



NEWSLETTER

of the
HARFORD COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

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NOTICE OF MEETING

Date : Sunday, 15-May-2005, at 2:00 PM

Place: The Churchville Presbyterian Church at the intersection of MD Rts. 22 and 136 in Churchville, MD

Program: Mike Dixon, Historian of The Historical Society of Cecil County, traces the evolution of graveyards, explores some tales that tombstones whisper, considers interesting epitaphs and discusses changing practices and customs. He will also make suggestions for using a visit to an old burial ground to understand and trace local and family history. Given our upcoming program in July at Christ Church Rock Spring Parish, this will be a timely topic.

For those of you who do research on the web, the Harford County Historical Society web address is: www.harfordhistory.net. E-mail address:

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The Maryland Genealogical Society Bulletin, Volume 80, Number 1 Spring 1985 had a list of Maryland Inventors and Inventions researched by Mark Walston. The following Harford Countians were abstracted from the list. Submitted by Margaret Bishop.

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| S. West | Harford Co. 16 January 1833, Clover Seed Huller |
| S. West | Harford Co. 1 March 1833, Thrashing Machine & Clover Seed Machine |
| S. West | Harford Co. 11 November 1834, Thrashing Machine Grain |
| G. Yellott | Bel Air 15 June 1852, Harness from Horse Detaching, Patent #9044 |
| J. Decker | Bel Air; 21 August 1849, Iced Cream Freezer, Patent #6661 |
| B.S. Benson | Harford Co.; 26 December 1845, Hydraulic Ram, Patent #4328 |
| J.F. Reasin | Darlington; 9 April 1850, Plow Cleaner, Patent #7274 |
| D.G. McCoy | Dublin; 20 March 1835, Thrashing Machine |
| T.E. Warner | Harford Co.; 11 February 1834, Tin Churn |
| W.W. Forwood | Abingdon; 19 November 1833, Millies, Sawing & Boring |
| T. Henderson | Harford Co.; 27 July 1852, Harness Fastening, Patent #9149 |
| D. Walker | Boring |
| W.T. Welch, Jr. | Churchville, 12 March 1850, Carriage brake, Patent #7177 |
| W.W. Virdin | 20 January 1852, Canal Lock, Patent #8668 |

The following list of Ordinary Keepers Licenses was copied from the minutes of the Circuit Court 1830 - 1840, located in the vault of the Harford county Court House. Submitted by Margaret S. Bishop.

| <u>OWNER</u> | <u>ORDINARY NAME OR LOCATION</u> |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Benjamin B. Amos | Carman's |
| Frederick T. Amos | Slate Ridge |
| Constant Allen | Smith's Ferry, Bell's Ferry |
| John Allen | Bell's Ferry |
| William Brierly | Black Horse |
| Thomas Bay | Coopstown |
| Elizabeth Bell | Smith's Ferry |
| Aquila Brown | Bush Town |
| Aquila Bailey | Havre de Grace |
| Barney Bartol | Havre de Grace |
| Samuel H. Berkhead | Joppa Cross Roads |
| Mortimer Cunningham | Abingdon |
| Thomas Courtney | Gravell Hill, Union Tavern, Union Inn |
| James Cockran | Abingdon |
| James Chandley | Havre de Grace |

| <u>OWNER</u> | <u>ORDINARY NAME OR LOCATION</u> |
|---------------------|---|
| John Davis | Mount Pleasant |
| John Donahoo | Havre de Grace |
| David Davis | Prospect Hill |
| William Ely | Darlington |
| John B. Foard | Union Cross Roads |
| Lloyd I. Foard | Joppa & Belle Air Cross Rds., Black Gap Hotel |
| Nathan Glen | Wild Cat Den |
| George Gray | Parker Gilbert's Old Stand |
| Thomas H. Gillespie | Baltimore Ferry |
| Jacob G. Gallion | Locust Hill |
| Mary Gallion | Near Michael's Mill's, Locust Hill |
| John Guy | Havre de Grace |
| George W. Hall | Havre de Grace |
| Samuel B. Hugo | Bel Air |
| John Hanna | Herbert's Cross Rds., Churchville, Lower Cross Rds. |
| Thomas Henderson | Black Horse |
| Edward Hamilton | Bonds Forest, Boudsylvania |
| Chaney Hatem | Joppa |
| Thomas Hair (Hare) | Deer Creek Inn |
| Charles Hipkins | Franklin Inn |
| Washington Hall | Havre de Grace |
| Elizabeth Hunt | Dublin Road |
| John Hawkins | Near Carman's Post Office |
| Matthew Howlett | Havre de Grace |
| Martha Haney | Havre de Grace |
| Thomas Huggins | Havre de Grace |
| Richard G. Haughey | Havre de Grace |
| John Irvin | Smith's Tavern |
| Sedgewick James | Bald Frier Cross Roads |
| Stephen Jones | Belle Air |
| Isaac Jones | Deep Run |
| Luther M. Jarrett | Carman's Post Office, Carman |
| Hugh Jones | Marshall's Cross Roads |
| John L. Johnson | Winter's Run Inn |
| Timothy Keen | Hall's Cross Roads |
| James Knight | Belle Air |
| Elizabeth Knight | Bush Town |
| James Knight & Co. | Abingdon |

