



Washington Homes

These Washington Homes
are in and close to
Jefferson County, West
Virginia



Clifton, Berryville, Virginia

Clifton was the first home of Warner Washington II, a second cousin to George Washington and his brothers. The door on the front portico is one of the finest in the country as per John Wayland, "The Washingtons and Their Homes" 1944





Front Stairway
Clifton 2018

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Internet Real Estate photos

ANNASWOOD, Earl Road, Charles Town

Built in 1900 on property that Ann Maria Thomasina Blackburn Washington once owned. Anna M. T. B. Washington, born 1854 – , wife of James Alfred Ewing, was the daughter of Thomas B. Washington and Rebecca Janet Cunningham Washington of Claymont Court.



Front of House



View from the front of the house looking South East



Rebecca Janet
Cunningham-
Washington
portrait hangs in
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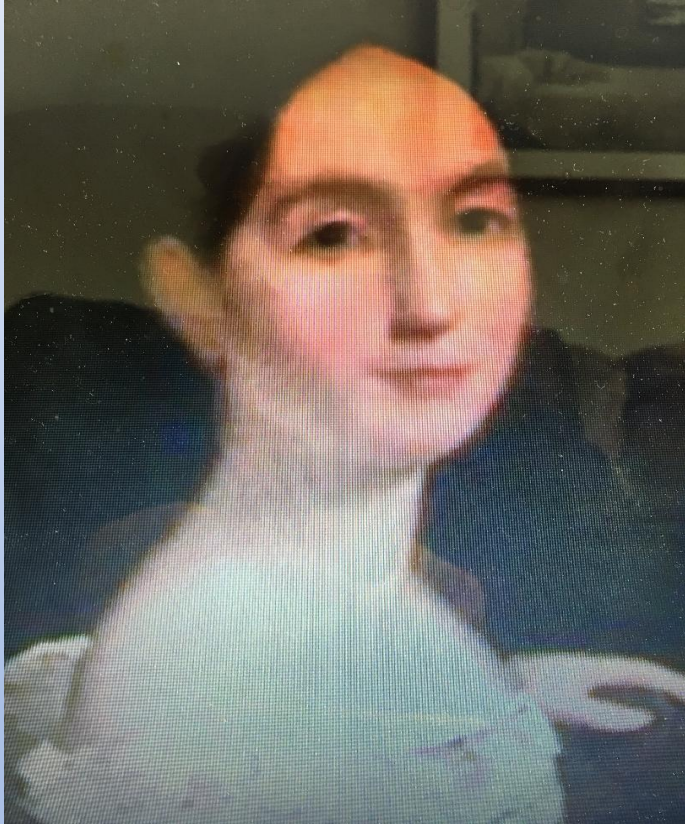
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Front Stairway



Front view of house from driveway



Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn Washington 1815-1850, sister to John A. Washington III married Dr. William F. Alexander and lived at Walnut Hill on Harper's Ferry Road. Jefferson County. This home is no longer there. The property is private.

