

## Potomac Hearing March 7

Proposals to draw significantly more water from the Potomac River to serve the Washington metropolitan area have drawn fire from the Potomac River Association, and next week the Maryland General Assembly will listen to those objections.

The March 7 public hearing was set up with the agreement of Sen. Harry McQuirk, chairman of the Rivers Committee, and will be held at 7 p.m. in the Economic Affairs Committee Room, Del. Roy Dyson (D-St. Mary's, Charles) helped set up the hearings.

The Potomac River Association wants to deny permits for the proposed weirs and water intakes in the upper Potomac River. Any further action or ratification of the low flow allocation agreement should be halted, the Potomac River Association believes.

The group claims that during the negotiations for the low flow agreement which would go into effect during water shortages, the down river jurisdictions were ignored and not informed of hearings or given a chance to review the draft of the environmental impact statement.

The Potomac River Association, headed by Jack Witten, also charges that the Army Corps of Engineers has conflicting responsibilities regarding the Washington water supply, and can no longer act objectively.

The hearing will discuss the failure to include an analysis on the plans impact on down river counties, along with the effect of the intake allocation.



### River Talk

Jack Witten, president of the Potomac River Association of St. Mary's County, discusses with State Del. Roy Dyson some of the problems to be discussed at the upcoming hearing concerning the Potomac River.

## Summer Arts Festival Seeks County Money

By Rick Boyd  
Enterprise Staff Writer

A summer arts festival centered around St. Mary's City plans to bring drama, music, living history and a children's festival to St. Mary's County on a \$91,000 budget this year.

The program will be largely funded by Federal and State grant money, but will also need \$25,000 in County money. Last week, the Economic Development Commission gave a conditional endorsement to the program, recommending that the County commissioners provide the money.

A combined effort between Burt Kummerow of St. Mary's City and Charles Hewitt of the St. Mary's Creative Arts Forum, the program will in effect fill the vacuum left by the at least one-year hiatus of the outdoor drama "Wings of the Morning" following a financially disastrous season last year.

The living history program on weekends next summer will use outdoor sets to recreate the life of the 17th century village at St. Mary's City and has a budget of \$18,800.

Four historical English dramas are to be presented by the St. Mary's Candlelight Repertory Theater. Running from June 23 to Aug. 27, there will be 24 performances of the plays. Budget for that program is \$22,100.

The Baltimore Symphony is scheduled for June 26, and chamber concerts from the Peabody Conservatory, Music Antiqua, and Waverly Consorts are also planned with a total budget of \$9,000.

The Creative Arts Forum plans a children's festival to run July 5 to July 27 at both Lexington Park and St. Mary's City and will involve puppeteers, mime, dance, a tinsmith, blacksmith, and toy-maker, balloonists, kite specialists, musicians, and a painter, printmaker and sculptor. The budget is \$6,500.

Publicity for the entire program would cost \$11,000, and the festival administration calls for another \$8,050.

Funding has already been obtained from the Maryland Council for the Humanities and the National Endowment for the Arts. If the commissioners come up with \$25,000, more

matching money is to come from the Maryland Council for the Humanities, and the Maryland Arts Council.

Ticket sales from the theater and music concerts would bring in about \$9,200, according to the budget breakdown.

The EDC debated the economic benefits of the program in terms of tourism, but in the end decided to recommend the money be approved to give the program a chance.

But in the motion to recommend the local money, the EDC also attached several conditions to the local funds.

They want a full report on the festival's attendance and expenditures by Oct. 1, 1978. They also recommend that ticket prices be cut from \$5 to allow families to attend, and want an explanation of \$10,800 allocated for furnishings for the living history programs.

The EDC also wants jobs generated by the program given to local people, and would like to see more programs in other places in the County. They also want the program to have an affirmative action plan.

## Wild Dog Pack Attacks, Maims Goat on Island

A pack of dogs attacked and mangled a pet goat on St. George Island Feb. 20 leaving the owners fearful for their children's safety.

"If they (the dogs) attack a goat, I am afraid of what they might do to a small child," Grace Moore, the goat's owner, told a reporter Tuesday.

According to Moore, her husband heard a disturbance in the yard about 5:45 a.m. Monday. When he went outside he found their pet goat "Billy" lying on the ground mangled with cuts on his throat, side and hindquarters.

The Moores have been awakened by the dogs two or

three times a week for the past four months, she said. Once before the goat was attacked and the dogs injured one of his legs.

"We have chased the dogs away from the goat several times," Moore said.

"They seemed to just want to attack," she added. "They didn't bother the food we had outside."

County animal warden Wayne DeLozier told The Enterprise he has had problems with strays on the island before. "I have set traps 10 to 15 times but the dogs won't go in them," he said.

DeLozier advised that any observing stray dogs

attacking their livestock should shoot the dogs. The dog warden said several months ago he shot six dogs on the island himself.

Moore said she felt many of the dogs were pets that owners of the island let roam free. DeLozier agreed that many weren't technically strays.

In a similar incident The Enterprise reported several weeks ago that a pack of dogs attacked and killed several hogs and sheep in the Hermanville area.

In another incident DeLozier said a pack of dogs attacked and killed another hog in the County last Monday. This hog was in the Helen area.

## At Margaret Brent

# Keeping Kids Out of Trouble

By Sunny Mays Schust  
Enterprise Staff Writer

Helping kids stay out of trouble is the focus of a new project now under way at Margaret Brent Middle School.

Backed by State and Federal funding, the St. Mary's County Board of Education has begun a pilot program of schoolwide intervention to reduce student disruption and prevent dropping out.

The pilot program, under the direction of Dr. James McClellan began in January at Margaret Brent. If successful, the program will be implemented in other middle schools in the County during the next three years.

Attention was focused on the problems of student disruption at the middle school level last year. Schools Superintendent Dr. Robert E. King Jr. formed a committee to consider student problems such as absenteeism, disruption and lack of participation that had first become apparent in middle school, and then became serious problems in high school.

The committee also was asked to consider if some type of career preparation program could reduce the high retention and suspension rates in middle schools.

The committee did identify characteristics of high risk students, including absenteeism, poor grades in basic subjects, low test scores, lack of parental support and repeated suspensions. They also solicited from middle school principals a list of what actions had been taken to improve the school situation for such students.

In an interim report, the committee recommended in-service training to aid teachers in working with high risk students.

Initially a \$5,000 grant was obtained from the State Department of Education for the in-service training of Margaret Brent staff. But further funding was then sought from the Federal Title IVc program to enlarge the program to encompass the entire school community. The program over the next year and a half at Margaret

Brent will focus on teachers, staff, students and parents.

Human relations workshops have already been conducted for teachers, as well as a workshop providing specific suggestions on how teachers can help students better utilize activity periods. That most recent workshop was conducted by Kathy Laser, Cheltenham outreach worker, and drew enthusiastic response from the 13 participants.

Another step in the program already under way is the peer helping program. Both students and teachers were asked to identify students with a natural capacity for helping other students with problems. Those students now being selected will receive a two-day training program.

McClellan explained, "We're kind of convinced we want to build the whole program around things for kids. The main skill the peer helpers have to have is the ability to listen. Then other skills fall below that."

