



The
Open
Door

A Guest Book

The Open Door: A Guest Book Visitors to Yorktown 1915-1945

Preserved by the Yorktown Preservation Society
2018

Conway Howard Sheild bought the house on Main Street in Yorktown for \$500 in 1901 just as Yorktown was recovering from the Reconstruction Period after the Civil War. The property has been continuously owned by the Shield family since then.



In 1921, the Virginia Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities designated Mrs. Sheild to organize a branch in Yorktown. During an evening meeting at the home of Mr. And Mrs. Conway Sheild on February 18, 1921, the Yorktown Branch of the APVA was created. Mrs. Sheild continued to direct it from 1921 to 1946. During that time, she acted as Yorktown's hostess by welcoming Yorktown visitors to her home and asking them sign her Guest Book. The Guest Book included the signatures of many distinguished visitors including President and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding, Franklin Roosevelt, President Herbert Hoover, Eleanor Roosevelt and Shirley Temple.



**Mrs. Conway H.
(Catherine S.) Sheild**
Directress of the APVA
from 1921 to 1946

The home has been occupied by generations of Mrs. Sheild's family until 2015 when most of the items in the home were sold for auction, but Granddaughter Letty Best kept the Guest Book. Over 100 years after the first Guest Book entry, the Yorktown Preservation Society, a continuation of the APVA begun by Mrs. Sheild in 1921, has made the Guest Book available to historians who will now be able to see the names of those who visited Yorktown during WWI (the building of the Naval Weapons Station) and the beginning of WWII.

Yorktown has been well known for its history as a port colony during the colonial period, the site of the Victory in the Revolutionary War, and its occupation by Union Forces in the Civil War, but now Mrs. Sheild's Guest Book gives us evidence of the role that it played in the preparation for WWI and WWII as well.



