

# The "Antheneum Head," 1796



The unfinished bust made by Gilbert Stuart at Washington's own request. It is the world's accepted portrait. Stuart explained that the strained appearance of his subject's mouth was due to a new set of false teeth which Washington was using. The original is now in the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.—From the Booklover's Magazine.

## The Words of Washington.

(Selected From the Speeches of George Washington.)

The battlefield should be the last resource of nations.

There is a natural and necessary progression from the extreme of anarchy to the extreme of tyranny, and arbitrary power is most easily established on the ruins of liberty abused to licentiousness.

The basis of our political systems is the right of the people to make and to alter their constitutions of government. But the constitution which at any time exists, till changed by an explicit and authentic act of the whole people, is sacredly obligatory upon all.

It is among the evils, and perhaps not the smallest, of democratical governments, that the people must feel before they can see. When this happens, they are aroused to action; hence it is that those kinds of governments are so slow.

Observe good faith and justice toward all nations, and cultivate peace and harmony with all; religion and morality enjoin this conduct, and can it be that good policy does not equally enjoin it? It will be worthy of a free, enlightened, and at no distant period, a great nation, to give to mankind the magnanimous, and the novel example of a people always guided by unexcelled justice and benevolence.

Fully apprised of the influence which sound learning has on religion and manners, on government, liberty and law, I shall only lament my want of abilities to make it still more extensive.

Lentily will operate with greater force, in some instances, than rigor; it is, therefore, my first wish to have my whole conduct distinguished by it.

I have already intimated to you the danger of parties in the State; let me now take a more comprehensive view, and warn you in the most solemn manner against the baneful effects of the spirit of party generally. In proportion as the structure of a government gives force to public opinion, it is essential that public opinion should be enlightened.

Religion is as necessary to reason as reason is to religion; one cannot exist without the other; a reasoning being would lose his reason in attempting to account for the great phenomena of nature had he not a supreme being to refer to, and well has it been said that if there had been no God mankind would have been obliged to imagine one.

Retaliation is certainly just, and sometimes necessary, even where attended with the severest penalties, but when the evils which may be and must result from it exceed those intended to be redressed, prudence



## MAYONNAISE OF FLOUNDERS.

Put some filets of flounder into boiling water with a little salt and lemon juice and cook till tender, then drain thoroughly.

When cold put them in the centre of some chopped lettuce, cover with mayonnaise sauce and garnish with slices of tomatoes and hard-cooked eggs.—Boston Post.

## BIET AND CAULIFLOWER SALAD

Take some thin slices of cooked beets, some cold cooked potatoes, some cold cooked cauliflower and a little chopped parsley. Pour over the following dressing and salt and pepper to taste:

Put 1 level teaspoonful of mustard, 1 teaspoonful anchovy sauce, 1 tablespoonful of milk or cream and 1 desertspoonful of vinegar. Mix the mustard with the anchovy, then add the milk and lastly the vinegar. Tomatoes are equally good served in the same way.—Boston Post.

## A RADISH NOVELTY.

Who has ever eaten cooked radishes? Their devotees declare them more digestible than raw ones and fully as appetizing. Here is the way one woman prepared them to convince doubting friends:

She cut large white radishes into rounds about a half-inch thick. These were boiled in slightly salted water—not too much—for about ten minutes and were then fried in hot butter until tender. They were highly seasoned with pepper, salt, a little sugar and just a drop of vinegar.—Indianapolis News.

## IMITATION PRESERVED GINGER

Three pounds of squash (weighed after peeling), 2 pounds white sugar, 1 ounce ginger (ground), rind of 6 lemons, juice of 2. Peel the squash, take out the seeds and slice into pieces about an inch thick and two inches long, strain the lemon juice and grate the rind quite fine, add sugar and ginger put together in a pan and boil until clear, about one hour. Be very careful that it does not burn. Keep airtight as other preserves.—Boston Post.