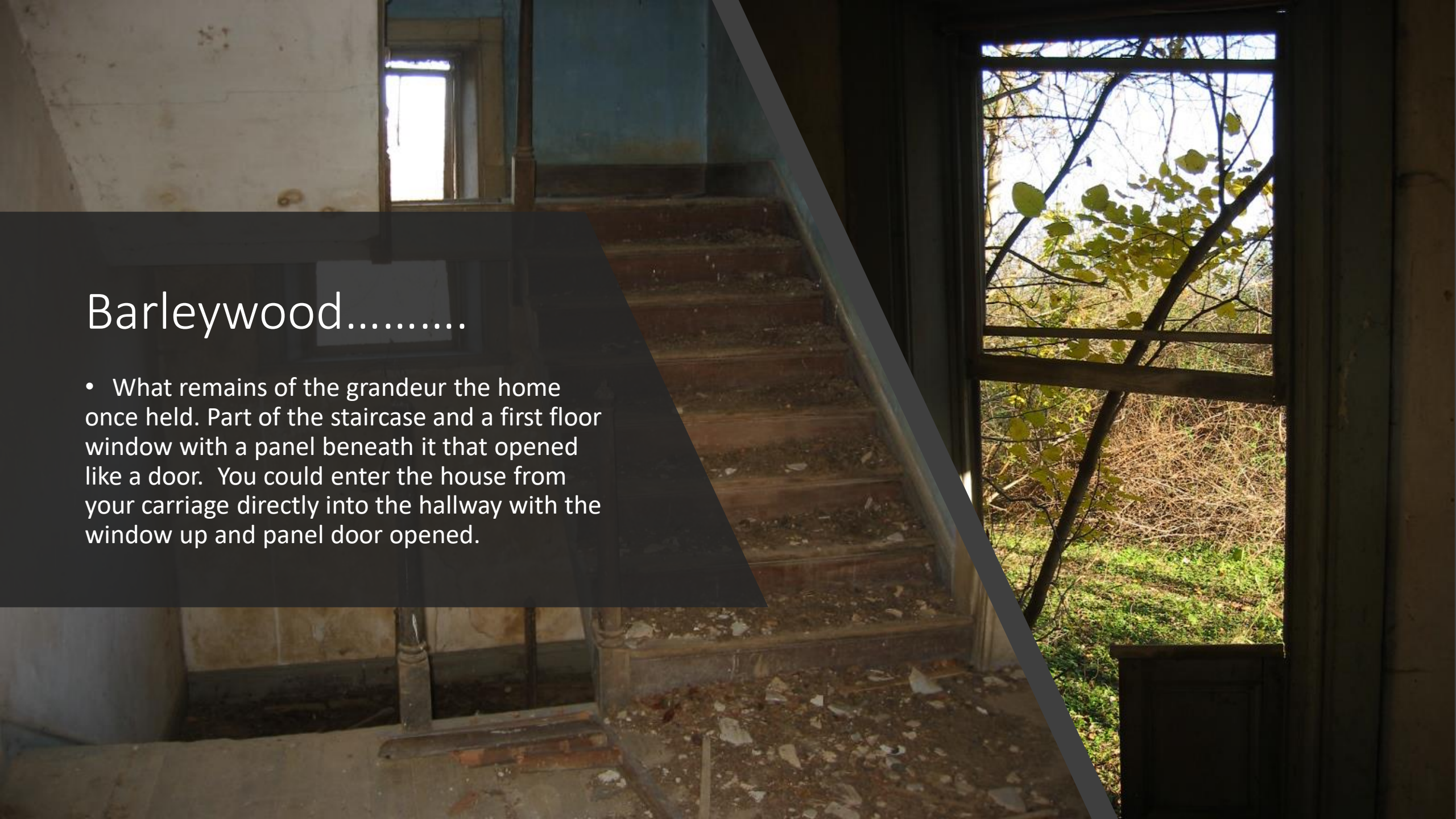


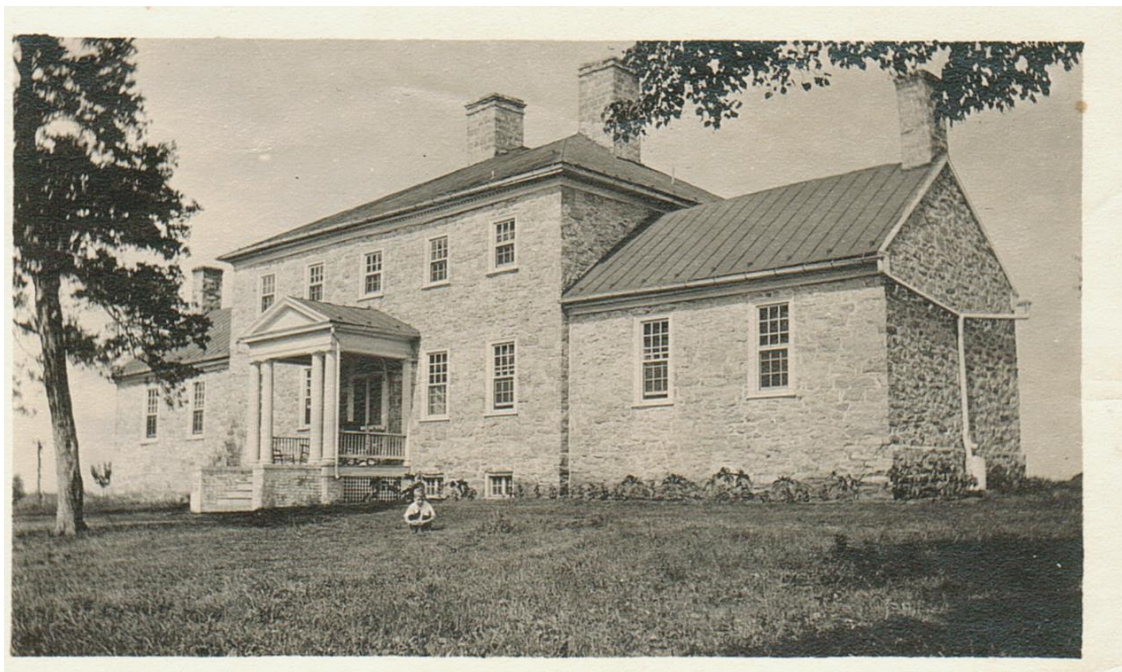
The sad deterioration of Barleywood (today) Charles Town, WV