The Open Door

wherein every guest is recorded

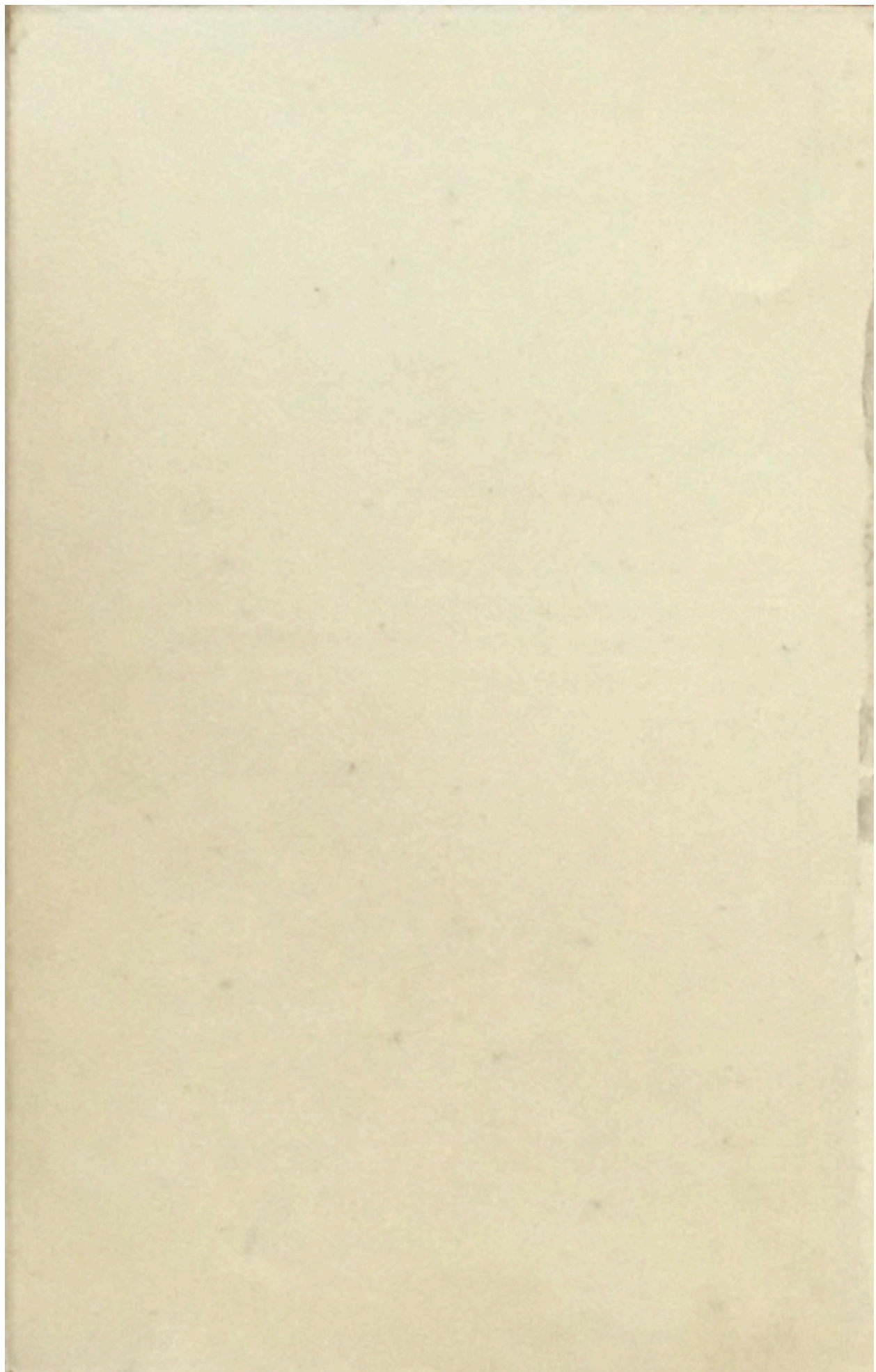
Designed by Cornelia Morton Weyburn

Published by Harse & Hopkins New York

COPYRIGHT, 1911, BY
BARSE & HOPKINS

Myne is a door to which you'll find no key: - - - -
The latch string hangs - come tarry here with me;
For of my friends, some smile and some are sad, -
Some old tried friends, some new, some poorly clad. -
What matters it - the door swings wide and free. -

Francis Quarles



Record of Guests

July 3rd 1915

Rosalie Hager, Knoxville

Isabel M. Tyson Murfreesboro, Tennessee

Elizabeth Chamber Brook Norfolk Virginia

John W. Hester, Knoxville Tennessee

Stephen Booth Dickins, U.S. Navy

Robert S. Cowan Knoxville Tennessee

Allmand M. Snow, Denver, Colo.

Edw. J. Alby Knoxville Tenn

Geo. B. Lane, Knoxville

Jessie Hume Mc Cormack

La Salle, Ill

Jennie G. Blom, Anacostia, Pa.

Be not forgetful to entertain strangers
for thereby some have entertained an-
gels unawares.

Bible

July 31 - 1915.

Mrs. J. D. Mc Carrick
Norfolk, Va.

Mary Cary Taylor
Accomac C. H. Va.

Martha Lowry Lee
Hampton, Va.

Elizabeth Hack Ayres
Accomac C. H. Va.

Hardenia Roper Fletcher, Accomac, Va.

Selden Ragland, Centralia, Va.

Jennie C. Fletcher Accomac, Va.

Kathleen Nelson Accomac Va.

Frances Fletcher, Accomac, Va.

Catherine McCarrick, Norfolk, Va.

Anna H. McCarrick Norfolk Va.

Margaret Melanick Norfolk Va.

Katherine McCannell Tucker
Norfolk Va.

Record of Guests

July 31 - 1915 -

Mary Derby Ayres

Accomac Va.

Estelle E. Parsons

Accomac Va.

Gerardine Smith

Accomac Va.

Howard V. Lilliston Accomac

Mr. Parsons Accomac

Oct 27th - 1915 -

Frank W. Davis

Columbus Ohio

Margaret Furbush Davis

Columbus Ohio

I count myself in nothing else so happy
As in a soul remembering my good friends.

Shakespeare

Edith Bolling Wilson } 22 Jan'y
Woodrow Wilson } 1916

Harvey Harding Oct 19
1921
Flournoy Harding " "

Record of Guests

St. Stuart - May 10 1916

Harry R. Houston

Geo. B. Kezell

Wm. Geo. B. Kezell.

Florence A. Kezell

Catherine Watkins

J. F. Wyson

Mrs. Robert Cushman

Elizabeth W. Houston

Sue S. Campbell

James M. Lewis.

Mrs. Mason Andrew Williams.

F. Williams

J. S. Parent.

A castle after all is but a house -----
The dullest one when lacking company.
Kaewles

Joseph Hubbard Everett

Charles M. Everett

Janet Everett

Carolyn Hamilton Lyon

Edmund Lyon

Marion Lindsay Beach

Daniel W. Beach

Yacht "Cranter"
Rochester, N. Y.

June 9, 1916.

Mrs David P. Sandee -

Louise W. Cassard -

Elizabeth J. Patterson

Colman

Glenniston

Record of Guests

Mrs. Dore,
Charles W. Dabney of
Monmouth, N.J.
May 13th 1916.

May Burt Dabney.

May the Thirteenth.

Chas Crane, M.D. Michigan
7/4/16

Katherine Crane

Irene Brooks

S. Helen Brooks Smith
Hartford Conn.

~~Helen Hope Smith~~

~~Hartford Conn.~~

Mabel H. Smith

Hartford Conn.

Florence S. Marcy Profit - Hartford
6-12-21 Conn.

William Brewster

Rosier Mass.

He ought not pretend to friendship's name
Who reckons not himself and friend the same.

Take

Joseph Sewall Smith
Estense Louise Smith

Rosaline M. Sunderland

A. H. Sunderland

Eleanor Ruth Cooper

F. C. Jones

Janet L. Cameron

Medora A. Amsden ^{White Plains}

George S. Amsden ^{N.Y.}

Albert Durham

Mrs Leo M. Andrews ^{Oct 19th}
Pine Bluff Ark. ¹⁹¹⁷

William Rankin Ward M.D.

Newark. New Jersey.

Record of Guests

July 21st 1917

Lucy Page Mercer

Callahan

Wend Law.

