

Celebrating the
175th Anniversary of the
New London Custom House



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Robert Mills Symposium

*A day-long celebration of
America's first federal architect,
Robert Mills, the designer of the
1833 New London Custom
House, & who is perhaps best-
known as the architect of the U.S.
National Washington Monument.*

*Registration- \$50 (lunch inc.)
Discounted registration - \$40 for
NLMS or NLL members (lunch inc.)*

Saturday, November 8, 2008
9:00 AM to 3:30 PM
New London, Connecticut

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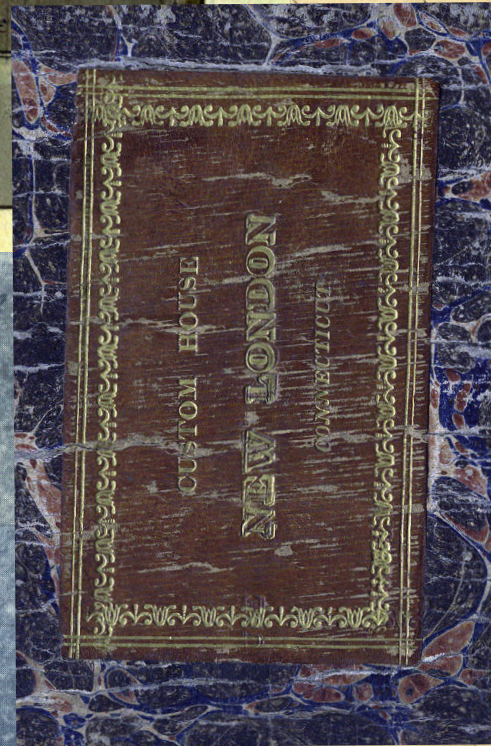


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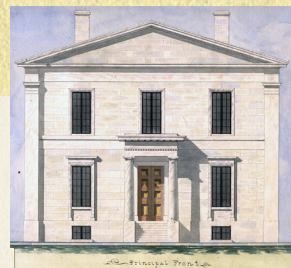
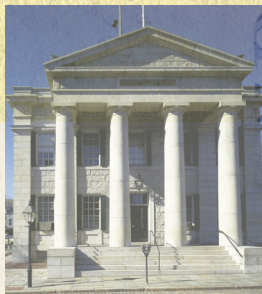
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CUSTOM HOUSE MARITIME MUSEUM
150 Bank Street
New London, Connecticut 06320



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ROBERT MILLS SYMPOSIUM

Saturday, November 8, 2008

9:00 - Registration & Coffee.

9:30 - Welcome, Benjamin Martin, AIA.

9:35 - New London Custom House, Greg Stone.

10:15 - Mills' Other Custom Houses Newburyport & New Bedford.

11:15 - The Federal Presence in Southeastern Connecticut, Christopher Wigren.

12 Noon - Lunch, Guided Tours of New London Custom House, & Robert Mills exhibition.

1:00 - America's First Architect: Robert Mills, John M. Bryan.

2:00 - Panel discussion on Mills, the federal style and issues of preservation moderated by Abigail A. Van Slyck.

3:00 - Questions & Comments.

3:30 - Conference end.

Featured Speakers

John M. Bryan, Hon. AIA, a noted architectural historian and art history professor emeritus at the University of South Carolina, is the author of *America's First Architect: Robert Mills*, Princeton Architectural Press, 2001.

Abigail A. Van Slyck, Dayton Professor of Art History, Chair, Department of Art History and Architectural Studies, Director, Architectural Studies Program, Connecticut College.

Greg Stone, a founder of the New London Maritime Society, is author of *The Day Paper: The Story of One of America's Last Independent Newspapers*, Day Pub. Co., 2000.

Christopher Wigren, Deputy Director, Connecticut Trust for Historic Preservation.

About the Custom House

The New London Maritime Society was formed in 1983 by concerned citizens looking to save New London's "jewel on the waterfront"—an 1833 Custom House designed by architect Robert Mills, designer of the U.S. National Washington Monument. The building is the oldest continuously-operating custom house in the country. This year the NLMS celebrates its 25th anniversary & the 175th anniversary of the New London Custom House.

Symposium Location

Custom House Maritime Museum

150 Bank Street, New London, CT 06320

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The registration fee is \$50 & includes morning coffee and a box lunch. Members of New London Landmarks and the New London Maritime Society are entitled to one discount registration each at \$40.

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