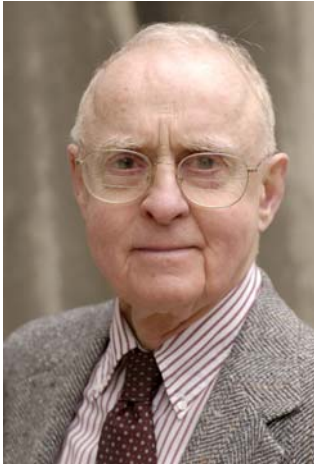


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**Noted Historian and Author**  
**Dr. Louis Morton Waddell III Talks History in Charleroi**



Dr. Louis Morton Waddell III, Associate Senior Staff Historian of the Bureau of Archives and History of the Pennsylvania Historical & Museum Commission (PHMC), will join the Charleroi community to give a presentation entitled, "Revolution & Whiskey: The Fallowfield Story."

Dr. Waddell served in the US Army, from 1953 to 1956, as a member of the Counterintelligence Corps as a Special Agent. In addition, his education includes a Ph.D from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in English, Modern European Histories, and Economics; a MA from New York University in American History; and an AB from Princeton University in History. Dr. Waddell has also taught classes at Penn State University, Middletown, PA; PD Camp Community College in Franklin, VA; North Carolina State University in Raleigh, NC; Louisiana PolyTech Institute, Ruston, LA; University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC; and Davis & Elkins College in Elkins, WV.

Dr. Waddell wrote six volumes of *The Papers of Henry Bouquet*, revised the *Pennsylvania Past & Present* section for every edition of *The Pennsylvania Manuel*, and since 1991 he has been the editor of the *Pennsylvania Heritage*, a magazine published by the Commission. He has also written several short books for the PHMC, articles for *Pennsylvania History*, *The Western Pennsylvania Historical Magazine* and *Pennsylvania Heritage*, and book reviews in the *William & Mary Quarterly* and the *Pennsylvania Magazine of History & Biography*.

Dr. Waddell will speak at the 2005 Charleroi Heritage Banquet on March 5, 2005 in the newly renovated Charleroi Elks Club on 3<sup>rd</sup> and Fallowfield, Charleroi, PA. The banquet is co-hosted by the Charleroi Area Historical Society and the Washington

County Community Foundation, with all proceeds being donated to the *Charleroi Area Heritage & Tourism Fund* for distribution to various Charleroi area heritage projects.

Tickets are available for \$25.00 per person, which includes, in addition to the keynote address, dinner, various historical displays, silent auction, “Share the Wealth” raffle, live entertainment, and dancing. For more information, please contact the Charleroi Area Historical Society at 724-483-5467 or the Washington County Community Foundation at 724-222-6330.