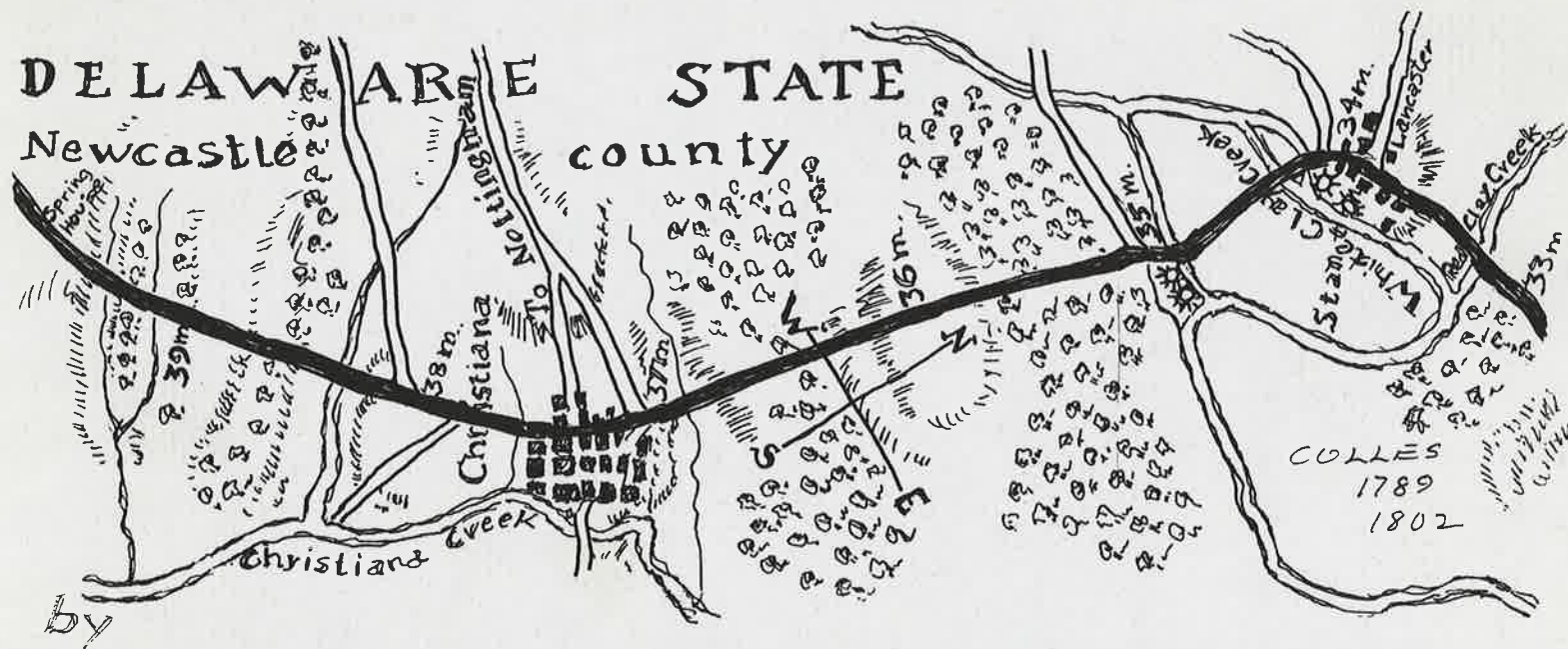


THE OULDE

KING'S ROADE

INCLUDING THE TOWNS OF RICHARDSON PARK,
ELSMERE, NEWPORT, STANTON, MARSHALLTON,
KIAMENSI, OGLETOWN, IRON HILL, COOCH'S
BRIDGE, CHRISTIANA, & GLASGOW.



NANCY CHURCHMAN SAWIN

19TH CENTURY
FARM OVER-
LOOKING
IRON HILL



IRON HILL

AUGUSTINE HERMAN
REFERRED TO "IRON HILL"
AS EARLY AS 1661, AND
THERE IS RECORD OF PEOPLE
LIVING THERE AS EARLY AS
1684. IRON HILL AND CHEST-
NUT HILL AND A FEW LESSER
HILLS STAND OUT IN AN
OTHERWISE FLAT TERRAIN.
THEY ALL LIE WITHIN THE
ORIGINAL 30,000 ACRE
LAND GRANT BY WILLIAM
PENN (1701). IT IS KNOWN AS
THE WELSH TRACT AND
CALLED "PENCADER" OR "HIGH
PLACE"



TENANT HOUSE

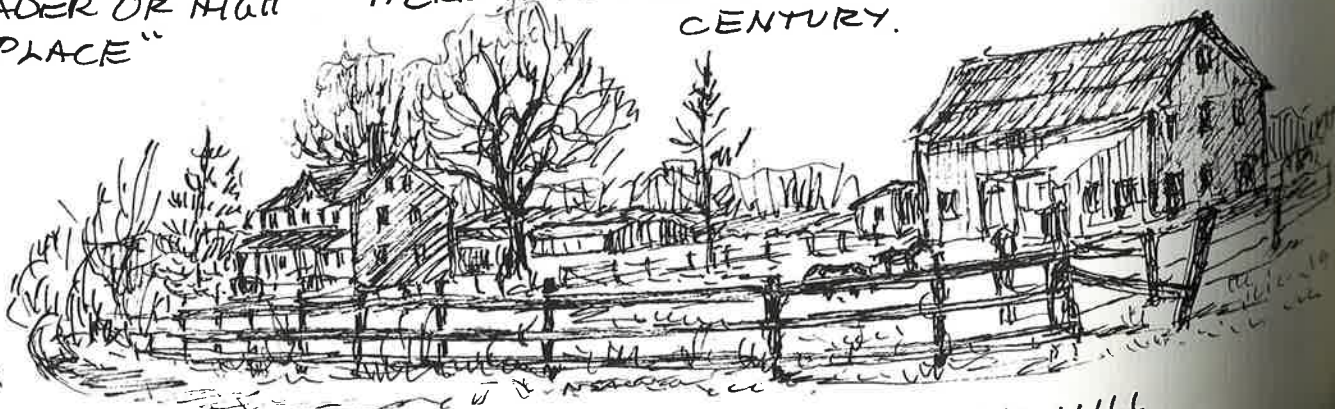
THE MINQUA INDIANS CALLED
IT "THE HILL OF HARDSTONE" AND
MANY OF THEIR ARTIFACTS ARE
FOUND IN THE AREA. EARLY
SETTLERS WORKED IRON PITS
ON A SMALL SCALE. JOHN BALL,
A BLACKSMITH, OPERATED A BLOOMERY
AS EARLY AS 1722. JAMES JAMES
BUILT A FORGE ONE YEAR LATER.
JOHN ENGLAND, KNOWN
AS A MILLER, WAS ALSO
AN IRONMASTER. HE
CAME FROM ENGLAND TO
MANAGE THE PRINCIPAL
FURNACE. IRON WAS MINED
HERE INTO THE 19TH
CENTURY.



OUTBUILDINGS



TENANT HOUSE



60 WORKING FARM WEST OF IRON HILL



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KNOWN AS THE WIL
IT IS LOCATED ALONG
IS PART OF THE O
TRACT. IT IS UNIQ
ENTREPRENEURIAL
ENGAGED IN BY ITS
IN 1849 THREE BUILD
CALLED SHOPS; IN 186
BLACKSMITH AND WHE
IN 1884 BSS & WWS
THE GRIST MILL OPERAT