

List submitted by Mrs. Edmund P. Moody

Hon. E. W. Cooch

My dear Sir:

Please pardon me for not having returned this list before. I made out the list on receiving your letter, but somehow failed to mail it. I am sorry. The Historical marking of Virginia is most interesting. I see no reason why we cannot make a very good beginning with such a small territory to cover. I would like to see the following places marked, the homes of Commodores Jones and McDonough, Peter Jaquette, John Vining, Caesar Rodney, Belmont Hall, Naamans at Claymont, Old Swedes Church, Old Drawers, Barratts Chapel, Old St. Anns Episcopal Church - 1704.

Very cordially yours,

Martha L. Moody

List of historic persons and places to be commemorated by suitable markers submitted by Mrs. J. E. Fuller.

New Castle County

1. Stone in honor of Captain Robert Kirkwood, hero of the American Revolution.
2. Stone in honor of John Dickinson, Signer of the Constitution and author of famous "Farmer's Letters."
3. Marker at Longhook, home of Jean Paul Jaquette, appointed Governor of New Netherlands by Governor Stuyvesant in 1655, and also the home of Peter Jaquette, Major in the American Revolution.
4. Marker to indicate location of Common Farms given in 1701 under Charter of William Penn.
5. Marker at site of Great Dyke north east of New Castle, built by Dutch about 1653.
6. Marker at lane leading to Welsh Baptist Church near Newark.
7. Marker at Cooch mansion, headquarters for Lord Howe in 1777.
8. ~~Tablet on Old Town Hall gate post, Wilmington.~~
9. Marker at 1803 Market Street, Wilmington, the old Joseph Tatnall house, built in 1770 and used as Anthony Wayne's headquarters.
10. Marker at Naaman's Inn, scene of much activity during the American Revolution.
11. Marker to show field in which militia under Caesar Rodney camped while General Howe marched from Head of Elk to Brandywine. Located at Noxentown on Fieldsborough road to Middletown.
12. McDonough, originally named the Trap. Home and burying ground of Commodore McDonough's family and also home of Robert Kirkwood.
13. Lockwood House at Smyrna. Used as barracks during American Revolution and War of 1812.
14. Belmont Hall at Smyrna, home of Governor Thomas Collins who played a conspicuous part in the American Revolution.

Kent County

15. Marker at Byefield, home of Caesar Rodney.

Sussex County

16. Mark place in Lewes from which Caesar Rodney started his famous ride.

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MORE IMPORTANT MARKERS

Robert Kirkwood, hero of the Revolution.

Captain Caldwell, who gave Delaware the name of "Blue Hen."

Thomas McKean.

Thomas McDonough.

Commodore Jacob Jones.

General Thomas A. Smyth.

Talbot's Fort at Christiana.

BRANDYWINE HUNDRED

Marker at Naaman's.

Old "New Work" Meeting House established by Valentine Hollingsworth and other early Friends.

Lombardy, home of Gunning Bedford, Jr.

CHRISTIANA HUNDRED

Oliver Evans at Newport, inventor of a steamboat, grain elevator and conveyor.

Crooked Billet Tavern. Mentioned in march of American army to Chadd's Ford.

Roads used in that march.

Washington's encampment along Red Clay Creek.

WILMINGTON

Federal Hill.

Joseph Tatnall House.

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Swedes' landing rocks.

Old First Presbyterian Church now in Brandywine Park.

Site of first duPont mills.

WHITE CLAY CREEK HUNDRED

Landing place of Lafayette and army at Christiana.

Washington's fortifications near Stanton.

Mason & Dixon line where it crosses highways.

NEW CASTLE HUNDRED

Jaquette home at Long Hook.

Home of Colonel John Stockton and General James H. Wilson.

Home of John M. Clayton.

Places in New Castle to be selected from Mrs. Janvier's list.

PENCADER HUNDRED

Welsh Tract Meeting House, established 1701, where Able Morgan, writer of the first Concordance, and David Jones, Chaplain of Wayne's army, were pastors.

House where Washington, Greene and Lafayette spent the night in August, 1777.

Site of Abbington Iron Works, established by the Welsh, one of the first founderies in the United States.

Residence of Rev. Samuel Davies, one of the founders and second president of Princeton.

Excavations for the first attempt to build a canal between the bays - begun 1799 and later abandoned, where same crosses highways.

Site of the original Summit Bridge, then one of the highest bridges in America.