



JAMESTOWNE SOCIETY FIRST MARYLAND COMPANY

Newsletter spring 2024



Spring Meeting-Annapolis, Maryland



Anne Henninger, Nancy Hill

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS!

Mr. Ralph C. Dawn	Annapolis, MD
Mrs. Lynn Allyn Stephens	Annapolis, MD
Ms. Katherine L. Arth	Ellicott City, MD
Jacque-Lynne A. Schulman	Port Republic, MD
Mr. Robert Bruce Edwards, Jr.	Annapolis, MD
Mr. Scott Bagby Collinson	Chesapeake Beach, MD
Ms. Nancy L. Hoffer	Silver Springs, MD

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JAMESTOWNE SOCIETY FALL MEETING
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA



Anne Henninger, Barbara Greeley, Clarence Lee, Frances Woods, Joe Woods, Chris Harle (seated)



New Jamestown Society Officers, November 2024

GOVERNOR'S CORNER

First, I would like to express my appreciation for all the support and good wishes I've received from Company members since my husband's MI in February and the passing of two of my sisters in March. It has been very draining emotionally, physically, and mentally, but he is home, in good spirits, and making good progress.

I continue to work at promoting our Company, which currently has 45 members. (Last year at this time our membership stood at 38.) We have several new Society members "in process," and I'm hoping they join our Company as soon as their applications are approved. Please continue to promote both our Society and our Company as much as you can.

We held our Spring Meeting on April 17th at Maggiano's in Annapolis. Nancy Hill, Governor of the Jamestowne Society, was our guest and spoke to us about the important work the Jamestowne Society is doing to preserve our historic heritage at Jamestown. We made a contribution to the Society in honor of her visit and presented her with a small, personal token of appreciation.

Thanks to the joint efforts of Governor Hill, Companies Coordinator (and Secretary of State) Sharon Sowders, and Executive Director Bonnie Hofmeyer, our listing on the national website has finally been changed to reflect our AOR encompasses all of Maryland, as well as southern Pennsylvania. We appreciate their efforts on our behalf.

The cost of our website has increased from \$235 to \$361 annually; we were not notified of the increase until we received the annual statement in March 24. The Council feels this is a bit much for the limited requests we make for updates, and would like to explore other options. If anyone would be interested in researching our options or taking this on as a project, please let me know.

We will be holding elections at our November meeting, which is tentatively scheduled for 23 October 24, possibly in the Baltimore area. I have appointed our Immediate Past Governor, Harry Redd, to chair the committee. Barb Greeley, Becky Myers, and I will also serve. We should be able to announce our slate sometime this summer.

Finally, I hope to see many of you at this year's Jamestowne Society Spring Meeting in Williamsburg, VA.

YMHOS,

Anne



*Bonnie Hofmyer, Dr. Bill Kelso, Anne Henninger
Jamestowne Rediscovery Event- May 4, 2024*

for the period 04-01-2024 to 04/30/2024

Balance 04/01/2024	\$6,360.58	
Additions.....	\$245.00	
Subtractions		(\$1,767.59)
Balance 04/30/2024	\$4,837.99	

The additions represent:

- \$220.00 for four reservations for April 17 Spring luncheon meeting,
- \$20.00 for one nametag order, and a
- \$5 unrestricted \$5.00 donation to the company.

The \$1,767.59 in expenses represent:

- \$1,188.59 final payment for the cost of our meal and meeting location for our Spring meeting,
- \$79.00 reimbursement to Secretary of State Rebecca Myers for purchasing name tags, and a
- \$500.00 donation from the Company to Jamestowne Society, presented to Society Governor Nancy Hill at our Spring meeting.
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We have no outstanding debts.

We have not yet received our April statement from the bank.

Submitted by Harry C. Redd III, Treasurer, May 4, 2024



Our Company Website

<http://firstmarylandcompany-jamestownesociety.org>

Governor Anne Henninger

Lieutenant Governor Barbara Greeley

Treasurer Harry C. Redd III

Secretary Rebecca Myers

Chaplain Christina Harle

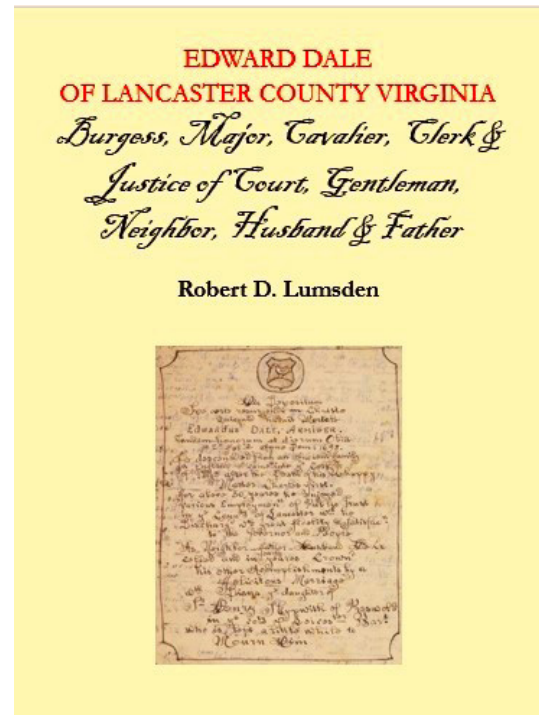
Historian/Registrar Cynthia Johnson

Councilor Clarence Lee

Councilor William Spencer

Councilor Frances Woods

ROBERT D. LUMSDEN, FIRST MARYLAND COMPANY
AUTHOR OF BIOGRAPHY OF EDWARD DALE



Edward Dale was an important figure in 17th century Virginia and the newly established Lancaster County. His accomplishments over almost 50 years have been mostly overlooked in history and this biography documents much of his life as found in public records. His epitaph on the cover page of this book was written by his son-in-law, Thomas Carter, Sr. who also lived in Lancaster and who married his daughter Katharine Dale. This biography will be published in cooperation with the Lancaster Virginia Historical Society.

Copies will be available from

The Lancaster County Historical Society

P.O. Box 97, 8346 Mary Ball Rd.

Lancaster, Virginia 22503

and at Amazon.com.

Robert Lumsden, Annapolis, Maryland