

MARYLAND AT A GLANCE

Population—1,742,000 Estimated.

Area—12,300.21 square miles; 9,870.32 land; 2,429.89 water.

Counties—

Allegany	Dorchester	Prince George's
Anne Arundel	Frederick	Queen Anne's
Baltimore	Garrett	St. Mary's
Calvert	Harford	Somerset
Caroline	Howard	Talbot
Carroll	Kent	Washington
Cecil	Montgomery	Wicomico
Charles		Worcester

STATE OFFICERS

Governor—Harry W. Nice

Secretary of State—E. Ray Jones

Attorney General—Herbert R. O'Connor

Comptroller of State—Wm. S. Gordy, Jr.

State Treasurer—Hooper S. Miles

Chief Judge, Court of Appeals—Carroll T. Bond

State Superintendent of Schools—Albert S. Cook

Adjutant General—Brig. Gen. Milton A. Reckord

Assistant Adjutant General—Brig. Gen. John Phillip Hill

Chairman, State Roads Commission—Homer E. Tabler

Commissioner of Motor Vehicles—Walter R. Rudy

Superintendent of Maryland State Police
Major Elmer F. Munshower

Original charter—1634.

Founded by Cecilius Calvert, Lord Baltimore.

Named after Queen Henrietta Maria, wife of Charles I of England.

First Settlement—St. Mary's.

One of original Thirteen Colonies.

Length—200 miles; width varies from 5 to 120 miles.

Chesapeake Bay—width 10 to 40 miles, stretches northward 180 miles.

Principal rivers—Susquehanna, Potomac, Patapsco, Patuxent, Severn, Wicomico, Sassafras, Chester, Choptank, Piankatank, Nanticoke, Pocomoke, Tred Avon, Wye, Miles.

Maryland has more river frontage than any other State in the Union.

Baltimore City's harbor extends along 127 miles of deep water frontage. The city ranks as America's fourth foreign trade port and is the second foreign trade port on the Atlantic coast.

Principal mountains of Western Maryland—Sideling Mountain, 1599 feet; Town Hill, 1700 feet; Green Ridge, 1302 feet; Polish Mountain, 1342 feet; Martin's Mountain, 1690 feet; Big Savage Mountain, 2850 feet; Meadow Mountain, 2750 feet; Negro Mountain, 2908 feet; Keyser's Ridge, 2894 feet; Mt. Backbone, 3320 feet.

Total value of manufactured products—\$755,843,200 (preliminary figure).

Total value of farm products—\$74,929,000.

Total value of oyster, crab and fishing industry—Over \$3,500,000.

Maryland packs more tomatoes than any other State in the Union, ranks first in the production of black muskrat pelts, the choicest in the market, and next to Louisiana in the production of all muskrat pelts and is one of the leading strawberry, spinach and sweet potato producing and vegetable canning states.