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Up from the dim hills of the North,
Across the twilight skies,
Breasting the billowy evening wind,
A single wild crane flies.
With vows of silent poverty
It goes, a pilgrim gray,
And beats the air with weary wing
Along its lonesome way...
MRS. WILLIAM CUMMING STORY
Newly elected President General of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.
Mrs. William Cumming Story
President General

Mrs. William Cumming Story, the newly elected President General of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, is one of the earliest members of the society and is descended from distinguished ancestry. She has served at the head of large and important organizations. New York State has been honored but once before in the election of a woman to the high office of President General born in the State of New York. One of her first ancestors in America was Johannis de la Montague, who settled here in 1613; he married a de Forest and was the chief counsel under Governors Kief and Stuyvesant. He also was Governor of Fort Orange. Through his line Mrs. Story descends from many of the prominent Dutch families; Henry Townsend, Richard Platt, the Vermilyes, Gerrett Van Wagner, Domine Gideon Schaats, the Porters and the Van Vredenburgs. William J. Van Vredenburg, her great-grandfather on her maternal side, at the time the Revolutionary War began was a government surveyor and later became colonel. Mrs. Story is the only daughter of Frances Lupton Porter and Dr. James Hart Allen, son of Stephen Allen, formerly mayor of New York City. Through her father’s ancestry Samuel Taylor Coleridge, the poet, and Lord Chief Justice Coleridge descended. Through her mother she descends from Robert Porter of Effington, and Sir Robert Porter. Enos T. Throop, her great-uncle, was Governor of New York. She has held the following offices: State Regent of New York, State Treasurer, first New York State Director of the C. A. R., President of the New York City Federation of Women’s Clubs, Honorary President New York City Federation of Women’s Clubs, First Vice-President of the New York State Federation of Women’s Clubs, Vice-President Washington Headquarters Association, founded by the D. A. R., and is now honorary State Regent of New York; Vice-President of the National Society of Patriotic Women of America; Historian of the Washington Headquarters Association, D. A. R.; a mem-
Address of the President General, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott

At the Opening of the Twenty-Second Continental Congress, Daughters of the American Revolution, April 14, 1913

Like a spent swimmer who through the spray and mist at last begins to see faint but certain evidences of the distant shore line, so to-day, after four years devoted to the strenuous but interesting task of keeping my head, above tempestuous waves of patriotic discussion and political controversy, I at last begin to see ahead of me tranquil waters, a safe haven, and firm and familiar ground for my feet.

Whether or not, in the words of the Apostle to the Gentiles I have "fought a good fight" I leave for you to say; but that it has been a "continuous performance" and that I have done my feeble best, does not admit of discussion.

However, let no one carp at and criticize us because we are so deeply interested in our organization and what it stands for, that we are ready at any time to give visible and audible signs of our earnestness and devotion. I have no excuses to offer for the vigorous parliamentary contests, for the splendid political battles, for the eloquent wars of words that have been and are yet to be waged in this historic hall. In the words of Wendell Phillips, "If the Alps, piled in cold but silent sublimity be the emblems of despotism, let the ever-restless ocean be ours, which girt round with the eternal law of gravitation, is pure—only because 'tis never still."

Four years ago this month, I urged that the work and interest of this great organization be broadened out and deepened—that we recognize that our function, our opportunity and our duty as Daughters of the American Revolution lie as much with the present—aye, and with the future—of our beloved country, as with its historical past. I held then, and I hold now, that organizations like this, no matter how great they grow in numbers and resources of the mate-
rial sort, are safe from degeneration and decay, only so long as their intellectual and spiritual growth keeps pace with their material progress. I felt then, and I feel still more seriously and solemnly now, the trust from the great past.

As ambassadors from those fine, high-spirited Colonials of the eighteenth century, who gave this mighty republic to the world, for the hope of humanity; as the American fathers' envoys to the Twentieth Century, bearing their message to mankind, we Daughters live constantly, from year to year, from administration to administration, from generation to generation, taking a responsibility not to be lightly assumed, never to be cheapened by personal ambition, or dragged through petty degrading intrigues of faction—the mission of keeping fresh and vital, as a formative force and influence among the people, the precious Eighteenth Century evangel,—then new and startling,—of political equality, of religious freedom, and above all, in this Twentieth Century of the awakened American business conscience—the fathers' ideals of the future's social justice.

These were venturesome ambitions—theories of conduct,—the aspirations (honestly and sincerely entertained, it is true) of one only putting on the armour. How does the account stand to-day, with that plan of campaign, now that the full measure of time has been accomplished, when I must be putting the armour off?

Can it be wondered at, if I feel somewhat concerned as to the future of things begun? Loyal hands must keep the sacred ark of our covenant. Whoever may be our standard bearer, she will come as "with the strength of ten," if radiant in a clear purity of heart, and the simplicity of a single, high purpose she holds something bigger and richer in mind than the mechanics and politics of professional patriotism.

The country is still thrilling with the inaugural of our new President, with those words,—as he chose to express himself,—"not of exultation, but of dedication," which have filled every heart and mind from sea to sea of our broad continent with new hope and confidence and high resolve.

The distinguishing feature of the age in which we live, is the new and resistless social impulse which is reforming laws and institutions, and recreating our civilization upon a higher ethical plane than any thus far attained by the human race. This new impulse is being felt as the dominant force in the political world, it is giving its own comeliness to the world of literature and art, it is touching with the breath of a Divine beneficence the matter of fact material world of business and industry, and like Prometheus,—the ancient fire bringer,—has brought the beauty of holiness, the love of God and all the other consolations of religion, down from the cold cloud land of metaphysics, into the practical, pulsing everyday world, where actual men and women sin, suffer, and struggle slowly and painfully upward toward the light.

Responsive to the spirit of our age, our great National Society has felt the inspiration and quickening impulse of this new social spirit. Every year has seen our social activities broaden and our interest in the moral and social aspects of our varied and intensely practical Committee work, grow deeper and stronger. Any one who cares to hear the detailed story of our many sided sociological activities, need only attend our meeting this week and listen to the reports of the committees on "The Children of the Republic," "The Welfare of Women and Children," "The Preservation of Historic Spots and Records," "Conservation," and its sub-committee on the "Home Makers of America," and many other committees and sub-committees, that are doing a social work of which we are and have a right to be proud.

And yet do not misunderstand me, we are not ready to take the smug and self-satisfied attitude of those whose program is exhausted, whose inspiration has died out, and who henceforth are content to rest on laurels already won. We are still growing apace in body and in spirit. Truly we see behind us a record of splendid achievement, we see about us mighty works on every hand, but I exult especially in the fact that we look into the future with glad and expectant eyes,
that behold new and alluring vistas of patriotic endeavor stretching out before us, and new and radiant social visions yet to be attained.

Most of us are members, not only of our great patriotic Society, but of Women's Clubs, Churches, Missionary Societies, Y. W. C. A.'s, W. C. T. U.'s and other kindred organizations. We are working energetically and persistently, along with tens of thousands of other loyal women, and yet the results obtained are far from being all that we had hoped. There seems to be a lack of coordination on the part of these various and splendid agencies. And what is even worse, there seems to be no direct sympathetic connection between the organized groups of women, and the great unorganized throng of wives, mothers, daughters and sisters, who constitute the rank and file of the womanhood of this country.

If our women's organizations are ever to exert the influence they should exert, they must find a way to mold the opinions, engage the sympathies, and secure the active co-operation of that great body of women who, in the house and in the factory, without adequate leadership or guidance, do their thinking as best they can, and feel their difficult way honestly and eagerly, toward the truth that will make them free. In every great city the laboring men have their Federations of Labor and their Trades Councils, in which all their various organizations are represented. The consequence is that when they want to have a monster Mass Meeting to discuss some topic that is dear to their hearts, it is not difficult to call together thousands and tens of thousands of men from the most diverse trades and callings.

But whoever saw in a city a congress of representatives of all the women's clubs and organizations, Protestant and Catholic, patriotic, cultural and industrial? If such a Federation could be organized in every city in the United States, and if that central body would take upon itself the patriotic and civic leadership of the women of each municipality, a new and more intelligent woman's movements would result, a woman's public opinion could be developed, a woman's consciousness could be created, and a woman's program evolved, for solving those intricate and vital problems that women understand best, because they are affected by them, most keenly and intimately. Problems connected with the education of the young, the white slave question, and the labor of women and children are constantly coming to the front, and are being grappled with by the men to the best of their ability. But before these questions can be solved right, the women of this country will have to focus their minds and hearts upon them, lavishing upon them that whole-hearted absorption and devotion which to-day is devoted chiefly to the problems of personal adornment, nourishment and the conventional success of ourselves and those we love.

The time is past when good and intelligent women can continue to be individualists—in the crass and narrow way they have been in the past. The great doctrine of the social solidarity of the race applies to us as much as to our husbands, sons and brothers. We must cease to think in coteries and neighborhoods, and begin to think on a municipal scale, on a national scale, and in terms of God's slowly evolving world-wide humanity.

And yet while holding these views as a priceless possession, as you well know, I look with indifference upon the demand for "votes for women." I make no attempt to prophesy as to what our obligations and prerogatives may or may not be a century hence, but as I see it and feel it, the duty and privilege of this generation of women is, not to scatter their interest and attention upon the thousand and one political and social questions that are being pressed for solution by all sorts and conditions of politicians, but to concentrate upon those vital, complicated and delicate problems and issues with which they have, in the very nature of things, a special competence, and in which they are naturally and inevitably deeply concerned.

It is not enough to describe and analyze existing conditions. That is only a feeble beginning, a comparatively unimportant preliminary step, something that even men could do. What the world is
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waiting for is some one to show it a way out of its difficulties.

I would like to see every woman's club or other organization in the land devote its best emotional and mental energy from now on, to the systematic study and discussion of the grave problems of civilization, which affect most vitally the women and children of the land.

When we have these questions, and have a definite program of practical, constructive reform to bring forward and advocate, if we are right, we shall find it possible to get our plans carried out through the sole force of an aroused and irresistible public opinion.

We hear much about the political insight and wisdom of women. The best possible demonstration of that wisdom would be the mastery on our part, of the most pressing women's and children's problems of modern life. These questions are the most important that modern civilization has given rise to. If we are able to bring about satisfactory solutions for these—the great vital, human problems of civilization—our country will easily survive any blunders our men folk may make while tinkering with the tariff, regulating the trusts, patching up our grotesque currency system, or learning how to swagger around the planet, bullying smaller nations, with all the assurance and insolence, of a seasoned "world power."

The women's organizations in the United States should have a dozen or more of the ablest, most devoted and most highly trained social students of our sex working continuously on these questions, making a comparative study of the experience other nations have had trying to solve them. It is useless, costly and unintelligent of us to remake any blunders our men folk may make while tinkering with the tariff, regulating the trusts, patching up our grotesque currency system, or learning how to swagger around the planet, bullying smaller nations, with all the assurance and insolence, of a seasoned "world power."

Until the women of the country learn to carry on economic and social investigations systematically, continuously, and on a large scale, and to conduct a publicity campaign in favor of right principles and policies, we can hardly expect to exert that influence upon our own and future generations, to which our natural abilities would seem to entitle us. But if we will but take the pains to get right ourselves upon the great questions which come within our special province as women and mothers, and will then call into play some of that tact, diplomacy, power of speech and persistence, for which our sex has been noted for thousands of years, we can soon come to dominate the political, economic and social thinking of the country upon these questions, so that laws and institutions will be but clay in our hands, to be moulded into forms of moral beauty, and charged with a resistless and transforming spiritual power.

Truly as Thackeray has said, "women are like the beasts of the field—they do not know their own power." Their cry for the ballot, for opportunity, for honors and offices, is the most extraordinary social fact of our times. It indicates a blindness as to the real status of affairs that the student of mob psychology would do well to ponder over. It reveals a lack of that intuitive and practical insight into reality which has been one of the crowning glories of our sex for ages. I am convinced that it is one of the by-products of that over-emphasis which for a generation or more has been laid on the development and training of the conscious mind; and the consequent neglect of those primal instincts, those subtle intuitive powers of discernment, and those lightning flashes of unreasoned wisdom, which have enabled us from time immemorial to captivate, to confound and to circumvent the opposite sex, hampered as it is by hard and fast rules of logic, and those age long traditions and superstitions, concerning its "Gods of abstract justice," which no woman, no genius and no pragmatist ever hoped, or cared to understand.

Ladies, I believe we, the Daughters of the American Revolution, are doing our part and will gradually come to take an increasingly important role in the great woman's work to which I have referred so briefly and so sketchily to-day. And now for one personal word. I should be recreant to my deepest sense of justice if I should fail to convey to this
Congress the debt of gratitude I owe, first, to your National Officers, for their faithful and tireless devotion to the arduous and often-perplexing duties devolving upon them; to the National Board of Management—women who have conscientiously, and often at inconvenience, come from far and near to consult, to consider, discuss and settle questions of vital import to this Society; to my Chairmen of National Committees, and the women on these committees who have so ably co-operated with their Chairman; to our loyal and unwearied clerical force, upon whose intelligence and fidelity so much of our success has depended; to the wise and resolute co-operation of State Regents and State officers and, above all, to that splendid "esprit de corp" of the body of the daughters of the American Revolution whose support has made substantial achievement possible, in the face of difficulties that have sapped the vitality of your President General and have robbed her of the power to render you still more effective service. For four years I have borne your interests within my heart of hearts, "summer and winter, day and night," I have worn it like a "phylactory between my brows" all that I am and all that I have for four years has been yours.

Nor would I overlook the splendid achievements here at the centre—the noble rivalry among the states in making the furnishings and the fittings of our beautiful home in the National Capital, a casket worthy of the precious things for which it stands. The woman who broke her alabaster box of ointment and precious scents, was not reproved, nor shall we be, for making fine our Continental Hall, if we have done this, in the spirit of reverence for the storied past, and in a not less consecrated devotion to the winning, in the present and the future, humanity's battle for life, that shall be worth living—for the soul's life, and joy and uplifting to the higher things.

America, in this age long struggle, brought the world forward a great stride, through the work of the fathers of the Republic. Shall the wealth, and luxury, and commercialism, and politicians' craft, creep in now, and corrupt it all!

We have lifted our organization to the higher planes of large public ends. We have increased our membership—twenty-eight thousand, one hundred and eighty-eight within the four years of my incumbency. We have reduced our debt from one hundred and sixty-five thousand at the last Congress to one hundred and fifty thousand, and the Treasurer General is of the opinion that we have funds on hand to pay off at this Congress two more bonds of $5,000 each which would reduce the debt to one hundred and forty thousand dollars, with prospects of additional penny-a-day funds to make it still smaller. We have completed this marble monument to stand here in the nation's eye for all time. Can we ever allow our activities to decline in the public sight? No, we have far too much work of the most serious and absorbing kind cut out, and we are committed to it before the country and before our own consciences.

If for one moment we look back upon the work of the four years now going upon record, we can but be conscious that we, Daughters of the American Revolution, are indeed come as bearers of the message of true womanliness, with all that that word implies of beauty and tenderness and instinctive judgment between right and wrong—gifts finer than gold, frankincense and myrrh, for our great democracy—heir to all the ages of man's endeavor and aspirations.

In the museum room of Memorial Hall there is displayed a handsome and remarkably lifelike painting of the late Mrs. de B. Randolph Keim, a former honorary president general. Mrs. Keim was one of the earliest charter members of the society and for many years an organizer, a woman of fine executive ability and deeply interested in the historical work of the D. A. R. The painting will be presented to the society by Frederick D. Owen, her brother, who had the portrait painted for this purpose.
Review of the 22nd Continental Congress

Monday, April 14th, marked the opening of the Twenty-second Continental Congress of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution; the largest Congress in the history of the Society.

The auditorium was gay with flowers and great flags were draped on the stage and the boxes. At 11 o'clock in the morning, almost every seat was filled and as fast as the late-comers secured their credentials, the remaining seats were taken. Shortly after eleven a trumpet call brought every member to her feet as the President General, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, escorted by the pages, came down the main aisle and to the stage. Immediately upon her arrival on the stage Mrs. Scott, gavel in hand called the meeting to order, and after the singing of America the Chaplain General conducted the devotional exercises. Several messages of greeting were read by the Official Reader, Mrs. Swormstedt, together with notices of State meetings, and then the President General, extended her welcome to the Congress.

Mrs. Henry L. Mann, Chairman of the Credential Committee, presented the report of the Committee which, after a discussion, was accepted. A substitute motion was presented by Mrs. J. Morgan Smith, Honorary Vice-President General, from Alabama, as follows: "That the report of the Credential Committee with its roll-call of accredited delegates be accepted in all uncontested cases. And that a new Committee on Credentials be appointed to act in all contested cases and perform all other duties of a Credential Committee throughout the entire Congress. Said committee to consist of a chairman appointed by the President General and two members appointed by each candidate respectively for the office of President General." The motion was finally carried.

The report of the Vice-Chairman of the Program Committee, Mrs. Horace P. McIntosh, was, after some discussion, accepted, and at 1.20 it was voted to adjourn until 3 o'clock when the formal opening of the Congress was to take place. After the playing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" by the Marine Band, while the great silk flag with its thirteen stars was unfurled from the roof of the Auditorium, the President General called the meeting to order and introduced the President of the United States, Woodrow Wilson, who extended his greeting to the Daughters of the American Revolution in a brief but very interesting address. Following this was an able address by the Secretary of State, William Jennings Bryan, and short talks were given by M. Jusserand, the Ambassador of France; Dr. McKim, President of the District Sons of the Revolution, and Col. Niffen, President of the District Sons of the American Revolution. The President General's address to the Congress, published elsewhere, was enthusiastically received. After Dr. Wallace Radcliffe pronounced the benediction, Congress adjourned.

In the evening from 9 to 11 the President General with the National Board of Management received on the stage of the auditorium. It was a brilliant event and the long line of guests was unbroken for more than two hours.

On Tuesday morning the meeting was opened with devotional exercises by the Rev. James Shera Montgomery, and after the reading of the minutes of the preceding day the President General announced the Committee on Resolutions, with Mrs. George A. Lawrence, of Illinois, as Chairman, and the Committee on Recommendations of National Officers, with Mrs. Robert S. Robertson, of Indiana, as Chairman. The Vice-President General from Indiana, Mrs. Fowler, took the chair while the President General read her report as Chairman of the National Board of Management.

Mr. Gifford Pinchot, who was to have addressed the Congress on Thursday afternoon according to the program,
spoke Tuesday morning instead and his interesting talk on Conservation was much enjoyed.

The President General's appointment of Mrs. James M. Fowler, of Indiana, as Chairman of the New Credential Committee, with the request that each of the candidates for President General send two appointments was read, and the appointments were read later as follows:

- by Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. J. Morgan Smith and Mrs. James P. Brayton;
- by Mrs. Story, Miss Florence Finch and Miss Grace Pierce;
- by Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Samuel Kramer and Mrs. John Hanley.

Reports were read by Mrs. Henry L. Mann, Vice-President General in charge of Organization of Chapters; Miss Elizabeth F. Pierce, Chaplain General; Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, Recording Secretary General; Mrs. William F. Dennis, Corresponding Secretary General; Mrs. G. M. Brumbaugh, Registrar General; Mrs. William D. Hoover, Treasurer-General; Mrs. Allen P. Perley, Chairman of the Auditing Committee; Miss Amaryllis Gillett, Chairman of the Finance Committee; Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett, Historian General, and Miss Gillett, Librarian General. All reports were listened to with interest and that of the Treasurer General gave proof of Mrs. Hoover's statement previous to the reading of the report by the Official Reader, that it recorded the most prosperous year, financially, the Society had ever known. Mrs. Bassett's report, by a motion which was seconded and carried, will be printed and a copy sent to each chapter.