After completing the program students will help other students in such activities as tutoring, orientation, leading group discussions, etc.

Another part of the program keyed at students is the creation of a course designed to train students in the school in how to cope with stressful situations, rather than getting into trouble. For example, a student who receives an assignment beyond his abilities may respond by disrupting the class, failing to complete the work, shouting at the teacher. A more appropriate alternative might be to discuss the problem with the teacher, or with a peer helper.

Students will also participate in human relations workshops to better develop personal and interpersonal skills. These units will be presented by teachers who have also undergone the human development training.

The program will also include human relations training for other school staff as well.

Parent education programs will be designed and offered throughout the school year to help parents of middle school students better understand children of that age.

Staff development is another key element in the overall program, and training in improving classroom management will be included among the 10 teacher workshops to be offered during the 1977-78 school year. Teachers were asked to identify what areas they wished to cover in the in-service programs.

Among their requests were workshops on dealing with students with different abilities, students who are disruptive, slow learners or those who lack motivation. They also requested training in teaching survival skills, and making subjects more relevant to students. Other requests included training in discipline and methods on helping a student realize long term goals and develop self esteem.

After the program was approved at the Federal level, another element was added by the Board of Education, the addition of a student advocate, Doug Somerville, who formerly worked with Walden Counseling Center in alcohol counseling for youth, has joined McClellan in implementing the pilot program. McClellan notes that his prior counseling skills from Walden are unique, and have aided in his relating to students.

McClellan has served for several years as supervisor of guidance for the local school system. But he explains that he took on the new program because of a desire to get back in the schools.

"I felt I was losing contact with what's going on in the trenches," he said. "I saw this as an opportunity to get back in the school. I think the program will make me more realistic. I'll know what can be done in a classroom situation."

McClellan describes his approach as "low key" saying he'll proceed at a slow pace, offering the "best damn workshops" he can.

Margaret Brent students are often inquisitive about "Who are you, and what do you do?" McClellan explains the project quite simply - "Helping kids not get in trouble."

## Increased Calls

By Richard Polk  
Enterprise Staff Writer

The Leonardtown police commissioner wants Leonardtown to take a new direction in its law enforcement policy.

Citing a 156 percent increase in the number of calls in 1977 over 1976, Al Gough, town police commissioner, told the town commissioners Monday, Feb. 13, the town police department "is at a turning point."

In a lengthy report Gough suggested the town in the future when replacing or adding to its existing police force should contract with either the County or State for deputies or State police officers.

Gough also suggested the town needs to institute a policy on the replacement of town police cars. At present the town has a 1977 car and a 1970 vintage. The 1970 year car is working on 300,000 miles, Gough told the commissioners. In addition Gough told the commission members he has forwarded his support for a bill that would repeal the restriction limiting the State police's jurisdiction in a municipality's corporate limits.

The bill, House Bill 408, authored by Del. Joseph Owens, chairman of the House

Judiciary Committee, would give the Maryland State Police full authority to operate within a municipality, Gough said.

The police commissioner said he took the action after problems on the Wharf Hill last summer. Gough praised the efforts of his two-man force but he felt they needed assistance.

Last summer residents complained about noise, trespass and theft, they said were committed by people traveling to and from the Leonardtown Wharf Club at the foot of Wharf Hill.

Gough said the bill would help with the present situation, but in the future the town

should consider a contractual arrangement.

Gough said the town could contract for a deputy for \$19,000 a year or a State policeman for \$22,000. That figure includes everything, Gough explained. The town would not have additional gas expenses, repair bills, or insurance costs, he said.

In his report to the commissioners Gough cited a rapid increase in the number of calls the town police officers have responded to over the past few years. In 1974 they responded to 228 calls. That figure increased only slightly in 1975 to 232.

In 1976 Gough said the number increased to 753 while in 1977 it again more than doubled rising to 1,900 calls.

Gough said the town police average a higher number of calls per officer than either the Sheriff's Department or the Maryland State Police.

Regarding the police cars, Gough said the town has no set policy. He suggested that a regular replacement schedule be instituted to insure the town would have two working vehicles.

The town commissioners authorized Gough to let bids for a new police cruiser to replace the 1970 year car.

## Town Looks at Police Policy

In one family four sons crossed the Potomac River and joined the Confederacy while a fifth son stayed in the County and became the Union recruit.

In 1862 landowners were allowed to fill draft quotas with freed slaves. Later two of these freed slaves William Barnes and James H. Harris received the Congressional Medal of Honor in an assault on Fort Gilmer.

These are just two of the instances County historian Edwin Beitzell has collected during 30 years of research into the County's history during the Civil War.

It was a Blackstone family that had the five sons, Beitzell said in a recent interview. Four of the sons served in the Confederacy while the fifth became the Federal Draft Commissioner in August 1862.

The Union sympathizing Blackstone was so disliked in the Confederate leaning County that he was "run out of town" after the war, Beitzell said.

Beitzell was not unfamiliar to the problem of divided families. According to records he had relatives from St. Mary's County who fought on both sides.

Beitzell has gathered a list of 287 names of Countians who served in the Confederacy plus a list of civilians arrested often "merely on suspicion" after the writ of habeas corpus was suspended.

There were no official records kept of the men who served in the Confederacy so Beitzell had to research old records of County newspapers for information. Items like "W.A.W. Clarke died Jan. 22, 1897, rebel. Ex. rebs Dallas Evans, Walter Wood, Wm. Wilson, Richard Langley and John Davis in good health," were valuable. That entry appeared in an 1897 issue of the Beacon.

Beitzell found that former Confederate soldiers were still active into this century. Another newspaper item reads, "Surviving members of Co. B, 1st Md. Cavalry CSA will have a reunion Sept. 10th at Upper Marlboro." It was dated Aug. 14, 1902.

Beitzell said there was an

association of ex-Confederate veterans formed in the County in 1893 that was active for approximately 25 years.

A sons of the Confederacy was formed in the early 1900s but did not last, Beitzell said.

Beitzell is a member of Sons of the Confederacy group in Alabama. He is interested in forming a County group here plus a parallel group, the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Starting next week, The Enterprise will publish the list

Beitzell has compiled of the Confederate soldiers and civilians in the County plus a list of Union soldiers from the County.

For further information contact Beitzell at 769-3279

## Crime Prevention Lecture Set March 2

The Fraternal Order of Police as a public service will present a crime prevention lecture March 2 dealing with home and business security and programs to help decrease larcenies and prevent burglaries.

The program will be presented by the National Crime Prevention Association of Washington, D.C., in cooperation with the Fraternal

Order of Police, Lodge 1, Great Mills.

All citizens are urged to attend this program and become involved in reducing crime in St. Mary's County. The lecture will be Thursday, March 2, 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge 7, Chancellors Run Road and Great Mills Road. Admission is free and coffee will be served.

## SAFETY FIRST

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### Memoriam

In remembrance of our Dear Mother, Margaret A. Montgomery Anderson who passed away January 18, 1978. She would have had a birthday February 3.

