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Easton	8 30	A. M.	New York		12 00
Wrightsons	8 45	"	Wilmington		4 15 "
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Queen Anne	9 15	"	Wilmington		10 10 "
Hillsboro	9 23	"	Clayton		1 00 P. M.
Greensboro	9 33	"	Easton		1 15 "
Goldsboro	9 50	"	Slaughters		1 20 "
Henderson	10 05	"	Marydel		1 35 "
Marydel	10 15	"	Henderson		1 55 "
Slaughters	10 25	"	Goldsboro		2 10 "
Easton	10 45	"	Greensboro		2 30 "
Arrive at	11 00	"	Ridgely		2 40 "
			Hillsboro		2 50 "
Clayton	11 30	"	Queen Anne		2 55 "
Wilmington	3 45	P. M.	Cordova		3 20 "
Philadelphia	5 35	"	Woodland		3 25 "
Baltimore	8 10	"	Arrive at		
New York	10 20	"	Easton		3 40 "

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An Interesting Sketch.

WENLOCK CHRISTISON, THE QUAKER CONFESSOR:

A CONTRIBUTION TO THE RELIGIOUS ANNALS OF TALBOT COUNTY, MD.

(CONCLUDED.)

Wenlock Christison has now been followed in his devious and thorny path of life down to a time somewhat subsequent to the year 1665. He had just come up to Boston from Rhode Island with Alice Ambrose, alias Gary and Mary Tompkins, under the protection of Sir Robt. Carr, a Commissioner of the King, for the purpose of embarking for the West Indies; but they were foiled in this intention by the cruel diligence of the authorities, for they were immediately arrested, and driven with blows, from the jurisdiction. From the known character of these Friends, whom no amount of suffering deterred from following a course which they verily believed was marked out for them by a Divine hand, it is not likely they were diverted from their purpose of visiting Friends in the Bermudas and the Barbadoes, but it is altogether probable they subsequently, and at no distant day, carried their design into successful execution, and that they escaped out of the "bloody town of Boston" as Bishope calls it, and the "Habitations of Cruelty" of New England. It may be that the journey to the West Indies was only a part of that circuit of travel followed by many of the early Quaker Preachers, which circuit was completed by going from those islands to Virginia and Maryland, and thence through the "Woods" to Long Island, and back again to New England. At the period of these events, Pennsylvania had not been founded by William Penn. Religion is apt to follow the track of commerce, and there was an active intercourse between the W. I. Islands and the New England Colonies, and also between those islands and the settlements of Virginia and our own State. But conjecture aside, it is known from actual and authoritative records that Wenlock Christison, and one of those women with whom he last suffered in Boston, were in the State of Maryland, as early at least as the year 1672 and no doubt some time before, and that he himself, as early as 1670, was in Talbot county. In the Register's office of Calvert county there is recorded the Will of Peter Sharpe, "Chirurgion," who is also called "Peter Sharpe of the Cliffs," meaning the Cliffs of the Patuxent, (in Liber No. 1. for the year 1635 to 1674,) bearing date of the year 1672. The following is an extract from the Will, as given by L. L. Davis in his "Day Star."

"I give to Friends in ye ministry, viz: "*Alice Garey*, William Gole, and Sarah "Marsh, if then in being; *Wenlock Christi*"*son* and his wife; John Burnett and "Daniel Gould; in money or goods, at the "choice of my executors, forty shillings "worth apiece; also for a perpetual stand"ing, a house, for the use of Friends in "ye ministry, and to be placed at the con"venient place for their use."

But there is a yet earlier record of the presence of Wenlock Christison in this State, and of his being a resident of this county, a record in which the same Peter Sharpe is mentioned in connection with the subject of this sketch. From the Land Records of Talbot County No 1 fol. 120 it appears that on the first of August 1670 Peter Sharpe of the Cliffs of Calvert county, surgeon, and Judith his wife, transferred to Wenlock Christison "in consideration of true affection and brotherly love which we have and bear unto our well beloved brother Wenlock Christison, in Talbot county, and also for other divers good and lawful considerations we att this present especially moving," one hundred and fifty acres of land, part of Hansley, [evidently an error of the transcribing clerk for Fausley, as other records plainly show, for it must be noted that the first volumes of our county records is a transcript and not an original, unfortunately] on Fainley [Fausley] Creek, south side of St. Michaels river, known by the name of "Ending of Controversy." What more appropriate name could there be for the home of a man whose life has been spent in strife and dispute? It will not escape notice that this conveyance expresses no "consideration" but "true affection and brotherly love." There can be but little doubt that the good Quaker Physician of Calvert, who was a man of large possessions, bestowed this little farm upon the poor wanderer, because of his sympathy for him in his sufferings and privations and in recognition of his services in the cause of "Truth," and "Friends." This act of kind was not the only act of kindness on the part of Peter Sharpe, towards Wenlock Christison. He with others was remembered in the Will of the Calvert worthy, and had a legacy of two pounds sterling, not an insignificant sum at a time and in a place where money was so scarce, and worth probably ten times as much as now. Now was Peter Sharpe the only sympathizing friend who bestowed worldly goods upon Wenlock? What was that which induced him to deliver, and what could Wenlock do with One Hundred and fifty acres of wild land, covered with heavy timber, and partly pre-empted under the charge of the preacher, which after every or long journey, taking a concern to visit Friends in distant quarters, Henry Wilcocks, another Friend, sets about remedying this trouble, and on the 20th 1st month 1670-1 (March 1671) he, for no consideration, as far as expressed in the conveyance, assigns and makes over to him a servant man, named Francis Lloyd. This was really a valuable addition to his wealth, for labor then as now was the great want and demand of the people of this country, and indentured servants were sought after, with even greater avidity than we do now seeking German emigrants. Other records of the court for 1675, and for 1676 show that Wenlock became possessed, probably by purchase, of other servants, for in the former year he brought his servant Edward Gibson into court, to have his age and time of service to be adjudged, and in the latter year, he brought his servant John Stacy before the Justices for a similar purpose. It may be mentioned that this John Stacy was not free by the will of Christison, and he left him legacies in consideration of his good behavior.

