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a monument on Guilford battlefield, in North Carolina, in memory

of the soldiers of the Maryland Line

who died there in 1781, are receiving a number of subscriptions. The committee wants to begin work on

the monument, on the anniversary of the battle, March 15, of this year.

The cost is not to exceed \$350, and it is to mark the position of the Maryland regiment. It is to be a

granite boulder, upon which in bronze will be the coat of arms of

Maryland and an inscription to this effect: "Maryland's tribute to her dead heroes. Erected by members of the Maryland Historical Society in memory of the soldiers of the Maryland Line. 1781-1892. Non omnis moriar." The committee, Messrs. Edward G. Daves, Bradley T. Johnson and W. Hall Harris, say: "The time has come when Maryland should pay some worthy tribute to the heroes who made her name il-lustrious in distant States. On our own soil it is easy to keep in mind the deeds of our ancestors, but other States should be taught to honor the men who fought for American liberty from Long Island to the Savannah river. The First Maryland was the finest regiment in that army of Gen. Greene which

saved the Carolinas and paved the way for the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown. It had served under Washington in his New Jersey campaigns, and when transferred to the South had gloriously routed Tarle ton's veterans at Cowpens. At Guil ford it again distinguished itself Of its Lieutenant-Colonel (Howard) Gen. Greene said: 'He deserves statue of gold, and its Major (An derson) fell on the field, where his body has mouldered into dust in a

forgotten grave."