She Hurts

Not Anymore

She hurts not anymore, her face is peaceful now. The suffering has been eased, no pain upon her brow. These tears at least are selfish tears, because we miss her so. We'd clasp her still, reluctantly, so sad to see her go. But it is not the will of God that death beget dark tears. Her feet now walk where angels walk and every sound she hears reverberates with heaven's love as she kneels to adore. Today she walks where angels walk and hurts not anymore.

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Ruth, Thelma,

Anne, John

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| Decoupage    | Thurs., March 16 | 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.<br>or<br>7:00 - 9:00 p.m. | 4               | \$ 8.00         |
| Bread Dough  | Fri., March 17   | 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.                           | 4               | \$ 8.00         |
| Art Workshop | Sat., March 11   | 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.                           | 6               | \$12.00         |

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## St. Mary's County

## In the War Between the States

For the next three weeks the Enterprise will run lists of Confederate and Union soldiers from the Civil War from St. Mary's County.

The lists were compiled by county historian Edwin Beitzell over the past 30 years. Beitzell, like many County residents, has relatives who fought in the Civil War. He compiled the lists in an effort to spark interest in the formation of chapters of the Sons of Confederate Veterans and the United Daughters of the Confederacy from residents of the County.

This week The Enterprise is signing a list of the Confederate soldiers from the County. Next week a list of the Union soldiers will appear.

By Edwin Beitzell  
County Historian

## PART I

## SERVICE IN

## THE CONFEDERACY

As our country drew ever nearer to a civil conflict in 1860, the men of the County started forming Volunteer Companies to fight for the South.

The names of these units are as follows: Smallwood Rifles, Clifton Guards, St. James Dragons, Riley Rifles, St. Mary's Guard, Oakley Rifles, St. Mary's Rangers, Charlotte Company, St. Mary's Light Infantry, \*Zarvona Zouaves.

(\*Later became Co. H, 47th Va. Inf.)

Abell, Frank, Pvt., 1st Md. Artillery

Abell, Frank, Pvt., Zarvona Zouaves (Co. H, 47th Va.)

Ackis, Hobart, Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav

Ackis, Jas. Fred, Pvt., 4th Md. Art.

Ackis, Jas. P., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, John F., Pvt., Echols' Brigade, Dept. of W. Va.

Ackis, Joshua, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Lewis, Pvt., 3rd Md. Art.

Ackis, Jeremiah, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Cartwright, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, James L., Pvt., Co. E, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Robert, Dr., C.S.A. (Under Hosp. Richmond)

Ackis, Henry M., Pvt., Co. I, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, James T., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Wm. F., Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Wm. T., Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Jos. A., Dr., C.S.A.

Ackis, Dionysius, Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, John G., Sgt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, P., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Alexander (Sandy), Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Robert, Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Joseph A., Sgt., 2nd Md. Art.

Ackis, Thomas L., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Wm. B., Lieut., 2nd Md. Art.

Ackis, Wm. M., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Enoch, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, George Wellington, Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Henry C., Lieut., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, S. H., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Wm. J., Sgt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Wm. Thomas, Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Benj. F., Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Frank, Pvt., Zarvona Zouaves (Co. H, 4th Va.)

Ackis, James O., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, J. W., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, John, Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, John J., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Wesley, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Benton, Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Charles F., Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Thomas B., Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Wallace, Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Charles, Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Chapman B., Sgt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, David Stone, Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Enoch, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Henry, Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, James, C.S.A.

Ackis, John H., Pvt., 1st Md. Art.

Ackis, Burroughs, Dent, Pvt. (?)

Ackis, Vincent, Capt., C.S.A. Signal Corps

Ackis, P., Zarvona Zouaves (Co. H, 47th Va.)

Ackis, Patrick, Pvt., 3rd Md. Art.

Ackis, Thomas, Corp., 4th Md. Art.

Ackis, M. Philip, Pvt., Co. B, 21st Va. Inf.

Ackis, Philip, Pvt.

Ackis, Wm. H., Pvt., Co. B, 21st Va. Inf.

Ackis, James, Pvt., 4th Md. Art.

Ackis, Rudolphus, Lieut., Co. K, 1st Va. Cav.

Ackis, George, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Columbus, Pvt., Co. G, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Wm. C., Pvt., Co. C, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Garrett, Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, George W., Pvt., 2nd Md. Art.

Ackis, George A., Pvt., 19th Va. Batt.

Ackis, John H., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Severn, Pvt., 19th Va. Batt.

Ackis, Ames T., Pvt., Co. I, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Ignatius, Pvt., Co. K, 1st Va. Cav.

Ackis, John E., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Robert, Pvt., Mosby Rangers

Ackis, W. A. W., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, William, Pvt., Hampton's Region, S.C.

Ackis, Edgar Jas., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, John F., Pvt. (?)

Ackis, Demetrius, Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, George R., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Philip, Dr., C.S.A.

Ackis, Charles, Pvt., Co. G, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, G. G., Pvt., 1st Md. Art.

Ackis, Christopher, Ireland Dorsey (Cosh), Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Brent, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Parran, Capt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, George, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, Joseph Francis, Pvt., Co. I, 4th Va. Inf.

Ackis, Thos. LeRoy, Pvt., 40th Va. Vol.

Ackis, John, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf.

Ackis, John, Pvt.

Ackis, John Marshall, Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Joseph H., Pvt., 12th Georgia Battalion

Ackis, William T., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Charles L., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Charles T., Musician, Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, William C., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, John Francis, Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, A. M., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav.

Ackis, Stephen, Pvt., Zarvona Zouaves (Co. H, 47th Va.)

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Ackis, William J., Pvt., Co. A, 2nd Md. Inf.

Ackis, Charles, Pvt., 2nd Md. Art.

Ackis, J. Dallas, Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Early in 1861, a series of public meetings were held in Leonardtown, and following the fall of Fort Sumpter in April 1861, the County Commissioners authorized a special tax assessment of \$10,000 for the purchase of arms and ammunition. On April 23, the Ladies of Leonardtown presented the Riley Rifles with a flag modeled on that adopted by the Confederate States. It bore in its field eight stars and a position for a ninth, which would be Maryland.

However, the Federal government suspended the writ of habeas corpus, arrested and jailed, without trial the pro-South members of the Maryland Assembly, and the State was kept forcibly in the Union. St. Mary's County was occupied by Federal troops throughout the war and the courthouse was used as a headquarters.

When Virginia joined the Confederacy, hundreds of the young men of the Volunteer Companies crossed the Potomac River and enlisted in Confederate Units, mostly in the Companies of the Maryland Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry Regiments. A list of 287 names of these men follows and it is estimated that this list is about only one-half of the total. The State being forcibly kept in the Union, no official records were maintained and from fear of retribution, the names of the Confederate Volunteers were kept secret.

