

HOBOKEN,

IS seated upon a prominent rock on the North River; and commands an extensive view, embracing New-York, Long Island, Staten Island, Governor's Island, and the Bay to the Narrows, and, on the other hand, a perspective of North River.

HAMPTON,

Stands on a spherical rise of ground, from whose valley emerges a wide amphitheatre of elegant inland country.

LANDSDOWN,

Lies upon the bank of the Pastoral Schuylkill, a stream of peculiar beauty, deservedly the delight and boast of the shores it fertilizes. The house was built upon a handsome and correct plan by the former governor Penn.

ECHO,

An elegant situation on the bank of Schuylkill, near the suburbs of the city: rich in every wild luxury which nature can afford to the plastic hand of art. The house is of no note, and its site not well chosen. It derives its name from the reverberations given from the opposite shore—particularly by a rock memorable for having been in the revolution the place of encampment for the British, while Gen. Washington and his army were on this spot.

MOUNT VERNON,

This hallowed mansion is founded upon a rocky eminence, a dignified height on the Potomac. During the French war, Admiral Vernon, who commanded the British fleet on this station, frequently made visits to his friend the father of Gen. W. and thence is derived its name. The additions of a piazza to the water front, and of a drawing room, are proofs of the legitimacy of the General's taste. It is now the residence of Judge Washington.

FOUNTAIN GREEN,

On the Schuylkill, highly favored by nature, and capable of vast improvement. Upon the half ascent of the bank from the river, the new canal will pass the house and if ever finished, will become a great ornament to the place.

SOLITUDE.

Here a pleasing solitude at once speaks the propriety of its title. Upon further research the solitary rocks, and the waters of Schuylkill add sublimity to quietness. The house is built with great taste for a bachelor, by the former Governor John Penn, since the revolution.