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The Official Train upon which the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, and many National Officers will travel, leaves New York for the two California Expositions on Thursday, September 2nd, via Pennsylvania Railroad, at 6 p.m.; Philadelphia, 8:10 p.m.; Baltimore, 8:05; Harrisburg, 11:50; Pittsburgh, 7 a.m., Friday, reaching Chicago 9 p.m. At this point members from adjacent States will join the party.

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A Founder of the Daughters of the American Revolution and First Editor of Its Magazine.

By Ella Loraine Dorsey

In the death of Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution is called upon to mourn not only a Founder, but one of the most brilliant women ever enrolled in its membership.

All of the States in which the Daughters are organized will unite in honoring her memory; but four are so intimately associated with her life that their mourning will be as deep as their pride, their grief as enduring as their affection—Pennsylvania, the cradle of her race in America, from which her grandfather, Martin D. Hardin of Monongahela County, marched westward;—Kentucky, where her father, the gallant soldier John J. Hardin, was born;—Illinois, where in 1832 she herself was born, and New York, where she went as a bride, and where for years she enriched the social, literary and patriotic life of Saratoga Springs, and where her revered remains are now laid to rest.

Her family were distinguished for many qualities, but they excelled especially in law, and a leading characteristic was the firmness with which they followed a conviction, let it lead where it would.

As an instance of this last, her grandfather, the Hon. Martin D. Hardin, served his adopted State as State representative, State secretary of State, and United States senator as a Democrat; while her father, the Hon. John J. Hardin, born in Kentucky, reared in the atmosphere of his father’s convictions, served his adopted State in its Legislature and in the United States House of Representatives as a Whig. But both men were of a single mind in the defense of their country’s liberty, for it was Major Martin Hardin who marched against the British in 1812, and Col. John Hardin, who died leading his regiment at Buena Vista in the Mexican War.

Later, it was this same insistence on the right to individual opinion and the readiness to risk life in its support that sent the men of her race into both armies when the great Civil War broke out.

Brilliant, witty, gifted with charm and personality as well as beauty, she always rallied about her a spirited following, and reigned supreme among her young and old friends wherever she was. She cast her lot with the North by her marriage, her husband being a
son of the Hon. Reuben Hyde Walworth, the greatest and last of the Chancellors of New York.

As in the case of her own people, this distinguished man had also served in the War of 1812, and had been honored with election to the Congress of the United States, but his preference lay with the law, and from the position of Justice of the Fourth United States Circuit Court, he passed to the chancellorship, giving his services for twenty arduous years in this high office.

His daughter-in-law, with her splendid mental inheritance, her brilliant social qualities, and her great individuality, brought new vigor to his life; her place in his home was unique, and her zeal for history made her such a leading spirit in all memorial movements that she was put upon the Saratoga Battle Monument Committee—the only woman thus honored.

Her enthusiasm for the patriots of the American Revolution brought her into instant sympathy with Miss Eunice Washington and Miss Mary Desha on the subject of founding an association to honor their memory and preserve their history.

It was in her apartment at the Langham in Washington, D.C., that the eventful meeting of August 9, 1890, was held, and from that moment to the day of her death she never ceased her efforts for the advancement of the splendid objects of the National Society.

She wrote constantly on patriotic and historic subjects, and was the first editor of the official organ of the National Society, the American Monthly Magazine, and served as editor from the spring of 1892 until July, 1894.

She was the first recording secretary general of the National Society; was made honorary vice-president general in 1894; and, as one of the founders, was presented with a gold medal at the Continental Congress of 1898. She lived in the ancestral home at Saratoga Springs, spending the winters with her son at Glencarlyn, Va.

Mrs. Walworth was president and founder of the Art and Science Field Club of Saratoga, and founder and president of the Post Parliament, New York, and was one of the first three women nominated and elected to a school board under the New York law admitting women as trustees. She took the degree of L.L.B. at the University of New York, and was entitled to practice law in New York and the District of Columbia.

