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INTRODUCTION

The latter half of the Nineteenth Century was the hey-day for the production of local atlases and cadastral (property ownership) maps in the United States. While Harford County was not blessed with an atlas, there were two maps published - The Herrick in 1858 and the Martenet in 1878. The Herrick map was not as complete or detailed as the Martenet. An index to the Herrick was prepared by Glenn Randers-Pehrson and published by the Harford County Genealogical Society in 1991 as Special Publication Number 9 (SP-9).

Simon J[onas] Martenet (1832-1892) was a Baltimore civil engineer who was responsible for numerous maps and atlases of Maryland and its counties and elsewhere during the late 1800s. The Harford County map was "corrected and revised" by J[ames] W. McNabb (1850-1927), the county surveyor at the time.

The county government had a color reproduction of Martenets Map printed in 1965 in large quantities, which for a number of years was sold for \$3.00, but eventually the stock was depleted. The Historical Society of Harford County, Inc., had another run printed and a copy may be purchased from the society.

In the interest of making an important source readily available and more useful to the genealogical community, the Harford County Genealogical Society has compiled an index and is presented in this work along with sectional reproductions of the map for convenience.

There are a number of names on the reproduced map that are difficult to decipher, and in the maps reprinted here may be more so. For that reason, it is recommended that interested researchers use this publication in connection with one of the full sized reproductions. In this document, we attempted to enhance readability by splitting larger election districts or inserts into two maps, parts A & B.

For the purposes of this index, a grid was superimposed over the map, and the entries keyed to that. The grid was sectioned 1 to 23, bottom to top and A-Z & ZZ left to right. In the alphabetical index, the grid location of the person or building (business, church or school) is provided along with the name of the precinct or insert, which is shown by the codes listed in the TABLE OF CONTENTS.

Example:

'Bear, Eliz.; O-19; DARL (Darlington District)'

Finding 'DARL' in the 'TABLE OF CONTENTS' indicates you need to see map 'M-16a (or) M-16b' for the information.

Find grid location "O-19" on map "M-16a".

Find 'Mrs. Eliz. Bear' within grid O-19 (Note: locations are approximate, i.e., you may also have to look in the surrounding areas, O-17, O-20, M-19, P-19).

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A___, Geo. ?; K-21; PYLE (Pylesville)
Abbey Island Pt.; S-04; HALL (Hall's CROSS ROADS, lower half)
Abbott; T-21; DARL (Darlington District)
Abernethy, W.; U-23; IDUB (Dublin Inset)
Abernethy, Wm; P-19; DARL (Darlington District)
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Adams, Hy; E-20; MARS (Marshall District)
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Adams, S. ?; M-20; PYLE (Pylesville)
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Agricultural Warehouse; B-09; IABE (Aberdeen Inset)
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