

WASHINGTON AND HIS CABINET.



KNOX, HAMILTON, RANDOLPH, JEFFERSON.

There is not much of aristocratic state surrounding Washington and his first cabinet. They regarded the proper ruling of the young republic as very serious business, and gave no thought to style, furbelows and silly flourishes.

TELL THE GLAD TALE AGAIN.

Ring out, glad bells, and young and old With shouts the music swell, And let the tale again be told

QUAINT PORTRAIT OF WASHINGTON.



THE WASHINGTON PORTRAIT.

One of the most interesting bits of old pottery in existence is a rare piece of Chinese porcelain in the New York Metropolitan Museum. It was made by a Chinese artist more than a century ago and bears a quaint portrait of George Washington.

Washington on Marriage. In several letters Washington expressed his views upon the institution of marriage. To the French lady, Countess Chastellux, who served in America as a major general, he wrote: "In reading your very friendly and acceptable letter I was, as you may well suppose, not less delighted than surprised to meet the plain American words 'my wife'."

WASHINGTON AT PRINCETON.

How He Rode to the Front, Rallied the Troops and Won the Day.

Cornwallis had left all his stores at Brunswick, and three regiments of foot and three companies of horse at Princeton. Thither then Washington was marching that winter night. He meant to strike his superior enemy another blow at a weak point. By daybreak he was near Princeton, and moved with the main army straight from Princeton. Mercer was detached with three hundred men to destroy the bridge which gave the most direct connection with Cornwallis.

Economical, but Not Stingy.

Through Washington's economy, now owned by the government one may see here and there correspondence which shows that he was very hard up at times. In 1785 he wrote that he could get no wheat on credit, and that he had no cash to pay for it.

Maxims and Precepts by Washington.

Be courteous to all, but intimate with few, and let those few be well tried before you give them your confidence. The company on which you improve most will be least expensive to you. It is easy to make acquaintances, but difficult to make them, however pleasant and unprofitable they are found, after we have once committed ourselves to them.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.



THE observance of the birthday anniversary of George Washington has become more a national tribute to the spirit of patriotism than a memorial to a personality.

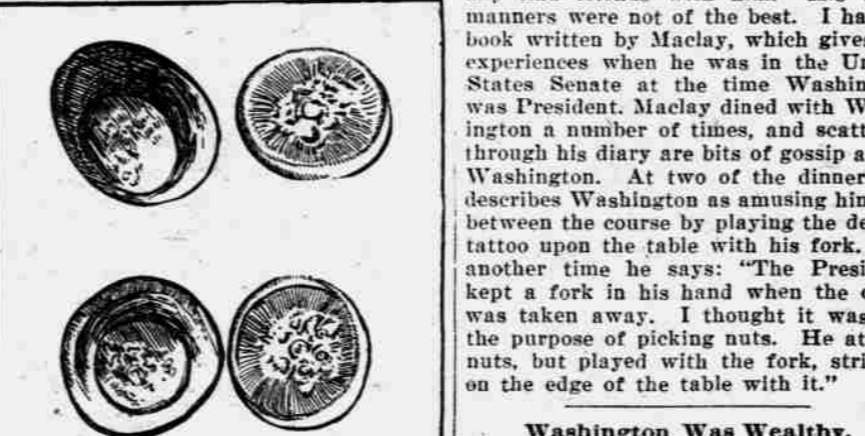
The character of Washington happily lends itself readily to this phase of idealization. There were no peaks of pre-eminence in his equipment as a man and conversely no valleys of insignificance, and this admirable and unique equipoise of power and attainment qualified him for the conspicuous place which occupies in the hearts of the American people.

There have undoubtedly been many greater generals than Washington and many greater statesmen and men who have won a greater popular following, but there have been few men in history who have developed a more conspicuous harmony of these three distinguishing marks of greatness.

FROM WASHINGTON'S GARMENT.

His Waistcoat Buttons Made Into Cuff-Buttons.

A pair of pearl and gold cuff buttons which in the form of waistcoat buttons were owned by George Washington and worn by him upon the occasion of his inauguration as President and also at the marriage of Martha Danbridge Custis, are the valued possession of Prof. Lewis.



PROF. WHEAT'S VALUED RELICS.

One is apt in these days to remember that in this early period Washington made himself one of the largest landholders in the country, nor that when he died he was worth over half a million dollars. Yet we find that he bequeathed to his heirs the following acreage, with values attached.

Table with columns: Acreage, Value, and other details of Washington's estate.

Land in Washington worth \$19,152, and other lands not enumerated worth \$8,200. The total value of his estate was placed at \$30,000. The 300 acres of Virginia land, which he valued at \$6,666 in 1790, sold in 1859 for \$120,000, one evidence of the changes in values in that country he served so well.

A Valuable Relic.

Bushrod D. Washington, a house painter of Chicago, who says that he is a descendant of the Washington family, owns the seal with which George Washington signed the death warrant of Maj. Andre.

Remarkably Generous.

Wigg—I never knew such a generous fellow as Jones. Wags—That's right. The cigars he gives away are just as good as those he smokes himself.—Philadelphia Record.

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O. DELL IRELAND, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 5619, for the purchase of the 1/4 of Section No. 6, in Township No. 13 south, Range No. 7 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Ore., on Tuesday, the 8th day of April, 1902.

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