She was director general of the Woman's National War Relief Association in 1898, and was at the field hospital at Fortress Monroe to meet the first wounded brought from Santiago, with supplies, nurses, etc. She went to Montauk and remained in the field hospital there until it closed. She served on many important committees of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was the author of "Battles of Saratoga," "Parliamentary Rules," and various monographs.

It was Mrs. Walworth who suggested the idea of having the portrait of the first president-general, Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, painted by Daniel Huntington, and placed in the White House. Her efforts in this direction were successful, and at the Continental Congress, in 1894, the picture was presented to the Executive Mansion, where it now hangs.

She bore her honors gracefully, and her inheritance of courage enabled her to carry the full cup of her sorrows with a steady hand, a dignity, and a patience that crowned her more nobly than the roses of her youth and happiness.

A gifted son died untimely of consumption, a lovely daughter in the first years of her womanhood, fell a victim to her zeal for the wounded and sick of the Spanish War, for it was while nursing in the hospitals at Montauk that she contracted fever and died in a few weeks. Her picture is at Memorial...
Continental Hall, for she is a Daughter who "died in the service of her country."

It is placed near the admirable portrait of her mother in the New York room.

Mrs. Walworth is survived by a son and two daughters, the former well known to every Continental Congress of late years, for it was with him she made her winter home, and he was her constant escort at these meetings, never leaving the Hall so long as she wished to stay, and devoting every moment to her service.

To them I am privileged to offer the sympathy of the National Society, and with it to join them in mourning for a member who can never be replaced, and before whose vacant seat in our Councils we lay the laurel offered those victors who "have fought the good fight, who have kept the faith, and have finished their course."

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New Members Admitted to the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution at the June Board Meeting

New members admitted to the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the meeting of the National Board of Management in Washington, on June 16, aggregated 1,301. Of these there were forty-five conditionally accepted whose verified papers are being held for the necessary signatures of State regents and notary seals. As these required regulations were likely to be met before August 1, it was not deemed advisable to hold the applications over until October for admission.

The new members were drawn from all but one of the States, the District of Columbia, Canada, and Hawaii, and the list of States and the number admitted unconditionally from each is as follows:

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The seventh annual conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution of California was held on February 18 and 19 in the Native Sons' Building, San Francisco. A splendid programme, large attendance, and the utmost harmony made this the most successful conference we have held. The State regent, Mrs. Maynard Force Thayer, called the conference to order at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, after which Mrs. I. N. Chapman, ex-State regent, extended greetings to the delegates, as did also Mr. Thomas A. Perkins, ex-State president of the S. A. R. After the response by Mrs. Horace B. Day of San Diego, Mrs. John F. Swift, vice-president general, was introduced and later the conference unanimously endorsed Mrs. Swift as a candidate for re-election.

The report of the State regent gave the present membership of the thirty-four chapters as fourteen hundred and fifty, with the organization of three chapters the past year, and a growing interest throughout the State. The address of the morning on "Spanish Colonial Methods," was delivered by Mr. H. E. Bolton, professor of American history at the University of California. He emphasized the fact that the American Revolution was not an isolated event, but was one phase of that struggle of the oppressed to enjoy liberty of life and thought, which is distinctly traceable in all nations of the time. The colonization of California, which antedated the revolution, is another phase of that same struggle and so is linked with the revolution as part of that world movement.

At 1 o'clock the conference adjourned to a luncheon at Hotel Clift and nearly two hundred Daughters gathered about the tables. For the customary toasts each regent was called upon to tell "The Best Thing and the Worst Thing Any Chapter Did This Year." In the evening the chapters about the Bay and the Sons of the American Revolution joined in a reception to the delegates and State officers in the white and gold ballroom of the Native Sons' Building, which was gay with flags for the occasion.

On Friday, two business sessions were held with interesting reports from the various State chairmen and State officers. When time for elections came, great enthusiasm was shown in the unanimous re-election of the entire Board, headed by Mrs. Thayer, State regent, and Mrs. John Conant Lynch, State vice-regent. With reports of work accomplished, with plans outlined for new work, with musical numbers interspersed, and a spirit of co-operation and loyalty always in evidence, the
time for adjournment came all too quickly.

