

The Thirteen Stars and Stripes -- Contemporary 18th Century Images

*Resolved That the Flag of the united States consist
of 13 stripes alternate red and white, that the
Union be 13 stars white in a blue field represent-
ing a new constellation. —*

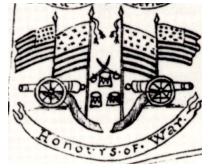
Resolution of the
Continental Congress
Date: 1777 June 14

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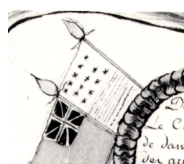
Flag on David Shaw's Powder
Horn (engraving detail)
American
Date: 1779 Nov. 28

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Harmon Stebens Powder Horn
(engraving detail)
American
Date: 1779

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Map of Savannah
(cartouche detail)
French
Date: 1780 June 15

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View of the American Position
at Yorktown by Lt. John
Graves Simcoe (painting
detail)
British
Date: 1781?

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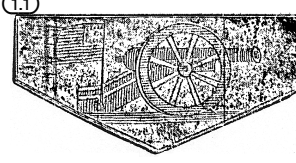
Fort Independence Flag
American
Date: 1781 (used 1791)

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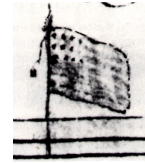
Chester County PA Militia
Color
(Battle of Brandywine)
American
Date: 1777 Sept. 11

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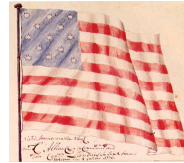
Brass Artillery Cap Plate
American
Date: c. 1779

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Order of Battle, Maj. Gen.
Sullivan's Army by Maj. John
Ross
American
Date: 1779 July 30

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Flag of the "Alliance" at
The Texel Holland
(painting)
Dutch
Date: 1779 Oct. 4

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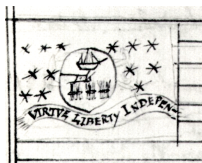
Flag of the "Serapis" at
The Texel Holland
(painting)
Dutch
Date: 1779 Oct. 5

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Map of the United States
by John Wallis
(cartouche detail)
British
Date: 1783 Apr. 3

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Sketch in the
diary of Ezra Stiles
(detail)
American
Date: 1783 Apr. 24

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Diploma Sketch for Society of
Cincinnati by Pierre L'Enfant
(detail)
American
Date: 1783 June 10

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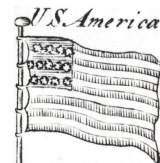
Beauvais Tapestry (detail)
French
Date: 1783

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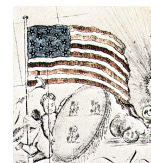
Carrington Bowles' Book of
Flags (detail)
British
Date: 1783

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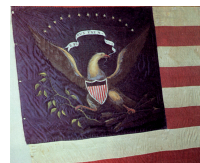
Francis Bailey's
Pocket Almanac of 1784
(detail)
American
Date: 1783

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New and Correct Map of the
United States of North America
by Abel Buell (cartouche detail)
American
Date: 1784

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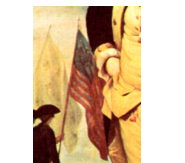
General Schuyler's Flag
(canton detail)
American
Date: 1784? (1803-1812?)

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Historic Genealogical
Calendar, or Year Book of ...
1784
German
Date: 1784

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Washington, Lafayette and
Tilgman at Yorktown by
Charles Wilson Peale (painting
detail)
American
Date: 1784

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American Colours in *Heraldry*
by William Fox (manuscript
detail)
British
Date: 1785

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Engraved frontispiece
American
Date: 1785

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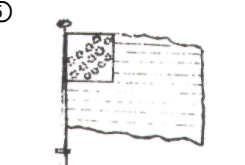
Diploma for Society of
Cincinnati
after L'Enfant
French
Date: 1785?

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U.S. Ensigns (and pennant
and jack) engraving (detail)
American
Date: 1785

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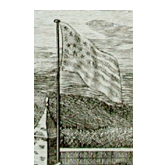
Plan of Fort Harmor
(sketch detail)
American
Date: 1786

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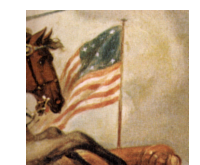
Surrender at Yorktown
by John Trumbull
(painting detail)
American
Date: 1787

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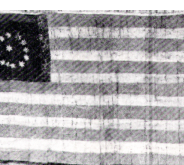
A View of the Town of Boston,
the Capital of New England
(detail)
American
Date: 1787

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Battle of Princeton
by John Trumbull
(painting detail)
American
Date: 1787-1797

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Society of Pewterers Flag,
New York (canton detail)
American
Date: 1788 July 23

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Continental Congress Gold
Medal Awarded to Daniel
Morgan for Cowpens (detail)
French
Date: 1789

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A North View of Castle William
in the Harbour of Boston
(detail)
American
Date: 1789, May

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"L'Hommage de l'Amerique
a la France"
Fabric Design Print (detail)
French
Date: 1790

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Fort Washington
by Jonathan Heart
(sketch detail)
American
Date: 1790

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Surrender at Yorktown
by John Trumbull
(painting detail)
American
Date: 1790?

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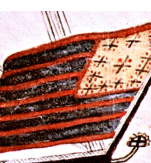
Bill of Lading form made out
for sugar and rum carried by
the Brig *Mary* (detail)
American
Date: 1790, April

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Guilford Court House Flag
American
Date: 1791-1792?

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South Carolina by Jon.
Phippen (warship painting
detail)
American
Date: 1793

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Tableau de Tous les Pavillons
que l'on Arboire sur les
Vaisseaux dans les Quatre
German
Date: 1793

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Flag of the American States
British
Date: 1793

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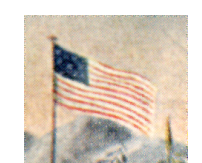
U.S. America (Flag)
British
Date: 1794

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United States of America
(Ensign)
British
Date: 1794, May 12

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Washington Reviewing the
Western Army by Frederick
Kemmelmeyer (painting detail)
American
Date: 1795

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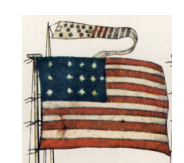


Tavola delle piu esatte,
edusitate Bandiere ... Vinco
(detail)
Italian
Date: 1796

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edusitate Bandiere ... Vinco
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(detail)
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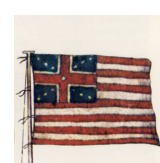


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Italian
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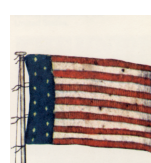
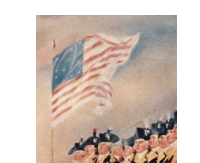


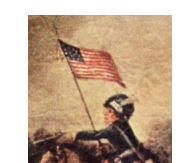
Tavola delle piu esatte,
edusitate Bandiere ... Vinco
(detail)
Italian
Date: 1796

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Surrender at Yorktown
by John Trumbull
(painting detail)
American
Date: 1797

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Battle of Cowpens
by Frederick Kemmelmeyer
(painting detail)
American
Date: 1795-1800?

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