

Those who have any demands against the... firm... to produce them for settlement and those who are indebted thereto... to call at the office of the Washington Spy and make payment.<sup>41</sup>

Immediately after the dissolution of partnership, Phebe Herbert advertised:

#### A Printer Wanted

A single person, well recommended, and capable of conducting a printing office, in all its branches, will meet with employment by applying to the subscriber.

If the person lives at a distance, it would be advisable for him to make his application by letter, to which an answer will be given by the first opportunity.<sup>42</sup>

At the same time, the printing office was removed "to the house in which Mr. Peter Miller, merchant in Hagerstown formerly resided."<sup>43</sup>

Early in 1796, a gentleman from Scotland,<sup>44</sup> then about thirty years of age, arrived in Hagerstown. His name first appeared in the newspaper columns, in an advertisement headed "Evening School," which announced that

Thomas Greeves, Professor of Mathematics, intends opening an evening school at the Academy, [the academy for the education of young men opened by a Mr. McDonald in September, 1795]<sup>45</sup> for the instruction of such young gentlemen as cannot attend day lectures, in writing, arithmetic, merchants' accounts, and the various branches of mathematics.<sup>46</sup>

41 Ibid. June 1, 1796.

42 Ibid. April 7, 1796.

43 Ibid. April 7, 1796.

44 Herald of freedom. July 15, 1840.

45 Scharf. op. cit. v. 2, p. 1154.

46 Washington spy. January 28, 1796.