

THE REPORT

In 1968 Volume XXXIII of *The Report* was published bearing the additional notation JOURNAL OF GERMAN-AMERICAN HISTORY. As the Editor, Mr. Klaus Wust, stated in the preface of the 1968 edition, "this change in title will not come as a surprise to many of our faithful friends nor to researchers who succeeded in locating material about other states in past issues of *The Report* despite the fact that most library catalogues listed them only under "Maryland".

Many issues in the past have been made possible through the generous contributions on the part of friends and members of the Society. Elsewhere in this issue is a list of those who contributed so that the Society could honor one of its most distinguished members, Professor Dieter Cunz. For many years, Professor Cunz was the inspiration and prune mover of the activities and growth of the Society. The members and officers of the Society wish to express their appreciation and gratitude to those who contributed so generously to the Dieter Cunz Memorial Publication Fund.

Since the publication of the last *Report*, the guest speakers at the Annual Meeting of the Society, which is held in February of each year, were:

- 1966 Mr. Harold R. Manakee (Director of the Maryland Historical Society) . " The Maryland Historical Society: Its Special Features and Interests to German-American Studies "
- 1967 Mr. Klaus Wust (Editor of *The Report* and author of *The Virginia Germans*) . " Early German Settlers in Virginia "
- 1968 Professor Joseph M. Hernon (University of Maryland) . " Irish-German Relations "
- 1969 Professor Wolf Fleischhauer (Ohio State University) . " German Communities in Northwestern Ohio "
- 1970 Dr. Moses Aberbach (Director, Jewish Historical Society of Maryland) . " The Germans of the Early Jewish Community of Baltimore "

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