

# St. Anne's And Governor Eden

In the popular mind, the outstanding matter of interest is that the remains of Sir Anthony Eden are buried in St. Anne's Churchyard. Actually, they were entrusted to the care of the State of Maryland, and the rector, wardens and vestrymen willingly accepted them as custodians.

However, Governor Eden had a very real connection with St. Anne's in his lifetime. He it was who gave Letters of Induction as Rector of St. Anne's to the Vestry to the following clergymen:

The Rev. Mr. Boucher—who was so closely associated with George Washington—in 1770; the Rev. Mr. Montgomery, in 1772; the Rev. Mr. Lendrum, in 1775.

It is hardly necessary to say that these clergymen were ordained abroad, as there were no Bishops in the Colonies.