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A MOSBY SCOUT IN SIGHT OF THE ENEMY.

# MOSBY'S RANGERS:

A RECORD OF THE OPERATIONS

OF THE

## FORTY-THIRD BATTALION VIRGINIA CAVALRY,

FROM ITS

### ORGANIZATION TO THE SURRENDER,

FROM THE

DIARY OF A PRIVATE, SUPPLEMENTED AND VERIFIED WITH OFFICIAL  
REPORTS OF FEDERAL OFFICERS AND ALSO OF MOSBY;

WITH

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES, SKETCHES OF SKIRMISHES, BATTLES AND  
BIVOACs, DASHING RAIDS AND DARING ADVENTURES,  
SCENES AND INCIDENTS IN THE

### HISTORY OF MOSBY'S COMMAND.

CONTAINING

OVER 200 ILLUSTRATIONS, INCLUDING PORTRAITS OF MANY OF MOSBY'S  
MEN AND OF FEDERAL OFFICERS WITH WHOM THEY CAME IN  
CONTACT, VIEWS, ENGAGEMENTS, ETC.; MAPS OF  
"MOSBY'S CONFEDERACY" AND LOCALITIES  
IN WHICH HE OPERATED;

MUSTER ROLLS, OCCUPATION AND PRESENT WHEREABOUTS OF SUR-  
VIVING MEMBERS.

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Memo to the file

From Frances Jones

Subject: Possible HAER Recording of Beverley Mill

I spoke with Larry Lankton, Historian at the Historic American Engineering Record, in the Pension Building (tel: 202-343-4256) about my recent field trip to Beverley Mill with Mark Spencer and Evelyn Williams of Colvin Run Mill Park, and H.H. Douglas, of Echoes of History (has written on history of Beverley Mill) for the purpose of compiling a statement of the present condition of the mill, its equipment and environs. Asked Lankton if he would recommend that HAER do a recording or adaptive use study on the mill.

Lankton said that would depend on the nature of the mill -- condition, size, kind and amount of machinery -- and on what others want in the way of documentation. Said that for HAER's purposes, a photographic recording may be enough, but if the people interested in restoring it want to generate educational and exhibit materials, then measured drawings may be in order.

He would like to see some indication of willingness to finance, at least in part, the recording.

Asked me to send him several exterior and interior photographs, and a description of the structure and its machinery. Wants also a statement of what the people want in the way of a recording by HAER.

Possibilities are, since the mill is so close to D.C., that Lankton may want to use the facility for a class he teaches in Industrial Archeology (Graduate at G.W.-Smithsonian Consortium). It could also be done as a HAER Summer Project. Another possibility is for HAER professionals or staff to supervise a volunteer recording of the mill.

Type of stones used for grindstones?  
Diameter of same?  
Type of crane used for dressing stones?  
Do stones run clockwise or counterclockwise?  
How are grindstones - spindle? - attached to drive train  
in basement?  
What is arrangement of furrows on stones?  
Weight of same? mangels.

The diesel engine is said to have been used about two weeks  
every summer when stream was low. Also could be used  
as standby power in case of problems with wheel.

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