



**1998 CONFERENCE
ON WOMEN & THE
CIVIL WAR**

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**1998 Conference on Women and
the Civil War**
Recognizing Women's Efforts 1861-1865
Hood College, Frederick, Maryland
June 26-28, 1998

Registration opens 4 p.m. Friday, June 26; last session closes 12:30 p.m. on
Sunday, June 28. Friday night informal reception 7 to 9 p.m.

Saturday, June 27

Welcome 8:30 a.m.

Session I 8:45 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

"My Dear Bishop": Letters from a Catholic Sister Nurse in a Virginia Confederate Hospital to Charleston, SC, Bishop Patrick Lynch, Sister Mary Denis Maher, author, *To Bind Up the Wounds*, Ursuline College

"Remember the Ladies": Women's War Efforts in the Pennsylvania Coal Region, Danielle Richards, Penn State

Session II 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

A Hand to Work and A Heart to Feel: The Albany Army Relief Association and War Relief in Albany, New York During the Civil War, Christine Heidorf, curator, Historic Cherry Hill, Albany
Women of the Twin Rivers, Deborah Austin & Susan Hawkins, Park Rangers, Fort Donelson National Battlefield, Tennessee

Session III 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Banners, Flags, & Colors, Juanita Leisch, author, *What They Wore*, & Rebecca Rose, Museum of the Confederacy

My Old Kentucky Home - At War, Susan Lyons Hughes, coordinator of interpretation, Shaker Village of Pleasant Valley, Kentucky, editor, *Citizen's Companion*

Session IV 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The Camp Laundress, Leni Sorensen, William & Mary American Studies Ph.D. Program
"In a Moment of Girlish Caprice She Signed Her Name 'Howard Glyndon'": The Remarkable Journalism Career of Laura Catherine Redden, Judy Yaeger Jones, state coordinator, Minnesota Women's History Project

Booksignings: 5:15 p.m.

Dinner: 6:30 p.m.

Educational Exhibits in the Whitaker Center: 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, June 28

Session V 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Women Lighthouse Keepers, 1861-1865, Sandra Clunies, CGRS
"Decency Compels Me To Employ My Fingers": The Housekeeping Warfare of Mary Greenhow Lee, Shelia Phipps, College of William & Mary

Session VI 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Before the Court: Women in the Union Courts-Martial, Dr. Thomas Lowry, author, *Sex in the Civil War*