

SUMMARY SHEET

NOTES

NAME DUNALL Gabriel  
(1752 - 1844)  
COUNTY AN

LEGISLATIVE SERVICE  
X 1782-85  
L 1787-89

Date      Initials      Number (circled)      Citations

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- ③ P.G. W. Wills L.P.C. 1, 247-254
- ④ Chancery Ct. Rec. (1792) B25, 96.
- ⑤ m.g. 9 May 1805
- ⑥ m.g. 31 Oct 1799
- ⑦ AR Co. Ct. Rec. 1783-92
- ⑧ m.g. 14 Dec. 1775
- ⑨ m.g. 2 May 1776, June 6, 1776
- ⑩ m.g. 27 Dec, 1776, 14 N. 1776
- ⑪ m.g. 29 May 1794
- ⑫ m.g. 4 Sept. 1800
- ⑬ m.g. 12 June, 1794
- ⑭ Annapolis M Ct. R 6, 39
- ⑮ Ibid, 22
- ⑯ AR 12, 116-117
- ⑰ AR 12, 144
- ⑱ AR 4, 16
- ⑲ AR 8, 100-101; 66
- ⑳ AR 9, 69 (back)
- ㉑ AR 7, 198
- ㉒ AR 8, 155
- ㉓ minutes of the Board of Visitors + Gov. of St. Johns Coll,
- ㉔ Jacobsen files, T. Jefferson to G. Dunall 5 Nov. 1802
- ㉕ Jacobsen files, G.D. to Pres., 18 Mar. 1801
- ㉖ MAM Vol. 49, 30
- ㉗ MAM Vol 57, 261



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- ②8 Jacobson, Phoebe, Duval genealogy
- ②9 Jacobson file, John Marshall to Gabriel Duval,  
16 Jan 1835
- ③0 MHM xxviii (1933) p. 209, excerpts from Wm.  
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- ③1 Bicent. Directory of Amer. Congress, p 839

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		30	MHM XLVIII (1933) p. 309, "Excerpt from Wm Farr's Diary" 8 Nov. 1794.
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		32	<u>Washington Star</u> March 13, 1970.
		33	PQ Wills T#1, 578 (1801)
		34	Newman, Henry Wright, <u>Maroon Durall of Middle Plantation</u> p. 472-511
		35	AA Deeds NH 11, 150.
		36	PQ Adm Accts PC# 3; 220, 226, 227, 309, 328; JH#1, 21
		37	PQ Inventories JH#1, 25
		38	1798 Fed'l Direct Tax, Housepen + Return of Hundred P. 9.
		39	1783 Assessment, AN p. 1
		40	Van Horn, R. Lee, <u>Out of the Past</u> , Rutland, Me 1970 p. 320
		41	1798 Fed'l Direct Tax, Annapolis
		42	AA Deeds NH 11, 150
		43	NEH Annapolis Project Notes
		44	Chauncy Co. Rec. B25, 96

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ORIGINS

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Born 6 Dec. 1752<sup>①</sup> in P.O.  
6th child, 2nd son<sup>①</sup>

Immigrant/Native Native, 4th generation Md.<sup>①</sup>

Resided in AN from at least 1777 until at least 1801, but  
maintained residence at "MARIETTA", P.O.  
<sup>②</sup> when wanted to DC

FAMILY BACKGROUND

Father: Benjamin Dwall (1719 - ca. 1801)  
son of Benjamin son of Maurice of Middle Plantation<sup>①</sup>  
(? - 1714)<sup>②</sup> (? - 1694)<sup>②</sup>

Mother: Susanna Tyler<sup>①</sup> b. 24 Feb. 1717/8<sup>①</sup> d. 1794<sup>②</sup>  
daughter of Edward Tyler + Elizabeth Dwell of Samuel  
Goulden. ROBT TYLER II 1704-1722 PG

Siblings<sup>①</sup>

1. Elizabeth (1744-1777) m. Wm Clarke c. 1770
2. Susanna (1746-1807)<sup>mo</sup> m. Wm Higgins or Joseph R. Hodges
3. Benjamin (1746 - ) m. <sup>mo</sup> Jenima Taylor
4. Delilah (1747-1839) no mar.
5. Sarah (1751 - ) m. Amos Simpson
7. Edw. (1755-1780) } both killed in Rev. (officers)
8. Isaac (1757-1781)
9. Sophia (1760 - )
10. William (1762 - )

<sup>③</sup> of COUSIN  
SAMUEL DWALL  
(1748-1811)

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MARRIAGES

NAME DEWALL GABRIEL

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Married

1. to Mary Boyce<sup>①</sup> (b. 1762<sup>②</sup> - 24 Mar. 1790<sup>①</sup>), on 24 July 1787<sup>①</sup>  
or 1777<sup>④</sup>

2. to Jane Gibbon on 5 May 1795<sup>①</sup>  
b. 8 Aug 1757 d. 17 Apr. 1834<sup>①</sup>

Wife's/Wives' Family

1. Mary Boyce, dau. of Capt Robert Boyce of Annapolis<sup>①</sup> and  
Frances Wilson Boyce<sup>②</sup> (b. ca. 1771<sup>④</sup>)

brother<sup>④</sup> John Boyce (1771-1805<sup>⑤</sup>)  
Gabriel was guardian for John in Chanc. Ct. case over John's inheritance<sup>④</sup>  
John petitioned for insolvency 1799<sup>⑥</sup>

