



A DISPLAY of the UNITED STATES of AMERICA

By our Patrons of Arts and Sciences, in all parts of the World, this Plate  
 is most respectfully Dedicated, by their most obedient humble Servant,  
 James D. Smith, New Haven Mar<sup>h</sup> 1794

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This reproduction of a rare print of Genl. George Washington, published in 1791  
 is presented to

Amos G. Carter Esq

to whom the following invitation is extended

ELBERT H. GARY  
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GEORGE FOSTER PEABODY

CHARLES P. TAFT  
MYLES STANDISH

CHARLES DEERING  
EDWARD DEAN ADAMS  
HENRY E. HUNTINGTON

*have the honor to invite*

*M Carter*

*to participate in a commemoration of the  
One Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of American Independence.*

*This commemoration will take the form of a*

## SESQUICENTENNIAL MEMORIAL FUND

*which will provide for permanent memorials to the present States of the Union. These will be installed on Beacon Hill, Boston, in the building of the New England Historic Genealogical Society, custodian of this fund.*

*The memorials will be placed upon the walls between the stained glass memorials to the Thirteen Original States making the entrance hall*

### A CORRIDOR OF STATES

*Seven contributions to the Sesquicentennial Memorial Fund of three hundred dollars each will be required to assure the installation of each individual State memorial and the names of the seven contributors will appear thereon.*

*This invitation is extended to*

*M Carter*

*to be one of the seven donors who will thus honor*

*Texas*

*and assure its participation in this commemoration of the One Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of the*

### FOUNDING OF THESE UNITED STATES

*and whose names will be associated with the memorial to that State.*

*The Memorial Fund will also be used for extending the work of collecting and making available the town and family records of the Nation. These records are the principal sources of knowledge regarding the struggles and the achievements of those who founded and developed this Country and of the ideals and the principles upon which they established its government. It is upon the adherence to these fundamental principles of democracy and constitutional government that the welfare of this Nation depends.*

*In accepting this invitation, please make the accompanying check for \$300 payable to the Sesquicentennial Memorial Fund and send in the enclosed envelope to the New England Trust Company, Boston, Massachusetts, who are acting as depository.*

*An early reply to this invitation will be much appreciated.*