"Washington led his exhausted army her (Morristown. N. J.) in Jan., 1777 for winter enampment in the Loantoka Valley after the victories at Trenton and Princeton, He returned with his troops to pass the winter of 1779-80. The men were quartered in orude huts in Josckey Hollow, while Washington made the Ford House his headquarters. With his army's condition even worse than at Valley Forge, he established a quota system for levving supplies upon the counties. He wrote that the men sometimes went '5 or 6 days together withoud bread' and that at on time the soldiers ate every kind of horse food but hav' .

Count rulaski helped to maintain morale

by exercising his cavalry corps before the

Ford House. His special stunt was to fire his pis

tol while at full gallop, toss it into the air,

eath it and hurl it at an imaginary enemy

ahead, with one foot in the stirrup, and his

horse still galloping. Pulaski would then swing

to the ground and pick up the gun. Some of the

best Virginia horsemen suffered bad falls in attempts to duplicate this (New Jersey, P. 285. WPA, Federal Writers' Project.) Washington