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RIVER'S 9-FOOT CHANNEL

When: Tuesday, August 9th at 12 noon

Where: Rock Island Arsenal Golf Club on Arsenal Island

Cost: The cost for lunch is \$15 CHDF members; \$17 Non-members

RSVP: Mail check, payable to CDHF c/o Donald O'Shea, 3113 2nd St., Moline, IL 61265

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Reservations in advance are required. RSVP by August 5.

John C. Calhoun is best known for his views on the slavery, the tariff and state's rights, but underlying all, are his views on "Income Redistribution." Learn about former U.S. Senator John C. Calhoun from John Donald O'Shea at this Lunch & Learn program presented by the Colonel Davenport Historical Foundation (CDHF) on Tuesday, August 9th at 12 noon at the Arsenal Golf Club. Calhoun served in office when George Davenport was living in this area.

John C. Calhoun of South Carolina served our country as America's 10th Secretary of War during the Administration of President James Monroe, as America's 7th Vice President under John Quincy Adams and continuing under President Andrew Jackson, and as Secretary of State under John Tyler. He also served six years in the House of Representatives, beginning in 1811. Calhoun gained his greatest fame in the Senate of the United States where he served from 1832 until his death in 1850 (except during the two years he served as Secretary of State). In 1957, a Committee of the U. S. Senate named John C. Calhoun, with Daniel Webster, Henry Clay, Robert LaFollette, and Robert Taft as the five greatest American Senators.

Visitors, ages 16 and older, must show a U.S. photo I.D. at the entrance to the Island.

For more information on CDHF membership, volunteer opportunities, and the Colonel Davenport House, visit their website at www.davenporthouse.org.

About the CDHF

The Colonel Davenport Historical Foundation (CDHF) is a nonprofit volunteer group that works to preserve Colonel George Davenport's former home and share his story with the community. The Colonel Davenport House was built in 1833-1834 and is on the North end of Arsenal Island in the Quad Cities. Colonel Davenport was the first permanent white settler in the Quad Cities and was the first house built in the area. The house is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Foundation relies on volunteers to maintain and operate the house. It is open for tours from May through October. For more information, visit their website at www.davenporthouse.org.

MEDIA NOTE: All media must be escorted while on Arsenal Island.