CONTRIBUTIONS TO A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF ARLINGTON COUNTY XI

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This continues a series on the bibliography of Arlington County, the last installment of which appeared in 1972. The scope remains generally as outlined in the first published in 1959. As previously noted the compiler would welcome suggestions for inclusion.

Allen, Roy C.
The Shaping of Arlington County as a Geographical and Political Unit. [Arlington] c.1977. 32 p. maps, tables. (Edited version of a term paper prepared at the Univ. of Maryland in 1968. Considers the circumstances resulting in Arlington County as a political unit, with further data on economic characteristics and factors influencing growth and attitude patterns.)

Anderson, Ellen Lamon
A Pictorial Guidebook to Interesting and Historical Places in Northern Virginia. Annandale, Va., Charles Baptie Studios, c.1976. 80 unnumb. p. illus. (Eleven pages are devoted to Arlington with brief text accompanying pictures.)

Arlington Co. Public Schools

Backus, Hadassah
Recollections of a Native-born Glencarlynite and a Short History of Glencarlyn. np. 1952. 44 p. (Reproduction of typewritten mss. Covers various aspects of life in Glencarlyn.)

Backus, Hadassah
A Short History of the Burdett Library and Notes on the Life of Samuel S. Burdett. Arlington, 1953. vp. (Accounts of the founding of what was to become the Glencarlyn Branch of the Public Library, and of its founder Samuel S. Burdett.)

Berard, Augusta Blanche
Arlington and Mount Vernon, 1856, as Described in a Letter of Augusta Blanche Berard, with introd. and notes by Clayton Torrence. Virginia Magazine of History and Biography 57:140-175 April 1949. illus. (Contemporary account of a visit to the Lee mansion in 1856. Mention of difficulties in transportation encountered.)

Cassidy, Cecilia

Cavallo, Guy V.

Cron, Frederick W.
The Man Who Made Concrete Beautiful; a Biography of John Joseph Earley. Ft. Collins,
Colo., Centennial Publications, c.1977. 64 p. illus. (Earley was a pioneer in the use of concrete for ornamental purposes. For some thirty years the Earley Studio was in Rosslyn, ca. 1932-62. Buildings worked on during this period included Bahai Temple of Light in Wilmette, Ill. and the Washington Mosque.)

Crowson, E. T.

Dunwoody, W. B.

Finney Richard A.
A Tale of Two Tough Towns. *Northern Virginian* 7(2):10-13 Feb. 1977. illus. (Popular account of Jackson City and Rosslyn when gambling and crime prevailed.)

Fisher, Oscar
Buckingham: Housing Laboratory. *Architectural Record* 83(1):66-82 Jan. 1938. illus., map. (Lengthy article with many illustrations on the first phase of Buckingham, east of Glebe Road. Gives background of project.)

James, Felix
The Establishment of Freedmen's Village in Arlington, Virginia. *Negro History Bulletin* 33(4):90-93 April 1970. (Brief article relating conditions which led to establishment of Freedmen's village on the Lee estate in Arlington in 1863, with mention of the facilities provided.)

Kling (Vincent G.) and Associates

Lader, Norman
Study of the Proposed Washington Metropolitan Area Rapid Transit System and the Design of a Subway Station at Rosslyn, Arlington, Va. [Lawrence, Kansas] 1970. 114 p. illus., maps. (General presentation on Metro system with special attention paid to past development of Rosslyn and potentialities of subway station. Work done at Univ. of Kansas.)

Lundberg, A. T.

McNett, Charles W. Jr.
Excavations at the Spring Branch Site. Archeological Society of Virginia. *Quarterly Bulletin* 29(3):97-123 March 1975. illus., map. (A lengthy technical article on artifacts found at a site atop Potomac Palisades in Arlington. Author suggests it was likely a fishing camp.)
[Montague, Ludwell Lee]

Myer, Donald Beekman
Bridges and the City of Washington. Washington, U.S. Commission of Fine Arts, 1974. 96 p. illus., maps, plans. Selected bibliography pp. 95-96. (Well illustrated volume of which about half is devoted to Potomac Bridges linking Washington to Arlington.)

Pierce, Philip N.
The Mouse That's Roaring. Northern Virginian 7(2):22-23 Feb. 1977. (Brief article on Arlington's proposed public relations campaign to promote tourism.)

Porter, Albert Ogden
County Government in Virginia, a Legislative History, 1607-1904. New York, Columbia Univ. Press, 1947. 356 p. (Although there is only one specific reference to Alexandria County, this is a good general survey of county government as reflected in the state's laws and constitutions.)

Reams, H. Scott, Jr.

Reiff, Daniel D. and W. R. Gwin

Rose, Cornelia Bruere, Jr.
Arlington County, Virginia: a History. [Arlington], Arlington Historical Society, 1976. 274 p. illus., maps. Bibliography pp. 249-259. (A well documented and comprehensive history of the county, which will undoubtedly long remain the standard. The author has endeavored to place local history in the national context, adding to the interest and value.)

Somerville, Mollie

Stetson, Charles W.
Washington and His Neighbors. Richmond, Garrett & Massie, Inc., c.1956. 342 p. illus., maps, plan. (Replete with names of people and places associated with Washington, a fair number of which are of local interest.)

Village Improvement Association, Carlin Springs, Va.
[Minutes Feb. 22, 1893 - Feb. 9, 1918. University Microfilms, nd. unpaged.] (Reproduction of original mss. in Glencarlyn branch of Public Library. Organized Feb. 22, 1893 as Village Improvement Association of Carlin Springs, Va. and name changed July 10, 1896 to Village Improvement Association of Glencarlyn. No minutes from March 8, 1897 to May 11, 1907 when a new association was formed. Important source on this community.)