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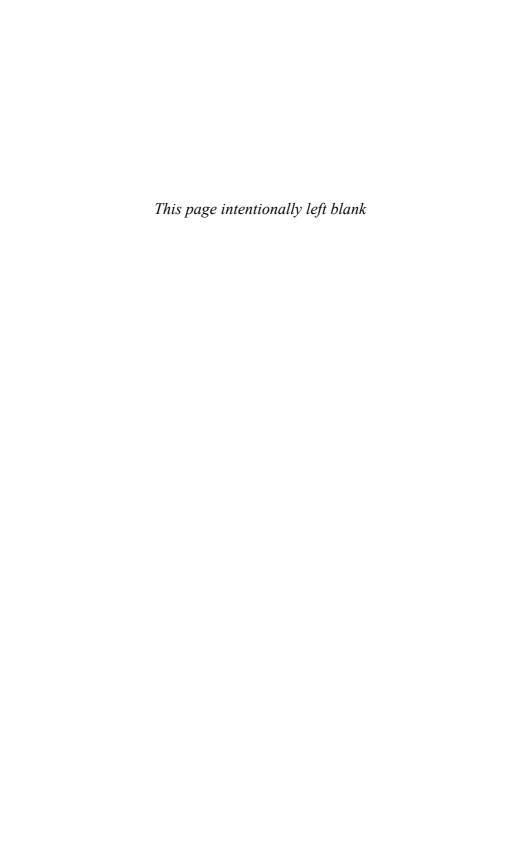
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Behold my Doom! This feather'd omen,
Portends what dismal times are coming.
Now future scenes before my eyes,
And second-sight forms arise;
I hear a voice that calls away,
And cries, The Whigs will win the Day;
My beck'ning Genius gives command,
And bids us fly the fatal land;
Where, changing name and constitution,
Rebellion turns to Revolution,
While loyalty oppressed in tears,
Stands trembling for his neck and ears.

—John Trumbull, MacFingal (Philadelphia, 1776), 117