Warren, James, Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav. Warren, James, Pvt. Waring, C. H., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav. Waring, Edward (Ned), Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav. Waring, H. W., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav. Waring, James, Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav. Waters, John H., Pvt., Co. E, 1st Md. Cav. Wathen, Clement, Pvt., Co. A, 1st Md. Inf. (?) Wathen, Daniel or David, Pvt., Va. Cav. Wayzil, Patrick, Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf. Wheatley, Wm. F., Corp., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf. Wheeler, Capt. Wilkinson, Daniel, Pvt., 4th Md. Art. Wilkinson, Wm. A., Pvt., Co. E, 2nd Md. Inf. Williams, John W., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Cav. Wilson, James Hebb, Lieut., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf. Wilson, William A., Sgt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Cav. Wise, Charles B., Lieut., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf. Wise, Henry A., Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf. Wood, Henry, Pvt., Co. I, 1st Md. Inf. Wood, Walter, Pvt., Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf. Yates, Frank, Pvt. Yates, J. F., Pvt., Zarvona Zouaves (Co. H, 47th Va.) Yates, T. Frank, Pvt., Pelham's Battery Yates, Wm. F., Pvt., 4th Md. Art. Zarvona, Thomas Richard, Col., C.S.A.

There are, undoubtedly, some errors in the above list, but on the whole, there is substantial supporting data. There are many omissions. One problem is the similarity of family names in the Southern Counties and many men in these Maryland Units and other Virginia Units could not be identified as to County. It is much desired that corrections and additions to this list be forwarded to the writer in order to complete the record insofar as possible.

With the suspension of the writ of habeas corpus, the Federal Troops occupying the County could arrest and jail private citizens with impunity. In effect, "a state of martial law" prevailed in St. Mary's

County throughout the war. Arrests of citizens merely on suspicion were frequent; no one could hold a public job or get a travel pass without taking the oath of allegiance; curfews were established; the County newspaper was shut down and the Rivermen's boats were systematically destroyed to prevent men and supplies reaching Virginia. After the Lincoln assassination, to prevent Booth's escape, all boats on the Patuxent and the Potomac were ordered destroyed. Federal Troops supervised and intimidated all local elections.

A list of 86 citizen arrests has been compiled and there were many more:

Abell, Wm. M., Dr.: Jailed for a year (1861-62) at Fort Lafayette without a trial.

Adams, Henry: Arrested and jailed in 1862 on refusal to take oath of allegiance.

Allston, F. J.: Jailed for blockade running in 1862.

Barber, Geo. W.: Accused of interfering with Federal recruiters at Charlotte Hall, 1862.

Blackstone, Jas. T.: Arrested Jan. 21, 1862.

Blackstone, John: Accused of blockade running in 1861.

Blackstone, R. Pinckney, Dr.: Accused of blockade running in 1861.

Bradburn, John S.: Jailed at Point Lookout for blockade running, escaped.

Burroughs, Wm. H.: Arrested and jailed in 1862 on refusal to take oath of allegiance.

Burtles, Thos. W.: Accused of interfering with Federal recruiter at Charlotte Hall, 1862.

Carroll, Henry I.: Arrested Jan. 2, 1862.

Carter, Wm. H.: Convicted of taking munitions to sea - ordered executed but jailed instead.

Caswell, Car.: Imprisoned at Point Lookout in 1864.

Chunn, M. B.: Arrested and jailed for refusal to take oath of allegiance in 1862.

Clarke, Robert: Arrested and jailed for dealing in contraband.

Coad, J. Edwin: Arrested twice - imprisoned on U.S. Cutter

Cole, Wm.: Arrested in 1861.

Cole, Wm. E.: Arrested in 1864.

Colton, Richard: Accused of trying to buy arms for the South.

Combs, P. F., Dr.: Accused of ferrying men and supplies across the Potomac.

Connelly, Mr.: Arrested and jailed at Point Lookout.

Conrad, N.: Arrested Mar. 31, 1864.

Costigan, Sylvester I.: Arrested at the Polls, Nov. 1, 1863.

Dent, Walter L.: Arrested and jailed as a Southern Sympathizer.

Dent, Robert: Accused of interfering with Fed. recruiters at Charlotte Hall, 1862.

Downs, James S.: Imprisoned at Point Lookout and Baltimore - newspaper suppressed.

Durant, Clark J.: Man. of House of Delegates; imprisoned at Fort Lafayette in 1861 without trial.

Edelen, Henry C., Dr.: Imprisoned at Point Lookout Jan. 10, 1864.

Fenwick, Mr.: Accused of ferrying men and supplies to Virginia.

Ford, J. J.: Arrested Jan. 2, 1862.

Ford, N.: Accused of ferrying men and supplies to Virginia. Forrest, Joseph Mrs.: Banished from St. Mary's County. Foxwell, James L.: Imprisoned at Point Lookout in 1864. Garner, George R.: Arrested and jailed on refusal to take oath of allegiance in 1862.

Gough, Joseph T.: Imprisoned at Point Lookout in 1864.

Gough, Thomas W.: Arrested in 1862 and 1864; imprisoned at Point Lookout.

Greenwell, John: Arrested Jan. 2, 1862.

Greenwell, Thomas C.: Arrested Jan. 2, 1862.

Guyther, John S.: Arrested in 1864.

Harris, Benj. Gwinn, Hon.: Member of 38th Congress; convicted by Court Martial of giving \$2.00 to two released Confederate prisoners after Appomattox; deprived of his seat in Congress and jailed; pardoned by Pres. Andrew Johnson and restored to Congress.

Hayden, B. L.: Jailed 1861-1862 at Fort Lafayette without a trial.

Hayden, Oscar: Arrested and accused of being a Confederate Agent.

Hebb, John Loker: Imprisoned at Fort McHenry in 1861.

Hodges, J. W.: Imprisoned at Point Lookout.

Hurry, James C.: Accused of planning to capture a steamboat on the Patuxent.

Jones, E. H.: Jailed more than a year at Fort Lafayette without a trial.

Key, Joseph H.: Arrested in 1861.

King, Joseph: Arrested for resisting and threatening to kill a Fed. Draft Official.

Lawrence, John, Capt.: His schooner scuttled by the U.S. Navy in the Potomac.

Lucas, Mr.: Accused of ferrying supplies to Virginia.

Lynch, Thos. A., Dr.: Imprisoned at Fortress Monroe in 1864.

Maddox, Joseph M.: Arrested and charged as a Courier for the Confederates.

Maddox, Thomas H.: Arrested and charged as a Courier for the Confederates.

Mattingly, George: Arrested as a blockade runner in 1864.

Mattingly, John: Arrested as a blockade runner in 1864.

Mattingly, Joseph: Arrested Feb. 11, 1864.

Milburn, Charles W.: Arrested as a Confederate spy Nov. 1863.

Milburn, James R.: Arrested as a Confederate spy Feb. 1864.

Morgan, J. F., Dr.: Accused of ferrying men to Virginia.

Morgan, Peter H.: Arrested and jailed in the Old Capitol as a spy, June 1864.

Neale, Francis C., Dr.: Jailed in the Old Capitol for a year for helping the South.

Norris, William: Arrested and jailed at Point Lookout in 1864.

Paul, George, Capt.: Arrested and jailed at Point Lookout in 1864.

Raley, James: Accused of ferrying supplies to Virginia.

Russell, John F.: Mate on schooner scuttled by U.S. Navy.

Shadrack, John: Arrested in 1864.

Shadrack, Thos. M.: Arrested in 1864.

Simms, George: Accused of ferrying men and supplies to Virginia.

