

# SECRETS OF A SEAPORT – FELL’S POINT

## Course and Lecture Series

Six 1 Hour Sessions by Jack Trautwein

Fees - \$10.00 per session - \$50.00 for Entire Course

For Registration Call Barbara Cromwell, 410-675-6750, ext 16

At the Preservation Society – Visitor Center, 1724-1726 Thames Street

Monday, April 12, 7:30 PM– Lecture: 1730 – 1776 Fell’s Point The Early Years

Introduction

Historic Geography

The Fell Family: 1726-1786

Setting the Stage: 1763-1776

Commerce, Immigration, Shipbuilding

Wednesday, April 14, 7:30 PM– Lecture: 1776-1800

The Revolutionary War: 1776-1783

Commerce

Privateering

Joshua Barney

Rapid Growth: 1783-1800

Commerce - Merchant Class

Shipbuilding, Immigration

Monday, April 19, 7:30 PM – Lecture: 1800 – 1814

The Turbulent Waters: 1800 – 1812

The World Scene

Commerce, Shipbuilding

Background of the War of 1812

War Declared

Civil Unrest

Merchant Involvement and Privateering

Wednesday, April 21, 7:30 PM – Lecture: 1812 – 1814 The War of 1812

The Beginning of the War: 1812

The Early Engagements

The Chesapeake Blockade: 1813-1814

The British Chesapeake Diversion Campaign-1814

The Battle of Bladensburg and The Burning of Washington

The Defense Of Baltimore

The Wars End and Concluding Remarks

Monday, April 26, 7:30 PM – Lecture: 1815- 1860 Between the Wars

The Post War Era: 1815-1830

Commerce, Shipbuilding

The Immigration Explosion: 1830-1860

Commerce, Shipbuilding

Wednesday, April 28, 7:30 PM - Lecture: 1860 – Present: The Fall and Rise of Fell’s Point

The End of an Era: 1860-1900

Immigration, Commerce, Shipbuilding

The Declining Years: 1900-1978

Commerce

The Road Fight

History Revealed

A New Era: 1978-Present

In Conclusion & Closing Remarks

Architecture in Brief

Important People

Important Places