| <u>OWNER</u> | <u>ORDINARY NAME OR LOCATION</u> |
|---------------------------|--|
| Thomas Knight | Bush or Bush Town |
| Lewis King | Black House (?) (Black Horse) |
| James Kelly | Bush Tavern |
| Aquila Knight | Bush Town |
| William Lindsey | Paradise |
| Jacob Minnick | Hickory |
| James McClosky | Upper Cross Roads |
| Robert McClausland | Dublin |
| Jefferson McClausland | Dublin |
| Elizabeth McClausland | Dublin |
| William I. McKelhinery | Belle Air |
| Abraham Maartin | Arch Hotel, Bushtown, Washington Hotel |
| William M. McCloskey | Belle Air |
| Robert McGraw | Bushtown |
| Thomas Murdock | Havre de Grace |
| Sylvester Macatee | Deer Creek Inn |
| William M. Mitchell & Co. | Black Walnut |
| Alexander R. Myers | Havre de Grace |
| Jonathan McVey | Havre de Grace |
| George A. McComas | Blue Rocks |
| Bennett Nelson | Perryman |
| Henry O'Neil | Darlington |
| John Oston | Mitchell's Mill |
| Lloyd D. Onion | Onion's Adventure |
| Thomas Proctor | Rock Ridge |
| Carvill H., Prigg | Herbert's Cross Rds., Churchville |
| William Price | Ely's Old Stand |
| Nelson Perryman | Perrymansville |
| George Pritchard | Herbert's Cross Roads |
| William Richardson | Belle Air |
| Ann Reed | Reed's Tavern |
| John Rouse | Joppa Cross Roads |
| Sarah Roouse | Joppa Cross Roads |
| Christopher C. Rouse | Joppa Cross Roads |
| George Rider | Hickory |
| William Riley | Upper Cross Roads |
| Catherine Richardson | Belle Air |
| Mathias Riffel | Bell's Ferry |
| Thomas Robinson | Deer Creek Inn |

| <u>OWNER</u> | <u>ORDINARY NAME OR LOCATION</u> |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| William Reed | Robert's Mill |
| William Silver | Dublin |
| Frances Smith | Stone House |
| John Scarff | Bond's Gift, Robinson's Garden |
| Thomas Scarborough | Union Cross Roads |
| Henry Staffer | Line Quarry Inn |
| Ezekiel Slade | Cox's Old Mill |
| Elizabeth Silver | Dublin |
| Jacob Singleton | Black Walnut |
| John Shaw | Blue Rocks |
| Frances Stover | Pleasant Hills |
| Hugh E. Spencer | Carman's |
| Joshua Turner | Washington's Hotel |
| Joseph Turner | Washington's Hotel |
| Charles Towson | John Toman's New House, Darlington |
| Washington Taylor | Havre de Grace |
| Alice Trager | Garden of Eden |
| Joshua Wright | Blue Rocks |
| Robert Wadsworth | Hughe's Old Stand |
| Aquila Wright | Bush Town |
| Joseph Worthington | Darlington |
| William Wilson & Co. | Wetherall's Farm |
| John Watkins | Upper Cross Roads |
| Isaac Willey | Near Smith's Ferry |
| John Walker | Bell's Ferry |
| Samuel Whiteford | Bush |
| Thomas Young | Havre de Grace |

RESERVATION FORM FOR THE 17-JULY-2005 MEETING

PLACE: CHRIST CHURCH - ROCK SPRING PARISH
 2100 ROCKSPRING RD, FOREST HILL
 (nr intersection of MD 23 & 24)

PROGRAM: Cemetary tour by Jim Dalmas

TIME: 2:00 P.M.

Number of reservations _____ @ \$9.00 each = Total \$_____ enclosed.

Make check payable to: The Harford County Genealogical Society.

Name _____ Telephone # _____

MAIL BY 3-JULY-2005 to: Mrs. Mary B. White
 P.O. Box 97
 Jarrettsville, MD 21084
 Phone: 410.692.6887

This is a box lunch catered by HEAVENLY HAM. Please make your choice of 1 sandwich, 1 bread, 1 side, 1 beverage, and 1 dessert *per reservation* from the following menu and list your choices below.

| <u>Sandwich</u> | <u>Bread</u> | <u>Sides</u> | <u>Beverage</u> | <u>Dessert</u> |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Original Ham | Croissant | Potato Salad | Coke | Black |
| Turkey Classic | Wheat | Cole Slaw | Diet Coke | Bottom |
| Chicken Salad | Kaiser | Pasta Salad | Sprite | cake |
| Turkey Salad | Rye | Fruit Salad | Tea | |
| Tuna Salad | Onion Roll | Mac Salad | Root Beer | Cookie |
| Ham Salad | Focaccia | Plain Chips | Water | |
| Veggie Heaven | Multigrain | BBQ Chips | Diet Sprite | Apple |
| Pepper BLT | French | Pretzels | Caf Free | |
| Classic Roast Beef | White | Baked Beans | Diet Coke | Brownie |

| Sandwich | Bread | Side | Beverage | Dessert |
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