Stuyvesant Square
New York March 29. 1864 -

My Dear Mrs Gibbs -

I send herewith, for Exhibition in your "Curiosity Shop"

I. The Civic Wreath (of Laurel, Oak, & Cypress) presented to General Lafayette, at Yorktown, Virginia, October 19. 1824, on the Celebration of the 43d Anniversary of the Surrender of the British Forces, under Lord Cornwallis -

II. A Wax Candle - part of the Stores of Ld Cornwallis, captured at Yorktown, Virginia, October 19. 1781 -

III } Two Silver spoons - (one table & one tea spoon) part of the
IV } Camp furniture of my Father (the late Col. Nicholas Fish), which he used throughout the whole War of the Revolution -

I accompany this, with a brief Account, taken from a full & very interesting one published in the "Richmond Enquirer" and copied into the "New York American" of Oct 28. 1824 - of the presentation of the Wreath &c - & of the manner in which it came into my Father's possession -

With great respect
My faithfully yours
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