The afternoon session was brief. The Children of the American Revolution of Shreveport, La., presented the President General with a spoon which has been adopted by the Board of the C. A. R. as official.

After her acceptance of the gift, the President General announced that she had received a request from Mrs. Philip N. Moore, former President of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, to appoint five women from each State to represent the Daughters of the American Revolution at the Peace Congress to be held in St. Louis, Mo., on May 1, 2 and 3, and she asked that each State Regent appoint five ladies for this purpose, sending the names to Mrs. Moore, 510 Locust street, St. Louis. On account of the illness of Mrs. Henry S. Bowron, Mrs. Bertha M. Robbins, of the District of Columbia, presented for Mrs. Bowron, Chairman, the financial report of the Interchangeable Bureau of Lectures and Slides.

Mrs. John F. Swift, of California, presented a notice from the Panama-Pacific Exposition to be held in San Francisco, 1915, authorizing Mrs. Swift to represent the Exposition and to invite the Daughters of the American Revolution to hold their Congress in San Francisco that year. Mrs. Swift stated that while she knew the Congress could not be held there, she suggested that an adjourned meeting be held there at that time, and extended a most cordial invitation to all Daughters to visit San Francisco in 1915.

The President General presented her report as Chairman of the Continental Hall Committee, which was accepted with much enthusiasm.

Mrs. Willard T. Block presented her report as Chairman of the Liquidation and Endowment Fund Committee, and Mrs. Fowler, Chairman of the Penny-a-Day Committee, also reported and gifts of money were then presented by individuals and States. At the request of Mrs. Block, Mrs. Frank R. MacMullin, of Chicago, Ill., presented an Honor Book for the names of subscribers to the Liquidation and Endowment Fund, in which names may be enrolled for the sum of $10 and upwards.

After the President General had accepted the book and expressed her desire to have her name enrolled, a telegram was read announcing the death of the mother of Mrs. John W. Foster, Honorary President General, and Congress rose in expression of sympathy.

At 8.40 in the evening Congress was called to order by the Vice-President General from Nebraska, Mrs. Andrew K. Gault.

There was a general air of interested expectancy as it was the time chosen for the nomination of candidates.

Mrs. Kendall, of Maine, nominated Mrs. John Miller Horton, of Buffalo, N. Y., for the office of President Gen-
The nomination was seconded by Mrs. Craigie, of Buffalo; Mrs. Truesdall, of Ohio; Mrs. Walker, of Missouri, and Mrs. Peel, of Georgia.

Mrs. William Cumming Story, of New York, was nominated by Mrs. Willard S. Augsbur, State Regent of New York, for the office of President General and those who seconded the nomination were Mrs. Buel, State Regent of Connecticut; Mrs. Dunning, State Regent of Massachusetts; Mrs. Dearborn, State Regent of New Hampshire and Mrs. Smallwood, of the District of Columbia.

Mrs. Charles B. Bryan, of Memphis, Tenn., was nominated for the office of President General by Mrs. J. Morgan Smith, Honorary Vice-President General from Alabama. Seconding were Mrs. A. F. Fox, State Regent of Mississippi; Mrs. Polk, of Tennessee; Mrs. Bradley, for New York City Chapter, and Mrs. Henry M. Thompson, Assistant Historian General.

For Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters: Mrs. Lyman B. Swormstedt, of the District of Columbia, nominated Mrs. Henry L. Mann, of District of Columbia, and Mrs. Careington, of Virginia, nominated Mrs. William A. Smoot, of Virginia. Nominations for Vice-Presidents General were as follows: Mrs. Thomas Kite, of Ohio, by Mrs. Truesdall, of Ohio; Mrs. John Van Landingham, of North Carolina, by Mrs. Gregory, of North Carolina; Mrs. R. H. Cunningham, of Kentucky, by Mrs. Thompson, of Kentucky; Mrs. Rhett Goode, of Alabama, by Miss Allen, of Alabama; Mrs. John F. Swift, of California, by Mrs. Chapman, of California; Mrs. Allen Putnam Perley, of Pennsylvania, by Mrs. Bassett, of Maryland; Mrs. Ben F. Gray, Jr., of Missouri, by Mrs. J. H. Brookmire, of Missouri; Mrs. Thomas Day, of Tennessee, by Mrs. John R. Walker, of Missouri; Miss Sophie Waples, of Delaware, by Mrs. Hall, of Delaware; Miss Harriet I. Lake, of Iowa, by Mrs. Howell, of Iowa; Miss Mary Wilcox, of the District of Columbia, by Mrs. Smallwood, of the District of Columbia; Mrs. J. D. Iglehart, of Maryland, by Mrs. Sterling, of Maryland; Mrs. John Lee Dinwiddie, of Indiana, by Mrs. James M. Fowler, of Indiana; Mrs. John C. Ames, of Illinois, by Mrs. Lawrence, of Illinois, to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. La Verne Noyes. For Chaplain General: Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, of the District of Columbia, by Miss Virginia Miller, also of the District; Miss Elisabeth F. Pierce, of Massachusetts, by Mrs. Endicott, of Massachusetts. For Recording Secretary General: Mrs. Horace P. McIntosh, of the District of Columbia, by Mrs. Robertson, of Indiana; Mrs. William C. Boyle, of Ohio, by Mrs. Lockwood, of the District of Columbia.

For Corresponding Secretary General: Mrs. J. C. Burrows, of Michigan, by Mrs. Dingley, of Michigan; Mrs. William F. Dennis, of Kentucky, by Mrs. Thompson, of Kentucky.


For Assistant Historian General: Mrs. Edward Orton, Jr., of Ohio, by Mrs. Hamilton, of Ohio, and Mrs. Edgar A. Ross, of Georgia, by Mrs. Roberts, of New York.


For Honorary Vice-Presidents General: Mrs. Theodore C. Bates, of Massachusetts, by Mrs. Charles H. Bond, of that State, and Mrs. Erastus Gaylord Putnam, of New Jersey, by Mrs. Libbey, of New Jersey.

For Editor of the American Monthly Magazine: Miss Eliza Olver Den-

While the nominations were in order, the Chair introduced Mrs. Daniel Manning, Honorary President General, who after being accorded an enthusiastic welcome, spoke a few words of greeting to the Congress.

The election judges were announced and plans for voting discussed.

The Congress was called to order on Wednesday morning, with Mrs. Charles F. Johnson, Vice-President General from Maine, in the Chair. The singing of America was followed by devotional exercises conducted by the Rev. Donald McLeod.

Mrs. Perley took the chair and after the reading of several notices by the Official Reader, the minutes of Tuesday were read and adopted with one or two slight corrections.

The Treasurer General announced that the contribution to Memorial Continental Hall, received at this Congress were $9,500 and that instead of taking up three bonds, as she had asked she would now take up five, reducing our indebtedness to $125,000.

Mrs. James M. Fowler, of Indiana, presented the beautiful memorial tablet placed in the President-General's room in honor of our first President General, Mrs. Caroline Scott Harrison, and the plaster cast of this tablet was unveiled. The President General accepted the gift for the National Society, and Mrs. James R. McKee, daughter of Mrs. Harrison, expressed her pleasure at this tribute to her mother's memory.

Mrs. Fowler announced that the sculptor, Mr. Hans Schuler, desired to present the plaster cast to Indiana. This was accepted by Mrs. Cullop, State Vice-Regent of Indiana. The State Regent of Indiana, Mrs. Robertson, owing to the absence of the chairman of the Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial Committee, Mrs. John Lee Dinwiddie, presented to the National Society the further memorial to Mrs. Harrison of a scholarship and this was accepted by the President General, who suggested that this scholarship be given to the descendant of a Revolutionary Soldier in the School of Miss Berry at Rome, Georgia.

The voting by States began at 10.35, the Official Reader calling them in the order in which they must vote.

Mrs. Daniel C. Lathrop, founder of the Society of the Children of the American Revolution, addressed the Society on the work of the C. A. R. State reports were received from Wyoming, Mrs. F. W. Mondell; Wisconsin, Mrs. Van Ostrand; West Virginia, Mrs. De Bolt; Washington, Mrs. Wallace; Virginia, Mrs. McCue; Vermont, Mrs. De Boer; Texas, Mrs. Hyman; Tennessee, Mrs. Spencer; Thirty-ninth Star Chapter, South Dakota, read by the Official Reader; South Carolina, Mrs. Mayes; the Philippines, Mrs. McWilliams; Oklahoma, Mrs. Enloe, Jr.; Ohio, Mrs. Kite; North Carolina, Mrs. Reynolds, and from New Jersey, Mrs. Yardley.

In connection with the Virginia State report the presentation was made by Mrs. Purcell of a portrait of Francis Lightfoot Lee, a Signer of the Declaration of Independence and a distinguished Virginian.

In the afternoon, in connection with the Pennsylvania State report, read by Miss Overton, Miss Sarah Gable presented in behalf of the Berks County Chapter a chair for the platform as a memorial to Mrs. De B. Randolph Keim, Honorary Vice-President General.

Mrs. Libbey, Chairman of the Revolutionary Relics Committee, presented her report, and Mrs. Weems Ridout, of Annapolis, Md., presented a motion in regard to a Christmas seal whereby the debt on Memorial Continental Hall might be reduced. After some discussion the motion was laid on the table.

Mrs. Ben F. Gray, Jr., of Missouri, presented the report of her State.

Mrs. Augsbury, the State Regent of New York, submitted her report but did not read it, taking the time to make two presentations. The first was an autograph letter of Dolly Madison, given by the Women of '76 Chapter, to be placed in the New York room. She then presented a chair for the platform in honor of the Honorary President General,
Mrs. Manning. The report of the State Regent of Mississippi, Mrs. A. F. Fox, was presented and when Mrs. Fox told of the illness of the Honorary Vice-President General, Mrs. Egbert Jones, children's Bureau, was then introduced and spoke briefly and well on the great work of the Bureau. Miss Ida Louise Gibbs, of Massachusetts, spoke on the subject of the flag, and then Mrs. Ida Vose

it was moved that a message of love and sympathy be sent.

Reports were also read by the State Regent of Michigan, Mrs. Maxwell; of Maryland, Mrs. Robert G. Hogan, and of Louisiana, Mrs. Peter Youree.

The Chair announced at 5:45 that the House would not adjourn but that there would be no further business until the evening program at 8 o'clock except that the voting by States would continue.

The evening session was called to order at 8:20 with Mrs. Ben F. Gray, Jr., in the Chair. After a short musical program, the President General introduced Mrs. J. M. Dickinson, who made her report as Chairman of the Committee to Prevent Desecration of the Flag. Miss Julia C. Lathrop, head of the Child-
brought many contributions to her schools as well as to that at Hindman. Mrs. Woodbury announced that she had received enough money to furnish the teachers' reception room in the new dormitory at Grand View, Tenn., and she would like to move that this room be called the Scott Dormitory. Mrs. Hodgkins seconded this motion and at the suggestion of Mrs. Wood, of New York, the whole Congress rose to second the motion.

The singing of State songs, patriotic songs and well-known favorites of earlier days, together with more quaint stories by Mrs. Woodbury, made the evening a memorable one. The entire Congress gave the Salute to the tiny flag shown by Mrs. Woodbury, the work of one who had never seen the Stars and Stripes and manufactured her conception of our banner with the best material at hand.

A rising vote of thanks was given to the Treasurer General for her efficient work and it was moved that Mrs. Woodbury be given a vote of thanks for "bringing the spirit of good will which she has. In this moment of extreme tension she has made us forget that there is North, or East, or South, or West or anything but a great-hearted woman." The motion put by Mrs. Erwin, of North Carolina, was unanimously carried. At 12.45 Mrs. George T. Guernsey, Chairman of Election Judges, presented her report showing the following result:

For office of President General, no election. For Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, Mrs. Henry L. Mann; for Chaplain General, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood; for Recording Secretary General, Mrs. William C. Boyle; Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. J. C. Burrows; for office of Registrar General, Mrs. Gaius M. Brumbaugh; Treasurer General, Mrs. Joseph E. Randsell; Historian General, Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett; Assistant Historian General, Mrs. Edward Orton, Jr.; Librarian General, Mrs. George M. Sternberg; three Vice-Presidents General were elected: Mrs. John Van Landingham, Mrs. R. H. Cunningham, and Mrs. Thomas Day, and Mrs. John C. Ames to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. La Verne Noyes. Two Honorary Vice-Presidents General elected: Mrs. Theodore C. Bates and Mrs. E. Gaylord Putnam. Editor of the Magazine elected, Miss Eliza O. Denniston.

The Chair stated that voting would be resumed in the morning as soon as the Congress decided at what hour.

The Congress adjourned at 12.55 A. M.

The President General called the meeting to order at 10.20 on Thursday morning and the Devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. Randolph McKim.

The reading of the minutes was followed by greetings from the President of the United Daughters of the Confederacy to the Congress, presented by Mrs. Norton, of Nebraska, and some announcements regarding the election. Mrs. Swormstedt then read her report as Chairman of the Magazine Committee. Before making her report, Mrs. Swormstedt announced the awards for the contest in securing the largest number of subscriptions, in accordance with the plan published in the Magazine as follows: Class A., Connecticut; Class B., Colorado; Class C., Maryland; Class D., Montana; Class E., Idaho.

After presenting her report, Mrs. Swormstedt moved that it be accepted with its two recommendations. The first, "That the Chairman of the incoming Magazine Committee be instructed to arrange a new contract in November on the best possible terms, subject to the approval of the Auditor and the Executive Committee."

Before this recommendation was acted upon, Mrs. Fowler, of the Supplemental Credential Committee, made her report, which was accepted, and Mrs. Guernsey announced that unless there were nominations or withdrawals the machines were ready for voting. Some discussion on the order of voting followed and then Mrs. Swormstedt's recommendation was carried. The second recommendation, "That we change the name of our publication to the 'D. A. R. Magazine,'" was not discussed at that time.

The Treasurer General then announced that five bonds, $25,000, were
paid off and the cancelled notes were on the table.

Mrs. Block reported $457.95 received since her report and Miss Overton, of Pennsylvania, stated that $673 turned in had not yet been reported.

Mrs. Robertson presented her report as Chairman of the Committee of Recommendations of National Officers, and Mrs. J. Morgan Smith presented her report as Chairman of the Committee on the Revision of the Constitution and By-Laws.

The State Regent of Georgia, Mrs. Foster, before reading her report, presented a bronze bas-relief as a part of the Emily Park Hendree Memorial in the Library.

State reports were read by Mrs. Goode, of Alabama; Miss Anna Cunningham, of Delaware; from Arkansas by the State Vice-Regent, Mrs. Wassell, and Mrs. Robertson, of Indiana. In the afternoon, the Vice-President General from Michigan, Mrs. Brayton, was in the Chair. State Regents' reports were the order of the day and the State Regent of the District of Columbia, Mrs. Lockwood, gave her time to Mrs. Sternberg, who presented a chair for the platform in honor of Mrs. Fairbanks, Honorary President General.

Mrs. Lawrence, of Illinois, reported for her State; Mrs. Squires, of Minnesota, for hers, and in connection with this report, Mrs. Schoonmaker presented $50 which had been raised by her delegation for a Mary S. Squires scholarship in the school at Grand View. Mrs. William H. Thompson, of Kentucky, presented her report and Mrs. Freeman H. Rogers, of Colorado, followed.

In the evening, the Chairman of the Franco-American Committee, Mrs. John Miller Horton, presented her report, after which Madame Carlo Polifame and Count de Chambrun, a descendant of La Fayette, addressed the Congress. Mrs. J. Charles Linthicum, of Maryland, presented a silver service to the President General in behalf of many friends, and Miss Violet Foster, in behalf of the pages, personal pages of the President General presented a silver bottle of smelling salts. The State Regent of Kentucky presented a silver tray as a tribute from her State.

It was announced for Mrs. Block, that $12,081.41 had been collected and paid to the Treasurer General for the Liquidation and Penny-a-Day Fund. At 9 o'clock the polls were declared closed and an illustrated lecture on The Marquise de LaFayette was given by Miss Lida Rose McCabe. At 10.30 Mrs. Guernsey announced that there was no election and made her report.

On Friday morning the devotional exercises were conducted by Dr. John Van Schaik, Jr., and immediately following the prayer, Mrs. Bryan addressed the Congress and withdrew her name as candidate for President General. The President General then asked if there were any further nominations and it was then voted that nominations be closed.

After the reading of the minutes several motions were presented and carried and Mrs. Edward Orton, Jr., presented her report as Chairman of the Committee on Welfare of Women and Children. Mrs. Libbey announced the receipt of a gift from Mrs. George Fowler, of Massachusetts, of the Muster Roll of Abraham Monroe. The President General read a letter from the Secretary of the Navy in regard to the same subject as that already received from the Secretary of War, namely, asking the co-operation of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the collection of revolutionary records, and it was voted that a committee be appointed to co-operate in this work.

The Assistant Historian General, Mrs. Thompson, was introduced by the President General and presented her report and a recess was voted until 3 o'clock.

In the afternoon, Mrs. Charles W. Bassett presented for the Baltimore Chapter, Maryland, 3 volumes of unpublished Revolutionary Records of Maryland and read resolutions endorsing the centenary of the Star Spangled Banner to be held in Baltimore in 1914. Mrs. Mayes, of South Carolina, presented for the Henry Laurens Chapter, 2 volumes of "Women of the Revolution" for the Library. Mrs. Brumbaugh, for Livingston Manor Chapter
of the District, presented to the Library a volume of Chapter papers on Historic Churches of the 13 Colonies and later churches of Washington.

Mrs. Sherwood, of Michigan, asked that Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth come forward that the Congress might give her a rising vote of appreciation for her part in organizing such a wonderful institution as this Society.

The pages marched to the stage and, in their behalf, Miss Heth, presented a silver vase together with the autographs of all the pages to the President General, who expressed her appreciation of this beautiful tribute.

Miss Heth also presented personally pieces of cut glass and china from Mt. Vernon, which had been used by George Washington.

On motion of Mrs. J. Charles Linthicum, of Maryland, Mrs. Scott was made Honorary President General.

State reports were received from Iowa, Mrs. Howell; Florida, Miss Thorpe; Connecticut, Mrs. Buel; California, Mrs. Chapman; New Mexico, Mrs. Prince; Maine, Mrs. Morse; Rhode Island, Mrs. Calder. Miss Marie Bain, of Kentucky, presented Mrs. Gregory, Chairman of the Page Committee, with a photograph of the President General in a silver frame, in behalf of the pages.

In the name of the Havana Chapter, Cuba, Mrs. Morse, of Maine, presented a memorial to the heroes of the battleship Maine to be placed in the Maine room.

The Secretary of the District S. A. R. read resolutions opposing the carrying of the Liberty Bell to the Panama-Pacific Exposition and endorsing the carrying of a replica. These resolutions were adopted.

At 5.30 the election judges presented the following report:

Mrs. Story, 600; Mrs. Horton, 499, and the seven Vice-Presidents General necessary to complete the list were as follows: Mrs. Thomas Kite, of Ohio; Mrs. Rhett Goode, of Alabama; Mrs. John Swift, of California; Mrs. Allen P. Perley, of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Ben F. Gray, Jr., of Missouri; Miss Harriet I. Lake, of Iowa, and Mr. John Lee Dinwiddie, of Indiana.

After the tumultuous applause that greeted the announcement of the election, Mrs. Story was escorted to the stage and presented as the new President General by Mrs. Scott, who then presented each of the newly elected officers, and Congress then adjourned until evening.

Reports of the National Committees were the order of the evening.

Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, Chairman of the Committee on Patriotic Education, presented her report.