1842 Home of Millicent Washington, granddaughter of George Steptoe Washington and great granddaughter of Samuel Washington. Married Robert G. McPherson

Barleywood.....

- What remains of the grandeur the home once held. Part of the staircase and a first floor window with a panel beneath it that opened like a door. You could enter the house from your carriage directly into the hallway with the window up and panel door opened.





Fairfield, Berryville, Virginia
Built in 1768 by Warner Washington

Inside Beautifully Remodeled Fairfield

Parlor



Fairfield Entry and Stairway





Waverley, Clear Brook, Virginia. Purchased in 1826 by George Fayette Washington, son of George Augustine and Fanny Bassett Washington and grandson of Charles and Mildred Washington



George Fayette Washington, grandson of Charles Washington, dies at Waverly September 6, 1867.

Harewood

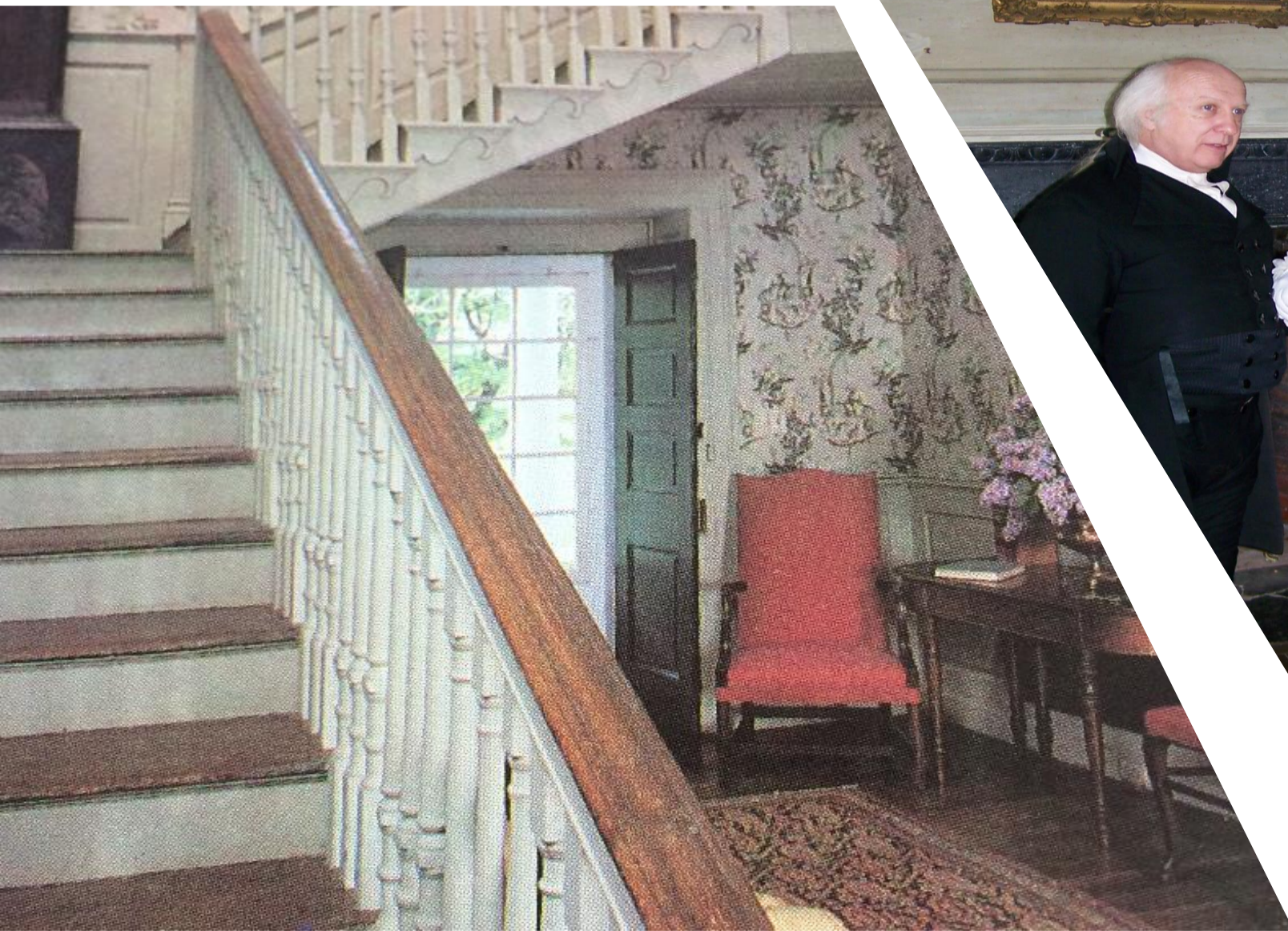


Built by Samuel Washington in 1770
This beautiful home is one of the oldest
Washington Homes in our area and it still
remains in the Washington Family.



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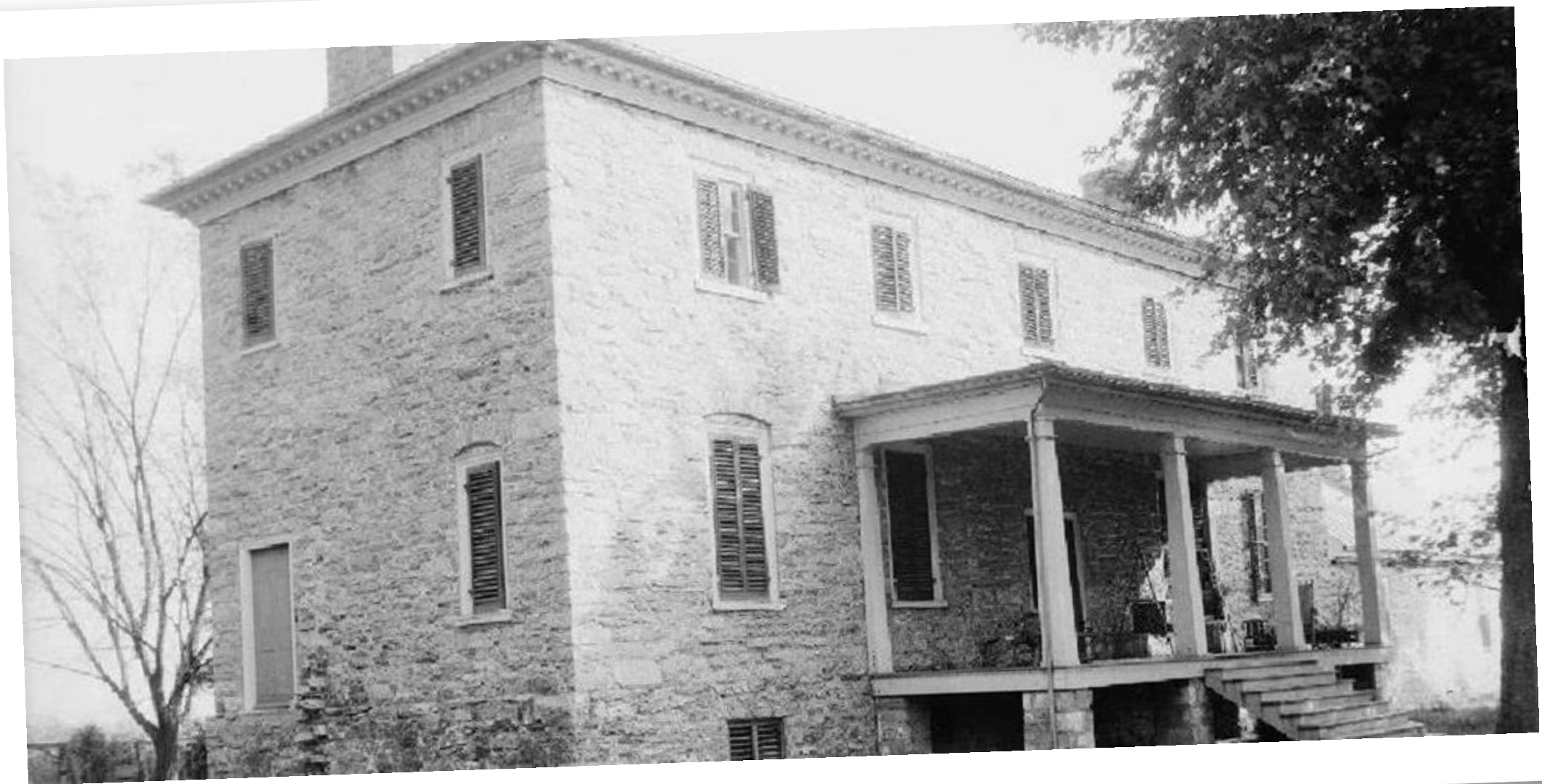
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Harewood Stairway and Front Foyer



