

Hartford Conn June 15

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Williamsburg

Virginia

Wm W. Knapp paid

As my three last letters are unnoticed I only take the liberty to request that the two letter books may be safely delivered to Wm Meredith Senr Counsellor at Law Philadelphia — Having hemmed Parson Sparks in on all sides he did not dare deny sending the libels (furnished by Tudor) to the printer —

With undiminished regard I subscribe myself your Friend A C M

June 12 — 36

As my friends are scattered far and wide  
 the liberty of the press is the only one  
 which is common to all. It is the only  
 one which is not subject to the control  
 of any individual or body of men. It is  
 the only one which is not subject to  
 the control of any government. It is  
 the only one which is not subject to  
 the control of any church. It is  
 the only one which is not subject to  
 the control of any party. It is  
 the only one which is not subject to  
 the control of any sect. It is  
 the only one which is not subject to  
 the control of any denomination. It is  
 the only one which is not subject to  
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with the same spirit of  
 independence and  
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