Martha Andrews. New Orleans, La.
(Oct. 14, 1917)

Elizabeth Welle M^{rs} Cloy
Annapolis, Md.
May 19, 1918

Margaret Ayers Eaton
212 Newbury St. Brookton, Mass.

Louis F. Eaton USS Arizona

L. N. White Aug 28, 1928 Austin house
27 Garrison St. Aug. 25, 1928
Boston. He that is of a merry heart & Dana St
house. hath a continual feast. Cambridge
Proverbs Mass.

Ulene Supper tickets
May 10th - 1936 New York City
Sally Nelson Roberts
April 21st 1917.

Mary Robert Pinchard
May 13th - 1917

Roz Chasor
Aurora, Minnesota
May 12 - 1927

Gouverneur Morris
May 13th 1917

Wynona Churche May 13, 1917

Eleanor Maccie Kelly.

Louisville - Ky - Aug. 10th 1917

Hellie B. Buckingham
Chicago - November 17 - 1917

Kathryn Linné Stone March 9 1918
Capt. Stone, Captain, U.S.N., U.S.S. Missouri.

Boston Alon Kunkle, Swanton & Philadelphia
P. O. Box 215 - 11th May 1920
Fischer

Record of Guests

Jessie Horton Castleman
Louisville, Ky

Memoth Castleman, U.S.N. "Storace"
Janice Trapey Jackson
New York City

Mr. T. H. Lemen - Ashbury.
U.S.S. Pennsylvania -

Miss Sandberg, Foy.

Franklin - Kentucky.

Edward G. Foy, U.S. Navy,
U.S.S. Pennsylvania.

W. J. Cassard, Captain, U.S. Navy
U.S.S. Wyoming.

Apr. 7, 1917.

Edith Dowell Cassard

So long as we love we serve; so long
as we are loved by others I would almost
say that we are indispensable; and no man
is useless while he has a friend.

Stevenson

J. O. Dunn, Rear Admiral, U.S.N.

H. Rodgers

Andrew J. Long, Captain, U.S.N.
U.S.S. Commodore

Henry E. Parsons, U.S. Navy

H. W. Keathly

David Foot, S. M. M. (Aug 13, 1917)

U.S.S. Wisconsin

Ford A. Todd, U.S.S. Utah
Commander U.S.N.

Warren B. Atkins, Skye

Mrs. E. E. Wilson

L. L. Wilson, U.S.S. Albatross

Frederic B. Bassett, Captain, U.S.N.
July 21, 1917, U.S.S. Utah

Elanson Inaer Blue

July 21, 1917, Morristown, N.Y.

Victor Blue, Captain, U.S. Navy
U.S.S. Texas, Aug 11, 1917

Record of Guests

Grace Jaring Stone

Miss Stone Trent, U.S. Navy

Hail Morgan, Ensign, U.S. Navy

D.M. Winstrom, U.S.S. Texas.
Comdr. last.

Carlo B. Brittain,
Captain, U.S. Navy,

U.S.S. Michigan, Oct. 28, 1917.

May Baldwin Brittain

Richmond, Ky.
Oct. 25, 1917.

John J. Wetcalf, Lt. jg, U.S. N.,
U.S.S. North Dakota

Harriet B. Wetcalf

Chicago - Feb. 17th 1918.

A friend is a rare book, of which but
one copy is made.

Amos

unintelligible May 13, 1917

Joseph Daniels May 13, 1917.

W. S. Benson May 13, 1917

H. Mayo - May 13, 1917

St. Coffman May 13, 1917

Thomas Snowden, Nov. 17, 1917

Helen K. Snowden, Nov. 17, 1917

Mrs H. T. Mayo

May 29th 1917

Franklin D. Roosevelt -

Hilary Jones, Admiral U.S. Navy,
July 21st 1917
May 20, 1922

Marion Roosevelt

April 27th 1919

Anne Roosevelt April 27, 1919

James Roosevelt April 27, 1919

Madeline F. Baker

April 27, 1919

E. H. Berridge U.S. Navy April 27, 1919

Record of Guests

Maudie Stokes Williams

L. Roosevelt Williams

Margaret Williams

Maudie Stokes Williams Jr.

Edith Williams

Barbara Williams

Elizabeth M. McElduff

D. A. McElduff

John T. McElduff

Crispin Montague Montague

Henry C. Mustin, Comdr. U.S.N.

Rum T. Maxwell

Ann Maxwell

Albert C. Lamed, Chaplain U.S.N.N.V.

Gladys L. Lamed, Albany, N.Y.

Isabel Glennon Cross

It is not flesh and blood but the
heart that makes brothers.

Schiller

C. Schmidt, Jr. Mound Iowa.
Mrs. A. J. Montague.
1111 1/2 1st Ave Richmond Va
Walt R. Perkins
Mathews Va
Berne M. Hoskins

Maudie C. Brock, V.S. Navy
E. J. Fitzgerald Captain V.S.N.R.F.
W. Myer, Captain, U.S.N.
R. T. Bakerlee Captain C.F.C. Navy

Edith June Sak Fuchs "be"
June from London, Wmoy - 21 May 1922
Danie Lee Waddy - Richmond, Va May 21
1922
Mrs William Shepherd Benson
2420 Tracy Place, Washington
D.C.

Record of Guests

John W. Roper
June 16, 1917.