Celebrating with James and Dolley Madison who were married at Harewood in 1794.



Purchased Post Card



BEAUTIFUL Cedar Lawn



Home of Dr. Taylor and Margie Fithian.

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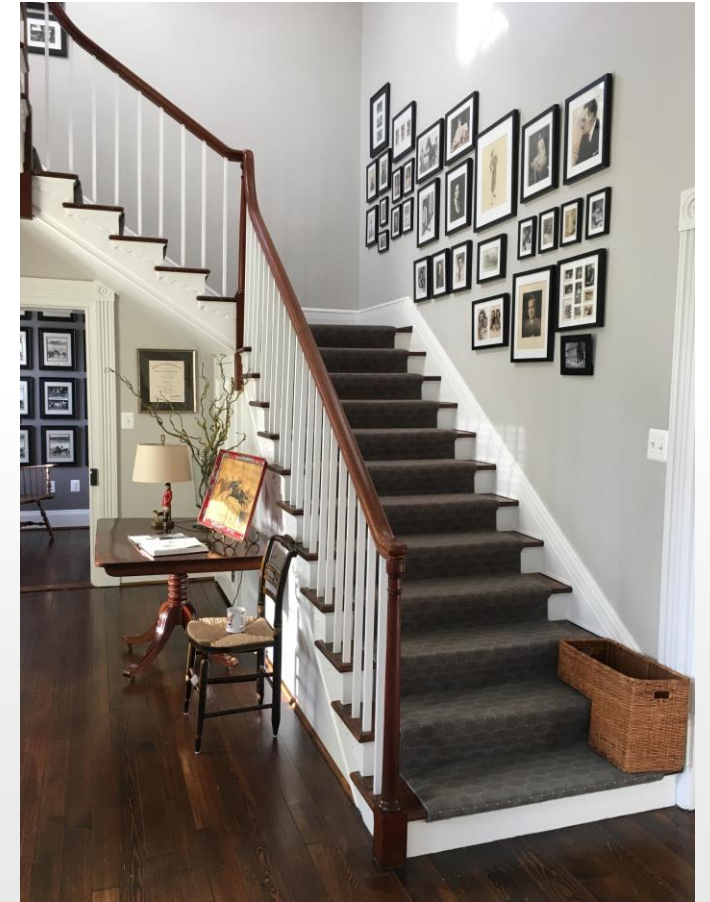
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Front Foyer