Mrs. Henry S. Bowron's report as Chairman of the Committee on the Interchangeable Bureau of Lectures and Slides, was read by Mrs. Robbins. Mrs. W. B. Néff, Chairman of the Committee on Conservation of the Home, gave her report, and Mrs. Martha Gielow, of the Southern Educational Association, spoke of efforts to educate people in the Appalachian Mountains region. Mrs. Martha L. H. Hicks reported the work of the Children of the Republic as Chairman of the Committee, and Mrs. J. A. Enslow, Jr., National Charity Officer, gave a talk on her work. Mrs.
Luther Derwent, Chairman of the Committee on Preservation of Historic Spots, reported the work of her committee, and Mrs. William A. Smoot that of the Committee on the Memorial Highway to Mt. Vernon.

When Mrs. Story arrived she was warmly received and made a short, well-worded address.

Miss Bertha Frances Wolfe, of the District, presented the President General with a silver bowl of Colonial design in behalf of some of the retiring officer's friends.

After Congress adjourned a large and beautifully arranged banquet was given in honor of Mrs. Story at the New Willard Hotel.

On Saturday morning there was a general desire to get through the business quickly, for the week had been a hard one. After devotional exercises by the Rev. Samuel Green, the minutes were read and approved. Mrs. Scott made a brief address, thanking the delegates for their support during the Congress. Mrs. Story spoke in behalf of the Daughters of Massachusetts, who loaned to Memorial Continental Hall a cane made of wood from the Alliance, one of John Paul Jones' fleet. The Editor of the Magazine read her report, and a long discussion was held in regard to the proposed change of the name of the official organ. Finally, it was decided to change the title from the American Monthly Magazine to The Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine.

The Committee on Building and Grounds reported that a tract of ground north of the Hall can be bought for $26,000. No action was taken.

Mrs. Story was made Chairman of the Continental Hall Committee on the motion of Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. Ames presented Mrs. Scott with a large silver tray in behalf of Mrs. Joseph Thropp, of the District of Columbia.

Several markers for Revolutionary soldiers' graves were presented for adoption as National markers, but nothing was done in regard to them.

When all new business was concluded a motion was made to adjourn, and after closing the Twenty-second Continental Congress, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, the much beloved retiring President General, handed the gavel to the newly elected President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story.

CONGRESS NOTES

President and Mrs. Wilson received the Daughters at the White House on Thursday afternoon.

One of the important social events of the Congress was the reception given by Manhattan Chapter of New York City to Mrs. William Cumming Story at the New Willard Hotel on Tuesday afternoon.

Countess Spotiswood-Machin gave a large reception to the Daughters in honor of Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Horton at the Brighton apartments on Friday afternoon.

One of the interesting members of the Congress was Miss Mary M. Murfree of Col. Hardee Murfree Chapter of Tennessee, who is state regent of the Tennessee and organizer and first regent of the Murfreesboro Chapter. Miss Murfree is better known to the reading world as Charles Egbert Craddock, the author of stories of the Tennessee mountains.

On Tuesday a large floral tribute was placed on the stage by the Chicago Chapter in honor of the late Mrs. La Verne Noyes, Vice-President General from Illinois.

Interesting musical programs have been arranged for every session of the Congress by Mrs. Noble Potts of the District, chairman of the Music Committee. Miss Helen Chance of Pennsylvania and Mrs. Barnard of the District were also favorites. Mrs. Louis E. Yager of Illinois sang several times. Mrs. Yager, who sang the State song "Illinois" when Mrs. Scott was first elected, was invited by the President General to sing it Thursday.

The new State song of Alabama, sung by Mrs. Bertha Lincoln Huestis, was the composition of two Alabamians now living in Washington. Miss J. H. Etheridge wrote the verse and Harry C. Armstrong the music.
Work of the Chapters

Lone Tree Chapter (Greensburg, Indiana).—Under the able leadership of our regent, Miss Emma Donnell, the meetings of our chapter were resumed on the first Monday in October.

Much interest has been shown by the large attendance of members, and the well prepared programs, which have been, mainly, upon subjects relating to the “New England States.” Other programs relate to “Colonial Industries” and “Conservation.”

The members decided to give up our usual custom of entertaining “guests” on Washington’s Birthday, and, instead, add to the contribution of Memorial Continental Hall Fund.

We have contributed, also, to the “Education of Children of Southern Mountaineers.”

We secured ten volumes of the “Lineage Books” and placed them in the Carnegie Library.

On the afternoon of February 22d Mrs. Fogg most delightfully entertained the members and a few guests with a “Colonial Tea,” which was beautiful in all the appointments.

The members are looking forward to Flag Day, when we will join, with the members of Lucretia Mott Green Chapter of Shelbyville, Ind., in an outing at St. Paul, the half-way place between the two cities.—Vessie Riley, Corresponding Secretary.

Abigail Webster Chapter (Franklin N. H.).—The boulder, which was placed over the graves of Ebenezer and Abigail Webster, the parents of Daniel Webster, by Abigail Webster Chapter, was dedicated on October 25, 1912. Mrs. Nannie Burleigh, regent of the chapter presided. Rev. H. C. McDougall, pastor of the Unitarian Church of Franklin, offered the opening prayer. The boys’ chorus from the Orphans’ Home at Webster Place sang “America.” This was followed by a brief historical sketch of the work in connection with securing the boulder by Miss Anna Blodgett.

Mrs. Ursula Stevens, whose death occurred last year, was the promoter of the project. After her death, Abigail Webster Chapter of Franklin took up the work and obtained the beautiful quartz boulder from Mr. Frank Proc- tor, who had recently discovered it on a hill overlooking Webster Place.

The State Regent, Mrs. J. Henry Dearborn, of Suncook, and the Vice-regent, Mrs. C. C. Goss, of Dover, spoke in connection with the dedication. Mr. O. A. Towne, secretary and clerk of the Webster Birthplace Association, gave the principal address of the occasion.

Mrs. F. H. Daniell read a letter from Miss Kate Sanborn, one of the Webster kinsfolk.

The Orphans’ Home boys then sang “To My Country,” this being followed by a benediction pronounced by Rev. R. P. Gardner.

The inscription is as follows: In memory of Ebenezer and Abigail Webster Chapter D. A. R. 1912.

Previous to this, plain slate slabs have marked the graves of the parents of Daniel Webster.

Fairfax County (Vienna, Va.).—The Fairfax County Chapter has had an interesting year of work. For several years it has been the aim of the Chapter to mark the site of the old Potomac Canal at Great Falls, Va., for a tribute to Washington as a man of peace. A handsome bronze tablet, placed on a boulder at that place, was unveiled with befitting ceremonies on April 20, 1912. Mrs. Joseph E. Berry of the Chapter read a paper on the history of the canal and addresses were made by Representative W. A. Roddenbery of Georgia, Mrs. James G. Dunning, State Regent of Mass., and Mrs. Cora Bacon Foster, who is well versed on the local colonial history. Mrs. George E. King, the
Chapter Regent, formally presented the tablet to the State organization and it was gracefully received by the State Regent, Mrs. Samuel W. Jamison. This tablet is placed in a conspicuous place where it can be viewed by the thousands of tourists who visit the Great Falls as one of the interesting sights around Washington City.

At the annual election of officers Mrs. William S. Smoot was made Regent of the Chapter and through her efforts the membership has extended—increasing from forty to fifty, thereby giving us a second delegate to Congress.

Through her suggestion also the Chapter has undertaken to raise money for a loan scholarship to the State Female Normal School at Farmville, Va. It will be called the Caroline Sherman Scholarship as a tribute to Mrs. Caroline Alford Sherman for the splendid work she has done in organizing and carrying out the patriotic and educational contest in the Fairfax County public schools. This contest has assumed large proportions. This year a new medal, called the "Franklin Williams Medal," is offered by Mrs. Franklin Williams to the junior department, making three handsome medals and about forty prizes which we award each year. About three hundred papers are sent in from the contestants.

Among other donations the Chapter placed a beautiful old etching of historic Pohick Church in the Virginia room at Continental Hall. This was framed and given by Mrs. Smoot.

The historical program arranged in a year book by the Historian has been of interest and profit to the members.—Mrs. Kate Strong Summy, Historian.

The Washington Heights Chapter (New York, N. Y.).—The Chapter was organized in 1897 and has increased, at present date, to ninety members. We have had a most successful year, financially and socially, with enthusiastic attendance at business meetings.

Some honors have come to the Chapter. The Regent, Mrs. Samuel J. Kramer, has been appointed to the National Printing Committee and, likewise, the one on Music.

The Historian has been assigned to the National Committee on Research and
Preservation of Historic Spots and to membership on the State Magazine Committee.

To celebrate Flag Day a framed picture of Francis Scott Key was presented by the Chapter to Public School No. 5, Edgecombe Avenue and 141st Street, and a donation of three dollars was sent to the Francis Scott Key Memorial Association.

Ten dollars has been contributed to the cause of the destitute Appalachians and a large flag sent to a school in North Carolina.

Other donations have been, the Lenox Hill Settlement (this city), $40; the Bowery Mission, $10; the Mary Bot tomee Club, $10; the Neighborhood Club, $10; the Mrs. S. V. White memorial, $5; the preservation of Poe cottage, $5; with minor contributions to the Mary Desha memorial, the Bust of Real Daughter, etc.

The Chapter has been interested since 1903 in the work of building up a museum in Washington Headquarters (the old Jumel mansion), Edgecombe Avenue and 160th Street.

The Regent, Mrs. Kramer, founded the Washington Headquarters’ Association at the date mentioned, and was its acting president for six years.

The past year the Chapter has been working most patriotically for the preservation, by the municipal authorities, of the Alexander Hamilton Grange, Con vent Avenue and 141st Street. This house was built by our government's first Secretary of the Treasury for a country residence, and from its steps he went the last time to engage in that tragic duel which took place on the west shore of the Hudson River.

During the last year the Mayor of New York has appointed the Regent of the Chapter a Commissioner on the Board of Education.—Penelope T. Tuttle, Historian.

Walter Burdick Chapter (Marshall, Ill.)—The year just passed has been a very pleasant and profitable one for our Chapter. Our meetings are held the first Monday in each month and some interesting papers have been read by members of the Chapter. On February 22d of last year we had a Washington birthday luncheon at the home of our Regent, Mrs. W. R. Truman, which was greatly enjoyed by all. This year we have banded the Postal Telegraph poles with the national colors through Clark County to the Indiana State line to mark the Cumberland trail. The Chapter has also located the graves of five Revolutionary soldiers and have placed markers at two. We have taken in four new members and have the papers made out for two more. Although our Chapter is yet small it is steadily growing and the spirit of patriotism shown in love of country, loyalty to the flag, and all that it stands for, abides with the Daughters of Walter Burdick Chapter. — Grace Archer Davis, Historian.

The Bellefontaine Chapter (Bellefontaine, O.) was organized June 14, 1910, at the home of Miss Mary Powell, who, at the first election, was unanimously voted Regent.

During the three years of our existence our membership has slowly increased until we now number thirty-five.

We have been quite active in many ways, among other things giving several delightful social functions. Each year we observe Flag Day by holding a rally at the home of our Regent and rendering a patriotic program.

Other historical anniversaries have been suitably recognized, as for instance the Martha Washington reception given on the 22d of February of this year. We entertained the women’s clubs of the city upon this occasion, the Daughters, attired in colonial garb, receiving them. During the afternoon the little Daughters of the Society danced the minuet for the pleasure of our guests.

There are also a number of efforts for public betterment to chronicle, chief among these being the placing in Rutan Park, by one of the Daughters, of the oldest house in Bellefontaine. The structure, a log cabin formerly standing on Main Street, was purchased by a public spirited citizen and presented to the D. A. R. Our ex-Honorary Regent, Miss Mary Powell, seeing the opportunity for fostering an interest in historical objects,
had the building re-erected in the park and made the repository for relics of other days.

One of the plans that our Regent, Mrs. E. J. Howenstine, is mapping out for the coming year, is the establishment of the new department, The Girl Home-makers of America.—REBECCA RUTAN WILLIAMS, Historian.

Schoharie Chapter (Schoharie, N. Y.) has in the year 1912 located and marked the graves of the following Revolutionary soldiers: Lieut. Johannes J. Lawyer, b. May 12, 1751; d. July 21, 1818; Joost Warner, b. July 31, 1758, d. 1830; Lambert Sternberg, b. 1757, d. 1829; Jacob Schaeffer, b. 1736, d. 1809; Martynus Schaeffer, b. 1728, d. 1803; Michel Borst, b. 1728, d. 1810; Philip Borst, b. 1755, d. 1830; Philip Bergh, b. 1726, d. 1790; Abram Bergh, b. 1733, d. 1830; Geo. Rickert, b. 1729, d. 1798; Wm. Enders, b. 1718, d. 1792; Cornelius Van Dyck, b. 1758, d. 1830; Major Thos. Eckerson, b. 1714, d. 1806; Lieut. Jacob Sny-

THE FIRST HOUSE IN BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO
Erected in Rutan Park, in 1912, by Honorary Regent Miss Mary Powell, Bellefontaine Chapter

Campbell Chapter (Nashville, Tenn.)—This Chapter, named for a Revolutionary hero, General William Campbell of Virginia, was organized sixteen years ago by Mrs. James S. Pilcher, our first Regent. Mrs. Pilcher was the first woman in Tennessee to become a Daughter of the American Revolution.

At our meetings we have papers and discussions of historical interest and pa-
triotism is stimulated by the study of Revolutionary times. This Chapter has accomplished much patriotic work. We have contributed liberally to the monument in Nashville erected by the D. A. R. to the memory of the Revolutionary soldiers buried in Tennessee, send an annual contribution to the mountain school at Flag Pond, Tenn., and have given a fund to secure the Draper manuscripts. The Chapter has also contributed generously to the beautiful Continental Hall. A Navajo rug, given by Mrs. Buell, one of our members, for the use of the Tennessee room, has been greatly admired. Mrs. Robert Morgan, one of our most valued members, whom death has taken from us, organized the John Marshall Club, Children of the Republic. This club does fine work, instilling into these factory boys good principles and love of country.

Campbell Chapter is ever at the fore in such matters. It is one of the largest Chapters in the State and among its members are women who have been singled out for high honors in the national conventions. The three local Chapters D. A. R. have recently united in erecting a handsome boulder in Centennial Park to mark the beginning of Natchez Trace, the historical Indian trail. This old highway, whose every foot was marked by acts of bravery, has long since passed beyond its period of activity, but the D. A. R. of Nashville determined to erect a fitting marker at the starting point in order that its old memories might still linger.—ALICE HORTON EVE, Historian.

Roger Nelson Chapter (Marshall, Missouri).—Since its reorganization in October, the Roger Nelson Chapter has held monthly meetings with the members, each month having something of historical interest to discuss, music, and a social hour. The chapter renewed its work with fifteen members, since which time four more have been added, one by transfer, and three as new members of the national body. The chapter has offered in the High School five dollars in gold for the best essay on the Old Trails Road, and a gold medal in the ward schools for the best answers to ten questions in American History. Has obtained permission, and will hang in the Highland Ward Schools, the Ten Commandments and has contributed to the fund for Miss Desha’s portrait. Being a small chapter, our ambition to do is hampered by our small means, but “Hope Springs Eternal.”—EUGENIE NELSON FLEMING, Regent.

John Paul Jones Chapter (Boston, Massachusetts).—Meetings of this chapter are held regularly, always presided over by the regent and founder, Miss Marion Howard Brazier, also founder of the Ex-Regents’ Club of Boston, made up of former regents of the various chapters in the State. This Club has a charter membership of one hundred, and will admit many new members in May. The chapter voted to loan its latest acquisition—a priceless relic—to the Loan Collection in Memorial Continental Hall. It is a silver mounted cane made of wood of the ship “Alliance,” of Paul Jones’ fleet during the memorable sea fight, and commanded by Pierre Landais the traitor. This ship was launched at Essex, Massachusetts, the cane presented to Capt. Shillaber, a sea captain, who took it round the world several times and later gave it to his brother, the late B. P. Shillaber (“Mrs. Partington”), in Honolulu, years ago. It came back with him and was bequeathed by him to his daughter, who in turn presented it to Miss Brazier for her chapter. Miss Brazier was a special guest of the Naval Academy and Secretary Meyer at the final burial of John Paul Jones at Annapolis in January. She is the delegate to the Continental Congress and her alternate is Mrs. Etta E. Hart, the vice-regent. On the chapter’s honorary list are Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks; Mrs. Donald McLean; Mrs. Grace Le Baron Upham; Mrs. Richard Jackson Barker; Mrs. Alfred A. Kendall; Mrs. Joseph Dibrell; Countess Magri; Mrs. Charles Masury; Mrs. Noble McConnell, and Mrs. William Cummings Story. Paul Jones School with its 500 foreign born pupils, is the chapter’s special care, and gifts have been presented in the form of pictures and flags, while the regent has enter-
tained hundreds of the upper grade pupils with stereopticon talks applying to patriotic education, her lecture on "The 13 Colonies" being a favorite. Miss Brazier has offered this to the District of Columbia D. A. R. for the benefit of Memorial Continental Hall fund, during weeks of the Continental Congress in April. — MARION HOWARD BRAZIER, Regent.

Bowling Green Chapter (Bowling Green, Missouri) was organized February 22, 1912. In addition to the twenty-two organizing members, there were present the members of the Jonathan Pettibone and Pike County chapters of Louisiana, Missouri, and about thirty invited guests from the town. Mrs. R. B. Olliver, State Regent, in an impressive manner, bestowed the badge of office upon the following officers: Mrs. W. C. Barron, regent; Mrs. Lewis Sanderson, vice-regent; Mrs. Joe Tapley, secretary; Mrs. W. H. Campbell, registrar; Mrs. B. C. Bankhead, treasurer; Mrs. W. J. Rowley, historian; Mrs. R. L. Motley, chaplain. A delightful luncheon was served. Several appropriate toasts were offered by the regent, to which response was given by Mrs. W. H. Tinsley, Mrs. William Stark, Mrs. Clarence Buell and Mrs. R. B. Olliver, visiting regents.

Independence Day was celebrated by a picnic. In October, Mrs. W. H. Tinsley, regent of the Jonathan Pettibone Chapter of Louisiana, gave an informal reception to the three chapters of the county.

One of the daughters, Miss Blanch Motley, has become a bride, and there is one new daughter, Baby Elizabeth, in the home of the regent, Mrs. Barron.

Colonial history is being studied and some civic improvement work is being done, the most important of which is the placing of a drinking fountain in the public school building.

Some historical research work has been done. All the Daughters feel that a profitable year has been spent.—HARRIET V. ROWLEY, Historian.

Gov. John Milledge Chapter (Dalton, Georgia).—The chapter has been in existence only one year, but that year has been a most successful and inspiring one, largely due to the ability and enthusiasm of our efficient regent, Mrs. Charles M. Hollingsworth.

The members have been enthusiastic in all D. A. R. work, but especially along educational lines. We have donated $50.00 toward the education of a mountain girl at Nacoochee Institute, and during the coming year expect to carry out more plans for patriotic education.

We have offered a prize of $5 in gold to the pupil in the Public Schools making the best average in Georgia History.

As an inspiration to the children in the public schools we are having printed on cards copies of "The American Flag—Its Use—Its Forbidden Abuse," to be framed and hung on the walls of every school in the county that the children may be encouraged to respect and love their country's flag.

The first meeting of the new year was held at the home of the regent, nearly all the members being present.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Regent, Mrs. C. M. Hollingsworth; Vice-regent, Mrs. Paul B. Trammell, Sr.; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Annie Horne; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. E. Mann; Treasurer, Mrs. H. L. Smith; Registrar, Miss Willie S. White; Historian, Mrs. Warren R. Davis.—MRS. WARREN R. DAVIS, Historian.