## HARD SAUCE FOR SUET PUDDING

Cream together 1 cup powdered sugar and 1-2 cup butter, flavor with 1-4 teaspoon vanilla. Divide into three parts. Rub 2 teaspoonfuls cocoa into 1 part, or enough to give a rich brown color. Color one-third with pink confectioners' coloring and leave one-third plain. Grease a cup well with butter and pack the cream mixture in so that colors will be distinct. Set in a cold place to harden, and when ready to serve run a knife around cup to loosen the sauce. Serve a slice on each portion of pudding. This closely resembles harlequin ice cream in appearance. This amount makes sufficient for five portions. Pack the above mixture from side to side of cup, not from bottom to top.—Boston Post.

## BOILED SALMON.

Choose a piece from the middle of the fish. Place it in a fish kettle of boiling water, to which a tablespoonful of salt has been allowed to each quart of water.

Placing the fish in the water lowers the temperature to below the boiling point, and at this lower temperature the water should be kept while the fish is being cooked.

Allow eight minutes for each pound of fish, and an extra eight minutes besides. If the piece is very large and thick, a quarter of an hour should be allowed in addition to the regulation eight minutes per pound.

Remove the scum before lifting out the fish from the water.

Place the salmon on a large dish garnished with a few slices of cucumber, and squeeze over the fish the juice of half a lemon.

Serve with the following sauce: Blend 2 tablespoonfuls of butter and 2 tablespoonfuls of flour in a saucepan over the fire, add 1 cupful of cold water, seasoning of white pepper and salt.

Stir till boiling, then add 2 heaping tablespoonfuls of capers and a teaspoonful of vinegar. Serve hot.—Boston Post.

## HINTS.

To remove mildew from clothes, mix equal parts of soft soap with powdered starch, half as much common salt and the juice of half a lemon. Spread it over the mildew spots, and then lay the article on the grass day and night until the stain comes out.

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## NEWS OF NEWS.

Two Cuban editors were sentenced at Havana for libeling President Gomez.

Athens hoped that Italy would call a conference of the Powers on the Cretan question.

Emil von Mueller, locked in a cell at Hoboken, N. J., denied that he had married nineteen women.

Senator Frank P. Flint, of California, announced that he would not be a candidate for re-election.

Storage houses, railroads, farmers and middlemen all denied responsibility for high prices of food.

Mr. Aldrich introduced a resolution providing for the creation of a budget commission at Washington, D. C.

Hatters have planned to carry the decision in the Danbury (Conn.) boycotting case to the United States Supreme Court.

Justice Goff set aside a verdict of murder in the second degree in a trial for murder in the first degree and surprised the defense.

Fifty-five hundred needy men were provided with new shoes and warm socks by "Big Tim" Sullivan at his annual distribution in New York City.

Strikes involving 500,000 persons within the next few months are predicted by labor leaders, who expected the building trades workers to go out soon, with railroad men and others to follow.

At a meeting of the Reichstag in Berlin a great uproar was caused by the declaration of a Conservative Deputy that the Emperor had the right to close the assemblage with a file of soldiers.

The steamship Kentucky sank off Cape Hatteras, but her "S O S" by wireless was picked up by several war vessels and merchantmen which started to the rescue and the steamship Alamo saved the forty-seven persons aboard the sinking vessel.

## NEWSY GLEANINGS.

Many British Cabinet chances make a difficult task for Mr. Asquith.

Nicaraguan revolutionists were successful in two engagements near Acocapa.

Mons Rostand's "Chanteclair" was produced in Paris for the benefit of the food sufferers.

President Taft ordered that the tariff shall not be shielded in the Congressional investigation of the cost of living.

Officials of express companies testified that rates are no higher than successful conduct of their business demands.

Vivisection Reform, a new magazine, made its appearance and stated its position as against the needless torture of animals.

Canada will not be able to recover for the loss due to the Quebec Bridge disaster, reports George P. Graham, Dominion Minister of Railways and Canals.

C. H. Adams, arrested in New York City, is said by Postoffice inspectors to be one of a gang that has cleared \$250,000 in five years by a novel swindle.

China rejected the demands of Japan and Russia that she will not perfect the agreement as to the Chin-chow-fu Railway line without first consulting them.

United States Attorney Wise, of New York City, made public details of indictments charging twenty-six persons with complicity in a smuggling conspiracy.

The New York Central purchased in Monroe County the first of the demonstration farms which it will establish for the purpose of educating the farm owners on how to increase production.

