

Augusta County Historical Society
Acc # 184
Point Pleasant Memorial Service
1974

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Scope & Content

Booklet contains the program presented October 10, 1974 at Tu-Endie-Wei State Park the last resting place of the heroes of the Battle of Point Pleasant. The service, on the 200th anniversary of their first interments was conducted under the auspices of American Legion Post 23. The Col. Charles Lewis Chapter of the DAR provided hostess services

Historical/Biographical Note

Point Pleasant was considered the first battle of the American Revolution. Forty-six persons were killed in the battle fought on October 10, 1774. Officers and ten privates have been identified. Twenty-four privates are still unknown. All were Virginians with the exception of Private James Mooney and Isaac Van Bibber from North Carolina. The youngest to die was Private William Stephen age 14.

Organization/Arrangement

1 booklet (8 pages)

Miscellaneous