Thursday, July 2, 1835.—Died in Baltimore a few days since, Isaiah Thomas, aged about 70 yrs., son of the late Isaiah Thomas, who was known as the Father of Printing in the U. S.

The deceased was a native of Mass., well known and highly respected.—Maryland Gazette, July 2, 1835.
Brief Biographical Sketches of the Pennsylvania Electors

Mary O'Hara Darlington, Historian of the Pittsburgh Chapter

After the Federal Constitution had been accepted by the States, the next proceeding of importance was the election of a President and Vice-president. The Constitution directs in Article II, that "Each State shall appoint in such manner as the legislature thereof may direct, a number of electors equal to the whole number of senators and representatives to which the State may be entitled in the Congress; but no senator or representative or person holding an office of trust or profit under the United States shall be appointed an elector."

Previous to 1802, each elector voted for two candidates for President and Vice-president, the one receiving the next largest number of electoral votes was declared Vice-president. When the electors met in 1789 George Washington was the unanimous first choice, 69 votes. John Adams received 34 out of 69, which was more than the other candidates, and was proclaimed Vice-president.

"Four States failed to appoint electors." "New York, Vermont, Rhode Island, and North Carolina."

In the minutes of the Supreme Executive Council of Pennsylvania is the following:

"Philadelphia, Feb. 6, 1789.
His Excellency Thomas Mifflin, Esq., President of Council.

"The following draft of a message to the General Assembly was laid before Council, read and approved: In pursuance of the Act of Assembly passed the 4th day of October last—

"Edward Hand, James Wilson, George Gibson, John Arndt, Collinson Read, Lawrence Keene, James O'Hara, David Grier, Samuel Potts, and Alexander Graydon, have been duly chosen as electors in behalf of this State to ballot for a President and Vice-president of the United States."

Brief Biographies of the Electors of Pennsylvania.

Edward Hand was an Irish surgeon who settled in Pennsylvania to practice his profession. He joined the army as Lt. Col. of a Rifle regiment, was rapidly promoted, as Colonel he led his regiment in the battles of Long Island and Trenton, as Brigadier-general he succeeded General Stark at Albany in 1778. After the war he was a member of the old Congress, 1784-1785.

George Gibson was also a distinguished officer in the Revolution. He raised a company of one hundred men at Fort Pitt. His men were known as "Gibson’s Lambs." They were distinguished for their individual bravery and all being sharpshooters did good service. Colonel Gibson served in nearly all of the principal battles. He was given charge of the prisoners taken with Cornwallis until they were returned to England. At St. Clair’s defeat, November 4, 1796, he was mortally wounded. He was a brother of General John Gibson.

John Arndt. "When New York was in danger of falling into the hands of the British, 10,000 men were ordered to be raised for its relief, called the Flying Camp. The quota of Northampton, Pennsylvania, was 346 men. In August, 1776, these men joined Washington's army on Long Island. One of these companies was commanded by Captain John Arndt." He was of German descent. In later years he lived in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

Collinson Read was a prominent lawyer in Berks and Dauphin Counties,
Pennsylvania. He lived in Reading. He was a leader of his profession, noted for his learning in law, languages, and literature. He published several books on law, including an abridgement of the laws of Pennsylvania.

Lawrence Keene was a Captain and Aide-de-camp in the 2d Pennsylvania Regiment.

James Wilson was born in Scotland. He was a signer of the Declaration of Independence and a distinguished lawyer. He was admitted to the bar in 1768, practiced law in Reading, Carlisle, Annapolis (Md.), and Philadelphia. He held a commission in the army but was not in active service, being busy with the civil service affairs. He was member of Congress, 1775, and of the Constitutional Convention, also held other appointments of importance. He was appointed by President Washington a Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States. He was considered the most learned man of the bench and bar of his day.

James O'Hara was descended from a long line of Irish chiefs. He was educated in Paris at the College of St. Sulpice. His father and grandfather were officers of the Irish Brigade in the service of France. He came to Pittsburgh in 1772 to engage in the fur-trade. He was actively engaged in the army throughout the entire war of the Revolution, as Captain of Volunteers, and as Commissary. In 1792 he received his commission as Quartermaster General of the United States. After the successful termination of General Anthony Wayne's campaign against the Indians General O'Hara wished to resign from the army, but his resignation was not accepted until May, 1796, as his services were considered so valuable. He was a leading citizen of Pittsburgh until his death in 1819.

Daniel Grier was Lieutenant Colonel of the 7th Pennsylvania Regiment. He was severely wounded at the battle of Paoli.

Samuel Potts, of Germantown, Pa., a member of the Society of Friends, his son James was an officer in the Revolution (Major). This family settled in Pennsylvania at an early date.

Alexander Graydon, lawyer and author, was Captain of the 3d Pennsylvania Battalion. He was taken prisoner at Fort Washington, New York, in November, 1776, and exchanged April, 1778.

To write a complete account of these Electors and their services would be to write a history of the Revolution and of the United States in the early years of the 19th Century.

AUTHORITIES.

State and County Histories of Pennsylvania, Biographical Dictionaries, Army Register.


Historical Register of Officers of the Continental Army" (F. H. Heitman).

NOTE.

The other Electors were as follows:


In Memory of Lieutenant John Kays

A handsome bronze tablet marking the spot where Washington and his staff encamped in 1779, while on their way from Newburgh to Morristown to meet General Lafayette, presented by Marchioness Ellen Kays McLaughlin, of Brooklyn, to the descendants of Lieut. John Kays and the public in general, was unveiled with appropriate ceremonies, on the Lawrence farm, near Hamburg, N. J., November 9, 1912, by the donor and grandson, Hugh McLaughlin Courtney.

The tablet bears the inscription "1779-1912."

"In this field General George Washington encamped for a night on a march from Newburgh to Morristown in 1779 to meet General Lafayette."

"With him was an aid, Lieutenant John Kays, of Sussex county, a soldier of the American Revolution."

"This memorial was erected by Marchioness Ellen Kays McLaughlin, a member of the Newton chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and a grand-daughter of John Kays."

Following the unveiling of the monument, former Judge Henry Huston, a descendant of Lieut. Kays, made an address covering the life of the Revolutionary soldier.

Several hundred guests witnessed the unveiling and music was discoursed by the Hamburg Band.

"Oliver Wolcott, who is now 71 yrs. of age is the only surviving member of Washington’s Cabinet. He succeeded Alexander Hamilton in the Treasury Department."—Maryland Gazette, April 12th, 1833.
## II. BAPTISMS BY REV. JOHN HENRY GOETSCHY, 1736-1740

List of the children whom I. J. Henricus Goetschius, have baptized anno 1736.

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These sixty entries, from April, 1736—September, 1740, were made by John Henry Goetschy, who succeeded Miller in the year 1736. Mr. Boehm, in his report of 1739, writes about Goetschy's ministry in Goshenhoppen as follows: "After these men had failed, they arbitrarily made Henry Goetschy their pretended minister, when he was hardly eighteen years of age, and but half a year before he had received the Lord's Supper for the first time from Do. Rieger at Germantown." (Minutes, p. 10). In his report of 1744 Boehm writes: "They had taken young Goetschi to be their minister, but when Do. Dorsius arrived he withdrew from them, went to him, and studied a year with him, and after this year he was ordained as minister for Long Island in the month of April, 1741, by Mr. Dorsius, assisted by Do. Freelinghuyzen of Raritan and still another (as I learned afterwards), Tenant by name, who was reported at that time to be a follower of Whitfield." (Minutes, p. 26.) Goetschy's call to Long Island is dated October, 1740. Hence he studied with Dorsius from October, 1739—October, 1740. Before he left for Long Island he paid a farewell visit to Goshenhoppen on September 20, 1740, when he baptized the last eight children. His presence on this date is proved by the fact that he acted as witness in baptism No. 56.

[III. BAPTISMS BY REV. PETER HENRY DORSIUS, 1741-1744.]

Date Parents Children Witnesses
[57] Sept. 24 Wendel Wiand and Anna Margreth Jacob Jacob Selzer and wife Elisabeth Lisabeth Zimmerman
[58] Sept. 24 Michael Reder and Susanna Lisabeth Lisabeth Margreth Selzer and Susanna Lisabeth Zimmerman
[59] Sept. 24 Michael Moll and Rosina Lisabeth Margreth Melchior Süssholz and Lisabeth Lisabeth Margreth Dangela
[60] Sept. 24 Michael Fabion and Anna Dorothea Anna Margreth Anna Margretha Dangela

1741.
[1] Aug. 30 Andreas Lohr and Cadaria Johan Andreas Philip Emmert and wife
Johan Andreasina (?)[Christian] Andreas Greber
[2] Aug. 30 Caspar Holtzhauser and Margretha, his wife Anna Maria Anna Maria Segler
Andreas Maria
Johannes Mack and wife
Maria
Anna Margreth Elisabetha
Margreth Anna Margretha
[7] Aug. 30 Jacob Maurer and Sophia Anna Maria
[8] Aug. 30 Jacob Lingel and Ursula Catharina Elisabetha Ries
Anna Anna Catrina
Anna Catrina
[10] Aug. 30 Philip Labahr and Sara Abraham Eva Elisabetha
[12] Aug. 30 Philip Labahr and Sara Eva Elisabetha
Barbara Johan Michel
[These 25 children were baptized by the Rev. Peter Henry Dorsius, but the entries, in a wretched scrawl, were not made by him, but perhaps by one of the elders. Mr. Boehm, in his report of 1744, refers to this period as follows: “Meanwhile, since Goetschy was no longer with them, Do. Dorsius has several times administered the Lord’s Supper to this people before his journey to Holland [May, 1743-January, 1744]. As I learned on Tuesday after last Easter at Goshenhoppen from a ruling elder, it is arranged that he shall again administer it to them in the next coming month of May.” In a postscript he adds: “On May 6, 1744, Do. Dorsius administered the Lord’s Supper at New Goshenhoppen.” [See Minutes, pp. 26, 31].

[IV. BAPTISMS OF FREDERICK CASIMIR MÜLLER, 1745-1750.]

1745

[1] July 7 Peter May and wife Daughter Michel Hubert and Anna Maria Maurer
[3] Sept. 1 Joerg Michel Kolb and Anna Son Elisabeth Philip Emmert and Maria Catharina
[7] Sept. 3 Wilhelm Mack and wife Son John Mack
[8] Sept. 27 Johan Adam Mengel and wife Son Friedrich C. Müller

1746

[10] April 7 Casper Griesemer and Elisa- Son betha Abraham Eckmann
[12] April 6 Joerg Welcker and Anna Gretha Benedict Strom and Catharina
[13] June 13 Jacob Lingel and Ursula Johannes Mack and Margaretha
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These 35 entries are in the wretched, but well known handwriting of Frederick Casimir Miller. His presence is also vouched for by baptisms, Nos. 8 and 9. Schlatter reports the presence of Miller in New Goshenhoppen in his private diary, under date September 20, 1746: "Inasmuch as a considerable part of the New Goshenhoppen congregation adheres to a certain hiring, Frederick Casimir Mueller, who was schoolteacher, but now wants to be a minister, I was not able to accomplish anything." (See Journal of Presbyterian Hist. Soc., Vol. III, p. 112). In his official diary (Life of Schlatter, p. 140) Schlatter adds: "The Lord interposed sometime afterwards and restored order." As the baptisms of Weiss began in 1748, Miller must have retired about that time, although he continued to pay occasional visits to Goshenhoppen till 1750. The record book remained in the hands of the followers of Miller till 1757. On p. 37 of the original record is the following note in the handwriting of Mr. Weiss: "Before this church record made its appearance [in 1757], the names of the baptized children have generally been recorded by the parents themselves."
Georg Philip Doder (now Dotterer) is the ancestor of the numerous Dotterer family. He came to Pennsylvania before 1722, for he bought in that year land in Frederick township, Montgomery County. In 1728 he was one of the elders of the Skippack Reformed church. In 1736 he appears as one of the members of the New Goshenhoppen church, see above, p. 120. He died November 6, 1741. See Dotterer Family, pp. 9-24.

John Jost Ollwein appears among the Palatines who landed at Philadelphia on September 18, 1733.

Leonhard Bock qualified in Philadelphia on September 21, 1731.

Peter Henry Dorsius was born in Meurs, Germany, in the year 1711. He studied at Groningen and Leyden, Holland; was licensed by the Classis of Schieland on April 30, 1737, and ordained May 29, 1737. He arrived in Philadelphia October 5, 1737. He was pastor of North and Southampton, Bucks County (now Churchville, Pa.) 1737-1748. He visited Holland May, 1743—January 1744. In 1748 he returned to Holland, where he served several congregations and died about 1757. See Corwin, Manual of the Reformed Church in America, 4th ed. (1902), pp. 420-31.

Bernhard Dotterer was the son of Georg Philip Dotterer, born about 1706.

Frederick Casimir Mueller was born near Mayence, Germany. He arrived in Pennsylvania before the year 1745. He was pastor at Goshenhoppen 1745-50, at Bern 1746-47, at Hains 1749-51, at Longswamp 1747-52, at Muddy Creek, Lancaster County, 1752-54, at Coventry, Chester County, 1753-54, at Lebanon 1762-66, at Swatara 1762-68. He was never connected with the official organization of the Reformed Church, the Coetus of Pennsylvania. See Minutes and Letters of the Coetus of Pennsylvania, pp. 35, 73, 107-108.

(To be continued.)

An Interesting Letter
Mount Vernon, Dec. 31, 1799.

Sir:—While I feel with keenest anguish the late dispensation of Divine Providence, I cannot be insensible to the mournful tributes of respect & veneration, which are paid to the memory of my dear deceased husband; & as his best services & most anxious wishes, were always devoted to the welfare & happiness of his country, to know that they were truly appreciated and gratefully remembered, affords no inconsiderable consolation. Taught by the great example, which I have so long had before me never to oppose my private wishes to the public will, I must consent to the request made by Congress, which you have had the goodness to transmit to me, & in doing this—I need not—I cannot say what a sacrifice of individual feeling I make to a sense of public duty.

With greatful acknowledgement & unfeigned thanks for the personal respect & evidences of condolence expressed by Congress & yourself, I remain very respectfully, Sir,

Your most obedient and humble servant,

MARTHA WASHINGTON.

Copied from the Maryland Gazette of January 16, 1800, by Margaret Roberts Hodges.

When Lady Aberdeen, President of the International Council of Women, was in Washington, D. C., as the guest of the British Ambassador, Hon. James Bryce, she was accompanied by Miss Violet Asquith, the eldest daughter of the Prime Minister of England. Lady Aberdeen's mission to the United States was investigation of the health laws of our country.

She was enthusiastic about the new Washington and particularly about Memorial Continental Hall, which she photographed as an addition to her interesting collection of "snapshots." She regretted that she could not see the interior of the building, it being closed to visitors at that hour, as she was appreciative of such a splendid memorial erected by women to patriotism.

During her visit she was escorted to the Supreme Court of the United States and greatly enjoyed seeing for the first time, a woman attorney admitted inside the bar with all the rights and privileges accorded men attorneys.

It may be of further interest to the members of the National Society D. A. R. to know that the attorney mentioned was Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey of Washington, who has been closely identified with the work of the Society for many years. Mrs. Mussey is a member of the executive board of the International Council of Women which will meet at the Hague in May.
GENEALOGICAL DEPARTMENT

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ANSWERS.

1309. DRAPER—SENCERBAUGH.—"Early Days" by LeRoy Wilson Kingman, page 12, gives the names of the children of Amos Draper and Lydia Williams, his wife; and mentions a daughter, Catherine, but says she married Ewart Williams, so if she married Andrew Spencerbaugh he must have been her second husband. The book mentioned contains considerable data regarding the Draper family which would interest J. C. P.—Miss Mary E. Finch, Waverly, N. Y.

1954 (5) STOCKWELL—HAMILTON.—In an advertisement of a new book about to be published by the McAllister Publishing Co., Virginia Hot Springs, Va., and edited by the able writer, J. T. McAllister, occurs the following statement: "Augusta Co. Militia:—1781. About the first of March the company of Capt. David Gwin, with other drafted militia, all of whom were mounted, went via Rockfish Gap, Lindsay's Ferry, on James River, the Sarna Towers, on Dan River, and joined the main army in N. C. under Gen. Greene. The horses were sent back, and the men, placed in the regiment of Capt. Patrick Buchanan, marched to the Troublesome Iron Works in Rockingham County, N. C., where it was discharged in April. In May, 1781, the company of Capt. Patrick Buchanan marched under the command of Col. Thomas Huggart from Waynesboro to Richmond, then to near Williamsburg; was in the battle of Hot Water (June 26, 1781). Alexander Hamilton and his brothers, James and John, were in this battle, James being severely wounded and sent to a hospital in New Kent Co." The book, of which the above is an extract, is to be called "Virginia Militia in the Revolutionary War" and will contain three parts. In Part 1 will be an alphabetical list of militiamen who were granted pensions for service, showing their ages, and in 1835 their residences (for many of them had moved out of the State). Part 2 contains condensed statements like the example above, arranged according to counties, showing the services rendered by the Va. militia; and Part 3 gives the statements in detail of several hundred of the Va. militia soldiers in order to obtain pensions from the Government, and there will be an index which will include the entire book. This is especially valuable, as the list of Va. soldiers published by the State Librarian did not include the militia to any great extent; and this book of about 400 pages will be worth many times the price asked for it—five dollars. It will be ready for sale when this statement appears.—Gen. Ed.

2129. LEWIS—ROBARDS.—Gen. Joseph Lewis of Bardstown, Ky., in 1817, was a son of Jack Lewis, but I cannot give the name of his wife nor any further particulars except that Jack had a sister, Mary Lewis.—Miss Clara E. Campbell, 1501 Travis St., Wichita Falls, Texas.

2142. GUSTIN—GREEN. Joel Gustine (or Gustene or Augustine) was a Rev. pensioner (W. F. 23166) applying from "Washington Co. Dist. of Col." in 1834. He stated that he enlisted in Conn. directly after the Battle of Lexington, and marched to Roxbury, Mass., where they were employed in erecting a fort on Roxbury Heights; were attacked during the battle of Bunker Hill, and defended the fort, and was stationed in that vicinity until winter, when he enlisted in the Cont. Line as a cor-
poral, and was employed in erecting a fort on Dorchester Heights "which, when done, caused the British to evacuate Boston, and the British admirals to put to sea." He was then ordered to N. Y., took part in the battle of Long Island and White Plains, and then was taken sick, and furloughed. He was b. in Goshen, Conn., Oct. 12, 1759, enlisted from Saybrook, Conn., soon after the Rev. moved south, where in July, 1785, he married "Ann Taylor Green, spinster, daughter of Robert Green of Culpeper Co., Va." After the death of Joel in 1839, in Washington, D. C., his wid. applied for and received a pension, and in 1843, "Ann Augustine," aged 77 yrs. of Washington, D. C., received an increase of pension.—Gen. Ed.

2142 (4) BOYDSTUN. No record of the service of James Boydston has been found; but there is a pension application of Wm. Boydston, who b. in Frederick, Md., Mch. 24, 1753, moved to Hampshire Co., Va., when a child, and enlisted from Montgomery Co., Va., in 1776, against the Indians. In 1780 he moved to Washington Co., N. C., and was drafted from there in same year, serving under Marion; and in 1781 served under Sevier. In 1833, when he applied for a pension he was a resident of Cocke Co., Tenn.

There was also a Samuel Boydston (b. 1762, Frederick, Md.,), who enlisted from Jones Co. (then N. C. but now Tenn.) against the Shawnees, and served throughout the war, in the militia, against the Indians, and as a scout. He was a resident of Perry Co., Ala., in 1833; but later moved to Neshoba Co., Miss., "to be near his youngest son, who had taken up plantation and tract of land lying on new river in state of Va. which I purchased from the List of Va. Rev. soldiers, published by the State Librarian. There is a genealogy of the Wallace Family, with others in the Genealogies by W. H. Miller, pub. by Press of Transylvania Co., Lexington, Ky., in 1907.—Gen. Ed.

