

Friday, April 24, 2009, 5:00pm: Culpeper Courthouse Lawn. CMM Color Guard will serve at the official opening of the Culpeper 250h Anniversary which runs through September, 2009. Civic leader are to present the opening program. Everyone is invited to come, wear ribbons, etc. Make CMM's presence known.

Saturday, April 25, 2009, 9:00am-5:00pm: Living history, Color Guard, and firing demonstrations and exhibits in the front yard and Burgandine House (period tavern) at the Culpeper History Museum. The Color Guard will muster at 8:30am to set up for the event. Everyone is invited to come, wear ribbons, etc. Make CMM's presence known. Spend an hour or spend the whole day!

Sunday, April 26, 2009, 10:00-4:00pm, At the Culpeper History Museum to finish the program. Everyone is invited to come, wear ribbons, etc. Make CMM's presence known. Spend an hour or two or spend the whole day!

Saturday 25 April at 10 am is the wreath laying ceremony at James Monroe's birthplace conducted by the James Monroe Memorial Foundation. Directions: at Fredericksburg take Rte 3 East to Rte 205 (left) at Oak Grove. From there it's 3-5 miles toward Colonial Beach on the right.

Monday 28 April at the Monroe Monument in Hollywood Cemetery in Richmond. Last year it commenced at 11 am. Again a wreath laying ceremony.

More info is at www.MonroeFoundation.org

To: Culpeper Minute Men Chapter, SAR

Compatriots:

You and your wives and/or guests are cordially invited to the annual Graves Mountain Lodge Multi-chapter meeting to be held Saturday, April 18, 2009, from 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM. This is a luncheon meeting for the members of the Culpeper Minute Men Chapter, the Col. William Grayson Chapter, the Col. James Wood, Jr. Chapter, the Col. Fielding Lewis Chapter, the Ft. Harrison Chapter, the Gen. Daniel Chapter, and the Thomas Jefferson Chapter.

We will break for lunch "family style" at 12:00 noon.

Speaker will be VASSAR President William L. Simpson, Jr.

Cost is \$19.00 per person.

Please make check payable to "CMM/VASSAR Treasurer" and send checks to:

Culpeper Minute Men Chapter, SAR
Lance M. Lyngar, Treasurer
8955 Jasmine Ct.
Manassas, VA 20110

A final count of attendees is required by Friday April 10, 2009. Please have all checks at arrive at Lance's prior to that date!

Graves Mountain Lodge is located on Rt. 670, Syria (Madison County) VA. Directions can be secured from their website: www.gravesmountain.com .

We had a great turnout from all chapters involved last year. Let's do it again!

/s/Charles Francis Lay, President, CMM VASSAR

(Abbreviated minutes from the meeting to avoid duplication within the Muster Call.)

Introduction of Members and Guests

President Francis Lay thanked everyone for attending and asked all present to introduce themselves. Those in attend were Jake and Betsy Lay, Francis Lay, Lance M. Lyngar, Jim Bayne, John Sinks, Paul and Monica Bess, Bob and Helen Bowen, Lon Lacey, Jr., Mike and Marty Lyman, Tim Thoman and Jerry Hubbard. There were 15 attendees, including 11 SAR members and 2 DAR members.

Presidents Announcements

President Francis Lay remarked on the Chapter's activities "**Since Last meeting**":