

American Heroes

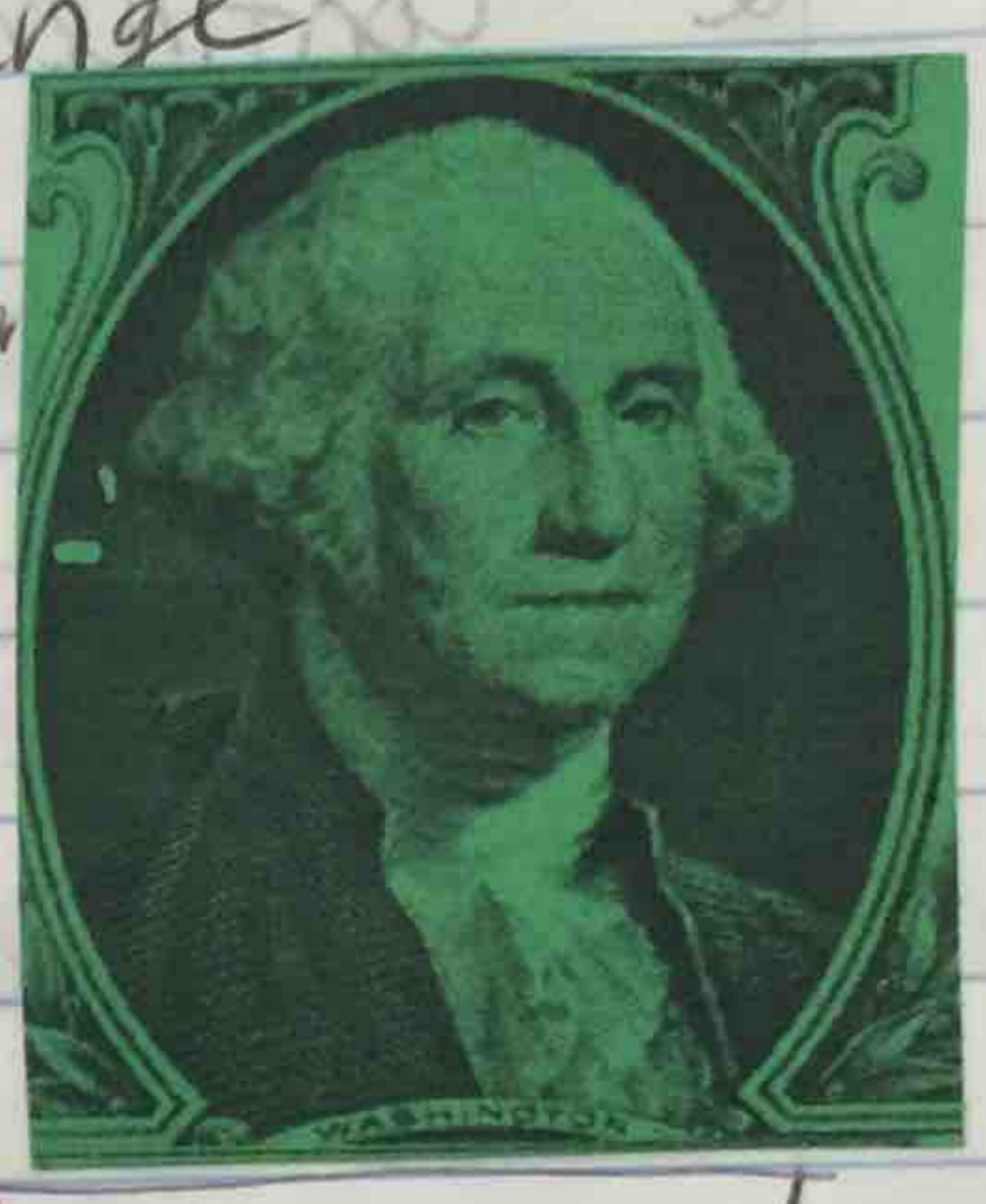
1775 | 1775 | 1776

Lex. + Concord | Cont. Army | Dec of Ind

Benjamin Franklin: Social Mobility: everyone has the opportunity to change your social status.

