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12. What was coming up that motivated Davy Crockett to travel around his district?
13. What must be held sacred and rigidly observed in all its provisions?
14. What ought to have in the Treasury no more than enough for its legitimate purposes?
15. What is the most dangerous power that can be intrusted to man?
16. What has no right to give to charity?
17. Who may give as much of their own money as they please?
18. What is the result if Congress begins to stretch its power beyond the limits of the Constitution?
19. What did Davy Crockett promise to wish for if he voted for another unconstitutional law?
20. What was the name of the farmer who taught Davy Crockett the Constitution and the proper role of government?
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