

no justice business. In Essex there are now five
Justices viz four Federalists (of whom one is an Englishman)
& one Democrat. This Brimmer is a Scotchman by birth,
& a Tory by education, he is no admirer of a King unless
he wear a crown upon his head & he has never been thought
of consequence enough by his political friends to be made
a Justice of. If appointed he would be entirely under
the influence of the Federal lawyer at Essex, & in
giving sentence he would look rather to the political
sentiments of the parties than to the merits of the cause.

Should any corroboration of my opinion be required I
do not hesitate to say that it may be procured from every
republican in Essex whose opinion ought to be of any
weight.

I am very respectfully

Sir

Yr. obed^t Serv^t

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William King
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