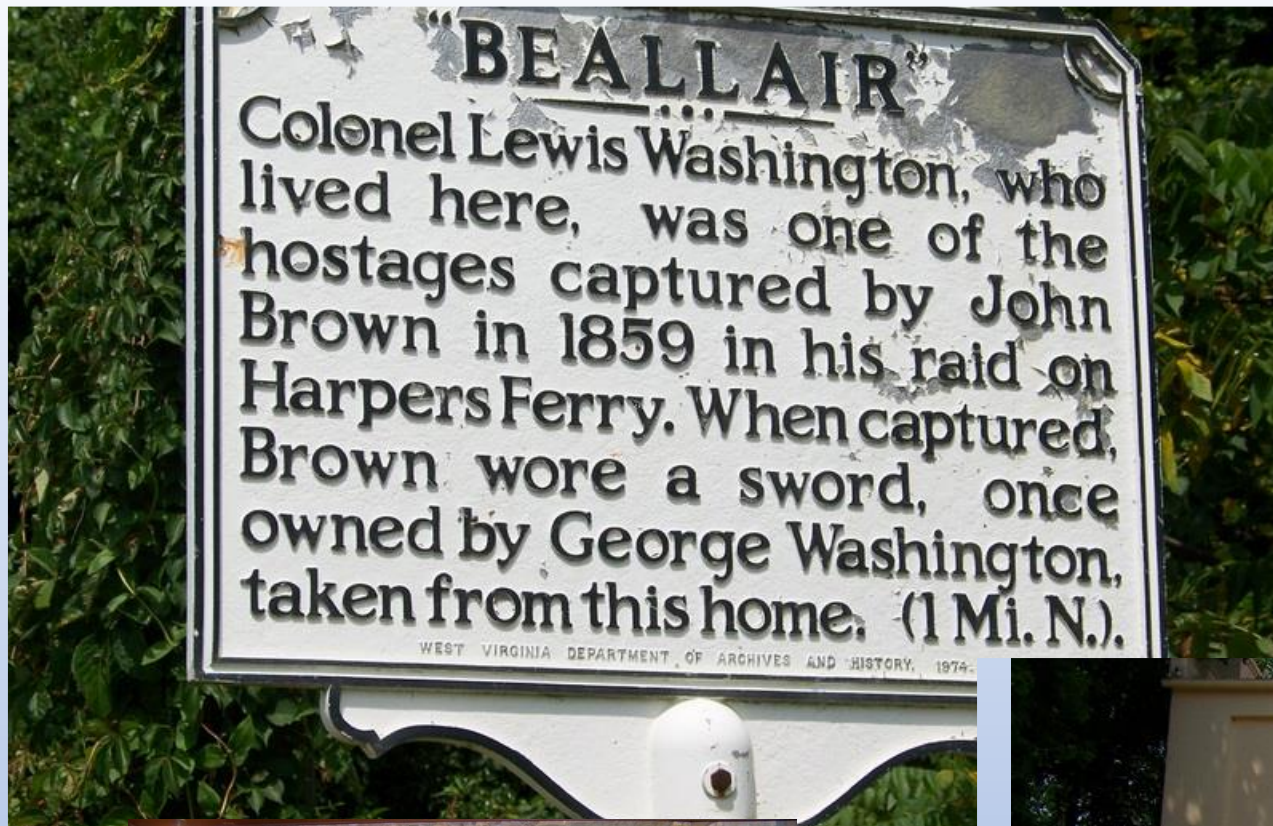


Parlor



Front Staircase

INSIDE BEAUTIFULLY RESTORED CEDAR LAWN 2017





Beallair Interior

Panel Window at Barleywood



Panel Window at Beallair



Window with a panel beneath it that opened like a door. You could get in and out of your carriage directly from the hallway with the window up and panel door opened. This type of window was popular during the 1800s.



More photos of the interior of Beallair.



Photos of Beallaire taken by Mg



Ridgedale near Romney in her Grander Days
Home of George and Charles Washington's Cousins From
Fairfax, Virginia

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John Wayland Photo

Ridgedale Plantation home of George William Washington 1809-1876 son of Edward of Fairfax County, Va.



Robert M. Washington 1852-1930 purchased Ridgedale January 1879. He was the son of George William Washington and Sally A. Wright



“A Stately Lady Gets Restored” - Ridgedale

Ridgedale was built about 1850 by George William Washington who had become a resident of Hampshire County in 1834 or earlier. The house was built on part of 700 acres devised in 1817 to Sarah "Sally" A. Wight and her siblings by their grandfather, Maj. Robert Lockhart first of Lancaster County, PA and later of Frederick County, VA. Sarah married George W. Washington sometime around 1830. George and Sally lived at *Ridgedale* and raised at least nine children, one of whom, John, died in the Civil War. George died in 1876 and with his wife and several family members. They are buried in Indian Mound Cemetery in Romney. One son, Edward, who married Susan Ann Taylor and lived at Ferndale several miles down river in a house built in 1834 by Susan's father, William Taylor. The ancestry of George William Washington is uncertain, but it is assumed that he is a distant cousin of President George Washington.