It will be understood, of course, that these servants were white men, that had been brought from the old country and sold for a term of years to defray the cost of their transportation. They were not necessarily criminals, for many most respectable people came over as bond servants and there are families now in this county who are as respectable as any, whose ancestors, it is known, left their old home under indentures to serve a specified time in the new for the price of their passage across the ocean. No more represch should attach to such families than to those whose friends gave their founders a few pounds to pay for their berths in the ship; and not as much as to those whose wealthy connections were glad to defray the cost of their journey across the sea, that they might be rid of worthless dependants and scapegraces that disgraced them at home.

But to return: Wenlock Christison not only became possessed of white servants, but we shall see in the sequel he was interested in colored ones also. In the year 1673 the landed estate of Wenlock was enlarged by the acquisition of One Hundred Acres. This was derived from John Edmondson, another very wealthy Quaker, before referred to in this memoir, a merchant, in good repute with the society, but one whose extensive dealings of late brought him under discipline by his brethren, for the early Quakers scrutinized a man's conduct with great sharpness, and they were very particular to keep themselves without reproach, in the eye of the world. John Edmondson on the 18th Nov. 1673 conveyed to Wenlock Christison One Hundred Acres of land on "Fausley Creek" called "Addition." It apparently joined "Ending of Controversy" and in the conveyance no consideration is mentioned. This too may have been a gift, and in all probability it was. Again in the 15th Oct. 1677 Wenlock buys (but here the consideration is not mentioned and this too may have been "for true affection and brotherly love") from one John Davis another tract of land on Fausley Creek "lying between Fausley Branch and the Eastern branch of St. Michaels River" and being a part of the land laid out for one Roger Gross, called and known by the name of "Ashby." So it appears Wenlock prospered in this world, and became the possessor of broad estates and troupes of servants, verifying the truth of the declaration of the great founder of doctrinal Christianity, that Godliness is profitable unto all things, having the promise of this world and of that which is to come.

From what is here said of the lands acquired by Wenlock Christison, whether by gift or by purchase, we are enabled to determine almost precisely the place of his residence. There is no doubt that he owned that point of land formed by what are now called Globe and Goldsborough creeks, and owned by Addison Randall, esq., one of the most charming sites in Talbot county, and now adorned by the beautiful villa built by Mr Richd Frazier. It is certain also that he owned a part of the tract of land adjoining the "Ending of Controversy," called "Fausley." Family tradition establishes the fact that the residence of William Dixon, who married the widow and obtained the estate of Christison, and who bequeathed this estate to his nephew Isaac Dixon, in the absence of direct heirs, was the brick dwelling, in spit yet standing in a dilapidated condition upon the Woodstock property, which now embraces a part of "Fausley." It is therefore probable almost certainly, that at this house Wenlock Christison lived and died. It is possible, of course, that Will Dixon may have built this house, and may not have built it upon the exact site of the residence of his wife's former husband. Fausley was Wenlock's another title to celebrity having once in the ownership of the Quaker worthy, it was the birth place of the Hon. William Tilghman, late Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, and one of the purest and best of men. The precise spot where stood the house in which Wenlock died, or the date of his death, or the place of his burial, are matters of no public civic merit or private virtue, to Mr. Thomas Kirby, now living upon the place.

"Fausly Creek" is what is now the properly called "Broad Creek," which should not have been called by its present name until the year 1714, for it was not until then that the land from which the town is laid out was patented to Thomas Sharp, Gabriel Lloyd, and Richard Gibson. That is, northwest branch of rough creek, mentioned in the early records as located "by the Bounds of Richard of St. Michaels river." It will be perceived that the name of Wenlock Christison is not mentioned in the patent, but it is well known that he was the owner of the land at the time, and that the patentees were taking this step that they might give further satisfaction and security to the "Truth and a Friends" by giving the land to the Society of Friends, for a meeting house, and burying place, and for a school house, and for the use of the Ministers of the Society of Friends, and for a place to dwell in, and for a garden and orchard, and for a place to bury our dead in, and for a place to build a house for the use of the Ministers of the Society of Friends, and for a place to build a house for the use of the Ministers of the Society of Friends, and for a place to build a house for the use of the Ministers of the Society of Friends