Hobart A. Taylor
June 16, 1917

William Dodge Sample
June 16, 1917

G. Laurence Schethy
June 16, '17

Merton T. Seligman
June 16, 1917

Michael Holt Kermode
June 16, '17

Wm. M. Updegraff, June 16, '17

R. W. L. Smith, June 16, 1917.

Cyril K. Wilson, June 17, 1917.

Robert G. Waldron, June 23, '17.

Even the gods need friends.

Greek Proverb

C. S. Sylvester, June 23, 1917.

Franklin L. Frost.

June 23, 1917.

John Mallard

June 23, 1917

Julia Samuel Travis Holt

June 23, 1917

Elaine Waine.

June 23, 1917.

Wildred Lee-

June 23, 1917

Maurice H. Stein.

July 8, 1917.

John V. Spavens Porto Rico.

July 8, 1917

Record of Guests

Charles W. Kelley Jr. - Ipswich, Mass.

Margaret Wainwright

Philip P. Welch Annapolis, Md July 8, 1916

Herbert Stanley Goodman San Francisco
July 8, 1917.

Frank P. Waller Salisbury July 8, 1917

John H. Crossley Md

J. E. D. Under.

Marinton, Va

July 8, 1917

Edward Miller, Charles Town, W. Va

Queen Thompson Washington D.C.

Morton C. Hutchinson, Summerville S.C.

Russell D.

Louisville,

Edith Watkins Turner

Edgewood.

Gloucester, Va.

Aug 20 1917

J. B. Brittain - Richmond Ky.

Friendship multiplies joys and
divides griefs.
Amos

Tory E. Ricketts
Baby on Long Island
New York
Frederic M. E. E.
2 Plymouth Ave. Brooklyn, Mass.
March 31, 1918.

J. Seymour Bush
Adams, Mass. March 21, 18

J. C. Burr
Peoria Illinois March 31 '18

Harold R. Harris
St Paul, Minnesota.
March 31, 1918

James A. Callard
Boston, Mass.
U.S.S. Oklahoma. April 27-18

Earl A. Anderson
East Cleveland, Ohio.
U.S.S. Oklahoma. May 5, 1918.

Franklin W. Hobbs, Jr. June 23rd 1918
535 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

Record of Guests

Ellie L. Glennon

J. B. Glennon Lieut U.S.N.

Franklin E. Tyrull U.S.S. Nevada
U.S. Lachicott, U.S.S. Nevada
Georgetown, S.C.

Harold R. Fleck En. (T) U.S. Navy

U.S.S. Michigan - Standard Auditor
169 Columbia Heights Bldg N.Y.

Grover C. Clevenger

Excelsior Springs Mo.
"U.S.S. Indiana"

Harry B. Britton,

Lancaster Pa.
"U.S.S. Indiana"

Gaylord Church
St. Clouds C.E.C. U.S.N.

A day in such serene enjoyment spent
Were worth an age of splendid discontent!
Montgomery

J. H. Gannon, Rear Admiral
May 12, 1918 U.S.N.

John T. Lejeune, Brigadier-General
May 12, 1918 U.S.M.C.

Walter Chubbuck Kirkland

John S. Chapman, U.S.N.

Cuddeho W. Wickham

Thomas Kehler, Jr.

Lieutenant

Boston, Mass

U.S. Navy

Rosmond Lubin Lake, New York City

Forrest Lake, U.S.N.

Virginia S. Dupree
New York City

Record of Guests

Thos. H. Joney. New York.
of E. J. de Cost. de Nemours & Company.
June 18th 1918.

Elizabeth L. Hodgdon.
of Mary's County, Maryland.

Anderson Dace Hodgdon
Lieutenant U.S.N.R.F.

James S. Day, Chaplain
U. S. S. Kentucky

Ray Leslie Lewis, Acting Chaplain
U. S. S. Wisconsin

Rachel Nettie Bryan. Frederick, Maryland.

Allen G. Bryan, U. S. N.

Stephen E. Dillon Lt. U.S.N.
Hot Springs Ark.

Oliver C Field U.S.N.
Ketchikan, Alaska

H. Bowman, Lieut. Jg., U.S.N.

June 17, 1919
U.S.S. - 9, (Sover, New Jersey)

Go often to the house of thy friend, for
weeds choke up the unused path.

Scantleorix . E. dda

Lynnan Overhiner
Lieut. M.R.C.
Indianapolis, Indiana

H. L. Craft - Lieut. M.R.C.
Indianapolis Ind.

C. Raymond Starr, Ens. M.R.C.
Indianapolis - Berkeley, Calif.

John Jay Lowrey
Major C.A.

Clayton Mylman
Capt. Regt U.S.A.

Lepidickers
32nd Artillery C.A.

Tom E. Wick
Lieut. U.S. Marines

W. W. W. W. W.
Captain, U.S. Marines

Record of Guests

Old English Capt Col. Oba
U.S. Army

Arthuras Packard, 1st Lt. C.A.C.
Boston, Mass'ts.

Arthur Wilson, San Antonio, Texas.
June 23, 1918.

