

FRIENDSHIP, COMMERCE, AND NAVIGATION

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ADDITIONAL ARTICLE TO THE CONVENTION OF FRIENDSHIP, COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION CONCLUDED AT WASHINGTON ON THE TWENTIETH DAY OF DECEMBER 1828, BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, AND THE HANSEATIC REPUBLICS OF LUBECK, BREMEN AND HAMBURG

The United States of America, and the Hanseatic Republics of Lubeck, Bremen and Hamburg, wishing to favour their mutual commerce, by affording, in their ports, every necessary assistance to their respective vessels, the Undersigned Plenipotentiaries have further agreed upon the following Additional Article to the Convention of Friendship, Commerce and Navigation, concluded at Washington, on the twentieth day of December 1827,² between the Contracting Parties.

The Consuls and Vice Consuls may cause to be arrested the sailors, being part of the crews of the vessels of their respective countries, who shall have deserted from the said vessels, in order to send them back, and transport them out of the country. For which purpose the said Consuls and Vice-Consuls, shall address themselves to the Courts, judges, and officers competent, and shall demand the said deserters, in writing, proving, by an exhibition of the registers of the said vessels, or ship's roll, or other official document, that those men were part of said crews; and on this demand being so proved (saving, however, where the contrary is proved), the delivery shall not be refused, and there shall be given all aid and assistance to

¹ For a detailed study of this additional article, see 3 Miller 447.

² TS 157, *ante*, p. 41.