

youngful, ripe in mind, collected and brave when danger threatened, kind and gentle in all his social relations...

Again we see him, in the hour of our country's perils, throwing aside his civil duties and his honors, and yet rising in public esteem...

In Congress we find him devising a system to divide the public lands in small lots, so that every poor man could purchase a home and a farm...

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The People have called upon his name to be their candidate for the Presidency because you have abused their confidence...

WASHINGTON, March 28, 1840. To the Editors of Telegraph and Intelligence. Sir: I have this evening received your letter...

He is a farmer as well as a soldier and statesman; he understands the interest of the farmers, and has a sympathy which you have not for the laboring man...

The voice of the People is heard already like the moving of mighty waters. They have agitated the waters that healing may spring from them...

"The People will ever remember," in the patriotic sentiment of General Harrison, "that to preserve their liberties, they must do their own voting and their own fighting."

Anecdote of Gen. Harrison. The following circumstance was mentioned during the session of the Harrisburg Convention by Judge Burnett...

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The said preamble and Resolutions were then taken up, and unanimously adopted, by all of the very respectable number who remained in the Court House.

On motion, the following Resolutions were also adopted. Resolved, That the thanks of this meeting are tendered to those gentlemen...

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