Thos. Hurst 1st Lieut R.F.C.
Montreal Quebec
Can

A. E. Nalshing, Lancaster, Mass.
V.A.D. Nantucket

W. C. Stranmer W.D., Boston, Mass.
U.S.S. Nantucket.

H. B. Jordan
Winchester, Va.

P. M. Kennedy,
Nav. Admiral (in C.) U.S.N.

Chelland, U.S.S. E. 1165
Lt. Cmdr. U.S.N.

Friendship is love without wings

French Proverb

Mr. and Mrs. Davis.

M E Clement
Maud Esther Clement
Elizabeth Louise Clement
Rutledge C. Clement
Cyrus H. Curtis

J. H. McManus
Colonel, C.A.C.
May 10, 1925. Commanding Fort Eustis, Va.
Emilie Kusler McManus
May 10, 1925 Fort Eustis, Va.

Catherine M. McManus M. Curdy
May 10th 25 Seattle, Wash.
Mary Alice M. McManus
W. R. Dear, May 10, 1925 Army Medical Dept
James L. Haddock, Fort Eustis, Va.
Ruth J. Dear
Mrs. J. H. McManus, Fort Eustis, Va.
Ella Pearl Dwyer

Record of Guests

Catherine Lida Easterly
Captain Harry Easterly
U.S.A.
Clyde A. Balcher
Dr. B. Balcher
Dan Duller
E. B. Williamson, Albany, Oregon ^{with} ^{April} ¹⁹¹⁹
J. Bryan Foster, Clarinda, Ia.
Leland Stanford junior Univ. '19
Mrs. William Gordon also go
Wm. Kelso Jr. 24 Orange St. Bklyn
Henry Allen Tupper
Washington, D. C.

A fellow feeling makes one wondrous kind.

Garrick

Aug. 24, 1919 -

W. P. Foutwell, Pa. Pilot & Assn.

E. LeDringale - Va. Senate

John Sexton Trinkle - Va. Senate

Holman Willis - Heidelberg

Alvin Robertin, Jr. - Va. Senate

Mrs. Howard C. Gilmer Pulaski Va.

Howard Gilmer Jr. Page in Va. Senate

Lila Gilmer Pulaski Va.

W. H. Mathews Richmond Va.

56 No. Smith St. Richmond Va.

Torou Lightfoot - Humber

J. H. Cloran

Fall River, Mass.

G. Boyd Seave

Record of Guests

23 May 1920.

Sarina Piquet Hoer

H. Meloy Jones.

Charles Porterfield Light.

Secretary of the

Alfalfa Club:

June 7-1920

Alice Wright Spurring.

Washington, D. C.

Monte W. Davies.

New York City.

Al Kishner (2772.)

New York City

Only a wise man knows how to love; only a
wise man is a friend.

Seneca

Harvard K Cecil, Capt M.C. U.S.A.
June 28, 1920 Baltimore, Maryland.

James C. McClelland
Late Surgeon R.N.
June 28th 1920 Toronto, Canada

Benj. N. Booth
Captain 53rd Artillery

R. Davidson
Captain 53rd Artillery.

W.E. Cole
Col. C.A.C.
Camp Eustis, Va.

Marguerite-L. Dutton

Washington D.C.
Ralph B. Leonard, N.Y. City & Dallas
ret Lt 1358 1/2 ft.

O of Bond Captain U.S. Army

John C. Russell Captain U.S. Army

Record of Guests

Mr James Hay
Veneta, New Zealand.

Julia Le Creu
nga-puna wai - Fairlie
(Korua) England N.Z.
K. S. de Creu - nga Puna Wai
Fairlie
New Zealand.

Marion J. Norton Bennington St.

Leah Norton

Francis A. Eglehart Capt. C.A.C.
Port Moresby, Va.

Amogen Norton Eglehart "

Miss Hollister Bethesda, Md

Miss Hollister " "

Robert W. Dwyer Wellington N.Z.
St. Miguel A. Ferrera, Argentine Navy

Above our life we love a steadfast friend.

Marlowe

Oct 6 - 1920

Ruth Lawrence

Edith W. Crose

Ernest H. Deammell, Ottawa.

Stanley Udall
Superior Comm. Inland Roads

W.M. Crose Captain U.S.A.
Comdy Base Training Station, Naval Base
Aug 20 - 1921

Carolyn Harding Votaw

Mrs. Joseph Haw

Mrs. Hugh S. Cunningham

Mrs. Joseph Cunningham Carr.

Joseph C. Haw

Mrs. Edwin McLean Prescott.

Mrs. Lena M. Clark

Frank S. Clark Major US Army
Dec. 1921

Record of Guests

[Signature]

British Embassy
Washington

John Sator Day
Secretary of the Interior
Washington,

Harry T. Grayson
Rear Admiral, U.S. Navy.

[Signature]

Ella Dewey Hodgson.
Walter Fisher Hodgson, New York

Angels from friendships gather
half their joys.

Young

Jawill
Newport News Va 7/2/21

Alice Rogers Mercer
Staten Island, N.Y. 10/17/21

W. Nelson Mercer, NYC 10/17/21

Gist Blair Washington
D.C.

Laura Blair - Blair Mansion
Washington D.C.