2715. DEPUY.—There was a Benjamin DePuy and also a Benjamin DePuy, Jr., who served in the Rev. from N. Y. state, and whose names are mentioned in Roberts' New York Archives, p. 206, as F. D. in the Ulster militia. There are also a series of interesting articles appearing in the Tuesday issue of the "Independent Republican" of Goshen, Orange Co., N. Y., describing the Indian Massacre at Minisink, and other occurrences of that section, as written by eye witnesses in 1758. Samuel DePuy was one of those whose house was burned by the Indians at that time. Sergeant Vantuyl with nine soldiers was sent out in pursuit a short time later, and quite a skirmish took place.—Gen. Ed.
An Abner Skidmore witnessed a will in Dutchess Co., N. Y., in 1782; and (according to Miss Hawley) may have been this John Skidmore's son. Zophar Skidmore, a younger brother of John, was born in 1744, and served as a Rev. soldier. Information regarding John Skidmore might be obtained from the State Archivist at Albany, N. Y.—Miss Mary R. Ridgway, 225 West 136th St., New York.

2728. (5) Hamilton.—See answer to 1954 (a) Tennessee was not a state in the Rev. and service in Tenn. was credited either to Va. or one of the Carolinas.—Gen. Ed.

2730. Dinsmore.—The full genealogy of the Dinsmore Family can be found in the History of Windham, N. H., by L. A. Morrison.—Miss Florence L. Stegman, New Rochelle, N. Y., who is herself a descendant of the Dinsmores.

Mrs. W. H. Robinson, 1407 Lemon St., Riverside, Calif., also writes in answer to Query 2730, and states that Mr. W. T. Dinsmore, a banker of Riverside, formerly from the state of Maine, has a genealogy of the Dinsmore Family, and will with pleasure reply to inquiries in regard to the family.

2730. (2) Leighton.—Miss Edna M. Leighton, care Public Library, Long Beach, Calif., is also able to assist in regard to the Leighton Family, according to the same informant.

Mrs. Frank Holt, Staunton, Va., writes: "So far as records show, only one company roll of Gen. Muhlenberg's German Regiment has been preserved. This company was known as Buck's Minute Men, and was composed of Valley men, mustered into service at Woodstock, Va., by Col. Muhlenberg, in 1777. The roll is as follows: Thomas Buck, Capt.; John Crookshank, 1st. Lieut.; Lionel Branson, Ensign; Wm. Reed, Sergeant; Jacob Lampert, 2d. Serg't.; John Stegle, 3d Serg't.; Jeremiah Phillips, 4th. Serg't.; Privates, Frederick Honaker, Wm. Hoover, John Bentley, Wm. Black, Valentine Lockmiller, Philip Smith, Martin Gay, Gasper Lutz; David Fipger, C. Sapington, Martin Miller, Abram Gale, Wm. Morelock, John Midgleton, Geo. Lockmiller, Wm. Bagnall, Geo. Miller, Henry Shumaker, Herbert Stockbridge, Wm. Copeman, Christian Buseman, Andrew Copeman, Michael Setson, R. Bizzet, John Snider, Jno. Somers, Sam'l Dust, Jno. Hoover, Elizah (Elijah?) Aadell, Conrad Hatiskerger, Wm. Hanis, Thos. Price, Zachariah Price, Jno. Marshall Taylor. As very few of the above names are to be found in the list of Va. Rev. Soldiers printed by the State Library last year, I am sure that all readers of the American Monthly are very grateful to Mrs. Holt for the list.—Gen. Ed.

2735. Lenox—King.—The only men by name of London, mentioned in List of Va. Rev. Soldiers, are Adam, David, John, Moses and William. As the wills and deeds are in fine condition at Leesburg, Loudon Co., Va., it might be well to write to the County Clerk (enclosing the usual fee) for the desired information.—Gen. Ed.

2737. Breese.—Sydney Breese emigrated from Shrewsbury, Eng., in 1733, married within a year Miss Elizabeth Pinkerman, and died in N. Y., June 9, 1767. His grave is still to be seen in Trinity Church-yard. Their ch. were three: Charles, b. 1734, lost at sea; Samuel, b. May 23, 1737; and Elizabeth, b. 1747, who d.y. Sidney had a sister, whose name is not known, who m. Ebenezer Hazard, friend of Washington, and first Postmaster General of the U. S., and also, probably, a brother, John, b. 1713, who m. Dorothy Riggs, served as a private in the Rev. and died Mch. 4, 1803. Their ninth ch., Samuel (1758-1837), was a Captain in the Rev. and my ancestor. Samuel, son of Sidney Breese, was a Col. of a regiment of N. J. Militia from Monmouth Co., but resigned July 9, 1776; was one of a Committee of Safety from Shrewsbury, N. J., Oct. 14, 1776. He married Nov. 14, 1765, Rebecca Finley, dau. of Rev. Samuel Finley, President of Princeton University (then called the College of N. J.). Then had one ch., a dau., Elizabeth Ann, b. Sept. 29, 1766, who m. Rev. Jedediah Morse, May 14, 1789, and was the mother of Samuel Finley Breese Morse, the inventor of the telegraph, and Sidney Edwards and Richard C. Morse, founders of the New York Observer. Rebecca died Jan. 27, 1767, and Samuel m. (2) Jan. 7, 1768, Elizabeth Anderson, and they had seven ch., as follows: Samuel Sidney, b. 1768; Rear Admiral U. S. Navy; Arthur, b. 1770 (who m. Catherine, dau. of Henry Livingston of Dutchess Co., and became the father of Sidney Breese, U. S. Senator from Ill., and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Ill.); John, b. 1772, d.y. Susan Bayard, b. Nov. 15, 1774; Abby, b. 1776, d. inf. Samuel Bayard, b. Feb. 4, 1779, and Abby, b. Oct. 22, 1780, m. Josiah Salisbury (not Josiah Salisbury Smith) and was the mother of Prof. E. C. Salisbury, of Yale College.—Mrs. Katharina Jenkins Wilcox, Scranton, Penna.

2740. Davis.—In the query published in the Feb. number of the American Monthly, the statement is made that Wm. Davis was town clerk of Amsterdam, Montgomery Co., Pa. It should read, Amsterdam, Montgomery Co., New York. There is no Amsterdam in Pennsylvania.—Gen. Ed.

2770. (3) Johnston.—Rev. William Johnston, father of Witter Johnston, was a patriot, whose record has been accepted repeatedly by the N. S. D. A. R. The Mss. of his Thanksgiving sermon in 1782 was shown at the centennial celebration of Sidney, Delaware Co., N. Y., in 1872. His wife was Anne Witter Cummings. His daughter, Nancy, married Peter Slater, whose ancestry is greatly desired. Did Peter Slater serve in the Revolution?—Mrs. George A. Wallace, 345 Lafayette Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

2775. Myrick.—Lieut. Samuel Myrick, who died at Woodstock, Vt., in 1830, was the son of Jonathan and Abigail (Brown) Myrick, and was born Feb. 6, 1757, at Newton, Middlesex Co., Mass. He m. Martha Brewer in 1784. (She was the dau. of Col. Jonathan and Frances (Buckmaster) Brewer, of Waltham, Mass.) Samuel and Martha Myrick had
eleven ch., as follows: Harriet, Caroline, Martha, Charlotte, Samuel, Susan, Marshall S., Adeline, Mary Ann, Julia and Lawson B. Myrick.—Mrs. W. H. Percy, 471 Forest Ave., Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

2778. BUGBEE.—Hezekiah Bugbee, b. Woodstock, Conn., Feb. 19, 1746, was an Ensign in the Rev. and had charge of transportation of supplies from Woodstock to Providence. He m. Jan. 21, 1772, Bathsheba Holmes, dau. of Dr. David Holmes, Surgeon in the Rev. War, and aunt of Oliver Wendell Holmes, and died in Woodstock, Aug. 4, 1826. They had ten ch., Mehitabel, b. 1773, d.y.; Walter, b. 1775, d.y.; Hannah, b. July 25, 1778, m. Theophilus Bradbury Chandler; Temperance, b. Jan. 17, 1781, m. Jesse Lyman Hunt; Polly, b. Nov. 19, 1783, m. James Mills; Asa, b. Oct. 14, 1785, m. (1) Theodora Curtice, (2) Nancy Comstock; James, b. Apr. 11, 1788, m. Elizabeth Dormer, Lucy, b. Feb. 7, 1791, m. Hezekiah Palmer; Betsy, b. Mar. 6, 1794, m. Charles Waters; and Hezekiah, b. Jan. 19, 1797, m. (1) Silence Keith; m. (2) Jemima Harding. James Bugbee, the father of Hezekiah, was b. Woodstock, Conn., July 11, 1743, m. Sept. 24, 1745, by whom he had ten ch., Hezekiah being the eldest. The others were: Mary, b. Oct. 3, 1747, m. Asahel Clark; Rufus, b. Aug. 23, 1749, m. Rachel Perrin; Timothy, b. June 27, 1751, m. Rachel Prebble; Betsy, b. July 6, 1753, m. Nehemiah Lyon; Hannah, b. June 6, 1755, m. John May; Sophia, b. 1757, d. unm.; Lydia, b. Feb. 20, 1760, m. Simeon Fisk; Alice, b. 1762, d. unm.; and Joseph, b. June 30, 1765, d.y. The writer would gladly answer any further questions; and if anyone has any data not given herein, kindly send same to Mrs. Mary Bugbee Medbury, Putnam, Conn.

2778. (3) STOWELL-BUGBEE.—While this is not my direct line, I find quite a little from the church and town records in regard to the Stowell-Bugbee families, which does not exactly agree with the statements of R. S. S. If she will correspond with me, I will gladly assist her. Mrs. Mary Bugbee Medbury. We trust that Mrs. Medbury, whose answer to the Bugbee query is so complete and accurate, will also give her Stowell data to this department; for, while correspondence with R. S. S. may assist one person, the answer printed in this column may assist several thousands of inquirers.—Gen. Ed.

2793. MRS. F. E. WHITMORE.—Mrs. F. E. Whitmore, 22 Grant St., Cortland, N. Y., writes in answer to query 2793, that in Dec., 1911, at Mrs. Avery's request, she prepared an answer to a query in the New York State.
of Benjamin, a Rev. soldier; and Benjamin was the son of Solomon, a Rev. soldier; and Solomon was the son of a Benjamin Bunnell, who was brother of the grandfather of the Rev. soldier, Amos Bunnell. He finds two Amos Bunnells near Henderson, Jefferson Co., N. Y., one of whom he cannot locate, and thinks it may be Amos Bunnell, Jr., mentioned in his father's application for pension.—Gen. Ed.

2797. (1) TURNER; (2) RICHARDSON; (3) FLOWERS; (4) SPRINGER; (5) COLLINS-HURST. It would be impossible to answer those questions definitely without making an exhaustive search. The Gen. Editor would suggest that if B. K. T. is at a distance from a good Library, she either buy the Catalogue of Genealogies, issued by the Congressional Library (price about $1.00) or send for a catalogue of Joel Munsell's Sons, Albany, N. Y., which would answer her inquiries quite satisfactorily.

2798. (2) PLATT. Twenty-two men by the name of Platt are mentioned in Robert's Archives of the State of New York: Alexander, Amos, Arthur, Benoni, Caleb, Charles (Lieut.) Charles (Private), Daniel, Ebenezer, Eliphalet, George, John, Jonathan (Capt.), Nathaniel (Capt.), Nicholas, Richard, Stephen Jr., Zepha Jr., and Zephaniah (Col.).—Gen. Ed.

2799. WILSON-BURN. There is no such genealogy in the Congressional Library, but if you write to the Librarian of the Newberry Library at Chicago, it is possible that you may obtain the desired information.—Gen. Ed.

2799. (2) BLAIR. There was a John Blair of Virginia, who was 1st Lieut. of 1st Cont. Artillery, Jan. 13, 1777; and Capt. Lieut. Nov. 30, 1777. He died Aug. 18, 1780, of wounds received at Camden two days previous. (See Heitman.) Mention is made of Va. Rev. Soldiers of a Capt. John Blair, who received a Bounty Warrant; also of Robert Samuel (of Botetourt Co. Militia) and of William.—Gen. Ed.

2807. foster. There were ten men by the name of John Foster, mentioned in the List of Va. Rev. Soldiers; two mentioned in the index to Robert's Archives of New York, aside from many others in Mass., Penna. and other States. It would be necessary to give something definite before one could attempt to answer M. S. A.—Gen. Ed.

2812. JONES-WHIPPLE. In the Official Bulletin for Oct., the Sons of the American Revolution, an account is given of the dedication by the Mass. S. A. R. of the tablet at Danvers, commemorating the Quebec Expedition of 1775. Hon. Alden P. White, told the story of Benedict Arnold's expedition to Canada in detail; and Dr. Frank A. Gardner gave an account of its personnel, which included about 1,100 men from Mass., R. I., Conn., N. H., and 300 frontiersmen from Penna. and Va. The inscription on the tablet is as follows: "In Commemoration of Arnold's Expedition, one of the most strategic and daring exploits of the patriot cause during the Revolution. Part of the troops encamped at the town of Danvers on the night of Sept. 14, 1775, on their way to New London where they embarked for the Kennebec and their famous march through the pathless wilds of Maine, successfully accomplished in spite of formidable obstacles and excessive privations." It is quite possible that Dr. Frank A. Gardner (whose address could be obtained from the Registrar General of the S. A. R. Mr. A. Howard Clark, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.) might be able to tell where official proof could be obtained.—Gen. Ed.

2813. DUCELL-STARKS. The Gravestone Records of Shaftsbury, Vt. make no mention of Ezra Duell or his family, but the index to Robert's New York Archives mentions a number of Duells, who served from Dutchess Co., N. Y. in the Rev. and also a Nathan Stark who was in the Dutchess Co. Militia during the Rev.—Gen. Ed.

2814. (6) MASON. There is a small genealogy of the descendants of Major John Mason of Norwich, Conn., prepared by Theodore West Mason, and printed for private distribution by the Grafton press in 1900. A copy is to be found in the Cong. Library.—Gen. Ed.

2816. (2) LEWIS. In the third volume of that interesting and valuable reference book, "The Pioneer Mothers of America," a sketch is given of each of the wives of the Signers, and naturally a great deal of useful and valuable information of the Signers, themselves. Francis Lewis was the son of a Welsh clergyman of the Church of England, and after receiving a classical education, and a two years' training in a counting house in London, embarked for America, entered into partnership with Edward Annesley, and later married his sister, Elizabeth Annesley. No mention is made of any brothers of the Signer, but he had a son, Francis Lewis, who married the dau. of a Tory, named Ludlow, who objected strenuously to the match, because "his father would certainly be hung." Col. Morgan Lewis, the second son, married Gertrude, dau. of Robert and Margaret (Beekman) Livingston, and sister of Chancellor Livingston and of Edward, "the Jurist." He was an ardent American; and of his only sister, Ann, fell in love with a British Captain, named Robertson, and married him clandestinely; and shortly thereafter moved to England.—Gen. Ed.

2822. LEWIS. For answer to part of this query, see answer to 2816 (2). Delafield's Biography of Francis Lewis, the Signer, gives a list of the children of Col. Morgan Lewis.—Gen. Ed.

2825. In the same valuable book "Pioneer Mothers of America" (edited by Harry Clinton Green, and Miss Mary Woollcott Green, Regent of the Staten Island Chapter, D. A. R. and published by G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York City), the statement is made that James Wilson, the Signer, was born in Eng., came to this country in 1766, practiced law in Reading and Cambridge, and also in Annapolis, and finally took up his residence in Philadelphia. He died suddenly in Edenton, N. C., in 1798.
where he was presiding at a session of the Federal court, to which he had been appointed by President Washington. He married Rachael Bird, dau. of Wm. Bird of Bucks Co., Penna. in 1771 or '72, and had five children by her: Mary, who m. Paschal Hollingsworth of Phila.; Wm. who d. at Kaskaskia in 1817; Bird, who held a judicial position in Penna. and afterward became a clergyman in N. Y.; James, who was a lieut. in the Navy, resigned his commission, and became a merchant and died at St. Domingo in 1808, and Charles, who was first a midshipman in the Navy, but later a merchant, and d. in Havana in 1800. The ch. whose deaths are noted, d. unm. Rachael (Bird) Wilson d. in 1786, and James Wilson m. (2) Hannah Gray of Boston, Mass., dau. of Ellia Gray, by whom he had one ch., Henry, who d. inf. Mrs. Wilson survived her husband, and later married Dr. Thomas Bartlett of Boston, and died in London in 1807. Paschal and Mary (Wilson) Hollingsworth, had only one child, Emily, who d. unm. and was the last heir of James Wilson, the Signer. See Misc. Gen. Ed. 2829. (2) CADY—ALLEN.—Laura Sophonia Bartlett was not a daughter of Josiah Bartlett, the Signer; neither have I been able to find her name in any genealogy of the Bartlett Family, accessible to me.—Gen. Ed.

2842. NELSON.—Thomas Nelson Jr., son of the Signer, himself known as Thomas Nelson Jr., was born in 1764, and married Frances, a dau. of Gov. John Page.—Gen. Ed.

2866. GWYNNE.—This name spelled Gwin, Gwinn, and Gwyn, is quite frequently mentioned in the List of Va. Rev. Soldiers. There was one (no Christian name) who served from Yohogania Co. Andrew was a pensioner from Hampshire Co., Va.; Humphrey from Matthews Co., Va.; James was a Lieut. of Gloucester Co.; Jesse was a pensioner from Pittsylvania Co., and Samuel from Greenbrier Co. There were also men by name of John, Sovereign, Frederick, Thomas, William, Willis, Edmund, Edward, Joseph and Thomas, who are mentioned in the List of Va. Rev. Soldiers. (See also answer to 1954 (5).—Gen. Ed.

2874. BARTON.—There is a small genealogy of the descendants of Lieut. Wm. Barton of N. J., privately printed, which is to be found in the Congressional Library.—Gen. Ed.

QUERIES.

2868. EMERSON.—Sarah Emerson of N. H. was born April 18, 1775. Her mother died when she was quite small. Her father married again, and raised a large family. About 1793 Sarah married John Love and moved to Northern Vermont. Names of parents of Sarah (Emerson) Love desired. Did her father serve in the Revolution? Any information will be greatly appreciated.—A. L. P.

2869. LELAND—RAWSON.—Thomas Leland, b. Sutton, Mass., Mch. 20, 1756, m. Anna B. Rawson at Grafton, Mass. Aug. 21, 1778, and died at Guilford, Ohio, Oct. 19, 1847. Who were Anna B. Rawson’s parents, and did her father have Rev. service?—M. F. B.

2870. BARBER—COOK—ZAIN.—Joseph Barber b. Jan. 28, 1708, m. Elizabeth Cook (who was b. 1707) and had: Joseph, b. Windsor, Conn., May 6, 1729; Elizabeth; Lucy; and Mary; Joseph, the son, m. a Miss Zain and lived in Harwinton, Conn., later moving to Bethlehem, N. Y.

(3) KENDALL—WHITMORE.—Was John Kendall who m. Hannah Whitmore and served in the Rev. in Capt. Abel Wilder’s Co., the father of Deborah Kendal who was b. May 13, 1751 in Dunstable, Mass., and m. Jerahmeel Cummings Apr. 30, 1771?—Gen. Ed.