George Washington "American Symbol"

- 1) Build an army
- 2) Maintain support for the war
- 3) Recruit volunteers



Strategy

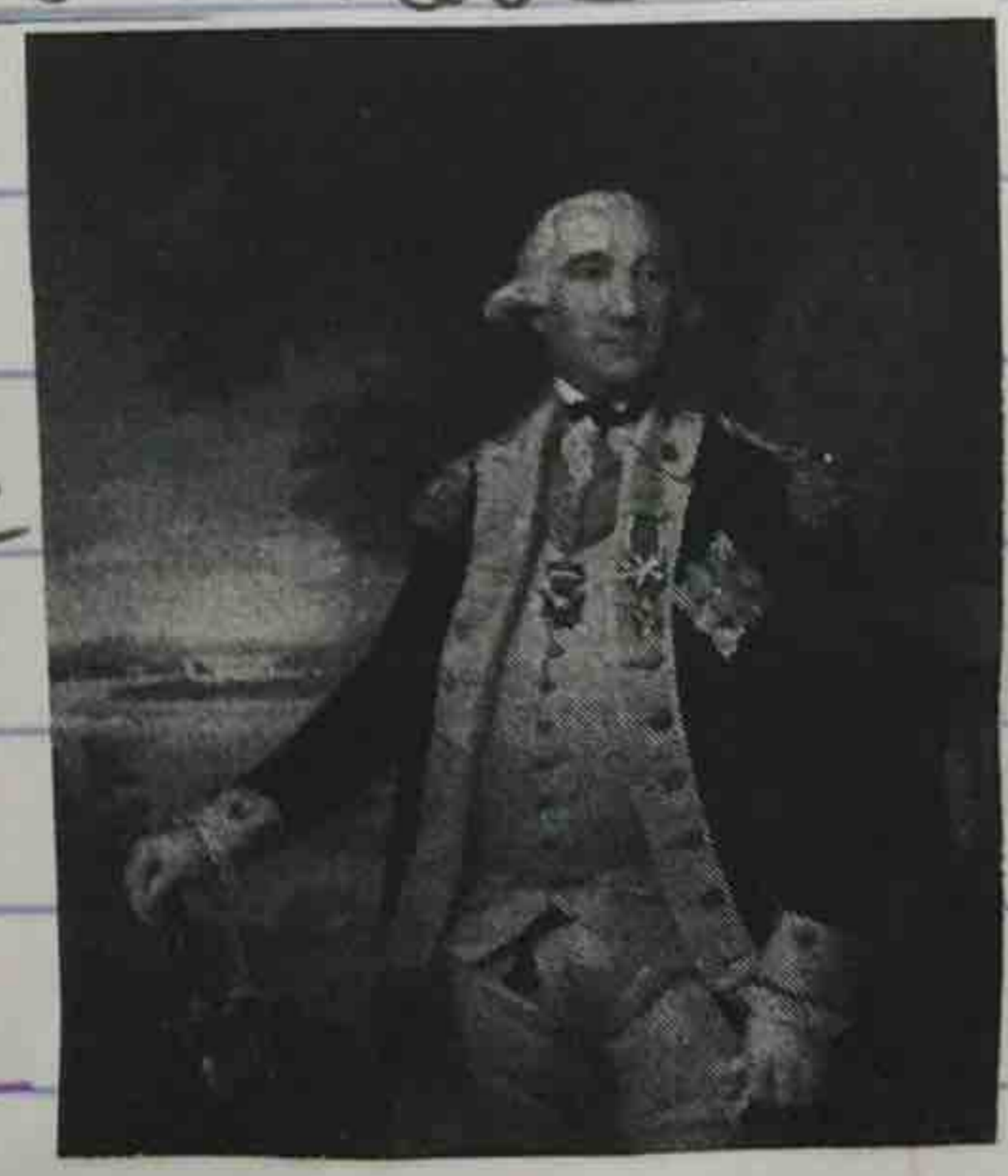
American
OUTLAST

British

DIVIDE + CONQUER

Von Steuban

- 1) Recommended by the French
- 2) Wrote a training manual @ Valley Forge
- 3) Military Strategist



Women in the Amer. Rev

- 1) Boycotted British goods
- 2) "Camp Followers" = cooks, medical care
- 3) Molly Pitcher = provided water, then loaded cannons

African-Americans in the Amer. Rev

- 1) Colonies = Black regiments assigned to the South
- 2) Britain = Promised freedom to fight for the King