

a result; and why their should be asked to surrender voluntarily? For my part, I see nothing to induce us to go into a Union with Canada. If the Canadians take into their heads to agitate a Union of the colonies, let us no more be asked to go into a Union with them, but let us whether we will go into the Union or not. I have no intention to go into the Union; for I do not see what we would gain by it. Our expenses and taxes would be increased, and our liberties would be curtailed. As our friends are so much in the habit of saying that we are in the Constitution of the country as we found it, and if the people desire a change it will be for them to say so at the next election. There was nothing about this question when we were elected; and I do not think there is any necessity to discuss it at home. Great things have to be said by each of itself outside the country. This Resolution