Ferndale

Built 1834 near
Romney, WV



Once the home of Edward Washington
(see Ridgedale) Photo taken in 2011 by Mg

Photo from "The Washingtons and Their
Homes" by John W. Wayland



Claymont Court
Has been called the jewel of Jefferson County

Built by Bushrod Corbin Washington sometime after 1812

Beautiful Claymont Court Interior





Part of Claymont's grandeur and secrets

Blakeley

Once the home of John Augustine Washington II, it sets quietly and serenely less than a mile from brother Corbin's more elaborate Claymont Court.

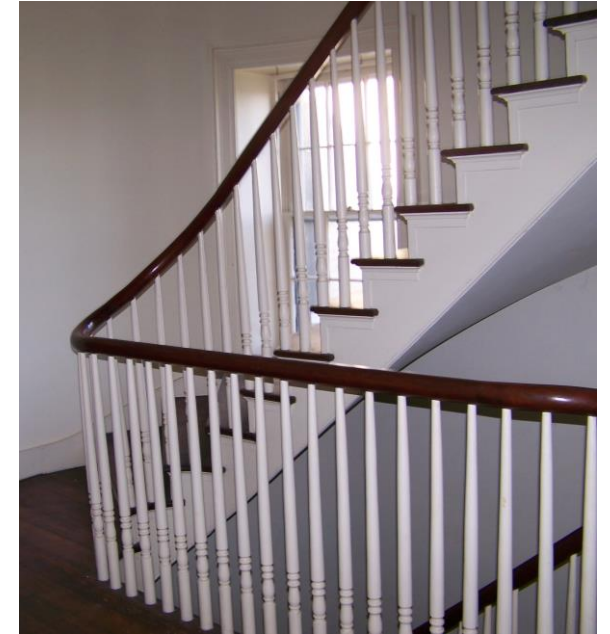


Blakeley – photo from the North East in 1938 taken from John W. Wayland's "The Washington's and Their Homes".



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Blakeley Photos by Mg 2011



Blakeley Dining Room and two of
several beautiful staircases





Happy Retreat. Building started in 1784
by Charles Washington 1738 - 1799

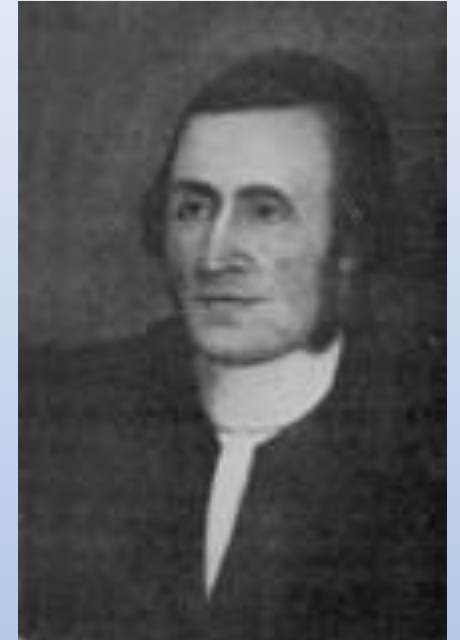
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Frances Bassett Washington, wife of
George Augustine Washington,
mother to Anna Maria, George
Fayette, Charles Augustine.
Portrait courtesy of Mount Vernon
Ladies Association

Photo and Flower Arrangement by Robin Huyett Thomas

Christmas with Charles and Mildred



Portraits courtesy of Jefferson County Historic Society

Christmas photo by Brian Christopher

Friends of Happy Retreat have their first wedding.



Bee Line Chapter of NSDAR tribute to Col. Charles Washington 1931

Charles Washington portrait courtesy of Mt. Vernon Ladies Association



Photo and Flower arrangement by Robin Huyett Thomas



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