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As soon as this intelligence [of N.Y.'s ratification] reached the city, a number of *federalists*, as the impudent tories, refugees, and those who have fostered in the bosom of the our enemies during the late contest with Great-Britain, call themselves, assembled in the night, when everything was hused in silence and repose, and attacked the dwelling of Mr. *Thomas Greenleaf*, the Editor of the *old New-York Journal*, and destroyed the printing-apparatus; because, it is said, some of the above-mentioned gentry were displeased at the account given in that paper of last Tuesday's parade.

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