On Saturday afternoon, February 20, the opening day of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, the California Daughters opened their headquarters with a largely attended tea, where Sons of the American Revolution, visiting "Daughters" and friends came to enjoy our beautiful room with us. Here each day of the Exposition, Daughters will be on hand with a cheery greeting and a cup of tea to welcome our visiting "Daughters," and we hope many will make use of and enjoy our D. A. R. room.—(Mrs. Loren) Margaret M. Crenshaw, recording secretary.

Washington

The fourteenth annual conference of the Washington Daughters of the American Revolution was held March 26 and 27 in Seattle, with Rainier Chapter as hostess. It will long be remembered by all who attended as the twenty-first anniversary of the organization in our State.

Preceding the assembly was a breakfast given by Mrs. J. F. Wagner, regent of Rainier Chapter, at her home, in honor of Mrs. Henry McCleary, State regent, and Mrs. Edmund Bowden, State regent-elect.

The conference convened in the ballroom of the New Washington Hotel. The meeting was opened by a procession led by pages carrying flags, followed by the State regent, Mrs. McCleary, with Governor Lister, and Mr. G. A. Virtue, president of the Sons of the American Revolution with Mrs. Bowden. Then followed the State regent of Oregon, Mrs. J. F. Beaumont, and Mrs. J. S. McKee of Robert Gray Chapter, the former State regents, State officers and chapter regents.

Mrs. McCleary, State regent, who has so ably and efficiently directed the affairs of our society for the past two years, called the meeting to order.

The programme which followed took the form of a birthday celebration. It was opened by singing "The Star Spangled Banner," at which time a beautiful silk flag was unfurled by Eleanor Washington Caldwell, a great granddaughter of John Augustine Washington of Mount Vernon.

The invocation was given by Dr. A. W. Leonard, and followed by the salute to the Flag.

Mrs. Wagner, regent of the hostess chapter, extended a cordial welcome to the Daughters in her own gracious manner. The response by Mrs. McKee was heartfelt and sincere.

An interesting letter was read from our president general, Mrs. William Cumming Story, regretting that it would be impossible for her to visit Washington on her Western tour.

A telegram of good wishes was received from our beloved vice-president general, Mrs. Eliza Ferry Leary. It was deeply regretted that her duties in Washington deprived the conference of her helpful presence.

Greetings were given by the president of the Sons of the American Revolution, Mr. G. A. Virtue, who spoke of the importance of co-operation in the work of the Sons and Daughters in conserving the patriotism and loyalty of American citizenship.

The Daughters of Oregon sent their greetings by their State regent, Mrs. J. F. Beaumont, who also gave an interesting report of the work in her State.

Governor Lister's address was pleasing and inspiring. His words of encouragement for the work that the Daughters had undertaken in this State
were a great stimulus to all the delegates.

An interesting feature of the programme was the history of the State organization given in the form of reminiscences by former State regents.

The address of the State regent, Mrs. McCleary, was typical of her work—able, helpful and encouraging. She has held our organization on the highest plane of loyalty and devotion to patriotism during her term of office.

Mrs. Bowden gave us a delightful glimpse into the future in an address that was full of interest and individual charm. She urged that we adopt progressive measures along all lines of patriotic work in the coming year as a means of bringing out the best elements in our organization.

In the evening a reception was given in honor of the delegates.

The second day was given over to reports of officers and standing committees. The reports were most interesting and showed great activity along all lines of patriotic work.

A luncheon was given to the Daughters in the banquet hall of the hotel, where an enjoyable social hour was passed.

The business of the day was resumed at the afternoon session.

The hearing of the Committee on Resolutions and the election of officers concluded the last session of the conference.

Mrs. Edmund Bowden was unanimously endorsed by the Assembly for State regent, and her name presented to the Twenty-fourth Continental Congress.

At the close of the afternoon session, by the courtesy of the hostess chapter, the visiting Daughters were taken for an automobile ride around the boulevards and then to the University of Washington where tea was served at the home of President and Mrs. Landes on the campus.