2. Jane Gibbon, dau. of Capt. James Gibbon of Philadelphia<sup>①</sup>

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CHILDREN

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Children (including stepchildren)

Son: Edmund Boyce Duwall born 25 Jan. 1790<sup>(1)</sup> d. 5 Feb. 1831<sup>(28)</sup>  
m. Augusta Caroline McCausland (1798-1832)<sup>(29)</sup>

Daughter: ?? "Poly" mentioned in Faris' diary as accompanying  
G.D. to Phila. 1794<sup>(30)</sup>

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PRIVATE CAREER (1)

NAME DUVALL Gabriel

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Education

studied law

Religion

Episcopalian (pews in Annapolis church + new church of the peace at death) ③

Titles

889 (42)

ADD. COMMENTS - cared for grand children after their parents' death ③

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PRIVATE CAREER (2)

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Social ActivitiesOccupational Profile

Admitted to practice PG bar 1778 <sup>(40)</sup> maintained practice in ~~PA~~ until at least <sup>(42)</sup> 1823  
 (1) Attorney, AA Co. Ct. 1783-92 (almost 600 references to S.D. as attorney in index during those years)

1775 Clerk of Provincial Convention <sup>(8)</sup>

1776 Clerk of Council of Safety <sup>(9)</sup>

1776 Clerk of Convention <sup>(10)</sup>

1781-82) Ct. Prosecutor, Annap. Mayor's Ct. <sup>(14)</sup> pd. #36:5

1783-84 <sup>(15)</sup>

14 NOV. 1792-1802 Member of Board of Visitors + Gov. of St. John's College <sup>(23)</sup>

1808 - member of select committee to organize cotton factory company - "The Columbia manufacturing Co", in D.C. <sup>(27)</sup>



1790 - MG. 7 Oct. 1790

1791 - MG Oct. 6

1793 - MG Oct 10

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PUBLIC CAREER

(1) LEGISLATIVE SERVICE

L 1787, 88, 89, 90, 91, 93

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F P (1)

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1787 - delegate to G. A. from Annapolis (16)

1788 - delegate to House from Annapolis (17)

1789 - delegate to House from Annapolis (18)

1790

1791

over  
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1793 - delegate to House from Annapolis (19)

1801 - elected to Md. Senate (21)

1802 - moved to District of Columbia + loses seat (22)

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PUBLIC CAREER

(2) OFFICEHOLDING

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see  
attached  
sheet for  
U.S. offices

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Province or State-wide Office

1781 - Commissioner of Confiscated Estates (1)

1794 - Judge of Genl Ct. of Md. (1) - 1800? (1)

april 2, 1796 appt'd chief justice of general court of Md. - resigned 1802 (31)

1806 - appt'd judge of ct of appeals - declined (31)

see p. 62 (2)  
Local Office

see pg. F (3) re Pres. election

1798 Alderman, Annapolis (20)

see pg 2 (2)

Jury Service

Military Service

1794 appt'd major in militia for A.C. (13)

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VALUES AND OPINIONSNAME DUVALL, GabrielCOUNTY AN

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Intellectual Pursuits/Values

- G.D. "has so much merited the public confidence" my "sincere esteem & high consideration" (Thos. Jefferson to G.D., 1802) (34)
- G.D. "Circuit Ct. Judge was a feeble individual" over whom am Pukney... domineered" J. Q. Adams Memoirs (26)
- G.D. praised for "the fidelity w/ which you have discharged the part which has devolved on you"; "private virtues" + "purity of your public life" J. Marshall to G.D. 1835 upon resignation from Supreme Ct. (39)

Stands on Public or Private Issues

- 1800 - Defended Thomas Jefferson in charge that T.J. fled from Richmond before British advance. - letter to Md. Gov. (2)  
described Jefferson as "The Friend of the People" prior to Presidential election 1800 (40)

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WEALTH DURING LIFETIME

(1) PERSONAL

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Personal Property

1783 - AN property, valued @ \$90 (39)

1798 - at least 8 slaves in AQ (38)

Income

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WEALTH DURING LIFETIME(2) LAND

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1. Acreage at first election

39. prob. 0 in AA of AN (perhaps living w/ mother-in-law in AN) or renting

2. Significant Changes between first election and death

Sometime before 1798, Duvall's father gave him the 660+ acres in PG which the family had owned for at least 2 generations. Duvall also owned large brick dwelling in AN (41)

Also owned land on South River, AN, sold before death (3) and had purchased <sup>3<sup>rd</sup> interest</sup> 5197 ac. PG with <sup>a</sup> partner ca. 1842 (3)

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ESTATE

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Died March 6, 1844 near Glenn Dale, PG (31)

buried on estate "Marietta" (32)

principal heirs were his sister Sarah <sup>Simpson</sup> + his grandchildren Marcus, Edmund, Mary Frances + ~~Patricia Augusta Duvall~~ (3)

Personal Property

(36) TEV \$54,208.96 cur. mon.

FB 41,863.89 cur. mon. before legacies of \$14,250.44

Debts 12,345.07 cur.

(37) Inv. includes law library of 528 vol. + 400 vol. "miscellany"  
371 sq. plate, 36 slaves

(38) Bank Stock worth \$14,260 (3)

Land

6-700 ac. "Marietta, PG" (3)

+ ca. 118 ac. AG (3)

Income at Death

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MISCELLANEOUS

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