

To Whom It May Concern,

Back fifty years ago, I was sixteen years old. I was at an auction that was held every week that I bought these items I want to get information on. I watched a program called C-~~pm~~ and they talked of presidents etc. So I thought this would give me a start of someone or somewhere that can help me. I saw in the paper twice that I would recall about these two lost items, or missing items of which I think I have in my possession. These items I have are In Congress ^(first item) July 4, 1776. The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen united States of America. It is in a $14\frac{1}{4}$ " by $16\frac{1}{8}$ " frame. It's on parchment paper. The second item starts with We The People, at the bottom it says. Explanatory Notes: This is an authentic copy of the Contents of the Constitution of the United States but the printing size of the text of the article has been reduced and printed in two columns. In order to confine it to this sheet. It would take four sheets this size to make the entire text legible.

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How this all came about and how I got this. I went to this auction for ^a long time. This real old man who could barely walk was a (big shot) congressman, selling his estate. He said I like you very much young man and I want you to have this, what I'm about to tell you. I live in New York. I want all the things up there for bid to go to you. He said there is three things I want you to have that are very valuable. One was a ten gauge shot gun in a big black case. On the shot gun was a senators name and I can't remember that far back but I know it was a senator. You see everybody in the place was dressed poorly but this man. He told the auctioneer that as soon as the young man bids I want you to say sold immediatley. Like a fool I was young and needed the money I sold the gun, but I hung on to these two frames he told me would be a fortune for me. You have to see these two framed documents. They are original cause he told me so.

I'm not going to leave these items go just to anyone. I have alot of financial difficulties. I'm 66 yrs old [REDACTED] 1949. I suffered a stroke awhile back which set me back in everything. I will not let these document go to anyone except to there rightfull owners and for a desent sum, of money. You see I held on to these for 50 yrs I kept good care of them and bought them legally by the real old man that wanted me to have them. He said you will become Rich some day with these items. He said they must be sold to the Congress of The United States of America, for they are the peoples of The United States of America Documents. I decided to get these out at this time because it just seems the right thing to do and basically I'm going through a difficult time, financially. Someone can gladly look at them but they must come to my home. Also let me know in advance so I can get them from where I have them under lock and key. Also this person must have proper identification and proper authority. over ->

I want this kept confidential. No publicity
NO T.V. NOTHING By the Government of
of the U.S.

P.D./Government I.D.

Sincerely,

Please see what
you can do. I didn't
know how else to go
about this. Thank You

Palmerton, Pa. 18071

You can reach me
by phone at [REDACTED]

Remember I'm not letting them
go for a small sum of money. I
have these and again I bought
them in a legal manner as a
young man. I held them for 50 yrs.
I was told by the old senator not
to give them up for peanuts.
Somehow or the other I think
my father knew this man because
he knew alot of prominent people.
I'm not good at letter writing so
thank you for understanding.
No one is going to take these
items unless I get the right
money offer. They do not leave
this property untill cash is
legally in my hands. You have
to keep this government secret!