The twenty-first anniversary will linger long as a pleasant memory in the minds of the Daughters of Washington. —(Mrs. John) Edith Markham Wallace, State secretary.

Did Not Live to See Treaty of Peace

Of the fifty-six signers of the Declaration of Independence, nine never lived to see the Treaty of Peace concluded between the United States and Great Britain. They were Button Gwinnett, delegate from Georgia; Joseph Hewes, North Carolina; Philip Livingston, New York; Thomas Lynch, Jr., South Carolina, who was lost at sea; John Morton, Pennsylvania; Caesar Rodney, Delaware; George Ross, Pennsylvania; Richard Stockton, New Jersey, and George Taylor, Pennsylvania.

John Morton died within the year of signing the Declaration, while Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, outlived the other signers, dying on Nov. 14, 1832, at the age of 95.

By a strange coincidence John Adams and Thomas Jefferson, both ex-presidents of the United States, as well as signers, died on the same day, July 4, 1826—the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.
A DOLL MADE BY MRS. ALEXANDER HAMILTON

This eighteenth century doll was made by Mrs. Alexander Hamilton, when she was 92 years old, and presented by her to Elizabeth Lee Washington. From the private collection of Mrs. Fanny Washington Reading, of Washington.

A PICTURE PUZZLE OF 1793-4

This antique picture was brought to the United States in 1795 by a French emigré, a friend of General Lafayette. During the Reign of Terror a miniature or print of the royal family would, if found in his possession, send the luckless owner to the guillotine, and the loyal adherents to the crown devised this concealed method of portraits.

In the outlines of the urn and tree can be found the profiles of Louis XVI. Marie Antoinette, the Dauphin, and Mme. Adelaide. The picture's present owner is a great-great niece of the French emigré.

A FAN USED BY MADAM HANCOCK

This hand-painted fan was given to Mme. Hancock by Admiral d'Estaing, who had received much hospitality from her husband and herself. The admiral commanded a squadron sent by the French government to aid the Colonies in their war for independence. He was guillotined in 1794 by order of the French revolutionary tribunal, because he was of the noblesse.

Mme. Hancock, wife of John Hancock, was Dorothy Quincy, first cousin of "Dorothy Q." of Oliver Wendell Holmes' poem.

Mrs. S. O. Richey, present owner of the fan, inherited it from her grandmother, Mrs. Levi Woodbury, a niece of Mme. Hancock.

A DANCE FAVOR PRESENTED BY GEORGE WASHINGTON

This antique fan was presented by General George Washington to his fair partner on opening a ball with her at Annapolis, Md. It is now in the possession of Mrs. Clare Hanson Dorsey Mohun, who inherited it from her great-great aunt, General Washington's fair partner in the dance.
Mrs. Louisa K. Thiers

"Real Daughter"

Mrs. Louisa Kirwan Capron Thiers, a real daughter, was born in Whitesboro, Oneida County, N. Y., on October 2, 1814. Her father, Seth Capron, and mother, Eunice Mann Capron, were married in Attleboro, Mass, September 9, 1790.

Seth Capron served first as private, afterward as corporal in Colonel Shepard's Massachusetts regiment, and took part in the siege of Newport, where he was attached to General Lafayette's corps of light infantry. It was there that a cannon ball, aimed at the general, grazed the top of his head. He participated in the Battle of White Plains; was then transferred to headquarters at West Point under Washington, where he served during the remainder of the war, commanding the barge that conveyed Gen. Washington to Elizabeth-town Point, where he was the last man to say good-bye to the general.

Mrs. Thiers' grandfather, Dr. Bezaleel Mann, was a great grandson of William Mann of Cambridge, Mass. The latter was a grandson of Sir Charles Mann of Kent County, England, who was knighted in 1625 for loyalty to Charles the First.

Mrs. Thiers was married to David Bodine Thiers in New York City, April 6, 1847. They came to Kenosha, Wis., in 1850. Mr. Thiers died in Kenosha, March 21, 1875, leaving his widow with three sons and one daughter.

