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Ah, not this granite, dead and cold!
Far from its base and shaft expanding—the
round zones circling, comprehending;
Thou, WASHINGTON, art all the world’s, the
continents entire—not yours alone,
America;
Europe’s as well, in every part, castle of lord
or laborer’s cot,
Or frozen North, or sultry South—the Arab’s in
his tent—the African’s;
Old Asia’s there with venerable smile, seated
amid her ruins;
(Greets the antique the hero new? ’tis but the
same—the heir legitimate, continued
ever,
The indomitable heart and arm—proofs of the
never-broken line,
Courage, alertness, patience, faith, the same—
—’e’en in defeat defeated not, the same:)
Wherever sails a ship, or house is built on land,
or day or night,
Through teeming cities’ streets, indoors or out,
factories or farms,
Now, or to come, or past—where patriot wills
exist or exist,
Wherever Freedom, poised by Tolerations,
swayed by Law,
Stands or is rising thy true monument.
February 21, 1885. WALT WHITMAN.

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