

FOR THE GAZETTE OF THE UNITED STATES.

MR. FENNO,
The following paraphrase originally appeared in a much more limited form—by publishing it with the additions, you will oblige
The Author.

CHARITY.

13th Chap. 1st Corinthians, versified.

THO' I enraptured wake the unrival'd lyre,
Warm'd with the Muse's or a seraph's fire,
In various tongues sublimest wonders tell,
Describe the joys of heaven, the woes of hell—
Tho' I the lofty heights of science gain,
And art's and nature's mysteries explain—
Tho' skill'd profoundly in prophetic lore,
With piercing ken futurity explore—
Tho' I have faith sufficient to sustain
And hurl the ponderous mountains to the main—
Devoid of Charity, I shall be found,
Vain as a shadow, empty as a sound.
Were I possess'd of affluent India's store,
And unreserv'd dispense it to the poor—
Tho' I resign my body to the flame,
To gain a martyr's or a hero's name—
While selfish motives actuate my soul,
And every nobler sentiment controul,
Void of benevolence, I still remain
As nothing empty, as a shadow vain.
Celestial Charity, supremely kind,
Illumes, expands, and animates the mind,
To noble and disinterested deeds,
Allures to holiness, to glory leads,
Disdains each selfish and contracted plan,
And seeks the general happiness of man—
Unenvied views the splendors of the great,
And honors merit in the humblest state—
On human frailties casts a pitying eye,
And heaves with woe the sympathetic sigh—
Weights variant tenets with an equal scale—
Exulting, fees, o'er error, truth prevail—
With pristine beauty rekindles the soul,
Permeates each passion, and sublimates the whole;
Dispels each vile affection from the breast,
And opens the regions of eternal rest
To every nation, and to every sect
Who fear Jehovah, and his name respect.
Calm resignation on her votaries waits,
To smooth the rugged paths of adverse fates;
And patience mild, dispensing as the gods,
Her lenient balm, amid a world of woes;
And brilliant faith, each dreary scene that cheers,
And opens the seats of heaven's perennial years;
Hence suffering merit lists a hopeful eye,
And views those happier scenes beyond the sky,
Where equity, enthroned, forever reigns;
Where endless pleasures triumph o'er the plains;
Where friendship, love, and joy united meet,
And injured virtue finds a bliss retreat.
Hail peerless virtue, loveliest of the train—
Fair Charity!—extend thy mild domain
O'er every land, till war and discord cease,
And every nation join in leagues of peace—
Till sin and error from their seats are hurl'd,
And pure religion lumines the world.
When art, when science, and prophetic lore—
When various languages are known no more—
When final ruin o'er the world extends—
When faith in vision, hope in glory ends—
This godlike virtue Charity divine,
Thro' vast eternity shall brighter shine—
Awake to praise the celestial choirs,
Attune their lays, and animate their lyres.

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MR. THOMAS, of Worcester, Massachusetts, most respectfully informs the public, that he has this day completed the Old and New Testaments of his Royal Quarto Edition of the HOLY BIBLE. The Apocrypha and Index, &c. will be finished with all the dispatch the nature of the work will admit.

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He is happy to inform the public, that the work has been examined by many gentlemen, clergymen and others, and has met with their highest approbation; both as to the execution of the printing, its correctness, and its cheapness compared with English copies of the same size and quality.

As this very laborious and exceedingly expensive undertaking, is carried on solely at his own cost, he is led to hope that all those who wish to possess a large Family Bible, will so far encourage this laudable undertaking of their countryman, as to add their names to the subscription.

Worcester, Sept. 29, 1791.

ISAIAH THOMAS.

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Princeton, October 10, 1791.

ISAAC SNOWDEN, Junior.
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THE Honorable JAMES WILSON, L. L. D. Professor of Laws in the College and Academy of Philadelphia, proposes to deliver, next Winter, two Courses of Lectures. One Course to begin on the Second Monday, the other on the Second Tuesday of December.

Philadelphia, October 12, 1791.

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N. B. An EVENING SCHOOL will be opened for grown Gentlemen, as soon as a sufficient number offer.

Philadelphia, September 24, 1791.

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New-Haven Wharf Lottery.

THE MANAGERS of NEW-HAVEN WHARF LOTTERY, have unexpectedly received information from abroad, of a considerable number of Tickets yet unsold. This renders it necessary for them (in order to answer the design of the Lottery) to adjourn the drawing to Monday the 17th of October next, at which time the drawing will positively re-commence, and continue without interruption until finished.

New-Haven, Sept. 28, 1791.

N. B. The numbers already drawn, both prizes and blanks, will be published immediately, in hand-bills, and in the Connecticut Journal, for the information of those who wish to purchase Tickets now undrawn.

Forty Dollars Reward.

LAST night was broke open the Store of the subscriber, at Bordentown, and stolen from the same the following articles, viz. One hair trunk, containing womens' wearing apparel; 1 small box, containing four clocks and one dozen testaments; 1 ditto containing one bottle green cloth coat, one striped vest and breeches, two shirts and a small bag with 36 dollars and 20s. to 30s. Jersey coppers; 1 keg containing a large bible, with other small books; 1 box containing 447 real ostrich feathers, some of them large and elegant, and of different colours; 2 barrels rye meal, branded Stout and Imlay; 1 barrel pork, 1 ream paper, and 1 dozen paste-boards.—Stolen at the same time, a large Batteau, with black sides.

