WASHINGTON ON YOUR SIDE

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Moderato

N.C.

It must__ be nice,______ it must__ be nice______
to have Washington on your side.

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JEFFERSON:

Every action has its equal, opposite reactions.
Thanks to Hamilton, our cabinet's fractured into factions.

Try not to crack under the stress, we're breaking down like fractions.

We smack each other in the press, and we don't print retractions.
I get no satisfaction witnessing his fits of passion.

(perc. simile)

The way he primps and preens and dresses like the pits of fashion.

Our poorest citizens, our farmers, live ration to ration

as Wall Street robs 'em blind in search of chips to cash in.
This prick is ask-in' for some-one to bring him to task.

Some-bod-y gim-me some dirt on this vac-uous mass so we can at last un-mask him.

I'll pull the trigger on him some-one load the gun and cock it.

While we were all watch-ing, he got Wash-ing-ton in his pocket.
N.C.  
BURR/
JEFFERSON:

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Look back at the Bill of Rights. Which I wrote.

The ink hasn't dried.

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N.C. MADISON:

So he's doubled the size of the government. Wasn't the trouble with much of our previous

as before

BURR: Government size? Look in his eyes! JEFFERSON: See how he lies. MADISON: Follow the scent of his

F

JEFFERSON: Enterprise. Centralizing national credit and making American

E♭

MADISON: Credit competitive. If we don't stop it we aid and abet it. I have to resign.
F/C
MADISON:
Some-body has to stand up for the South!

Bbm/Db
BURR:
Some-body has to stand up to his mouth!

Dm7
JEFFERSON:
If there's a fire you're trying to douse, you can't put it out from inside the house.

F
JEFFERSON:
I'm in the cabinet. I am complicit in watching him grabbin' at power and kiss it. If

Eb
N.C.
Washington isn't gon' listen to disciplined dissidents, this is the difference: This kid is
MADISON/JEFFERSON/BURR:

out! Oh! This immigrant isn't somebody we chose.

drums

F₅/E♭

Oh! This immigrant's keeping us all on our toes.

F₅

Oh! Let's show these Federalists who they're up against!

simile
Oh! Southern mother-fuckin' Democratic Re-

-publi-cans! Oh! Let's follow the money and see where it goes.

Oh! Because every second the Treasury grows.

Oh! If we follow the money and see where it leads
get in the weeds, look for the seeds of Hamilton's misdeeds.

BURR/JEFFERSON/MADISON:

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N.C.  Eb₆  Eb  Eb₅  MADISON:

Follow the money and see where it goes.
BURR/
JEFFERSON/
MADISON:

It must be nice,

JEFFERSON:
The emperor has no clothes.

BURR/
JEFFERSON/
MADISON:

We won't be invisible,
We won't be denied.

it must be nice.

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