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Sir,

You will receive herewith enclosed two Acts of Congress of the 26th & 27th Instant.

The former recommending to those of the States where Debts are due to the Inhabitants from the Quarter Masters & Commissary's Department by Notes, or Certificates given as mentioned in the Act, to make Provision for discounting & discharging such Debts, by empowering the Collectors to receive them in Payment of the Taxes due to the first of March last in the Manner prescribed in the Act.

It is hoped this may prove beneficial in those States where considerable Debts are due, under the Circumstances before mentioned, and in those States only can the Act be properly applied.

By the other Act of the 27th
you

you will be informed of the Measure adopted by
Congress to equip for Sea the Naval Force of the
United States with the utmost Expedition, as
also their Recommendation to the several States
to adopt the necessary Measures for promoting
Harmony & forwarding the common Views of
France & America as expressed in the Resolutions
enclosed; which it is not doubted will meet with
due Consideration & Attention from the several
States, and receive the necessary Aid of the Legis-
latures to carry the same into Execution as
speedily as the Nature of the Case will admit.

I have the honour to be
with the greatest Respect
Sir
your hble servant
Jas. Huntington President

The Honble The President of the Council of New Hampshire