(4) HINCKLEY—GILLET.—Has Ebenezer Hinckley, b. 1726, who m. Mary Gillet Apr. 5, 1759, any Rev. service? Mary died April, 1765, and Ebenezer m. (2) Alice Hyde in 1767.

(5) HINCKLEY—BREWSTER.—Did Joe Hinckley, son of the above Ebenezer, who was b. April 1, 1756, and married Hopestill Brewster about 1781 at Lebanon, Conn., have any Rev. service? He d. ab. 1787. (All the above information is taken from the Lebanon, Conn., records, so is true as far as it goes.)—E. F.

2871. WOODBURN—BOWLES.—Isaac Woodburn, b. Petersburg, N. Y., in 1769, m. Eleanor Bowles in R. I. and settled in Cherry Valley, N. Y. His mother’s maiden name was Mary Gilver, and the names of his brothers were: Allen, John, Naphthali and David. What was the first name of his father? Did either of them have Rev. service? Was he related to the Woodburns of Londonderry, N. H., whose descendants are still living in that town?—M. S. W.

2872. COLLIER—STOCKWELL (STOWELL)?—Wanted the dates of birth, marriage and death of Elizabeth Stockwell or Stowell, who married Thos. Collier at Litchfield, Conn. Their third child was b. at Litchfield May 24, 1786. Who were the parents of Elizabeth, and did her father render Rev. service?—M. F. B.

(2) ANDREWS—HULL.—Nicholas Andrews (or Andreas or Andrieson) lived in Greenw. township, N. J., where his son, Martin Andrews was b. Sept. 7, 1778, and died at Steubenville, Ohio, Aug. 20, 1849. He m. in Elizabethtown, Penna., Aug. 12, 1802, Rachel Hull, dau. of David Hull of N. J. Rev. record of Nicholas Andrews and David Hull, if any, desired.—M. M. G.

2873. SULLIVAN.—Information desired of the following families and proof of their service in the Revolution: Darby Sullivan is supposed to have served throughout the entire Rev. as a substitute for two other men, and 1803, and her brothers and sisters were: Spencer, Tourison (?), Dorcas, Sarah and Vincent. Vincent sailed on a ship which was taken by the Algiers. Spencer lived at Richmond. Darby is said to have been related to Gen. Sullivan and to Col. Fletcher. He was a slaveholder in Va. or West Va. and owned a large plantation. Tourison (?), a dau. m. Isaac King and moved to Fredericksburg, and had a son, named John, as well as other children.
(2) Fox—Collyer.—Simeon Fox was b. Eng. and his son, Stephen Edmund, was b. in Conn. He m. Miss Collyer and lived at Litchfield, Conn., where their dau. Fanny was b. Apr. 29, 1797. Miss Collyer's father came to this country with LaFayette. Stephen Fox's second wife was Mrs. Polly Duncan, wid. of Col. Duncan. Their dau. Mary Ann E. Fox was b. in Fairfield, Vt., Dec. 9, 1809.

(3) Colburn.—Josiah Colburn, Jr., was b. at Shoreham, Addison Co., Vt., 11ich. 28, 1791; in Conn. He m. Miss Collyer and lived at St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 1819; Hamilton, Butler Co., Ohio, in 1830. His brothers were: Capt. Thomas, Jonathan, Milton, and Jeremiah. The latter died at Black Rock, N. Y., in 1820, aged 21 yrs. His father, Josiah Colburn, Sen., was supposed to have served in the Rev. He lived at Whitestown, Oriskany, in 1817, and at Farmington, N. Y., and was supposed to have died at Oneida, N. Y. Exact date of birth and death desired, and Rev. record.—C. A. K.

2874. Barton—Leepers.—Parentage and ancestry desired of Margaretta Barton b. July 22, 1813, near Shippenburg, Adams Co., Pa. Her father died when she was four or five years old, and she was adopted by a family, named Leepers, who moved to Ohio, when she was from six to ten yrs. of age. What was the name of her father? Did he serve in the Revolution? If not did her grandfather serve? Is there a Barton genealogy in print?


2876. Rogers.—Would like to know name of wife of Col. John Rogers, who commanded a battalion from Lancaster Co., Penna., in 1777. A dau., Ann, m. James Daugherty, and settled in Western Penna. Would also like dates of birth and death.—W. K. C.

2876. Radcliffe.—Martha Radcliffe m. Robert Strother, a Rev. soldier who d. ab. 1836. Who were her parents? Is there any genealogy of the Radcliffe family? If so, where can I obtain it?

(2) Eastham.—Frances Eastham married Anthony Strother in Culpepper Co., Va., and they were the parents of Robert Strother. Where can I find anything about the Eastham family of Virginia?

(3) Shomaker.—The Shomaker family lived in the southern part of Ohio in the early part of the nineteenth century. Where did they come from? Is there a genealogy of this family?

(4) Carr.—The mother of the Shomaker family, mentioned above, was a Carr. Her mother was Jean Douglas. Can anyone tell me how I can find more about them?—H. R. D.

2877. Carpenter.—Would like ancestry of Ahaz Carpenter, whose parents settled in Jamestown, N. Y.—A. C. B.

2878. Yetter—Bear.—Information desired in regard to the ancestry of Lewis Yetter and his wife, Elizabeth Bear. They were married about 1810 in Lancaster Co., Penna., and were of German descent. The three brothers of Lewis Yetter were: Martin, William and Emanuel. Two sisters of Lewis married two brothers by the name of Long.—K. S.

2879. Taylor.—Timothy Taylor, my mother's grandfather, was said to have been a Minute man in the Rev. His son, Simeon, was also in the war; and perhaps others. He probably m. in Wethersfield. His youngest son was b. in New Preston, Conn. The family moved afterwards to some border town of N. Y. Official proof desired.—E. W. B.

2880. Barrett.—Information desired of a Jonathan Barrett who was born in 1731, m. Sarah Haskell (b. 1734), and is said to have been a Rev. soldier. The family tradition is that he went with Conn. soldiers to the Western Reserve. When and where did he die?—A. B. T.

2881. Hawkins—Robinson.—Nicholas Hawkins, son of Nathan Hawkins, was b. Madison Co., Va., 1760; m. 1786, Ann Robinson. Ann was the dau. of Wm. Robinson and his wife, Sarah Smith. Did Wm. render any Rev. service? He was b. in Spottsylvania Co., Ky., and later moved to Madison Co., Ky. His wife, Sarah Smith, was a dau. of Peyton Smith of Va. Did Nicholas or Nathan Hawkins serve in the Revolution?

(2) Treadway—Foote.—Josiah Treadway, b. Watertown, Mass., 1707, m. Eunice Foote (b. Sept. 16, 1716). They had a son, Amos, who was b. Feb. 19, 1738, and m. Elizabeth Blake. Did either Josiah or Amos serve in the Revolution?—R. N. W.

2882. Lee.—My grandfather, Robert Alexander Lee, lived all his life in Mecklenburg Co., N. C., near Charlotte. What relation, if any, was he to Gen. Robert E. Lee? He had a brother William Lee, who moved to Miss.; a sister, Jancy, who died in infancy.—L. J. H.

2883. Smith.—Wanted, dates and places of birth, death, marriage, and name of wife, also Rev. service, if any, of Jehiel Smith (called Captain) who lived at Great Barrington, Mass., and was buried near Peoria, Ill.

(2) Lindsey.—Same information desired of Ephraim Lindsay, who lived either at Great Barrington or Dracut, Mass., and served two periods in the Rev., the last as Corporal in Capt. Drury's Co. at R. I.

(3) Townsend.—Eber Townsend, son of Henry, was wounded and taken prisoner when the British captured N. Y. City, and was one of the soldiers the British intended to execute had not Washington ordered the execution of two British soldiers for every American so treated. He d. in 1826; month and day desired. His wife's name was Sarah Drew. Official proof of service desired.—E. R. E.

2884. Stephens.—Rev. record desired of Abner Stephens or his father, Thomas Stephens, who lived in Vt. and Mass.

(2) Winslow.—Rev. record also desired of Dr. Shubael Winslow or his father, Thomas Winslow, of Mass. and Vt.

(3) Merrill.—Record also of Nathaniel
Merrill, or his father, Roger Merrill, of Mass. and Vt.

(4) **Foreman.**—Also of John Foreman who died in N. H., but had lived in Newbury, Vt. and Vt.

(5) **Boutwell.**—Record also of James Boutwell or his father, John Boutwell, who at one time lived in Wilmington (either Vt. or Mass.).—L. P. H.

2885. **Ingraham—Robbins.**—Jeremiah Ingraham, b. Dec. 8, 1731, was the son of John Ingraham, b. Bristol, R. I., Dec. 8, 1701, and his wife, Mary Fry, whom he married Dec. 12, 1723. Charles Robbins m. a dau. of Jeremiah Ingraham in Providence, R. I. What was her name? Was it Nancy? He was b. at Bolton, Mass. In Oct. 10, 1816, Charles Robbins, and his wife, Nancy sold their land in Bolton, and moved to Cynthiana, Ky. Was this wife, Nancy, the dau. of Jeremiah Ingraham? Did Charles' father serve in the Revolution? Jeremiah Ingraham served as private in Capt. Caleb Carr's Co., also in Capt. Ebenezer Adams' Co., and in Col. Robert Elliot's regiment of Artillery. He was chosen Captain of the Bristol Co. (R. I.) Militia. Any information in regard to these families will be greatly appreciated.—E. R. T.

2886. **Willis.**—Jonathan and Judith Willis had three sons in the Rev., Jonathan, Jr., Caleb and Joseph. Their residence is given as Brookfield, but tradition says they came from Conn. Joseph, the youngest, was only fourteen at enlistment and took care of Washington's horse at one time. They all re-enlisted in 1780; and in 1781 a man named Jonathan Willis, aged 49, enlisted also from Brookfield. Can anyone tell if that was the husband of Judith or not?—J. V. V. C.

2887. **Sampson—Bradford.**—Jonathan Sampson and his sister, Deborah Sampson, were grandchildren of Gov. Wm. Bradford. What part did they or either of them take in the Rev. war? What were the names of their parents? Any information desired.—C. M. S.

2888. **Boulton—Tyler.**—Who were the parents of Judge Wood Boulton and his wife, Joanna Tyler? They were of Charlotte Co., Va., but I have no dates of birth, marriage or death. Rev. record also desired. Was it Judge Wood Boulton's dau. or gr.-dau. that married John J. R. Spencer? Her name was Elizabeth.

(2) **Pierce (Pearce) — Spencer.**—Who were the parents of Frances Pierce (or Pearce) who married Thomas Cole Spencer of Charlestown, Co., Va., in 1793. Rev. record also desired. Was she related to President Franklin Pierce? If so, how?

(3) **Fennell — Spencer.**—Who were the parents of Elizabeth W. Fennell, who married Thomas Cole Spencer, Jr., the son of the one mentioned above? They were in Charlotte Co., Va., in 1830. Did they have any Rev. record?—M. L. S.

2889. **Morse.**—Can anyone give names of children of Jesse Morse, a sergeant in the Revolution from Massachusetts?

(2) **Barton.**—Was Pliny Barton, b. Sutton, Mass., ab. 1779, a descendant of Col. Wm. Barton of R. I.?—C. W. P.

2890. **Gary—Weaver.**—Did Wm. Gary, who m. (1) Lucy Ann Weaver, and (2) Rebecca, have Rev. service? He d. in N. C., but came from Va.

(2) **Ousby—Selby.**—Official proof of service desired of Thomas Ousby, of Va., who emigrated to this country from Eng., settled at Williamsburg, and married Mrs. Sara (Litchfield) Selby, and died about 1789.

(3) **Daniel.**—Did Ambrose Daniel, who m. Sarah — have Rev. service? He died in N. C.

(4) **Boylan—Hodge.**—John Boylan, of N. J., married Eleanor Hodge. Did he serve in the Revolution?—U. M. D.

(5) As I live in Halifax, the county-seat of Halifax Co., N. C., I am accessible to the county records, and will gladly exchange any information obtained from them for answers to my questions.—Miss Ursula M. Daniel, Halifax, N. C.

2891. **Knapp—Rockwell.**—Can anyone tell me anything about the descendants of one Wm. Knapp who is reported to have come from England, settled in the state of N. Y., and served in the Rev. war? Did he have a dau. who m. Simmons Rockwell? If so, what was her name, when was she married and what were the names of her children?

(2) **Rockwell.**—Who were the parents of Simmons Rockwell, and did his father serve in the Revolution? Simmons was born in Conn., and afterwards moved to N. Y., living for a time in Chataqua Co.—F. L. D.

2892. **Senter—Nichols.**—Abel Senter, b. Dec. 16, 1758, at Londonderry, N. H., died Nov. 14, 1835, at Harrison, Maine. He was a Rev. soldier, married Sarah Nichols July 16, 1776, at Litchfield, N. H. Who were his parents? Did his father serve in the Revolution? Dates and places of birth, marriage and death also desired of the parents.

(2) **Nichols.**—Sarah Nichols, wid. of Abel Senter, received a pension executed Nov. 15, 1838, at which time she was a resident of Harrison Co., Maine, and 76 yrs. of age. Who were her parents? Wanted, dates and places of birth and death.

Marriages in the Colorado Gold Diggings 1859-1862

List of the first one hundred marriage records, culled from the earliest sources of information obtainable in Denver, Colorado. (Hist. Soc. Files, etc.)

Through the National Committee on Historical Research
Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett, Chairman

(37) News, Apr. 17th, 1861, p. 3. Married, in Denver, Apr. 9th, at Cath. Cathedral, by Rev. S. P. Machebeuf, OWEN KELLY, ESQ., and MISS CARRIE M. PARKS, both formerly of Milwaukee, Wis. (Note: the Cathedral at this time was most probably either of logs or other primitive construction.)

(38) From same paper. Married, April 11, 1861, at res. of Dr. Morrison, by Rev. Kehler, CHARLES H. PIERRSON, and MISS MARIA B. ULINE, both of Arapahoe Co.

(39) News, May 7, 1861. Married, at Golden Gate, on Thursday evening, May 2, 1861, by Rev. J. Adriance, MR. T. C. BRAINERD, and MISS MARY MCCLEERY.


(45) Same paper. Married, on Wed. Eve., last, at the residence of the bride's father on Cherry Creek, by Rev. Mr. Kehler, WM. H. BUCHANAN, ESQ., and Miss ELIZABETH STEELE, both of Arapahoe Co.

(46) News, July 31, 1861. Married, on the evening of the 29th, at the residence of the bride's father in this city, by the Rev. A. S. Billingsley, MR. WILLIAM MAINE, and Miss CHARLOTTE RONK, both of this city.


(48) News, Aug. 8, 1861, p. 3. Married, in this city on Thursday, the 8th inst., by Rev. Mr. Kehler, GEO. W. SHELL, ESQ., and Miss MARIAN MCDAVITT, both of Denver.

(49) News, Aug. 15, 1861, p. 3. Married, on the 14th inst., by Rev. W. Bradford, MR. CHAS. H. BLAKE, and Miss ANNIE R. STEINBERGER, both of this city.

(50) News, Aug. 22, 1861, p. 3. Married, in this city, on Wed. the 21st inst., at the res. of the bride's father, by the Rev. Mr. Kehler, LIEUT. EDWARD W. WYNKOOP, and Miss LOUISA M. BROWN, both of Denver.

(51) News, Sep. 6, 1861, p. 3 (daily). Married, on Thursday last, Sept. 5, 1861, by Rev. Mr. Kehler, THADDEUS W. COOPER, ESQ., and Miss HELEN MCGINNIS, at the residence of the bride's sister, West Denver. Both of this city.

(52) News, Sep. 9, 1861, p. 3. Married, on Sat. last, Sep. 7th, at the rectory of this city, by Rev. Mr. Kehler, JOHN BARTHOLOMEW ESQ., and Miss HESTER WHITING, both of this city.

(53) Same paper: Married on last evening, Sep. 8th, at the Tremont House, in this city, by Rev. A. S. Billingsley, MR. J. C. REMINGTON, and Miss MATILDA DAVIS, of Cole Creek, Colorado.

(54) News, Sep. 10, 1861, p. 3. Married, in this city, at the Jefferson House, on Saturday, the 7th inst., JAMES STEVENSON, of Denver, and Miss MARY O. TOWNSEND, of Central City.

(55) News (daily), Sep. 16, 1861, p. 3. Married, on the 12th inst., by the Rev. A. S. Billingsley, EDWARD C. JACOBSON ESQ., and Miss KATE MOORE, all of this city.

(56) News (daily), Sep. 20, 1861, p. 3. Married, at Central City, on the 14th inst., by Rev. Mr. Kehler, SAMUEL HARRISON ESQ., and Miss CAROLINE LANDON, both of Arap. Co.

(57) Same paper: Married, on the evening of the 10th inst., by Rev. W. A. Kenny, JACOB M. HOKE, to MRS. HANNAH NELSON, all of Denver.
(58) *News* (daily), Sep. 28, 1861, p. 3. Married, at the rectory. Thursday, the 26th inst., by Rev. Mr. Kehler, DANIEL E. KURTZ Esq., and MISS ANNIE W. MARSH, both of Arap. Co.


(60) *News* (daily), Oct. 3, 1861, p. 3. Married, in this city, Wed. last, the 2d inst., by Rev. Mr. Kehler, ALLEN W. FENCE Esq., and MISS MARY E. CROCKER, both of Denver.

(61) *News* (daily), Oct. 15, 1861, p. 3. Married, on the evening of Oct. 14, 1861, by Rev. A. S. Billingsley Esq., at the res. of the bride's father in Golden City, Colorado Territory, Mr. JOHN H. WALL, to MISS LOVETTE A. WILLIAMS, both of the above place.


(63) *News* (daily), Oct. 17, 1861, p. 3. Married, on the 13th inst. in Central City, by the Rev. Mr. Kehler, ANDREW J. KIMBER Esq., and MRS. SAVILLA F. MITCHELL, both of Central City, C. T.

(64) *News* (daily), Oct. 21, 1861, p. 3. Married, on the afternoon of the 19th inst., by Rev. A. S. Billingsley, at res. of Mr. Barber in Denver City, DR. C. F. PARKHURST, Pres. of the New Eng. Mining Co., Hamilton, South Park, to Miss MARY E. COOK, both of Denver.

(65) *News* (daily), p. 3. Oct. 24, 1861. At the res. of the bride's father in Denver City, by Rev. A. S. Billingsley, MR. M. J. DOUGHERTY, and MISS LUCINDA M. CONVERSE N.Y., Phila., and Cinn. papers please copy. Thank for cake, etc., and now our best wishes for the future felicity of bride and groom. May your career, Mike, in the conjugal cast, be as successful as it is and has been in the "art dramatic."

(66) *News* (daily), Nov. 2, 1861, p. 3. Married, at Fort Wise, at the res. of the bride's father, on the eve of the 24th Oct., by the Rev. Mr. Kehler, Capt. ELMER OTIS, of the 4th Cavalry, commanding officer of the Post, to MISS AGNES R. BOONE, dau. of Col. A. G. Boone, Indian Agent, both of Fort Wise, Colorado Territory.

(67) *News* (daily), Nov. 8, 1861, p. 3. Married, on the evening of the 7th inst., by Rev. A. S. Billingsley, at the Tremont House, Mr. S. H. GILL, and MISS RACHEL OVERPECK, both of Denver.

(68) *News* (daily), Nov. 16, 1861, p. 2. Married, on the eve of the 15th inst., at the res. of the bride's father, in Denver City, by Rev. A. S. Billingsley, Mr. CHARLES G. PARSONS, and MISS ELLEN A. CONVERSE, both of Denver.

