BUMPIE OAKS ROAD · CRANEY ISLAND · FRIENDSHIP LANDING · PISGAH · SANDY POINT · TOMPKINSVILLE · GALLANT GREEN · HILLTOP FORK · BURNT STORE ROAD

STUMP NECK · FAULKNER · PICCOWAXEN · MARBURY · BOWLINGS CUT · WELCOME · CUCKOLD CREEK · NEWBURG · MARSHALL HALL · BEL ALTON · MUDDS CREEKS

GRAYTON · GOOSE BAY · NEWPORT · ZEKIAH SWAMP · ISSUE · CHAPEL POINT · WAYSIDE · WADES BAY · SPRING HILL · NEAL SOUND · DENTSVILLE · MALCOLM

BRYANTOWN · BENNY GRAYS POINT · WHITE PLAINS · CHICAMUXEN · BEANTOWN · LIVERPOOL POINT · POMFRET · GREENWAY FLATS · MASON SPRINGS · BLUE BANKS

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY

VIRGINIA

Fort Belvoir Army Engineer Base

Mt. Vernon. Plantation of George Washington.

British soldiers blockaded the Potomac 1814

Knighty ring tournaments held in the County since 1860.

Governor Leonard Calvert of St. Marys County visited the Emperor of the Piscatowa Indians in 1635.

Dr. Samuel Mudd set the leg of John Wilkes Booth near here.

CHARLES COUNTY 1658

THE COUNTY SEAL

Gunston Hall, home of George Mason, Revolutionary leader.

Occoquan stone quarry since 1801. Spanish settlement in 1565 called "Axacon"

Path of the old steamboats

FREESTONE PT.

NAVAL POWDER FACTORY

INDIAN HEAD

Grave of the Widow Elbeck

Site of proposed airport

WALDORF

Horse shows were once a popular sport.

Pomonkey Indian town as recorded on Capt. John Smiths map of 1609.

Tobacco, staple crop of county since Colonial times

Unique "stuffed hams" - a flavor-alchemy wrought in pig flesh by a secret old County recipe.

Smallwoods Retreat, home of Revolutionary General William Smallwood

Quantico (Potomac City - 1851) U.S. Marine Base

MATTAWOMAN CR.

Mullards Mill. The county's last water wheel.

"Mt. Carmel," 1790, the first monastery in the U.S.

Hardwood forests are cut to make room for the more profitable pulpwood.

LA PLATA the county seat

U.S. Army Radio

Benedict town, founded in 1683 as a customs center. Scene of skirmishes between County Militia and English naval forces.

HUGHESVILLE

center of tobacco auctions. first known as "rolling houses"

Black-eyed susan, State flower.

River Steamboating ended in 1930.

Port Tobacco. Springs supplied water to scuttlebutts of Colonial sailing vessels.

"Rolling Roads" first built in 1716 for tobacco hogsheads.

First Masonic Lodge in Maryland - organized at Port Tobacco, 1735.

BENEDICT

PATUXENT RIVER

Browns Field. heliocopter and air base. Widewater, where Professor Langley flew the first heavier than-air plane model.

George Washington owned a farm here. "LOCUST HILL"

"Habre-de-venture", home of Thomas Stone, signer of the Declaration of Independence.

"Mulberry Grove", home of John Hanson, first elected President of the U.S. under the Articles of Confederation.

The Amishmen from Pennsylvania own many farms here.

Mallows Bay, graveyard for 181 ocean going ships built for World War I.

Old Durham Episcopal Church at Ironsides built 1692.

Windmill Point

In 1814, British troops landed, marched to Washington, burned the White House.

Ye Coole Springs of St. Maries, 1698

Charlotte Hall School charted 1774

Father Andrew White, Marylands first historian made his home with the Potobac Indians

NANJEMOY CR.

PORT TOBACCO explored by Capt. John Smith 1608

St. Ignatius Catholic Church. 1662, 1789.

Horse racing, popular at Newport prior to Revolutionary War.

Doncaster State Forest

Efton Hills. childhood home of Confederate Admiral Raphael Semmes

Upper Cedar Point Light Ship 1820.

THREE NOTCHED ROAD. Law of 1702 prescribed 3 notches on tree face to indicate a road to a ferry; two notches and a high one, to a court house; two notches and a slip down the tree face for a road to a church.

pungy boat carrying stone from the famous Aquia Creek quarry.

Indians annual oyster feast at Popes Cr. Shell heaps covers 30 acres.

Swans were numerous at Allens Fresh.

Chaptico Indians left many burial mounds nearby.

WICOMICO R.

ST. MARY'S COUNTY

Fox hunting with a gun is considered "dishonorable".

Site of proposed railroad bridge.

Mathias Point. Confederate smugglers haunt.

Popular watering places on the River in the Gay Nineties were: Glymont, Marshall Hall, Grinders, Clifton Beach, Riverside, Brents Landing, Chapel Point, Morgantown, Rock Point.

English Captain John Smith sailed on the Potomac in 1607.

DAHLGREN, U.S. NAVY reservation, named after Civil War Admiral John A. Dahlgren.

Oyster tonging from a sailing boat at anchor.

Chesapeake retriever dogs are popular on tidewater.

Ship building on the Wicomico. War of 1812.

VIRGINIA

Booth, Lincolns assassin shot nearby at Garrett's farm, Port Royal, Va. April 26, 1865.

POTOMAC RIVER

"This one almost got away."

Duck shooting at St. Catherine Sound.

COBB ISLAND

Pictorial Map of CHARLES COUNTY

ESTABLISHED 1658

SOUTHERN MARYLAND

Colonial Beach.

Bugeye dredging oysters over Kettle Bottom Shoals. Prohibited by law in 1930.

"Show boats" were popular until 1933.

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North

West

East

South

Blue Crab of the Chesapeake

Using fish "chum" as a fertilizer - was shown early settlers by the Indians.

The ship ARK and pinnace DOVE brought the first English Pilgrims to Maryland in 1634, landing on Blackiston Island.

Wakefield, George Washingtons birthplace.