Slye, D. W.: Imprisoned at Point Lookout.

Sothoron, John H.: Plantation confiscated after shooting of a Federal recruiter who was trying to take slaves.

Sothoron, John H. Mrs.: Banished from St. Mary's County.

Spalding, Charles C.: Arrested Jan. 10, 1864 and imprisoned in the Old Capitol.

Stewart, William: Arrested and imprisoned in 1864.

Swann, Robert: Imprisoned at Point Lookout as a contraband dealer.

Thomas, Wesley: Arrested and imprisoned at Point Lookout.

Trader, Samuel: Accused of ferrying men and supplies to Virginia.

Walton, Randolph: Accused of being a Confederate Courier.

Waring, James, Dr.: Arrested and imprisoned in 1862 on refusal to take oath of allegiance.

Warner, Geo. K., Rev.: Arrested and imprisoned in 1862 on refusal to take oath of allegiance.

Warren, John H.: Property seized by the Military.

Warren, John H. Mrs.: Banished from St. Mary's County.

Wilson, Joseph H.: Arrested Sept. 5, 1861.

Wilson, William: Arrested and jailed at Fort McHenry in 1861 for dealing in contraband.

In most of these cases, the arrests were on suspicion and many times the Federal Military could not secure enough evidence so they would be forced to release the prisoners after a short term in prison, which was frustrating to them. These Civilian Patriots rendered outstanding service to the Confederacy, risking their liberties and fortunes.

In June 1893, the Association of St. Mary's County Confederate Veterans was formed with Capt. George Thomas as Chairman and Vincent Camaller as Secretary, which survived for a quarter century until the passing of the Veterans. The records of this

Association would be invaluable if they could be found.

A group of Countians are interested now in forming a chapter of the Sons of Confederate Veterans and of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, so please send in your personal data if you are interested in becoming a charter member of either group. A general organizational meeting is planned at a future date.

Women



# St. Mary's County

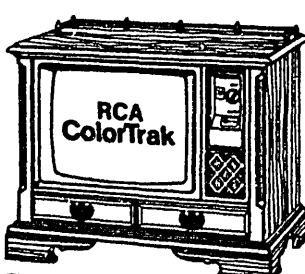
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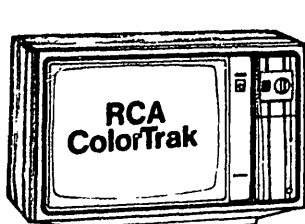
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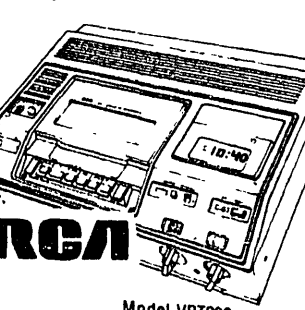
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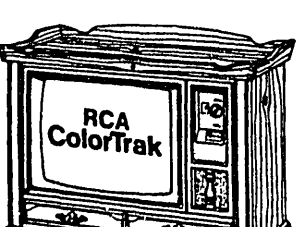


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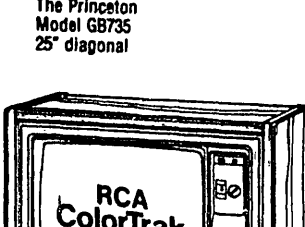


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This week *The Enterprise* is printing the final installment in the listings of the Confederate and Union soldiers who served in the Civil War from St. Mary's County.

The lists compiled by County historian Edwin Beitzell include blacks and whites, both civilian and military.

Beitzell collected the information over a 30-year period. He hopes to form a local chapter of the Sons of the Confederacy in the County.

During the Civil War the County had strong leanings toward the Southern cause. In fact, according to Beitzell, military units were formed in the County in the expectation that the State would secede from the Union.

Additional Names of St. Mary's Countians Who Served in the US Forces (White)

Anadale, William, Pvt.  
Bond, F. H., Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Bond, Joseph, Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Carroll, Henry I., Pvt.  
Graves, Emory, Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Hayzel, Joseph, Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Herbert, J. J., Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Jones, Calbe, Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Joy, Ferdinand, Pvt.  
Knott, Wm. H., Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Leach, Hollin, Pvt.  
Leach, James, Pvt.  
Long, Marcellus, Pvt.  
Neal, F. C. Dr., U.S. Navy  
Paul, Geo. E., Pilot, U.S. Navy  
Pilkerton, Ben, Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Rorsell, Alex, Pvt.

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Scott, Thomas, Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Spalding, Thomas, Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Suit, Thos. R., Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Thompson, Jas. T., Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.  
Wood, Jas. T., Pvt., 4th Md. Reg.

County Unionists  
sympathizers Preuss, Z. W. Federal Draft Official.  
Blacks in the U.S. Service (1)

| NAME            | RANK | CO. | REG. | ENROLLED  | AGE |
|-----------------|------|-----|------|-----------|-----|
| Millard, John   | Pvt. | K   | 19th | 1/10/1864 | 26  |
| Millard, Tipy   | Pvt. | K   | 38th | 2/10/1864 | 25  |
| Mills, Benjamin | Pvt. | K   | 19th | 1/7/1864  | 28  |
| Mills, George   | Pvt. | B   | 38th | 2/15/1864 | 33  |
| Mills, Richard  | Pvt. | K   | 38th | 3/1/1864  | 23  |
| Mills, Wm. J.   | Pvt. | K   | 19th | 1/4/1864  | 29  |

REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy & served as Landsman 4/20/64-8/17/65.

Moore, Norman  
REMARKS: Died in the field in Va. 4/26/1865 of remitting fever.

|                   |      |      |            |            |    |
|-------------------|------|------|------------|------------|----|
| Morgan, Daniel    | Pvt. | G    | 7th        | 10/23/1863 | 25 |
| Morgan, Hamlet    | Pvt. | 38th | 2/27/1864  | 21         |    |
| Morgan, James     | Pvt. | 38th | 5/14/1864  | 19         |    |
| Morgan, Matthew   | Pvt. | C    | 9th        | 2/27/1864  | 25 |
| Murray, Wm.       | Pvt. | 38th | 10/22/1863 | 19         |    |
| Murray, John      | Pvt. | 38th | 2/15/1864  | 21         |    |
| Murray, Wm.       | Pvt. | 38th | 3/1/1864   | 18         |    |
| Neal, Franklin    | Pvt. | A    | 9th        | 10/23/1863 | 25 |
| Neal, George      | Pvt. | C    | 9th        | 10/22/1863 | 19 |
| Neal, James Henry | Pvt. | 38th | 2/29/1864  | 21         |    |
| Neal, James T.    | Pvt. | E    | 19th       | 12/19/1863 | 18 |
| Neal, John R.     | Pvt. | B    | 30th       | 2/9/1864   | 26 |
| Neal, Robert S.   | Pvt. | D    | 38th       | 2/29/1864  | 21 |
| Nebbitt, John L.  | Pvt. | G    | 7th        | 10/24/1863 | 20 |

REMARKS: Died 12/29/1863 in hospital at Camp Stanton, Benedict, Md.

