

# Monument Work at Ft. Magruder

Mrs. Gerry Waring, President of U.D.C. Chapter 637 of Williamsburg, and their membership were very concerned about the rough ground leading to the new monument at Fort Magruder. Mrs. Waring and Ken Parsons got their heads together and designed a concrete and brick sidewalk to the monument. They also came up with ideas for security lighting which provides protection against nighttime vandalism. Ken worked with ABBA Concrete, Riverside Brick & Supply, Beneficial Masonry, Don Moore Maintenance, and Riverview Landscaping to coordinate the work schedule. Ken was able to secure assistance from each of these vendors to provide the U.D.C. with their services at significant discounts. We thank all of these owners and companies for their assistance in creating the walkway and security for the monument that honors the men of Williamsburg and James City County who provided their services to Virginia and the Confederacy.



In July, Chuck Mihalcoe and ABBA Concrete poured the base for the walkway from the gate to the Soldier & Sailor's Monument.



In August, Compatriot Tim Norman and his crew from Beneficial Masonry laid the sidewalk.



In late August, the sidewalk was power-washed by Don Moore of Don Moore Maintenance.



Mr. Steve Moore of Riverview Landscaping brought his bucket truck to Fort Magruder on Sept. 18 to lift the poles for our solar powered, motion activated lights into position. Pictured L to R: Jon Holland, Steve Moore, Gregory Johnson, Steve White & Ken Parsons.



Following the placement of the light poles, they were shimmed and secured in position. L to R: Jon Holland, Steve White, Ken Parsons and Dave Watson. Not pictured are Joe Duggan and Jeff Toalson.