

sons *welivering in their blood* and my property *reduced to ashes*, than so far disgrace my country."

Three of the principal streets in Baltimore are named in honor of these illustrious families and will be an enduring monument to their memory. John Eager, the eldest son of Margaret and John Eager Howard, married Cornelia Arabella Reed. To return to the Wright family again :

"Solomon Wright was present at a court held in Queenstown, in 1714. General Samuel Turbutt Wright was chosen as the best qualified person in his county, to take charge of the public magazine and to lead the troops of the county in the event of military operations. Turbutt and Edward Wright were visitors to King William's School in Annapolis."—*Copied.*

"This school was situated on the south side of the State House, on a lot presented by Governor Nicholson. Governor Nicholson convened the assembly to meet at Annapolis and made every effort to make it a flourishing town. William Pinkney, the celebrated lawyer, was a student at the school the Governor established. King William presented this school with very valuable books, many of which are now in St. John's College."—*Scharff.*

The Wright family have always been interested in church matters, most of them adhering to the mother church. Mr. Robest Norrest Wright was appointed to run the division line between St. Luke's and St. Paul's Parish. Mr. Nathaniel Wright, in 1694, was one of the vestry of "Old Wye," and with other members of the vestry ordered a *pulpit and reading desk* to be placed in the church. This was during the reign of William and Mary, King and Queen of England, Scotland and Ireland. Solomon and Charles Wright held pews in "Old Chester" Church, paying for them 600 pounds of tobacco. In 1727, Solomon Wright and Solomon Wright, Jr., were the "only" members present at a meeting of the vestry at "Old Chester Church." In 1727, Thomas Hynson Wright was a vestryman at "Old Wye." In 1722, Thomas Hynson Wright was one of the vestry at "Old Chester Church," at the same time that he was acting in that capacity at "Old Wye."

"At the outbreak of the revolution, Queen Anne's was one of the most prosperous counties in the State. As early as 1776, the practicability of separating the Eastern from the Western