Sam Haskins Groser
Oyster Bay, NY

Helen Souggard Paul Dec 15 - 1921

Carroll Paul Dec 15 - 1921

W. H. H. H.

Augusta Mittand Libby
George Franklin Libby - 4/22/1922

Record of Guests

Grand Bradford, 24 June 1921.
Lt Comdr USN - Army Navy Misc Depot.
Helen Sanborn Bradford
Gerry Brad (jr.)
John Valentine
Lt USN - Army Navy Misc Depot

Edward Lewis Ericsson,
Lieutenant USN.
5/4/22. 16 December 1921.

Miriam D. Brocock,
Catahan Jewell Co.

Murray Brocock "

Sally Bruce Winslow
St. Paul's Rectory, Baltimore, Maryland

Arthur B. Winslow,
St Paul's, Baltimore, Md.

Mrs St Clair M. Kelway
Brooklyn, N.Y.

An ounce of mirth is worth a pound
of sorrow

Baxter

Campbell Bascom Sleep
M. C. Smith Virginia District

J. B. Shaffer, Wytheville, Va.

W. T. Hopkins Newport News
F. B. Cook. Hampton, Va.

Geo. A. Bew. Norfolk Va.

Wm. H. Hughes Chicago

Ada B. Wray ..

Lee E. Sanford

Walter P. Linabarger, M.C.

67th Congress of Cal. Dist.

Long Beach, Calif.

Record of Guests

Charles C. Hughes
Antoinette C. Hughes.

Andrew C. Mellon

John W. Weeks

Herbert Hoover

Lucretia

P^{ce} de Béarn et de Chalais

Robertson Moore - July -

8th to 10th - July 20-22

Legation Moore Washington DC

(Historical)

Richard Hunt

All my ambition is, I own, ---
To profit and to please unknown.

Colton

31/12/21

H. T. Rochot

Marseline Mounovilla *(Ordain)*

Munieroy

A. Girard

Captaine de Cavalerie

1 Duchêne

F. C. Hicks, N.Y.

J. Phillips Capt. U.S.A.

Cole. Geny A. L. Dumont
French military attaché to the French Embassy
Washington D.C. 17. mai 1922

William T. Carpenter
Major, Coast Artillery Corps.
Fort Monroe, Va. May 27, 1922

Record of Guests

C. J. Bailey, Major General U.S. Army
October 3rd 1922

Allen Kimberly, Major S. G. Oct 3, 1922

H. B. Whelan, Jamestown, N.Y. Oct 7

Harry Adamson, Capt. U.S. Army, a d c t. Major Gen. Bailey
Oct 1, 22

C. J. Bailey, Jamestown N.Y.

M. H. Thatcher, Louisville Ky

Anne Bell Thatcher, Louisville Ky

Mrs E. M. Benitez

Ernest Benitez, U.S.A.

Hansgo W. Baldwin, U.S.N.

J. H. White, Princess Anne Sta
June 1, 1926.

Elizabeth D. White, Princess Anne Co.

William de W. Tuttle, Norfolk Va

Friendship! mysterious cement of the soul
Blair

May 7 1923

Jane N. Morgan -

J. P. Morgan

Mamie T. Steele

Walter Stutz

Sarah Irving King

James Gore King

Sept 12, 1923

Wm C. Holt Dix

Ed Jones md is

Ed. Kyle

Wm Sigmond L. M. Gleason Richmond

Alexander T. Browning
Judge 9th Judicial Circuit, Va.

Baron Brown Jr.

Carol Dempster - America"
Record of Guests

Nov. 11, 1923

Don Carney Saint Joseph Mich
James Maloney Supton N.H.
Michael P. Donovan, New York City
Frank McEllym Jr.
San Francisco, Calif.

Dr. Guff the Birth of a Nation
La Grange of a Nation
Mrs. N. W. Jones Baltimore Md.
Mrs. Schmitt Philadelphia
Edward G. Byrnes Washington D.C.
Neil Hamilton Athol Mass.
Harold A. C. Lingenich London Eng
Marcel A. LePicard New Rochelle N.Y.
Charles Emmett Mack - Stanton Pa
Emile Adams New York N.Y.
Henry Van Bouson New York
Warren A. Newcombe N.Y. City

Everyman can seek acquaintance, but
friends happen.

Asaep.

Mr Arthur Duncy New York City
Mr + Mrs Herbert Sutch..
with -
S. W. Griffith Co - New York
Herbert Norman Davis. London. Eng.

Curran D. Wickham Chief Justice
March 1, 1924. Supreme Court
of California

Plot - Waska Res.
Mr. C. Harding San Diego Calif

Mrs Filimora Wilque Paul -
July 5, 1924. Washington. D.C.

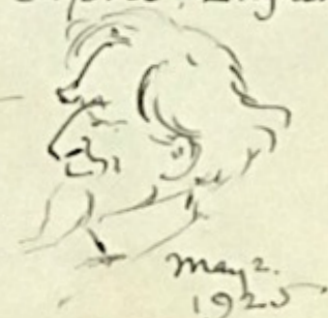
Record of Guests

Jessie H. Pinches England
 Faud Pinches England
 Alice M. Pinches England.