A reward of Twenty Dollars will be given for the security of the above property, so that the owners may have the articles again, or in proportion for part thereof; also a further reward of Twenty Dollars will be given for the security of the perpetrator or perpetrators, so that they may be brought to justice, by

JOHN VAN EMBURGH.

Bordentown, New-Jersey, Sept. 1, 1791.

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UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA,

October 7, 1791.

The MEDICAL LECTURES will begin on the first Monday in November next.

ADVERTISEMENT.

BY late arrivals from France, the Editor has received from No. 10 to 31, both inclusive, of a Publication which comes out twice a week in Paris, entitled, "CORRESPONDANCE NATIONALE."—From No. 1 to No. 10, have been shipped, but are not yet come to hand. Any person who may incline to subscribe for this work, which appears to be ingenious, impartial and patriotic, may be furnished with the numbers as they arrive by applying to the Editor of this Gazette.

Blank Powers to receive the Interest, and for the transfer of the principal of public debt, agreeable to the Rules established in the Treasury Department: Also Blanks for abstracts of Certificates, to be sold by the Editor.

The JOURNAL of the THIRD SESSION of the SENATE of the UNITED STATES, may be had of the Editor hereof.

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ORIGINAL ADDRESS.

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT this important crisis, the ideas that fill the mind, are pregnant with events of the greatest magnitude—to strengthen and complete the union of the States—to extend and protect their commerce—to explore and arrange the national funds—to restore and establish the public credit—will require the energies of the patriots and sages of our country—Hence the propriety of increasing the mediums of knowledge and information.

AMERICA, from this period begins her national existence—"THE WORLD IS ALL BEFORE HER"—the wisdom and folly—the misery and prosperity of the empires, states, and kingdoms, which have had their day upon the great theatre of time, and are now no more, suggest the most important mementos—these, with the rapid series of events, in which our country has been involved, have taught the enlightened citizens of the United States, that freedom and government, liberty and laws, are inseparable.

This conviction led to the adoption of the new constitution; for however various the sentiments, respecting the merits of this system, all GOOD MEN are agreed in the necessity of an efficient federal government.

A paper, therefore, established upon national, independent, and impartial principles—which shall take up the premises articles, upon a COMPETENT PLAN, it is presumed, will be highly interesting, and meet with public approbation and patronage.

The Editor of this publication is determined to leave no avenue of information unexplored:—He solicits the assistance of persons of leisure and abilities—which, united with his own assiduity, he flatters himself will render the Gazette of the United States not unworthy general encouragement—and is, with due respect, the public's humble servant,

April 15, 1789.

THE EDITOR.

POSTSCRIPT.

THE plan and execution of the GAZETTE OF THE UNITED STATES, have received the approbation of a tribunal, from which there is no appeal.

The subscriptions, which are increasing, have long since exceeded the expectations of the publisher—a punctual compliance with the terms would compensate his labours, and animate his future exertions.

The Government that an enlightened and free people adopt, is a sacred consideration—it knows no party—and its prosperity is founded on the public good.

While the people are just to themselves, the administration of their affairs will be committed to men of integrity and competent abilities; and it will be the duty of patriotism to impress the public mind with favorable sentiments of the measures of government.

Our country continuing enlightened and free, the period cannot be anticipated when a publication on the plan of this Gazette shall involve a dereliction of those principles with which the liberties and happiness of the United States are connected.

With respect to the circulation of this paper, the Editor regrets the recent disappointments which have unavoidably taken place—he has always been fully impressed with the importance of punctuality, and cannot charge himself with a single instance of remissness.

It is very generally supposed that Congress, at the ensuing session, will take measures to ensure the circulation of NEWS-PAPERS in the United States; and particularly their transmission from the Seat of Government to all parts of the Union. Justice, policy and patriotism, plead irresistibly in favor of some effectual provision's being made. The following pertinent and judicious observations on this subject, lately appeared in an address to the public from the Editor of the GAZETTE OF MAINE. They are substituted in preference to any thing which the editor of this paper might further suggest, more particularly as coming from a remote quarter of the Union.

"Perhaps there is no country, in any part of the world, the inhabitants of which are, (or may be) supplied with public Newspapers at a cheaper rate than those of America. The Farmer and the Merchant, the Laborer and the Mechanic, may, by the means of a public Paper, when he retires from the business and fatigues of the day, take a view of the situation, the circumstances and the various revolutions of the several countries of the civilized world.—And it must be a pleasing circumstance, that this is the privilege, emphatically the privilege of an American.

"Let it therefore be remembered, that by virtue of this privilege, the body of the people constantly obtain and preserve such a degree of knowledge as shall be competent to the prevention of any attempt that may be made by cunning and designing men to sap the foundation of our most invaluable constitution. But, let the circulation of these Vehicles of Public Information be circumscribed, and the people will at once become uninformed of public transactions, and the more enlightened few will engross the privileges, immunities and prerogatives, which in the nature and sinews of things, are the indefeasible right of the whole body of the people.

"It is presumed no American will need a stimulus of this nature to furnish himself with public information. The cheap rate at which it is offered, the love and glory of our country, will at all times promote such a mode of conduct, as shall forever bar the attempts of tyranny, ignorance and superstition."

Several of the first volumes of this Gazette are wanted—copy, and the original cost, will be paid for them by the Editor.