

Society Members Participate in Several Events in April and May

At the U.S. Daughters of 1812 State Convention on the 27th and 28th of April in Staunton in Augusta, County:

Night of the 27th: Mike Lyman presented a talk about the Richmond Light Infantry Blues Uniform

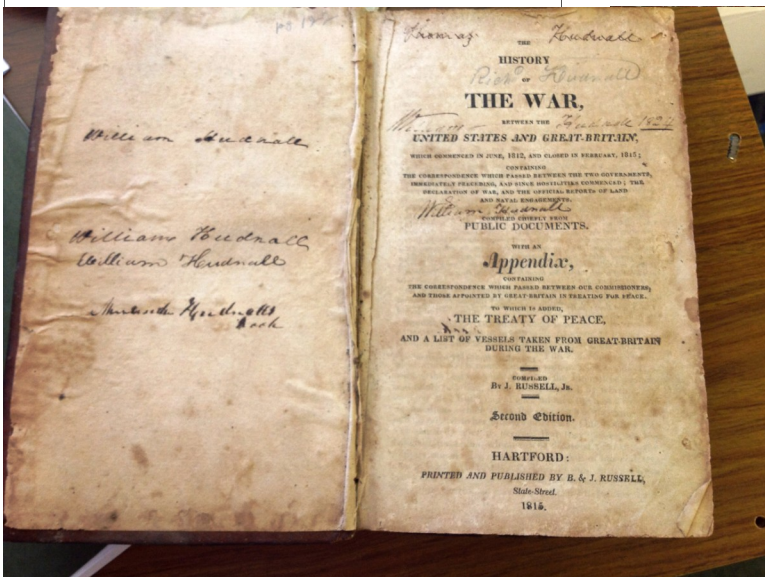
Luncheon the 28th; President Jack Maxwell gave greetings from our Society

On May 1st at a meeting of the Madisons of Montpelier Chapter, VA State Society U.S.D of 1812 in Ruckersville in Greene County, Mike Lyman gave a Power Point Presentation regarding Tips for Locating Correct War of 1812 Records for War of 1812 Veterans

On May 10th at the Virginia Beach Genealogical Society meeting, in Virginia Beach, Mike Lyman gave a similar Power Point presentation as outlined above.



At the James Monroe Birthplace Ceremony on April 27th in Westmoreland County, Peter Broadbent, our Society historian, gave greetings as our representative for the War of 1812 Bicentennial Commission. Member Stuart Butler gave information about James Monroe action as Secretary of State and War during the War of 1812. Our Treasurer, Bill Nash participated in setting up the ceremony. He is also one of the officials of the James Monroe Birthplace Memorial Foundation and assists in operating the Visitors center there.



A descendant of the William Hudnall family on the Northern Neck of Virginia has this 2d edition book on the History of the War of 1812 published in 1815 in Hartford, CT. It is signed William and Thomas Hudnall in 1824 and lists vessels taken from the British during the War



On April 21st at the Lancaster County Court House Days ceremony, Mike Lyman set up an 1812 display table and walked around with the Star Spangled Banner flag. The event was sponsored by the Mary Ball Washington Museum and Library.