AMERICA'S BICENTENNIAL YEAR - by Jack Baker, H. V. Carter Co., Inc.

Here in our great land where traditions are an accepted way of life, we single out 1976 for a special tribute. In 200 years through History, now almost a forgotten or misplaced subject in our educational institutions, we know that we have steadily progressed in so many fields, music art, sciences, manufacturing and production methods, electronics, computerization, etc.

One could say we are living in an exciting and wonderful age - yet we are constantly made aware of the poverty, hunger and numerous other problems of those less fortunate - some within our own borders as well as in so many other parts of our World.

America is still the land of the Free - offering unlimited opportunities for those who apply their talents and training to the tasks at hand and with educational extension programs that are readily available to improve ourselves and our status in the business world. There is however, an element we must strive to overcome and defeat - that is the tendency to run down the Flag, snip-away at our ideals and traditions and try to convince us that the United States of America is not worth our best efforts at all times. Let's warm-up our Patriotism - stamp out the moaners the gripers and snipers - and do our part to keep America at the top where she will shine as a beacon to and throughout the globe.

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