy, attempt thus to tarnish the hard earned laurels of the veteran soldier, who, in public, as in private life, has lived without far and without reproach."

This, sir, is what I have to say of Gen. Harrison. doubt whether there is another living who has possessed equal opportunities with myself of forming a correct opinion of Gen. Harrison's military character. I served under him the greater part of the period he was in active service, near his person; commencing with the Tippecanoe expedition, and continuing to its termination; rejoining his army in the fall of 1812, at Franklinton, Ohio, where, immediately on my arrival, I became a member of his military family, as Secretary: In the winter of 1812 and 1813, was appointed his Acting Deputy Adjutant General; and in May, 1813, immediately after the riege of Fort Meigs his Aid de camp, which station I held to the lose of his military service. And in conclusion, I can cafely say, that I never in my life, saw a braver man in battle, one more collected, prompt and full of resources, than General William Henry Hirrison. I have the honor to be, with great respect, your J. OFALLON: nost obenient servant. (To be continued next week.)

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