N. W. Gilbert Nominated For Vice-Governor of Philippines.

Washington, D. C. — Newton W. Gilbert, of Indiana, was nominated by President Taft as Vice-Governor of the Philippines, and Charles B. Elliott, of Minnesota, as a member of the Philippine Commission and Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Police. To Charles E. Magoon, former Provisional Governor of Cuba, was offered the position of Vice-Governor and Secretary of Commerce and Police, but he declined owing to his doctor's advice.

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## JAUNT TO A HISTORIC SHRINE: ROCKY HILL

"AUNT ELLIE," said Dick Graham, looking up from his history lesson, "where is Rocky Hill?" "There are several Rocky Hills," replied Aunt Ellie, smiling. "I think a lad by the name of Richard, commonly called Dick, Graham, discovered one last week, by the look of his stockings," and she held up a pair of Dick's hose, or what was left of them, for they were mostly holes.

"Oh, I guess that happened when we tried to coast down hill after the last snow storm," said Dick.

"If it is United States history you want for your Rocky Hill, I can easily tell you," Aunt Ellie declared, "for Rocky Hill, near our own Princeton, is famous as the place where General George Washington wrote his farewell address to the American Army, at the close of the struggle of the thirteen colonies with England. I should like to take you on a little jaunt to Rocky Hill some day. There is a quaint old house still standing there, cared for by loving and reverent hands, protected from the assaults of time and weather and kept as a shrine for those who love to seek out and visit the places which have played an active part in our country's history. And Rocky Hill has done all that.

"It was long after the great events of the war. Battles had been fought, some won, some lost. The red coats had been driven hither and yon, and two years before, down at Yorktown, Lord Cornwallis had laid down his arms and surrendered to the American Army.

"All the beautiful country about Princeton was decked in its autumn coloring, trees in scarlet and gold, just as you'd find them next fall if you journey thither, and the autumn posies were ablaze in the fields and meadows. The real contest had been over for a long time, and many officers and soldiers were off on furlough. Across the sea the peace treaty had been signed. On October 15, 1783, only one day less than two years after that memorable October 19, 1781, when Cornwallis laid down his arms, Congress issued a proclamation discharging the soldiers from further service. Thus the American Army was disbanded.

"Washington was located at the mansion of Judge Berrien, on Rocky Hill, Congress being in session at Princeton. The Commander-in-Chief held many conferences with the members of Congress, and it was quite essential that he should be near at hand.

"So the time came when he must formally say good-by to the men who had fought so faithfully under him. These were men who had come hungry and cold for the American cause at Valley Forge; who had been stricken with fever and plague at Morristown; who had been blistered with the sun on Monmouth field and frozen with the ice of the Delaware; who had retreated footsore and heart sick across Jersey, and who had dashed recklessly down on sleeping Paulus Hook. These were men who had smiled into the blue eyes of dainty Colonial maids at Baron Steuben's lawn party and who had laughed at the flying bullets at Springfield and Connecticut Farms. How was he to say farewell to these men?

"The farewell address of Washington is one that will stand for centuries as a model for all men. You can read it today and find it in counsel which can not but make you bet-

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more splendid qualities of valor, perseverance and enterprise when in the field.

"Economy, prudence and industry—if all of our citizens would cultivate those qualities what a world of difference it would make today—as it did in the early days of our country!

"Well, to get back to the old time house which sheltered Washington so hospitably. It stood for more than a century on Rocky Hill, until just ten years ago it was moved from the old foundations to new ones, half a mile distant. We are grateful indeed for all these famous old places that have been preserved through many years—but especially grateful are we for this fine old place at Rocky Hill, which saw the writing of the farewell address."—Newark Call.

## AN UNUSUAL WASHINGTON.

Perhaps the strongest feature in his character was prudence, never acting until every circumstance, every consideration, was maturely weighed, refraining if he saw a doubt, but when once decided, going through with his purpose, whatever obstacles opposed. His integrity was most pure, his justice the most inflexible I have ever known, no motives of interest or consanguinity, of friendship or hatred, being able to bias his decision. He was, indeed, in every sense of the words, a wise, a good and a great man.—Thomas Jefferson.

## What Jefferson Said of Washington.

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