G. R. Roxburgh, Tokelau N. Zealand
 Horace L. Lewis. England.

M. Galwey Scotland
 E. Collie S. Britain
 G. J. Collie Scotland
 P. Kilgus New Zealand
 P. Galwey New Zealand
 I. Galwey New Zealand
 A. Carrington Oxford, England

Clifford Berryman
 Evening Star
 Washington D.C.



May 2.
 1925

Handyary Baltimore Penn
 Will P. Kentel Washington A
 Walton more - May 3/25

A delightful dinner may with
 its shells -

All who joy would win, must share it -
Happiness was born a twin.

Bryon

Gov. A. Dingleton
Governor of Tennessee
George W. Allen
Adjutant General

G. S. Allen Capt. C. & G.

Wm. V. Smith. Maj. Gen. U.S.A.

Comdy 3rd Corps.

Fort Monroe. Va.

D. J. Smith

Nashville Tenn

Henry E. Smith,

Frederick W. Zwick

2nd Lt. U.S. Ride. Co. Camp

Mrs. Michael H. Zwick

Katherine A. Smith

Record of Guests

Mrs. J. Taylor Pleyson

President Association for the
Preservation of Virginia Antiquities
Richmond Va. Oct 14, 1924

Robert A. Lancaster Richmond Va

Mrs Beverly J. Crump Richmond Va

Elizabeth Wright Waddell

Mr Granville Valentine C. R. A

Mr Granville Valentine

Laura M. Bragg, Charlotte, N. C.

Wmfred S. Lancaster London
England

Edwin R. Lancaster - London, England

2/24/26 Mrs Anthony J. Griffin 853 Sheridan St.
Washington, D. C. - B. Mrs W. J. City

Thos W. Shelton, Norfolk, Va

Oh, every sacred name in one: my friend!

Page

Carter Glass, Virginia.

Mrs. Carter Glass "

Wm. F. Tamm, Head

Wm. Blair Brimley, Virginia

Margaret S. Banister - Virginia

Mrs. F. D. Johnson Jr. "

Mrs. James McChesney of Virginia

Mrs. J. L. Anderson - New York

J. H. Anderson "

1915 Oct 14 Col. Elmer Major General Udomy (Retired)

Nov 14 J. J. Parkham, Newport News, Va

Nov 14 Jesse F. West, Waverly, Va.

Walter M. Campbell Springdale, Va

court Newport News, Va

Mrs. Glass, Sweet Home College, Virginia -

Record of Guests

Lois Noble Sterling Robertson -

~~Thos. Robertson~~
City Point - Va.

Willis Van Dorn

Cordell Hull - Tenn

Walter M. M. V.

Key L. J. West Virginia

Mrs. S. J. " "

L. A. Frothingham

Arthur W. McClure Athens Ohio 7/20/26

Edward H. Meyer - Cincinnati - Ohio. 7/20/26.

Personal Quotations

Paula Leary M.D. - Rochester, N.Y.
Francis C. Sear, M.D. - Chicago, Ill.

Wm. H. H. H. Portland Ore

Frederick Smith New York
Sec. + Delegate Sons of Revolution
N.Y.

Major Sumner Gerard, brother to
Ex. Ambass. James W. Gerard
Erskineville ^{Only way he could get in this book!!}
Forge & Manor of Rosgewood

Genl. Barry Lee

Delg etc Sons of Revolution

N. C. State - Grand son

Genl. Robert E. Lee -

Personal Quotations

" "Tell it's an old house
Can it sing the songs " Del -
Virginia Taylor McCowan

Core Lingo Kelley

He P. Staple -

Personal Quotations

Isabel G. R. Lewis
Louisville, Ky.

Mamie Harrison Lewis, Louisville, Ky.

W. Whitehead Ladd New York City.

Yllean Myerum Steadman:
Marion J. Cowan, Washington D.C.

Personal Quotations

Torrey Thrift McHenry
New York City

Personal Quotations

Robert Porcup

Dean of the Hansard Law School - June 12, 1926.

Francis Astor - Oct. 13, 1926

King's College London &

Ellen W. Wagley
Richmond
Va.

H. P. Graham - Sept. 8, 1929
Professor Romance Languages, U. Va.

Personal Quotations

Horace Matka Lincoln 5/2 1930
Philadelphia.

Randolph G. Adams - Oct. 16. 1931
Capt. Louis P. Davis, U.S.S. Cal.
Yorktown Sesquicentennial Oct 17-1931

Personal Quotations

Landscape Club Field
Trip Oct 30 - Nov. 1, 1931

Tom Brown

Chas. Welford

Newman P. Sudduth

Frank Wierfeld

Garnet W. Fox, secretary

A. H. Rolle President

Benson B. Moore

Personal Quotations

Chce. R. de Rung, de Paris

Рассылка в Париж де Сен-Луи
31 mai 1932

Katherine C. Blaw —

Commiss. Colored - Yampel
New York

Francis C. Bishop N. Y. City

H. A. MacNeil sculptor
May 6 '36 - N. Y. C.

William A. Borin

Columbia University N. Y.

Dean Emeritus of the School of
Architecture.

Personal Quotations

(Harry H. Woodring. Oct 19-1936

to Perry

B. Foy Lickins

Quot Hammer
Director N.P.S. 5/15/37
The National Park
Service, U.S., Washington
D.C.