|                      |       |      |           |            |    |
|----------------------|-------|------|-----------|------------|----|
| Nutter, Dennis       | Pvt.  | A    | 9th       | 10/22/1863 | 26 |
| Parrott, Robert      | Pvt.  | F    | 38th      | 4/26/1864  | 35 |
| Perfy, Joseph        | Pvt.  | I    | 7th       | 10/23/1863 | 21 |
| Plater, Philip       | Pvt.  | I    | 7th       | 10/23/1863 | 19 |
| Plowden, Richard     | Pvt.  | F    | 38th      | 5/17/1864  | 20 |
| Queen, Henry         | Pvt.  | K    | 19th      | 1/13/1864  | 29 |
| Reedy, John T.       | Pvt.  | I    | 7th       | 10/21/1863 | 23 |
| Reed, Joseph I.      | Pvt.  | G    | 9th       | 11/30/1863 | 19 |
| Reed, Levi           | Pvt.  | K    | 29th      |            |    |
| Reeder, George W.    | Pvt.  | B    | 30th      | 2/9/1864   | 23 |
| Reeder, John W.      | Corp. | B    | 30th      | 2/9/1864   | 25 |
| Reeder, Joseph       | Pvt.  | A    | 7th       | 10/31/1863 | 27 |
| Robertson, Joseph    | Pvt.  | 38th | 2/15/1864 | 23         |    |
| Robertson, Joseph A. | Pvt.  | 38th | 2/15/1864 | 23         |    |
| Robertson, Morris    | Pvt.  | C    | 9th       | 10/23/1863 | 41 |
| Robinson, David F.   | Pvt.  | F    | 38th      | 5/24/1864  | 20 |

REMARKS: Drafted.

Robinson, George  
Ross, Edmund  
Kustin, John C.  
Kustin, John M.

REMARKS: Died of dysentery 9/2/1865 at Indianola, Texas.

Sanford, Mark  
Swan, Robert  
Tabert, Romulus  
Taylor, Alexander  
Taylor, Charles  
Taylor, John H.

REMARKS: Died of disease 1/11/1864 at Benedict, Md.

Taylor, Peter  
Taylor, Wm. H.  
REMARKS: Died of typhoid 7/1/1864 in U.S. Hospital at Beaufort, S.C.

|                   |      |   |      |           |    |
|-------------------|------|---|------|-----------|----|
| Tebbs, William    | Pvt. | A | 19th | 12/6/1863 | 21 |
| Thomas, Dennis    | Pvt. | B | 38th | 2/29/1864 | 20 |
| Thomas, George P. | Pvt. | B | 30th | 2/9/1864  | 20 |

REMARKS: Died 3/22/1864 in a Baltimore hospital.

|                 |      |   |      |            |    |
|-----------------|------|---|------|------------|----|
| Thomas, Henry   | Pvt. | C | 9th  | 5/29/1864  | 18 |
| Thomas, John H. | Pvt. | C | 9th  | 10/22/1863 | 33 |
| Thomas, Robert  | Pvt. | E | 30th | 2/29/1864  | 17 |
| Thomas, Samuel  | Pvt. | H | 7th  | 2/29/1864  | 20 |
| Thomas, Sidney  | Pvt. | H | 7th  | 10/21/1863 | 21 |

REMARKS: Died of cholera 9/20/1866 at Indianola, Texas.

Thomas, Thomas  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy & served as a Landsman 4/21/1864 - 3/8/1867.

Thomas, William  
Tilghman, Geo. P.  
Tinney, Geo. W.  
Tolson, Daniel S.  
Tolson, James A.  
Traverse, Joseph  
Travis, William

REMARKS: Died at Salisbury, N.C. while a prisoner of war.

Turner, Geo. H.  
Turner, John H.  
Turner, Major  
Washington, George W.

REMARKS: Died of wounds 4/3/1865 at Point of Rocks, Va.

Washington, Sandy  
Waters, Robert  
Watts, Daniel  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy

Watts, John D.  
Watts, William  
REMARKS: Died 3/3/1864 in a Baltimore hospital.

Whaling, Arthur  
Whaling, Augustus  
Whaling, John R.  
Whaling, Romulus K.

REMARKS: Died of disease 1/11/1864 at Benedict, Md.

Wheeler, Joseph A.  
White, General  
Whitehurst, James  
Williams, Geo. W.

REMARKS: Killed in action in attack on Fort Gilmore, Va. 9/29/1864.

Wilson, George  
Wilson, James A.  
Wilson, John  
Wood, Henry

REMARKS: Died of disease 1/11/1864 at Benedict, Md.

Woodland, John  
Woodland, John C.  
Woodland, Philip  
Woodland, Richard

REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy 4/15/1864.

Woodland, Warner  
Woodland, William  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy & served as a Landsman 4/22/1864-7/28/1865.

Yates, Andrew  
Yates, James W.  
Young, Charles Joseph  
REMARKS: Mustered out 11/6/1865.

Young, Edward  
REMARKS: Died of gun shot wound 9/29/1864 at New Market, Va.

Young, Hillery  
Young, Jack  
Young, John H.  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy & served as a Landsman 4/19/1864 - 7/11/1865.

Young, Ned

### Supplemental List of Blacks Obtained (in the U.S. Service) (2) from Adjutant General's Office Records

Barnes, Samuel  
Biscoe, John  
REMARKS: Died of fever in hospital 2/10/1864.

Biscoe, John  
REMARKS: Died 9/10/1864 on way to hospital in Baltimore.

Brown, James  
REMARKS: Died 7/9/1865 of dysentery in New Orleans, La.

Brown, James H.  
REMARKS: Died 11/12/1864 of pneumonia in Portsmouth, Va. hospital.

Brown, Walter  
REMARKS: Died in U.S. hospital in New Orleans, La. during the war.

Carroll, John  
Cole, Richard  
REMARKS: Died in U.S. General Hospital in New Orleans during the war.

Greenwell, Jas.  
Greenwell, Jas. H.  
Harris, Anthony  
REMARKS: Died in hospital at Benedict, Md. 3/29/1864.

Holt, Wm.  
Jackson, Moses  
REMARKS: No evidence of death 2/14/1866.

Lansdale, Sandy  
Sangston, Peter  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy 4/15/1864.

Scott, Theophilus  
Sewall, Charles  
Sewall, James  
Sewall, Robert  
Sewall, Wesley  
REMARKS: Died of chills 12/5/1863 at Benedict, Md.

Shade, Wm. F.  
Shaw, James H.  
REMARKS: Died of disease 2/8/1866 at Benedict, Md.

Shortt, Baswell  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy 4/15/1864.

Shorter, Washington  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy & served as Landsman 4/20/1864-6/7/1865.

Showell, Peter, 2nd  
Slater, Washington  
REMARKS: Died of disease 1/31/1864.

Small, Dennis  
Smallwood, Stephen  
REMARKS: Died of disease 11/7/1865 at Brownsville, Texas.

Smallwood, Stephen  
Smith, Abraham  
Smith, Cazine  
REMARKS: Sick in hospital since Jan. 1864 - not heard from since.

Smith, Isaac  
Smith, Izard  
Smith, John  
REMARKS: Promoted from Corp. to Sergt. per R.S.O. No. 7/1/1864.