(69) *News* (daily), Dec. 7, 1861, p. 3. Married, at Fort Wise, on the evening of the 22d inst., by Rev. Mr. Kehler, Chaplain of the 1st Reg. of the Colo. Vols., GEORGE AUX Esq., soldier of the Regiment, to MISS MINDINNA SWENA, both of Camp Weld. So our fair friend and poetical contributor Minnie Swena "has entered on a new stanza in life!" Well, we wish you happiness; love and poetry will always get together.


(71) Same paper. Married, on the evening of the 25th inst., at the res. of Mr. Moa, of this city, by John Wanless, J. P., Mr. DANIEL ROSE, and MISS HARRIET NUMMEN.

(72) *News* (daily), Dec. 30, 1861, p. 2. Married, by Judge C. H. Smith, at Lauret, Buckskin Joe Dist., on Tuesday, Dec. 24th, Mr. DANIEL S. BENTLEY, and Miss MOLLY O. TODD.

The following records were culled from the Land Record books of Arapahoe County:


(74) Liber H. p. 455. Aug. 14, 1861. mge. certificate (see no. 49). CHAS. H. BLAKE, ANNIE E. STEINBERGER.

(75) Cert. of Mge. by Wm. Bradford, issued, March 28, 1861, and recorded July 15, 1861. (Land records, Grantors.) GEO. W. MEER, JEMIMA ROBERTS.

1862.


(77) Same paper. Married, at the res. of the groom in Denver, on Christmas, by Judge T. S. WRIGHT, Mr. W. W. LETSON, of Overland City, Carson Valley, and MISS LIZZIE A. TERRILL, of Grenada, Kansas.

by Rev. A. S. Billingsley, Andrew W. Bar
nard, and Miss Lizzie S. Weddell, all of the
above named place.

(84) News (daily), Jan 25, 1862. Married,
in Overland City, Jan. 22, 1862, Geo. W.
Chapman, and Miss Anna S. Walker, of
said city.

(85) News (daily), Jan. 30, 1862, p. 3.
Married, on the 29th day of Jan., 1862, by P.
P. Wilcox Esq., at the house of Henry Feuer-
stein, in the city of Denver, Mr. George Gomx,
and Miss Anna Zwiefel, both of Nevada
City.

(86) News (daily), Feb. 3, 1862, p. 3.
Married, at the res. of Mrs. Palmer in Den-
ver City, on the 2d inst., by Rev. Mr. Kehler,
Edward L. Gallatin Esq., and Miss Rhoda
M. Parker, both of this city.

(87) News (daily), Feb. 4, 1862, p. 3.
Married, at the res. of the bride on the eve
of the 29th ult. by Judge Bristol, Mr. J. E.
Rutledge, and Miss Mary Hooper, dau. of
Dr. Hooper, both of Central City.

(88) News (daily), Feb. 14, 1862, p. 3.
Married, at the res. of the bride's sister, by
Thomas McGavran, Justice of the Peace, Mr.
Herman Horst, and Miss Barbara Kirch-
ner, all of this city.

(89) News (daily), Feb. 17, 1862, p. 3.
Married, at the res. of the bride's father in
Denver, on the evening of the 18th inst., by
the Chaplain, Lieut. Charles Kerber, of the
1st Reg. Colo. Vols., to Miss Eugenia Demel
Court Buttrick.

(90) Same paper: Married, at the rectory,
on the 13th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Kehler,
Edgerton Perry Esq., formerly of Canada,
and Miss Delila A. Bonham, of Ills.

(91) News, March 10, 1862, p. 3. Married,
on the evening of the 8th inst., at res. of Mr.
Wright, W.D., by Rev. Kehler, Edward B.
Cosens Esq., and Miss Mattie E. Recker.

(92) News, March 4, 1862, p. 3. (daily).
Married on the evening of Feb. 28th, 1862,
by W. Hobbs, J.P., Mr. Wm. Cook, and Miss
Eunice Burns, both of Mountain City.

(93) News (daily), March 7, 1862, p. 3.
Married, on Monday, March 5, by Thomas
McGavran Esq., J.P., at his office on Ferry
St., Mr. Wm. A. Hobbs, and Mrs. Nancy A.
Harris, all of Denver City.

(94) News (daily), March 25, 1862, p. 3.
Married, on the evening of the 19th inst., at
the Verandah Hotel, Central City, by the Rev.
Mr. Johnson, Mr. H. N. Shannon, and Miss
Matilda W. Kelsey, all of Central City.

(95) News, Apr. 15, 1862, p. 3. Married,
on Monday evening, April 14th, 1862, at the
residence of William N. Byers near this city,
by the Rev. J. H. Kehler, Andrew Sagerdorf,
and E. Dora McCook.

(96) News (daily), Apr. 25, 1862, p. 3.
Married, on the eve of the 24th inst., at the
rectory in Denver, by Rev. Mr. Kehler, John
Cromie Esq., and Miss Mary Kelly, both of
this city.

(97) News (daily), May 15, 1862, p. 2.
Married, in the city, on Wed. eve, the 14th
inst., by Rev. Mr. Kehler, Mr. Alexander G.
Sterling, and Mrs. Catherine Thurston,
both of Denver.

(98) News, May 19th, 1862. Married,
on the 18th inst., by P. P. Wilcox Esq., at res.
of Mr. Joseph J. Minter, William P. Fox,
and Miss Maria Ayres, both of this city.

(99) News (daily), May 9, 1862, p. 3.
Married, in California Gulch, on the 18th of
April, 1862, by D. P. Smith Esq., at the residence
of L. Booth, Mr. S. H. Fouts and Mrs. Leah
Wright.

(100) News (daily), May 10, 1862, p. 2.
Married, at Haynes' Ranche, on the Arkans
sas River, Apr. 30, 1862, by Gen. Simpson
Esq., Mr. S. B. Watrous of New Mexico,
and Miss Rose D. Chapin, of Holyoke, Mass.

Fund for Social Laboratories

Mrs. Elizabeth Milbank Anderson has
given $650,000 for social welfare labora-
tories to be conducted by the New York
Association for Improving the Condition
of the Poor. This will be known as the
Milbank Memorial Gift and makes pos-
sible the establishment of a department
of Social Welfare to conduct experimen-
tal laboratories for the purpose of demon-
strating the practicability of preventive
and constructive measures, in order that
they may be adopted by the municipality
and other existing civic and social agen-
cies.

Mrs. Anderson's offer of this munifi-
cent gift, which has just been accepted
by the Board of Managers, was made in
a letter addressed on March 5 to R. Ful
ton Cutting, President of the Association,
in which she indicated in a general way
the objects she had in mind. "I fully ap-
preciate," she informed Mr. Cutting,
"the necessity for ministering to the
physical needs of the sick, disabled and
unfortunate, but in undertaking the work
outlined in this letter I wish to make it
clear that the proposed Department of
Social Welfare is to concern itself, in so
far as it employs funds supplied by me, with a social program based upon preventive and constructive measures.

"Generally speaking, therefore, this program should include those activities which are calculated to prevent sickness and thus diminish poverty, such, for example, as the promotion of cleanliness and sanitation and aid in securing a proper food supply. In this connection your Association will doubtless find it advisable, in some cases, to cooperate with public authorities and with existing agencies having similar objects in view where such agencies are practicing approved methods in fulfilling their purposes, while in other cases it may probably be necessary to establish the work as a new enterprise, and in still other cases it will perhaps be prudent to devote some time and money to investigation and research before assurances can be given that any proposed measure will accomplish the object sought to be attained.

"With the funds at your disposal I would expect you to create the proposed Department of Social Welfare, and to distribute the enterprises to be conducted under its supervision among at least three sub-departments or committees, one dealing with matters pertaining to Public Health and Hygiene, one dealing with matters pertaining to the Welfare of School Children, and one with matters pertaining to Food Supply."

In announcing the acceptance of the gift by the Board of Managers, John A. Kingsbury, General Agent of the Association, said:

"Mrs. Anderson’s gift enables the Association to bring its work nearer the original purpose as expressed in its constitution; namely, the elevation of moral and physical conditions and, so far as compatible with these objects, the relief of necessities. The Association is deeply grateful not only for the magnificent contribution, but also for the admirable suggestions by Mrs. Anderson as to constructive and preventive lines of work which, if carried out in the manner proposed, will have a pronounced result in diminishing the amount of destitution in the city.

"It is Mrs. Anderson’s desire that the Committee on the Welfare of School Children make a searching and thoroughly scientific inquiry into the subject of ventilation of school buildings and other public buildings in New York. For this purpose a committee of experts will be organized for independent research and experimental work.

"The Committee on the Welfare of School Children will enable the School Lunch Committee, which had been about to discontinue, to extend and broaden the admirable work of serving hot lunches at approximately cost to school children, in accordance with the policy of cooperation between the Board of Education and the School Lunch Committee which has been successful for several years. With this support it is expected that the School Lunch Committee will be able by the beginning of the next school year to serve lunches to the children of approximately fourteen schools instead of seven, as at present.

"The problem of extending and improving the present system of medical inspection of school children, and of increasing the clinic facilities for the treatment of physical defects of school children, especially of the teeth, will be taken up by the committee in cooperation with existing agencies. More sanitary methods of cleaning school rooms and of providing sanitary drinking fountains also will be considered by the committee.

"Mrs. Anderson has also suggested considering the introduction of public bake shops in this city, which she believes have been very successful abroad.

"The program of the Committee on Food Supply so far as it has been outlined includes an investigation concerning the scientific production of various articles of food, its purchase in larger quantities, its scientific storage, its efficient and honest handling, and the latest facts as to relative food values. The object of this inquiry will be to ascertain how the cost of food can be reduced to the consumer and its nourishing qualities increased."

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MRS. MARY LCUCINDA SHATTUCK, the oldest member and first Chaplain General of the Prudence Wright Chapter, died December 30, 1912, at her home in Pepperell, Mass. On February 9, 1913 death claimed another member of the Chapter, Miss LOUELLA VEBOY SHATTUCK. Both were faithful and devoted members who will be greatly missed.

MISS KATHARINE MCMARTIN, one of the younger members of Johnstown Chapter and President of the Col. Willett Society, D. A. R., died on Saturday, March 1, 1913 at her home in Johnstown, N. Y.

MRS. ANNIE CUMMINGS MANNING died in Talladega, Ala., January 30, 1913. Mrs. Manning was for a long time Historian of the Andrew Jackson Chapter and one of Talladega's most gifted and cultured women; one whose companionship was a real pleasure and a source of uplift. Mrs. Manning was a native of the State of Maine, born in the city of Bangor, the daughter of Col. and Mrs. George Cummings. She is survived by her husband, F. H. Manning, and two children, Mrs. E. H. Dryer of Birmingham, and a son, Thomas C. Manning of the University of Alabama.

MISS WILHELMINA RANDALL, a member of Tioughnioga Chapter, Cortland, N. Y., died February 21, 1913. Miss Randall was born September 4, 1819, and was a member of the old Randall family which traces its ancestry back to the period of the Norman conquest of England in 1066.

MRS. ELIZABETH R. TOWNSEND, a charter member of Chester County Chapter, Pa., died in Chicago, Ill., October 26, 1912. She was a daughter of the Rev. Edward Mendenhall and descended from Captain Samuel Culbertson and Lieutenant Colonel Jonathan Jones.

MRS. MARGARET LUKENS BEESON, also a member of Chester County Chapter, died in Pittsburgh, Pa., January 25, 1913. She was a daughter of Charles Lukens, born in the shadow of the Block House at Pittsburgh and a granddaughter of Major Charles Lukens. Her great grandfather, John Lukens, was Surveyor General of Pennsylvania and Delaware for thirty years.

MRS. MARTHA A. SCOTT HAND, first Regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Kansas, died at the home of her daughter, Dr. Eliza Hand Jerrane in Los Angeles, Cal., January 1, 1913.

Mrs. Hand was appointed Regent for Kansas by the National Board in 1894, owing her appointment to the fact that her father, William Thornton Scott, was the only Real Son belonging to the Sons of the American Revolution in Kansas. His father was Samuel Scott, Revolutionary soldier.

She was born in Bainbridge, Indiana, August 8, 1845. Her parents, William Thornton Scott and Sarah Sellers Scott, were Kentuckians, moving to Indiana soon after their marriage. Mrs. Hand organized the Topeka Chapter in 1896 and soon after those at Lawrence, Wichita and Ottawa. She resigned her Regency in 1899 and shortly after her husband's death, moved to Los Angeles. A few years ago she transferred from the Topeka Chapter to the Los Angeles Chapter.

MRS. IZELL LAWSON HILL, died at Lakeport, California, on January 16, 1913. She was a “Real Daughter” and a member of Joseph Spencer Chapter of Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Hill was born at Aberdeen, Adams Co., Ohio, May 5, 1808. The family was related to the Washingtons.

She was the oldest living person in California and said to be the oldest Daughter of the American Revolution, having lived to the age of almost one hundred and five years.

A life filled with patriotic zeal, noble ideals and unwavering faith in God, Joseph Spencer Chapter has been proud to have her as one of its members.

MRS. MARY E. TOMPKINS, whose death occurred at Ebensburg, Pa., December 5, 1912, was a loyal and devoted member of Susquehanna Chapter, of Clearfield, Pa. Her interest in this organization represented but one of her many activities and she is missed and mourned by the entire community as one whose place is difficult to fill.

MRS. E. E. DRAYER, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., on Tuesday, January 28, 1913. Miss Overton, daughter of the late Henry Overton and Sarah Wood Overton, was born in Wilkes-Barre, September 15, 1845. She was descended on the paternal side from Gen. Robert Overton, who fought under Cromwell and was the first of the name in America, coming about 1650 to Boston. Her ancestors in both the Overton and Wood families fought for American Independence throughout the Revolution. She held the office of registrar of the Wyoming Valley Chapter.
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Mrs. Augusta Danforth Greer, 1896. MRS. J. MORGAN SMITH, 1911.
Mrs. Mildred S. Mathes, 1899. MRS. CHARLES H. DEFRER, 1912.
Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, 1905. MRS. JOHN R. WALKER, 1912.
Mrs. William Lindsay, 1906. MRS. THEODORE C. BATES, 1913.
Mrs. E. Gaylord Putnam, 1913.
A regular meeting of the National Board of Management was held in the Board Room of Memorial Continental Hall on Thursday, February 6, 1913.

The President General called the meeting to order at 10:15 A.M., the following members being present:

President General, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott; Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, Mrs. Henry L. Mann; Vice-Presidents General as follows: of Delaware, Miss Sophie Waples; of Michigan, Mrs. James P. Brayton; of Tennessee, Mrs. Charles B. Bryan; of West Virginia, Mrs. R. H. Edmondson; of Massachusetts, Mrs. Charles H. Bond; of Virginia, Mrs. George S. Shackleford; of New Jersey, Mrs. William Libbey; of Maine, Mrs. Charles F. Johnson; of Wisconsin, Mrs. William H. Crosby; Chaplain General, Miss Elisabeth F. Pierce; Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins; Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. William F. Dennis; Registrar General, Mrs. Gailus M. Brumbaugh; Treasurer General, Mrs. William D. Hoover; Historian General, Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett; Assistant Historian General, Mrs. Henry M. Thompson; Librarian General, Miss Amaryllis Gillett; State Regents as follows: of Connecticut, Mrs. John L. Buel; of the District of Columbia, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood; of Georgia, Mrs. Shepard W. Foster; of Illinois, Mrs. George A. Lawrence; of Kansas, Mrs. George T. Guernsey; of Kentucky, Mrs. William H. Thompson; of Maryland, Mrs. Robert G. Hogan; of Michigan, Mrs. Arthur M. Parker; of New Jersey, Mrs. Charles B. Yardley; of New York, Mrs. Willard S. Augsbury; of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Henry H. Cumings.

The Chaplain General said that the 25th Psalm, which she later read, seemed a beautiful one for our contemplation, and carried out further the thought which she had brought to the Board the morning before in regard to the special call to prayer for the coming weeks. Following the prayer by the Chaplain General, the Board joined in repeating the Lord's prayer.

The State Regent of Connecticut stated that the Connecticut Daughters had asked her to bring the following resolutions to the Board, and, continuing, said that Mrs. Mary Hepburn Smith had served four years as Vice-President General for Connecticut. "At the funeral services, Mrs. Kinney took from its staff a large silk flag and placed it around her in the casket, so that as she lived beneath the folds of the flag, she now rests beneath the folds of the flag."

At the request of the President General, the Board arose as a mark of respect, and upon motion of the State Regent of Connecticut, seconded by the Chaplain General, it was voted that these resolutions be spread upon the Minutes:

RESOLUTIONS COMMEMORATIVE OF MRS. MARY HEPBURN-SMITH.

Adopted by the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution, at their State Meeting, November 8, 1912.

At the meeting of the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution, held at Waterbury on November 8, 1912, the following resolutions and tribute presented by Mrs. Sara Thomson Kinney, Honorary State Regent of Connecticut, were adopted:

"It is with unfeigned sorrow that announcement is made to the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution, of the death of Mrs. Mary Hepburn-Smith, Regent of FreeloVE Baldwin Stowe Chapter of Milford and ex-Vice-President General of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Though failing in health for some weeks, the illness which brought to a close the earthly life of our long-time friend and associate was of brief duration, and on Wednesday, October 30, 1912, crowned with honorable years, and enshrined in the hearts of her associates as a noble example of the best type of American womanhood, she passed from life to life.

To speak worthily of this old-time and new-time gentlewoman would be a difficult task at any time, and it cannot be even attempted on such an occasion as this. But it is possible briefly to refer to the nearly 88 years which she spent in this world, during which she was a true torch bearer for the Lord of Hosts and a living, loving, vivid example of sincerity, of noble ideals and of consecration to the highest and best interests of home and country. For her there were never two sides to a question, there was always a right side—"God's side," as she quaintly expressed it, and she never recognized any other side. With the utmost courage of her convictions she was always ready and eager to battle for "God's side" and nothing so satisfied her as to spend and be spent in the service of home and country. It may well be doubted that her patriotic fervor could be outclassed by that of any other woman in the United States. Love of country was a passion with her; the national flag always floated upon the lawn, which was a beautiful setting for the luxurious home where she dispensed such royal hospitality to..."
hosts of friends and very especially to Daugh-
ters of the American Revolution. During the
last hours of her earthly life, and while in
the delirium caused by waning vitality, she
three times sang snatches of "My Country
Tis of Thee." This shows the vivid visions
of the grand old patriot which will always re-
main in the memory of those who knew and
loved her best.

Of Mrs. Smith's benefactions it is also
difficult to speak. Her purse was always open
to the needs of the poor; her various philan-
thropies, her charities, her numberless acts
of kindness to the sick, the suffering and the
desolate were little known to the world; they
were unrecorded save in the one book whose
leaves may not be turned by human hands.
The Connecticut Daughters and especially the
Chapter of which she was Regent, from the
time of its organization to the time of her
departure hence, are carrying a heavy debt
of gratitude for all that she did for our or-
ganization. The Chapter House at Milford, is
one of her monuments, and no Connecticut
Daughter will ever again cross its threshold
without recalling with warmest affection the
genial characteristics, the youthful vivacity,
the quaint humor, the sturdy virtues, the
strong, purposeful, conscientious friend and
comrade to whom we have said our last fare-
well.

WHEREAS: A great loss has been sus-
tained by the Connecticut Daughters of the
American Revolution in the death of Mrs.
Mary Hepburn-Smith, Regent of the Freelove
Baldwin Stowe Chapter of Milford, an ex-
Vice-President General of the National So-
ciety of the Daughters of the American Revo-
lution, and

WHEREAS: In her various roles of Vice-
President and Regent, of friend, comrade and
benefactor, she served her country, her state
and her Chapter with loyalty, wisdom and dis-
tinction. And

WHEREAS: The record of such a life
and the influence of such an example should
not be permitted to fade from the memory of
her associates.