Personal Quotations

Onie Pyle - Scripps-Howard Newspapers
- Washington, D.C.

5/29/39

Doradine S. Pyle

June 24, 1939

Dr. Helen Pugh Reid - Buffalo, N.Y. and
Washington, D.C.
author of INTERNATIONAL SERVITUDS IN LAW AND PRACTICE -
Lecturer on national and international affairs -
Professor of International Law, University of Buffalo -

Personal Sketches

Captain Gerald Seymour Tuck,

H.M.S. "Illustration" 16/4/40 - 27/8/41
D.S.O. Royal Navy
Damaged by German Dive bombing off Malta 10th Jan, 1941.
Repaired at Norfolk Navy Yard. 1941. Sept 7, 1941

~~Francis Muntz~~

Capt USN. U.S.S. Hornet.

Wm. Samuel Captain U.S.N.

U.S.S. Ranger

L. L. Hunter, Capt. U.S.N.

U.S. Naval Mine Depot

George Cox, Sect.

Colonial Natl Hist. Park

Francis D. Mitocher
Washington D. C.

Elyette Devill

Washington, D.C.

Maria B. Hunter

Elyette A. Cox

Personal Sketches

Shirley Temple. 6/30/38

Gertrude Temple
(Shirley's mother)

~~Temple~~

227 No. Rockingham, W. Los Angeles,
Cal.

Personal Sketches

USS Hong Island

March 16, 1942

Captain J. J. Ballentine, Comdg.
Commander J. D. Barnes, 3rd Officer
Lieutenant E. W. White, Asst. As Officer
Lieutenant Robert O. M. Steger, USNR, Deck Officer
Lt. (jg) John Helton jr. U.S.N.

April 21 1942.

Architectural Dept: Colonial Williamsburg Inc.

A. Edwin Hendrew		
Singleton Klesore Head	William Ferguson Sr.	
Mr. J. Little	"	"
Finlay Ferguson Jr.	"	"
John Henderson	"	"
Ralph E. Bowers	"	"
Richard A. Walker	"	"
Bert Reed	"	"
Donald M. Bower	"	"
James M. Knight	"	"
Catherine Daniel	"	"
Christine Beeton	"	"

Personal Sketches

August 10, 1942

Wendell Homer Hunter, Captain USN,
Commanding Naval Mine Depot
Yorktown - Va.

Lieutenant Colonel Albert W. Paul
U. S. Marine Corps,
Commanding Marine Barracks
Naval Mine Depot Yorktown, VA.
2 October 1942

Robert T. Mackin
Col CAC, U.S. Army
Comd'g. Group III
Fort Eustis, Va
October 13, 1942

A. W. Ashbrook, Captain U.S. Navy,
Commanding Mine Warfare School
Yorktown Va, 11 April 1943.

Personal Sketches

Harry Brigham Temple, Lieutent Commander U.S.N.
Aeroplane - U.S.S. Sangamon - August 2, 1902

William Ashby Evans, Lieut. Comdr. U.S.N.
Air Officer - U.S.S. Suwannee

Personal Sketches

Joseph A. Vinley, U.S.N.
Evanston, Illinois.
Student Naval Mine Warfare School July 27, 1942

Albert E. Bond, U.S.N.R.
Geneva, New York 7/27/42
Student Naval Mine Warfare School

Richard K. Winslow, Ensign U.S.N.R.
Albany N. Y. July 27, 1942
Student, Naval Mine Warfare School

T. Gerald Bradsworth Lieut (jg) USNR
1352 Sherman Ave. Oct 17, 1942
Salt Lake City, Utah
Student USN Mine Warfare School

Personal Sketches

Vt Comdr E. S. Gillette
1605 Thurgimur Ave Santa Monica Calif
Thanks Mrs Schuller for helping start
The Navy Mine Warfare School = Good luck:

Personal Sketches

Commander Carriers
Atlantic Fleet

and his Staff. 10/4/42

E. M. S. Porter, Rear Admiral USN

J. J. Ballentine, Captain, Chief of Staff.

T. B. Winn, Comdr. Carrier Operations

J. D. Rulph, Comdr. Communications.

J. J. Dukes, Lt. Comdr. (SC) USN Supply Officer

W. J. Moore, Lt. Comdr. U.S. N.R. Material Officer for Staff

A. J. Matter, Lt. Comdr. USN Flag Secretary

C. W. M. Keenan, Lt. USNR Intelligence.

Notes

Captain John J. Ballentine
Commanding
USS Bunker Hill,
Anchored in York
River July 6, 1943,
on her Shake down
Cruise, before shoving
off to slap the Japs!

W. Dana of Illinois.

The Medical Officer

U.S.S. Bunker Hill

July 14, 1943.

Notes

Wardij Petersen
"Member of Congress" Florida 7/21/45-

Mr. John M. Sheild age 14

Salem, S. Dak. August 21, 1945

Rexford. M. Sheild, John's father.

A member of this ancient family
who has returned to York County
to pay homage to the Sheild name.
and who found for him and his
son a greater welcome than they
ever expected from Mrs Conway
Sheild the splendid hostess of this house