Mrs. Thiers was a student at Emma Willard's seminary in Troy, N. Y. She came to Milwaukee, Wis., in 1888, making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Quarles, where she still thoroughly enjoys life, being able to read, also to do hand work, knitting and crocheting. She is keenly interested in national affairs, reading current literature and newspapers; although last fall she celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of her birth.

Four days after her one hundredth birthday Mrs. Thiers wrote with her own hand the following letter to the members of the Wisconsin State conference:

October 6, 1914.

To the Daughters of the D. A. R.,

Greeting: I am asked to give some reminiscences of my life. I fear if I begin I should fill a volume.

Suffice to say I have seen the building of this great nation from a few States along the Atlantic coast across the continent to the Pacific Ocean. In my childhood I visited the wigwams of the Oneida Indians

Mrs. Louisa K. Thiers, who celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of her birth October 2, 1914

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in central New York. This was away out West. I played on the bank of the Erie Canal as it was being dug back of my father's house; rode in the first boat, called the Pumpkin Seed; rode on the first railroad, a short line from Schenectady to Albany, N. Y., about twenty miles; went down the Hudson River in one of the first steamboats at the rapid rate of six miles an hour, when it took six weeks to cross the ocean in a sail boat. Schools were "few and far between." The first were held in a house about as large as a good sized dining-room of the present day. Nothing but wood fires in an open fireplace, tallow dips for light that you had to snuff every five minutes. All west of Ohio a howling wilderness. You can fill the gap between that and the marvels of the present day. No country, so far as we know, has made such, or anything like such progress.

Yours with kindest regards,

(Signed) LOUISA K. THIERS.

Reception in Honor of Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood
Given in Washington

July 13, 1915

We have reached an important epoch in our history. On July 13, 1890 the "Washington Post" published the letter that called the Daughters to arms. It was written by Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood and is known as "The Bugle Call," and this resulted in the founding of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She gave the history of Hannah Arnett, the heroine of the Revolution, and it aroused widespread interest. Mrs. Lockwood was an official at the Chicago Fair that summer, but in October the National Society was officially organized, and she is now the only living member of four who received their medals on that eventful evening at Chase's Theatre, when Mrs. Eleanor Holmes Lindsey, Vice-President General, of Kentucky, presented the four medals Feb. 24, 1898.

It is but natural that Washington honored this noble woman on the 25th anniversary, July 13th. She was surrounded by her personal friends, Daughters and Sons of the American Revolution. The cool weather had kept many in town and the reception was one never to be forgotten by those who were able to enjoy such a gathering of patriotic women and men, to take the hand of a woman who for twenty-five years has worked for the good of the order and to preserve the Constitution that her councils had founded.

No one could have anticipated the growth of the organization, but we know this dear lady has been a wise guiding spirit.

SARAH HALL JOHNSTON,
Editor of the Lineage Book.

Errata

In the December Report of Gifts to the Historical Research and Preservation of Records Committee the gift from Virginia of the Family History of Dorothy Annette Roberts should be from the Buford Chapter, W. Va. Gift of Maude A. Roberts. The records of Wills from Peoria County, Mo., should be records of Wills from Peoria County, Illinois.
D. A. R. Tablet to the Heroic Dead

Replaced on the Maine Memorial Mast in Arlington Cemetery

With befitting ceremonies the Maine Memorial in Arlington National Cemetery was dedicated on Decoration Day in the presence of President Wilson, the Secretary of the Navy, other high Government officials, diplomats, officers of the army and navy and patriotic organizations. The day dawned in summer brilliance, and the sun's rays fell softly upon the military top of the mast of the U. S. Battleship Maine and rested for the nonce on the bronze D. A. R. tablet riveted once more in the place assigned it. The gift of the Havana Chapter, the tablet, on the removal of the mast to Arlington Cemetery from the wreck in Havana harbor, had been preserved in Arlington Mansion.

Miss Mary E. Springer, regent and founder of Havana Chapter, and her patriotic, tender hearted fellow members, much distressed at the removal of the tablet, appealed to the Army and Navy Chapter of the District of Columbia to use their influence to have it put back on the mast. The latter chapter responded heartily, and Mrs. G. W. Baird and Mrs. Benjamin Gilman were appointed a committee to interview officials of the War Department. Through the kind interest of Colonel John Clem, U. S. A., the committee was successful in its mission, and the tablet again rests in its accustomed place—a tribute not only to the heroic dead but to work well done by patriotic women ever quick to recognize and honor valor.

