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distance, instead of immediately
communicating to ~~Washington~~ the
commander in Chief the intelligence
of the capture of Burgoyne, as it was
his duty to do, he sent his des-
patches directly to Congress, leaving
SHR Washington to receive information
of this important event through an
indirect channel.

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~~This passing piece of disrespect~~
~~was treated by Washington with this~~

