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[Presented by Mr. Neville of Cambridge. April 13.]

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Three.

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RESOLUTION ON THE TWO HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF  
THE BIRTH OF THOMAS JEFFERSON.

1 *Whereas*, The two hundredth anniversary of the  
2 birth of Thomas Jefferson, the author of the Declara-  
3 tion of Independence and the third President of the  
4 United States, is being celebrated in the current  
5 month throughout the nation; and

6 *Whereas*, The occasion of said anniversary directs  
7 the public attention to that great statesman, diplo-  
8 mat and author, whose character and accomplish-  
9 ments reveal elements of true greatness; and

10 *Whereas*, The House of Representatives desires to  
11 take recognition of said anniversary, therefore, it is

12 *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives pay  
13 its respects to the memory of Thomas Jefferson by  
14 standing for one minute in silent tribute to the memory  
15 of "the Father of our Democracy".

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 13, 1943.

Adopted.

LAWRENCE R. GROVE,  
Clerk.

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