The scene of the dedication of the memorial was most impressive; around the circular white stone base, with the Maine's mast and fighting top rising from its center, were lined cavalrymen and marines. The Presidential party, the Secretary of the Navy, and other distinguished guests were seated on a flag draped platform. Buglers sounded the "Assembly," and, as the last notes died away, the Marine Band struck up the national anthem, after which Captain R. F. Finucane and a guard of marines presented the colors. The invocation was delivered by the Rev. Father Chadwick, former chaplain of the ill-fated Maine, and followed by introductory remarks and the reading of letters, after which came the dedication. While a sailor high in the fighting top waggled signals, Masters Jonathan and Frank Daniels, sons of the Secretary of the Navy, raised the American flag on one halyard, and signal flags spelling "Maine, 1915," on another. Fifty sailors then manned the rigging, and the ceremony ended with the shrill cry of the boatswain's whistle.

As the jackies descended from the fighting top, and Jonathan and Frank Daniels turned and saluted the Presi-
dent, the band struck up "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." The Rev. Dr. Randolph McKim then delivered a prayer, and Rear Admiral G. W. Baird, U. S. N., member of the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, gave the following address:

"The National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution have an interest in this memorial very dear to their hearts. The Battleship Maine was destroyed by an explosion on February 15, 1898, and was afterward abandoned by the Government. The wreck was in plain sight in Havana Harbor, a menace to navigation and an object lesson. Within her iron hull the bodies of a goodly number of our countrymen were confined. They were not forgotten by the Daughters of the American Revolution residing in Havana. Prominent among these noble women was Miss Mary Springer, sister of the Vice Consul General at Havana.

"These Daughters of the American Revolution, with their chaplain, Bishop Knight, made annual pilgrimages to the wreck on the anniversary of the destruction of the Maine, February 15, making the trip in the yacht Gipsy, belonging to Mr. Carlos Carbonnell, which was placed at their disposal. On arriving at the wreck, these patriotic women held appropriate services, first hoisting an American flag to the masthead of the Maine and laying laurel wreaths and roses on the hatches as memorials to the gallant dead below decks in their watery grave. This American flag, however, never floated at the masthead many days, for, from the weather or other causes, it usually disappeared.

"Finally these loyal Daughters of the American Revolution had a beautiful bronze tablet cast and riveted to the military top of the mast, which would defy the wind, the weather and the other causes of the flag's disappearance. This memorial tablet remained until the mast was lowered to be brought here when it was removed, probably for its protection during transportation, but was not replaced when the mast was raised to its present position.

"The Havana Chapter, with the assistance of the Army and Navy Chapter of the District of Columbia, recently brought this fact to the attention of the Quartermaster General, and was referred to Colonel Clem, who has taken a great interest in it, and, as you see, the tablet is again riveted to the military top of the mast.

"Too much cannot be said in praise of the Havana Chapter for their generous loyalty, not only in placing this enduring marker on the abandoned wreck at Havana, but for their devotion in decorating the grave of their countrymen in that foreign harbor; and we rejoice that their loyalty and devotion is recognized by replacing their memorial in its original place on the mast."

Memorial Maine Mast at Arlington National Cemetery, April 22, 1913. Miss Mary Springer, Regent Havana Chapter, D. A. R., and Mrs. G. W. Baird standing under the mast.
Work of the Chapters

Nemasket Chapter (Middleboro, Mass.)—The unveiling of the memorial tablet and boulder, presented to the town of Middleboro by Nemasket Chapter, took place Wednesday afternoon, May 5, 1915. The presentation exercises, held on Town House Lawn where the boulder stands, were opened by Miss Gladys Berry, cornetist, who sounded the “assembly.” The invocation was by the Rev. Louis A. Walker, after which Miss Berry played the “Star Spangled Banner,” and the boulder was unveiled by Miss Katharine Bates and Miss Thalia Stetson. Mrs. C. D. Kingman of the Boulder Committee, then presented it to the town in an appropriate speech. In behalf of the town, the chairman of the selectmen, Mr. Henry B. Schlueter, accepted the boulder.