Smith, John W.  
Smith, Julius  
Smith, Samuel  
Somerville, Charles

REMARKS: Died of disease 9/2/1864 in hospital in Bermuda.

Statenman, John  
REMARKS: Died of dysentery 9/19/1865 at Brownsville, Texas.

Stevens, George A.  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy 4/15/1864.

Steward, Courtland  
Steward, Felix  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy 4/15/1864.

Steward, Thomas  
Steward, Wm. A.  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy 4/15/1864.

Steward, Wm. F.  
Stewart, John  
Stewart, Wm.  
REMARKS: Trans. to U.S. Navy & served as Landsman 4/19/1864 - 8/27/1867.

Summerville, George  
Summerville, Ignatius  
Summerville, John  
Summerville, Samuel

REMARKS: Died of disease 9/2/1864 in hospital in Bermuda.

Sumwell, Robert  
Swan, Mathias

### Supplemental List of Whites Obtained (in U.S. Service) From Applications for Military Commissions in Md. Volunteers

NAME RANK CO. REG.

Armstrong, John M. Lieut. D 2nd Md. P.H. Brigade Commissioned 1/863

\*Cole, John Lieut. A 2nd Md. P.H. Brigade Commissioned 1/863

\*Cole, William Pvt. H 1st Md. Inf.

Dunbar, John Capt. H 5th Md. Inf. Commissioned 10/24/1864

Hammit, Thos P. Lieut. K Furness Legion Commissioned 7/7/1863

Jarboe, Wm. R. Lieut. C 2nd Md. P. H. Comm. 1/9/1863

\*Tutton, Richard E. Dr. 115th Inf. Reg.

\*Watts, Daniel Pvt. E 2nd Md. Cav.

REMARKS: Died at Bower's Hill, Va. 2/12/1866.

\*Register of Applications, Adj. Gen'l's Ofc.

\*Chronicles of St. Mary's Vol. 25, No. 2, Margaret Frescoe "List of Mary's County Doctors."

### Additional Names of St. Mary's Countians Who Served in the Confederacy

NAME RANK CO.

Ashcom, John C. Dr. C.S.A.

Banagan, John S. Pvt. Cav. C.S.A.

Barber, Columbus Pvt. C.S.A.

Barber, John Gwinn Col. C.S.A.

Bowling, George F. Pvt.

Bowling, William Pvt.

Burroughs, Chapman Pvt.

Chesser, Richard Pvt.

Curry, Benjamin Pvt.

Edelen, Samuel Pvt.

Foxwell, Charles Pvt.

Gatton, Lloyd Pvt.

Goddard, Wm. B. Pvt.

Graves, Raymond Pvt.

Gristy, George Pvt.

Heard, William Pvt.

Hebb, John Wise Dr. Louisiana Reg. C.S.A.

Johnson, Wm. Pvt. Co. E, 1st Md. Cav.

Keech, James F. Pvt. Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

Koontz, Edgar Pvt.

Loker, James B. Pvt.

Long, Thomas G. Pvt.

Miles, George T. Pvt. Co. D, 1st Md. Cav.

Mills, John E. Pvt.

Moore, Isadore Pvt.

Murray, Edward Pvt. Co. E, 1st Md. Cav.

Nevitt, Philip Pvt.

Norris, Philip O. Pvt.

Parsons, John H. Pvt.

Raley, James G. Pvt.

Rice, James Pvt.

Rice, William Pvt.

Spalding, John T. Pvt. Co. A, 1st Md. Cav.

Thompson, Edward Pvt.

Thompson, Thomas G. Pvt.

Tippett, Caleb Lt. 1st Md. Inf.

Williams, Thomas G. Pvt. 1st Md. Art. (?)

Wood, Joseph D. Pvt. Co. B, 2nd Md. Inf.

### Additional Citizens' Arrests at Southern Sympathizers

Bell, B. Jackson: Refused to be enrolled in the Federal Draft - arrested.

Bell, N. W.: Reported as running contraband in 1863.

Farr, Jas. W.: Imprisoned in the Old Capitol 1861-1864 for secession sentiments.

Farr, John D.: Imprisoned in the Old Capitol 1861-1864 for secession sentiments.

Ford, J. Ignatius: Imprisoned in the Old Capitol 1861-1864 for secession sentiments.

Goddard, John: Imprisoned in the Old Capitol 1861-1862 for secession sentiments.

Goldsmith, James A.: Imprisoned in the Old Capitol 1861-1862 for secession sentiments.

Hayden, Richard T.: Imprisoned in the Old Capitol 1862 for secession sentiments.



# St. Mary's County

## In the War Between the States

This week The Enterprise is publishing a list of Union soldiers compiled by County historian Edwin Beitzell.

The list includes a few black soldiers as well as the white soldiers who served in the Civil War from the County.

Since the list was compiled, Beitzell has been able to collect a few more names to add to the list. The list will appear in the next issue as the third installment in the Civil War veterans series.

### PART II SERVICE IN THE U.S. FORCES

By Edwin W. Beitzell  
County Historian

As indicated in Part I, the vast majority of St. Mary's Countymen were in sympathy with the Southern Cause. Although almost half of the black people were free men at the outbreak of the War, slaves represented a sizable portion of the wealth of the plantation owners and they resisted the loss of this wealth without compensation to the end.

In the end, however, all was lost, including the lives of many of their sons. St. Mary's County was then and still is staunchly Democratic and firm believers in "States Rights."

The chief pillar of strength of the Union in St. Mary's County was Randolph Jones of Cross Manor at St. Inigoes. In early 1861, Jones was captain

of a volunteer company, the St. Mary's Dragoons, but after Maryland was kept in the Union, he cast his lot with the Federal government. His first step was to disarm the Dragoons to prevent their arms falling into Confederate hands. Jones was a fearless and determined individual and stood up to the almost universal hostility of his fellow Countymen.

Up to the passing of the Draft Act in July 1862, only four men from St. Mary's County had enrolled in the Union Army. At this time, Jones was named the Federal Enrollment Officer and Provost Marshal of the County. His attempts to secure enrollment officers in each district were

surrounded with problems. Typical of the difficulties was the case of P. G. Love of St. Clement's Bay in the 4th District. Love and his brother resigned their commissions on Oct. 2, 1862, saying that "If we qualified for the said office we would be signing our own death warrants."

On Oct. 23, 1862, Jones sent to Annapolis the County enrollment books, complete except for the 3rd District. Out of a total of 1,652 men of draft age 467 had been dismissed on grounds of physical disability by Dr. James H. Miles of Chaptico, and 120 were listed as having gone to Virginia to serve in Confederate units. In April 1863 Jones received a

commission as captain of Co. H 1st Md. Inf. U.S.A.

Since draft pressure on the whites resulted in their crossing the Potomac and joining the Confederate forces, the Federal authorities decided to accept blacks in filling the County draft quotas. Slave owners would be compensated by payment of a \$300 bounty upon filing a deed of manumission.

A bounty of \$200 also was offered to free Negroes to enlist. In this way, the County quotas were filled until July 21, 1864, when some 56 white draftees were ordered to report to Camp Bradford near Baltimore, from which number 28 would be selected to fill the quota. How many, if any, of

these men went into the Federal service, is unknown at this time.