Therefore be it resolved: That this me-
morial record of our affection, our apprecia-
tion, and the loss to us as individuals and as
members of an organization which she loved,
and served both wisely and well, be added to
our archives, and copies thereof be sent to
the family of the deceased, to the Freelove
Baldwin Stowe Chapter, and to the Board of
Management of the National Society Daugh-
ters of the American Revolution.

The Recording Secretary General, in ex-
planation of the two regular meetings of the
Board called for February 5th and 6th, stated
that according to the N. S. D. A. R. Constitu-
tion, "No officer shall be elected by the Na-
tional Board of Management at the same meet-
ing at which she is nominated." Notices of
these two regular meetings having been sent
out, the Board, if it had been considered ex-
pedient, could have filled the vacancy caused
by the death of Mrs. Noyes.

The Recording Secretary General then read
the following letter:

"To the President General and the Board
of Management of the National Society,
Daughters of American Revolution:

The Board of Management of the Chicago
Chapter of the Daughters of the American
Revolution do most urgently request that, in
deference to, and in reverence for, the mem-
ory of our beloved Vice-President General,
Mrs. La Verne Noyes, the vacancy caused
by her passing remain unfilled until the elec-
tion in April.

HELEN WAYNE MACALLA,
Recording Secretary.

January 14th, 1913."

The President General stated that, had it
not been for this request and for the wishes
of the honored State Regent of Illinois, she
would have presented the name of a very
dear friend to fill this vacancy. Under the
circumstances, she would not present the
name, but in justice to her friend, made this
statement to the Board.

The Recording Secretary General, as Secre-
tary of the Executive Committee, stated that
the Board, having delegated to that Commit-
tee "power to act in all matters requiring im-
mediate attention between the regular meet-
ing of the Board," when matters connected
with the Magazine needed immediate atten-
tion, the President General called a meeting
of the Executive Committee, and asked the
Chairman of the Magazine Committee, Mrs.
Swormstedt, and Mr. Luebkert, of the Audit
Company employed by the Society, to be
present at this meeting held December 11,
1912, and after a lengthy discussion of Maga-
azine matters, the following motion was
adopted:

"That the Executive Committee authorizes
the Magazine Committee to take such action
as is necessary to ensure the continued pub-
cation of the Magazine, and to draw on the
Treasurer General for necessary funds to
that end, not exceeding one thousand dollars
($1,000.00)."

A copy of this motion was sent to the
Treasurer General, and to the Chairman of
the Magazine Committee.

The President General then brought up for
further consideration the request, made by
certain members of the D. A. R. in China,
for an officer for the organization in that
country, corresponding to the State Regent
provided for the States, Territories and the
District of Columbia in this country.

The Recording Secretary General stated
that, as the Constitution would have to be
amended to include this new officer, and to
make her a member of the National Board
and Continental Congress, she would suggest
that this Board recommend that the Commit-
tee on Revision present to the Congress an
amendment to the proposed Revision of the
Constitution, which should provide for an
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## Spoons.

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Stationery—State Regents.

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**Telephone.**

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**Twenty-second Continental Congress.**

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Transfer to Permanent Fund (ordered by Twenty-first Continental Congress)... 10,000.00

Balance on hand January 31, 1913... 2,773.33

On deposit in National Metropolitan Bank... 2,773.33

**Emily Nelson Ritchie McLean Historical Fund.**

As at last report, September 30, 1912... 1,471.08

Franco-American Fund.

As at last report, September 30, 1912... 202.50

**Patriotic Education Fund.**

**RECEIPTS.**

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NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

Chester County Chapter, Pennsylvania ................................. 50.00
George Clymer Chapter, Pennsylvania .................................. 25.00
Mrs. J. H. Hillman, Pittsburgh Chapter, Pennsylvania .............. 1,000.00
Adam Dale Chapter, Tennessee ........................................... 35.00
Bonny Kate Chapter, Tennessee ........................................... 10.00
Campbell Chapter, Tennessee ............................................. 10.00
Colonel Thomas McCrory Chapter, Tennessee ......................... 5.00
Cumberland Chapter, Tennessee .......................................... 10.00
Jackson-Madison Chapter, Tennessee ................................... 6.70
Esther McCrory Chapter, Texas ......................................... 20.00
Fairfax County Chapter, Virginia ....................................... 10.00
Margaret Lynn Lewis Chapter, Virginia ................................ 10.00
Mrs. Samuel W. Jamison, Margaret Lynn Lewis Chapter, Virginia .... 10.00
James Wood Chapter, West Virginia .................................... 50.00

DISBURSEMENTS.
Berry School, Georgia .................................................... 645.00
Berea College, Kentucky .................................................. 50.00
Hindman School, Kentucky ................................................ 31.50
Matthew T. Scott Academy and Industrial School, Kentucky ....... 500.00
Dorothy Sharpe School, North Carolina ................................ 12.50
Maryville College, Tennessee ............................................ 1,400.00
Tennessee D. A. R. School, Tennessee ................................ 50.70
Mountain Missions, Virginia ............................................. 30.00
Southern Industrial Education Association ............................ 75.00

Forwarded Direct to Schools.
Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter, Indiana ................................ $60.00
Margery Sullivan Chapter, New Hampshire ............................. 10.00
Cayuga Chapter, New York ................................................ 25.00

Note.—In the report June 1 to September 30, 1912, the contribution of $1,000.00 from Mrs. Buel, State Regent of Connecticut, was sent for: "The Elizabeth Belcher Bullard Memorial Scholarship given for girl students by Mrs. Elizabeth C. Barney Buel of Litchfield, Connecticut, through the Mary Floyd Tallmadge Chapter, D. A. R., in memory of a great friendship."

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE PERMANENT FUND.
Balance in banks at last report, September 30, 1912 ................ $3,644.40

RECEIPTS.
Charter Fees ................................................................... 174.00
Life Membership Fees ....................................................... 1,675.00
Continental Hall Contributions.

ALABAMA.
Francis Marion Chapter ...................................................... $10.00
Mrs. Nora E. Miller, Tohopeka Chapter—refinishing desk, freight and drayage—Room ............................................. 30.62

CALIFORNIA.
Auraria Chapter—Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial ................ 5.00
Mrs. Sarah F. Sanborn, at large .......................................... 3.65

CONNECTICUT.
Connecticut Chapters, marking column ................................ 6.38
Pammy Ledyard Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial ...... 5.00
Lucretia Shaw Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial ...... 5.00
Mary Clapp Wooster Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial . . . . 2.00
Sabra Trumbull Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial .... 2.00
Sarah Whitman Trumbull Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial ............................................. 1.00

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
Judge Lynn Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial ........... 5.00
Livingston Manor, account of chair for banquet hall ............. 12.50
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**EXPENDITURES.**

**Life Membership fees refunded—**
- *Old Elyton Chapter, Alabama:* $75.00
- *Baron de Kalb Chapter, Georgia:* 12.50
- *Parsippany Chapter, New Jersey:* 12.50

**Bills Payable**

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**Balance on hand January 31, 1913**

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The Treasurer General read the following report from Mrs. Block and asked to have one more name reinstated, which was granted.

**MRS. W. M. D. HOOVER,**
Treasurer General, N. S. D. A. R.

My dear MRS. HOOVER:

I forwarded report for November meeting, and since then I have received orders for 96 single Certificates and 156 pledges of a penny a day.

Total Certificates to date... $2,553.00
Up to Jan. 1st, amount due National Society... 2,406.30
Remittances to Treasurer General:
- Nov. 1, 1912... $1,940.40
- Dec. 1, 1912... 100.00
- Jan. 31, 1913... 300.00 $2,340.40

A full report will be given at the Congress.

Very sincerely yours,
(Signed) MRS. WILLIARD BLOCK.

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A motion endorsing this action of the Executive Committee was put and carried.

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ELIZABETH F. PIERCE,
Secretary of Committee.
The State Regent of the District of Columbia expressed disappointment that the proposed changes had not been made in the Bill. Miss Pierce stated that the minds of the Committee had been set at rest by the legal advisors who deemed that no risk was being run and the Committee stood for the Bill as presented.

A motion to accept the report was put and carried.

In reply to the request of the Treasurer General for information in regard to a certain matter, the Assistant Historian General, seconded by the Recording Secretary General, moved:

"That the Treasurer General be asked to write to the Chapter to which the member-at-large wishes to be transferred, advising them to ask for an endorsement from the Chapter from which the member withdraws."

Miss Gillett, as Chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee, asked for further instructions in regard to the flexotype machine.

Upon motion of the Recording Secretary General, seconded by the Historian General and Registrar General, it was voted:

"That the matter of the purchase of this printing machine be left to the discretion of the Building and Grounds Committee."

The Recording Secretary General presented the request of the Chairman of the Committee on Children of the Republic for the formal authorization by the Board of the change of the name of the Committee to Children and Sons of the Republic.

Upon motion of the Assistant Historian General, seconded by the Registrar General, it was voted:

"That the Recording Secretary General be authorized to reply to the State in question that the State must settle the State matter according to their State By-Laws and Robert's Rules of Order."

The State Regent of New York stated that there were two questions she would like to ask. The first one was:

"Can any State refuse a Chapter the privilege of voting in its State Conference which has not paid its per capita tax?"

The Recording Secretary General replied that according to the National Constitution every Chapter is entitled to the same representation in the Conference which elects State Regent, State Vice-Regent and Honorary State Regent, and nominates Vice-President General, as in Congress, but that a State can hold meetings, for the transaction of all other State business, which may be governed by By-Laws which make the privilege of voting dependent upon the payment of a per capita tax.

The second question was:

"Whether the State officers, when they are not delegates can vote on the question of State Regent and State Vice-Regent?"

The Recording Secretary General replied that the Constitution called for the election of State Regent and State Vice-Regent by delegates elected by the Chapters.

The State Regent of New York replied that that had been precisely her ruling, but that she was glad to have it confirmed at a meeting of the Board.

The State Regent of Illinois asked if as State Regent she had the right to bring before the Board a candidate for an office representing the State—Vice-President General perhaps—who had not been endorsed by her Chapter, or by the majority of the State?

The President General stated that the Board can fill vacancies, and that she had intended to ask the appointment of a very dear friend, but that in deference to the State Regent and to the Chicago Chapter, she did not do so.

The State Regent of New York asked if any nomination for a National office would be considered if the candidate had not been endorsed by her Chapter?

The Vice-President General of Tennessee stated that according to the Constitution the Vice-President General from a State to be nominated for election must be the choice of the majority of the delegates, at the State meeting assembled in Washington, or the choice of the duly elected delegates at the State Conference, irrespective of her Chapter.

The Recording Secretary General stated that the President General had received a letter from Mrs. Laird, of California, who asked that the list of questions she enclosed be presented to the National Board at its next meeting. After considering several of the questions, it was voted, upon motion of the Historian General:

"That the Recording Secretary General be authorized to reply to Mrs. Laird, of California, that the State must settle the State matter according to their State By-Laws and Robert's Rules of Order."

The Recording Secretary General said that she had studied carefully the questions sent by Mrs. Laird, and had written out for each one the reply which she considered appropriate.

The President General stated that Mrs. Elizabeth Eddy Richards, of Hillsboro, Ohio, had sent two verses, written by Dr. Van Dyke, and asked for an endorsement in favor of their addition to "America."

Upon motion of the Vice-President General of New Jersey, seconded by the State Regent of Connecticut, it was voted:

"That since the N. S. D. A. R. has no authority to make any addition to the hymn 'America,' we therefore can take no action."
The President General stated that a petition had been sent by Mrs. G. F. Kolnitz, Regent of Rebecca Motte Chapter, of Charleston, S. C., which she asked the members of the Board to sign if it is sent to the United States Congress, where a bill in regard to this matter has already been presented.

Upon motion of the Assistant Historian General, it was voted to refer this matter to the Chairman of the Committee on the Preservation of Historic Spots.

The State Regent of Pennsylvania asked if a Daughter who had joined in the early days, and who, when her papers later were found to be incorrect, had not been able to perfect her line, is eligible to hold office?

The Registrar General stated that she understood, once a Daughter always a Daughter, but that those who had not been able to correct errors in their original lines had been asked to try and find another line.

The Assistant Historian General stated that she would say in reply to the question asked by the State Regent of Pennsylvania, that the Daughter mentioned could hold office if elected.

The Recording Secretary General said that she had been frequently asked to give an opinion in regard to the legal method of electing the State Regent and State Vice-Regent, and also in regard to who is entitled to vote for these officers, and she wished to learn if the other members of the Board held the same opinion in regard to these matters as she did. She held that if the Chapters of a State did not elect delegates and alternates to a State Conference according to the rules laid down in the Constitution, then the State Regent and State Vice-Regent should be elected by the delegates to the Congress. Mrs. Jamison's motion she considered as giving the States the right to hold a meeting this year according to State By-Laws not in harmony with the National Constitution, in order that these by-laws might be legally amended. The Constitution calls for the election of State Regent and State Vice-Regent by delegates elected by the Chapters and does not give the right to vote for State Regent and State Vice-Regent to Chairmen of Committees or State Officers other than the State Regent, or in her absence the State Vice-Regent. The Constitution does, however, give National officers the right to vote at Board meetings and in the Congress.

The State Regents of Maryland, Kansas and New Jersey were of the opinion that the adoption of Mrs. Jamison's motion gave the States the right this year to elect their State Regent and State Vice-Regent at a State Conference not delegated according to the Constitution.

The President General asked the Board to confirm the appointment, as the Advisory Board of the Committee on Revolutionary Relics of Mr. McGuire, of the Corcoran Gallery of Art, and of Mr. M. M. Benjamin and Mr. Theodore T. Belote, of the National Museum.

Upon motion of the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, seconded by the State Regent of New Jersey, their appointment was confirmed.

Miss Gillett, as Chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee, stated that the Committee having been authorized to sell lost articles when it was impossible to find the owners, had secured about six dollars in this way, and purchased a Red Cross outfit. She asked permission to add this to her report.

The Librarian General asked if it was her duty to take care of the Book of Honor and Book of Remembrance, and to have names added as paid for.

Upon motion of the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, seconded by the Historian General, and State Regent of Kansas, it was voted:

"That the Librarian General have charge of the Book of Remembrance and also the Book of Honor, and have names inserted when the sums donated for the same have been paid and authority for insertion shall have been had from those in charge."

The Recording Secretary General said that Mrs. Daniel Lothrop, who presented the Roll of Honor Book, stated at the Congress of 1910 that this book would be closed, and that no more money would be accepted to place names in it after the close of that Congress.

The Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters said that she understood that this book did not contain the name of Miss Eugenia Washington, and asked if the money paid to place names in this book went to Continental Hall.

The Recording Secretary General replied that it did, and then extended an invitation to the members of the Board to meet Our Flag Chapter at her home, 1830 T St., at 4.30 o'clock on the following afternoon, Friday, when Mrs. Claxton, wife of the Commissioner of Education, would talk about the flag. She also invited the members of the Board to meet the Committee on International Peace Arbitration on Saturday at the same place and hour, when Mrs. John Miller Horton, D. A. R. delegate to the Peace Conference, would tell of that meeting.

Upon motion of the Vice-President General of Tennessee, seconded by the State Regent of Connecticut, it was voted at one o'clock to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIE WILKINSON HODGKINS,
(Mrs. Howard L.)
Recording Secretary General.

Approved April 2, 1913.
A special meeting of the National Board of Management was held in the Board Room of Memorial Continental Hall, on Wednesday, March 5, 1913.

The President General called the meeting to order at 4:35 P. M., the following members being present:

President General, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott; Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, Mrs. Henry L. Mann; Vice-President General of Maine, Mrs. Charles F. Johnson; Chaplain General, Miss Elisabeth F. Pierce; Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins; Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. William F. Dennis; Registrar General, Mrs. Gaius M. Brumbaugh; Historian General, Mrs. Charles W. Bassett; State Registrar General of the District of Columbia, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood; of Maryland, Mrs. Robert G. Hogan, and of Massachusetts, Mrs. James G. Dunning; State Vice-Regent of Arizona, Mrs. Will Croft Barnes, and of Indiana, Mrs. William A. Cullop.

Regrets for this meeting had been received from the State Regent of Ohio, Mrs. Thomas Kite; of Vermont, Mrs. Joseph A. DeBoer; of Iowa, Mrs. Harold R. Howell; of Georgia, Mrs. Shepard W. Foster; Vice-Presidents General, of Missouri, Mrs. Ben F. Gray, Jr.; of Wisconsin, Mrs. W. H. Crosby; of Mississippi, Mrs. Chalmers M. Williamson.

The Chaplain General read the following selections from Proverbs on the line of civic righteousness, 14th chapter, 34th verse, and 29th chapter, verses 2d and 18th, and then said that she would read Psalm 119, verses 41 to 48, as that was the portion of the Bible which, according to report, Mr. Wilson's lips had touched the day before, when taking the oath as President. Continuing, the Chaplain General said, the spirit of the Psalm must have given great comfort and strength to his heart. Following the prayer by the Chaplain General, the Board joined in repeating the Lord's prayer.

The Recording Secretary General read the minutes of the regular meeting, held Wednesday, February 5, 1913, which were corrected and then approved.

The Registrar General reported as follows:

Madam President General, and Members of the National Board of Management:

I have the honor to report the following:

Number of applications presented to the Board, including two "Real Daughters," 864.

Respectfully submitted,
CATHÉNÉ B. BRUMBAUGH, Registrar General.

The Registrar General then read the names of the 864 applicants. On motion of the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, the Recording Secretary General cast the ballot for these applicants, and the President General declared them duly elected members of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

The Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters gave the following report, which upon motion of the Chaplain General, seconded by the Recording Secretary General, was carried:

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

Through their respective State Regents the following members-at-large ask for authorization to organize chapters:

Mrs. A. Belle Fitzgerald Barry, of Pasadena, California; Mrs. Cora Ann Beels, of Norfolk, Nebraska; Mrs. Mary F. Knapp Carlton, of Loveland, Colorado; Mrs. Martha S. Elizabeth Davidson, of Greenville, Illinois; Mrs. Lucia A. Potter Humphrey, of Holland Patent, New York; Mrs. Lilian Claire Neville Prentiss, of Bethany, Missouri; Mrs. Francie Grant Wagar, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Clara Edna Street Wescott, of Plattsburg, New York; Mrs. Margaret M. Berry, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Elizabeth W. Davids, of Troy, Alabama; Mrs. Emma McHenry Pond, of Berkeley, California; Mrs. Madge Quinn Fugler, of McComb City, Mississippi.

Through their respective State Regents the following Organizing Regents are reappointed:

Mrs. Abigail Moss Henry, of Gunterville, Alabama; Mrs. Miriam Fort Gill, of Paris, Texas.

The appointment of Mrs. Cordelia Lunceford Beatty, of Blackwell, Okla., has expired by time limitation.

The Board is asked to authorize a chapter at Minneapolis, Minn.

The "Thomas Garth" Chapter of Hickman, Ky., wishes to disband. The "Harriet Selden Heth" Chapter, of Washington, D. C., wishes to disband.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCES INGRAHAM MANN,

Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters.

The President General asked the Vice-President General of Maine to take the chair.

The State Vice-Regent of Arizona read for the Treasurer General the names of those who had resigned, of the members-at-large who should be dropped, and of those who wished to be re-instated, and each list was approved upon motion duly seconded. The Board arose as a mark of respect at the conclusion of the reading of the list of members of whose deactivation the Treasurer General had been notified.

There being no further business, upon motion of the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, seconded by the Historian General, it was voted, at 6:05 P. M., to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. Howard L.)

MARIE WILKINSON HODGKINS, Recording Secretary General.

Approved April 2, 1913.
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