

Commemorates Appropriately the Life and
Deeds of the Greatest Chief Jus-
tice of the United States.

John Adams eloquized the attitude of the Marshall in the trial of Aaron Burr. "Every one remembers the brilliant and magnificent court of Burr. And he who killed Hamilton, who has a firm opinion of Marshall's, so that if the law is against any predictions they were made, he is a prisoner; some of the great men were on the side of the prosecution, some of whom was William Wirt, whose speech has come down to the present generation. Everyone demands to know of Aaron Burr. But little is known of the greater of the man, and upon the Bench upon which he presided the pressure that was brought upon him, he sat there prepared to die to the prisoner every right that

tion at thbar. His service in the Virginia convention gave him an opportunity to voice his opposition to the adoption of our present Constitution. The weakness of the national power under the Articles of Confederation, the sufferings of the army, and the constant jealousies between the States in consequence of that weakness, had given him conclusions in favor of the adoption for a better form of government. The same convictions made him a warm supporter of the administrations of Washington and the elder Adams, and he ranked him to that great Federalist leader, John Adams, as the second in genius of Hamilton. As a Federalist he served his country as envoy to France, and a member of Congress.

His short service as secretary of state under John Adams was clouded

Just a century ago, on Feb. 4, John Marshall of Virginia took his seat as chief justice of the United States. Through the efforts of the supreme court justices, John Marshall day is being widely observed throughout the country.

"Wherefore, We respectfully move this honorable court that it do adjourn over respect for the memory of the soldier, statesman, diplomat, jurist and upright citizen, John Marshall, chief justice of the United States, and expounded of the Constitution.

"D. H. WELLS,
"BENNER X. SMITH,
"WILLIAM A. LEE."

"Upon the reading of the foregoing motion, it is hereby ordered that the motion be not do adjourn as therein recited.

W. C. HALL,
C. W. MORSE,
S. W. STEWART."

The above order was signed by the court at the close of the meeting.

MIL WELLS' ADDRESS.

Mr. Wells writes:

the victim of an execution. The emperor, however, was a shining exemplar of all sovereign virtues and who was united to me sentiments of true friendship."

His majesty proceeded: "The cordial feeling which I have for you is united with the powers allied to us unaltered, and I rejoice to recall evidences of German sympathy which received such touching expression on the occasion of the visit to the Emperor William by the inhabitants of the capital of Germany."

In connection with events in China the emperor said:

"The effort of the powers are directed to the restoration of an order and union of things, while upholding the integrity of China. Happily, therefore no apprehension need be entertained that events in any part of the world will be detrimental to the interests of China."

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