

In the same volume, and on page 18, the name of Gideon Emory is again found, in a list entitled: "Roll of Lieut. Gideon Emory's Company, Fifth Maryland Regiment, in the service of the United States of America, commanded by Col. William Richardson, September 8th." In the same volume, army returns, No. 25, on page 77, the name of Gideon Emory again appears—upon a tabular statement—entitled: "Arrangement of the Officers of 'Seven Battalions,' to be raised by the State of Maryland, as passed by the General Assembly, April 1, 1777.

"(Signed :) FERD. G. DUVALL "

Richard Emory was captain in Colonel Richardson's regiment. These statements were corroborated by Lewis Cass, then Secretary of State of the United States, 31st January, A. D. 1860.

THE BORDLEYS OF CENTREVILLE AND VICINITY.

I am indebted to Mrs. Alexander Penn, formerly the pretty and accomplished Miss Elizabeth Magruder, who frequently visited this county, and was a great belle, Mr. Philip Henry Feddeman, Sr., being one of her very devoted admirers. Mrs. Penn was a connexion of the Bordley's through Mrs. Margaret Bordley, and according to "her history of the family, the Centreville Bordleys are a branch of the Bordley Island people and came from 'Bordley Hall,'" Yorkshire, England. Mrs. Penn's husband, Mr. Alexander Penn, was a handsome, elegant gentleman, and a lineal descendant of William Penn, the friend to the "Red Man." His great grandmother was Elizabeth Coates, this family having figured conspicuously in history. Mrs. Penn has in her possession some very valuable reminiscences of her husband's family, among them a handsome silver coffee pot with Penn's treaty, with the Indians engraven on it and the family coat of arms, the inscription being in Latin, which translated is: "An honorable right to hold."

Mrs. Margaret Bordley, who once conducted the best boarding-house in Baltimore, quite equal to Barnum's Hotel, on the corner of Charles and Pleasant streets, was the beloved wife of William Clayton Bordley, Sr. Mrs. Margaret Bordley's sister, Maria, married a Bordley, either a brother or cousin of her husband, and presided at the old Bordley homestead near Centreville, named for this distinguished family "Bordlington." This