Most of the County black recruits were trained at Camp Stanton, Benedict, Md., where they largely formed the 19th and 30th Colored Infantry. A sizable number of Virginia blacks were also included in the units, after being brought over from the Northern Neck of Virginia during several raids by the Military Units stationed at the Point Lookout Prison Camp for Confederates.

A number of blacks from the County were also recruited into the 38th and 39th Colored Infantry. Many other Southern Maryland blacks who had sought refuge in Washington were enlisted in the 1st, 2nd,

and 23rd Infantry.

Two County men of the 38th Colored Infantry were awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for their gallantry in the assault on Fort Gilmer. They were Cpl. James H. Harris and Pvt. William H. Barnes.

The late James H. Whyte,

who published two articles on the Union cause in St. Mary's County, has stated that more than 558 black soldiers served in various Union regiments, whom 125 died in action, by wounds or by disease, names of these men unknown at this time.

### KNOWN MEN IN THE FEDERAL SERVICE

\*Barnes, William H., Pvt., 38th Colored Inf.  
Bean, Joseph A., Landsman, U.S. Navy  
Bennett, William H., Pvt., Co. G, 1st Md. Inf.  
Bond, Benjamin H., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Bond, John S., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Cheseldine, Robert, Landsman, U.S. Navy  
Cheseldine, Wm. E., Pvt., Co. E, 1st Md. Inf.  
Chivalier, Alex B., Pvt., Co. B, 1st Md. Inf.  
Dwyer, George W., Pvt., Co. I, 2nd Md. Inf.  
Ellis, John W., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Ford, John J., Pvt., Co. D, 13th Md. Inf.  
Handy, Randolph, Fireman, U.S. Navy  
Harris, Geo. W., Sgt., U.S. Marine Corps  
\*Harris, James H., Corp., 38th Colored Inf.  
Hayden, Joseph B., Seaman, U.S. Navy  
Hayden, Joseph F., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Heard, James A., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Hill, Wm. G., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Holland, William, Landsman, U.S. Navy  
Jones, Randolph, Capt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Jones, Thomas F., Pvt., Co. B, 13th Md. Inf.  
Knott, James H., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Long, John, Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Martin, Calvin, Hosp. Steward, U.S. Army  
Medley, Chas. H., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Milburn, Thos. H., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Morgan, Jas. Ethelbert, U.S. Medical Corps  
Nelson, George, Seaman, U.S. Navy  
Railey, John S., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Redmond, John B., Fireman, U.S. Navy  
Sothoron, Jas. Thomas, U.S. Medical Corps  
Tarleton, Francis, Ign., Pvt., Co. K, 1st Md. Inf.  
Thomas, John L., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.  
Williams, Edward S., Pvt., Co. H, 1st Md. Inf.

LIST OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY UNIONISTS  
Blackstone, Wm. J.: App'd. Federal Draft Commissioner, Aug. 1862.  
Burns, Alexander: Special agent for Federal Draft Board, Nov. 11, 1864.

Briscoe, John R.: Wrote letter 11/13/1867 to Fed. Society of War informing on Southern Sympathizers in St. M. Co.  
Cole, William E.: Federal recruiter in the 2nd District.  
Colton, Richard: Federal recruiter in the 3rd District (declined?).  
Courtney, John B.: Federal recruiter in the 1st District.  
Davis, Joseph B.: Federal appointee to recruit infantry volunteers.  
Graves, L. G. Ryan: Federal recruiter in the 3rd District.  
Harrison, Theophilus: Federal recruiter in the 4th District.  
Hayden, Leonard: Special agent for the Fed. Draft Board 11/11/1864.  
Hayden, Richard A.: Federal recruiter in Leonardtown.  
Jones, Henry: Federal recruiter in Oakville.  
Jones, Joshua: Federal recruiter in the 6th District.  
Lawrence, Asa A.: Agent of the Freedman's Bur., St. M. Co.  
Leach, John H.: Federal recruiter in the 2nd District.  
Love, P. G.: Federal recruiter in the 4th District.  
Love, P. G.: Federal recruiter in the 4th Dist. Declined.  
Penn, John W.: Federal recruiter at Charlotte Hall.  
Penn, John W.: Federal recruiter in the 5th District.  
Reeder, Wm. H.: Federal recruiter in the 5th District.  
Whittemore, E.: Federal recruiter in the 6th District.

Please forward corrections Edwin Beitzell, County Historian, Abell, Md.

## Youth Service Award Nominees Sought

Each year the St. Mary's County Youth Commission honors an individual who has provided outstanding service to young people of St. Mary's County. The purpose of this award is to publicly recognize the achievements of this person, and to stimulate others to follow the good example set by the one recognized.

The award is a public presentation by the Youth Commission of a plaque appropriately inscribed and a brief written description of the individual's service. The minimum qualifications for this award are:

1) The individual must have provided some notable service to County youth during the past year.  
2) This service must be of outstanding quality, e.g., length of service, number of accomplishments, important results from an activity, overcoming a handicap while serving.

3) The nominee's efforts on behalf of St. Mary's youth must be of a voluntary nature, e.g., no monetary compensation received.

Again this year there will also be an award to the local young person who has contributed his time and effort to the betterment of other youth and of the community.

1) This individual must have performed some courageous or heroic deed during the past year.  
2) Provided volunteer service to a disabled or elderly person.  
3) Distinguished him/herself in some other way.

The Youth Commission hopes to present this award in May and is currently compiling a list of nominees.

Persons interested in suggesting nominees are encouraged to contact Delores Hill, youth services coordinator, at 475-5621, ext. 63, or write to the Youth Commission, P.O. Box 351, Leonardtown, Md. 20650.

All nominations must be in by April 10.

Nominations should include: (a) name, profession, (c) age, (d) address and phone number, and (e) detailed summary of reasons why this individual should be considered for this award.

### Bay Bridge Day '78 Set

Sunday, April 23, is Bay Bridge Day '78 according to the Maryland Transportation Authority. For the entire day one of the parallel spans of the William Preston Lane, Jr. Memorial Bridge will be closed to vehicles to allow pedestrians to stroll over the Chesapeake Bay.

Approving Bay Bridge Day for the fourth consecutive year, Transportation Authority members noted the tremendous public acceptance of the event that has already made a Maryland tradition. Bay Bridge Day has attracted crowds as high as 30,000 persons who spend a pleasant hours crossing the 1.7 miles over the bay.

As in past years, the event is entirely free to the public with shuttle buses carrying walkers from parking areas to the bridge. Parking will be available only at Anne Arundel Community College on U.S. Route 2, the Navy-Marine Corps Stadium in Annapolis and on the Eastern Shore at the Kent Island Shopping Center.

Shuttle bus service will begin at 9 a.m. with the last bus leaving for the bridge at 3 p.m. All walkers must be off the span by 5 p.m.

Sanitary facilities will be available to the public and drinking water will be located at the bridge. No food, pets, bicycles, or skateboards will be allowed on the bridge and those under 16 must be accompanied by adults.

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