The inscription on the tablet reads:

1775—1783

This boulder is dedicated to the memory of the men of Middleboro, who, as soldiers or patriots, served their Country in the War for American Independence.

Erected by Nemasket Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, 1915.

The Boulder Committee comprised Mrs. C. D. Kingman and Mrs. Virgil W. Thompson; Committee in Charge of Dedication, Mrs. O. K. Gerrish, Mrs. C. D. Kingman, Mrs. D. G. Pratt, Mrs. V. W. Thompson, and Mrs. Annie Pierce.

The remainder of the program was carried out in the Unitarian Church. After the singing of “America,” the chaplain of the chapter, Mrs. Emma W. Ham, led in prayer, and Mrs. Ruth C. Holmes, regent of the chapter, then gave the address of welcome. Following Mrs. Holmes’ address, “To Thee, O Country” was sung by a trio comprising Mrs. Eldoratta Bourne, Mrs. Ruth Rogers, and Miss Nellie Wiher, accompanied by Mrs. Witbeck. The next speaker was Mrs. George O. Jenkins, State regent, who gave an interesting talk. Mr. Charles H. Bates, superintendent of schools, then delivered the dedication ode, and the last speaker of the afternoon was George W. Stetson, who spoke of Middleboro in the days of the Revolution. The exercises closed with the singing of “The Star Spangled Banner,” and the salute to the flag.

Nemasket Chapter has contributed to Memorial Continental Hall, Martha Berry School, Springfield Internation College, and other calls have also received assistance.—MARY A. KINGMAN, registrar.

Independence Pioneers Chapter (Independence, Mo.)—This chapter was organized February 26, 1914, Mrs. George B. McFarlane, retiring State regent, and Mrs. Mark Salisbury, incoming State regent, being present. The original membership roll of thirteen has increased to thirty during the year. Twelve members are subscribers to the DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION MAGAZINE. The chapter has made a study of the American Revolution and conditions preceding it. Our scrap
book has several articles of value, which have been contributed. One hundred and sixty marriage permits, dating from 1825, have been copied.

Flag Day was observed by the decoration of the business houses of Independence and many private homes. This year, in addition to the usual decorations, the chapter celebrated the day with a garden party at the home of one of the members.

In November a moving picture benefit secured $25.00 for the Red Cross Fund, a Christmas fund of $5.00, plus the $1.25 requested, was sent to Memorial Continental Hall in December.

On the first anniversary of the chapter a musical and literary program was given at the residence of Mrs. Christian Ott. Friends of the chapter were the guests. Mrs. Salisbury, State regent, delivered an interesting address.

In 1914 we were represented at the Continental Congress by Mrs. Collins Peebles of Washington, D. C., our non-resident member, and this year by Mrs. O. H. Gentry, our regent. —Mrs. John Scoll, historian.

Colonel Dummer Sewall Chapter (Bath, Me.)—Meetings have been held regularly the past year (1913-14) with but one exception, and have proved helpful in many ways. The social life of the chapter, aside from the meetings, began in November, when Mrs. John A. Morse opened her home for a large and successful card party; this was followed by a most enjoyable luncheon at the home of Mrs. Ernest A. Allen, and on February 23 the members of the chapter were invited by their regent, Miss Laura B. Palmer, to a Washington Birthday party, and on their departure each guest was presented with appropriate and pretty souvenirs.

The treasurer’s report gives the financial history of our chapter, and the result of our year’s work will, we hope, be of benefit. We have contributed to our City Hospital, to our Public Library, to Christmas for the children, to a State Traveling Library, to the Major Whipple Memorial in Kittery, to Memorial Continental Hall, and toward the perpetual care of Dromore Cemetery, and for markers to identify the many graves of Revolutionary soldiers in this locality. The latter work is to be carried out this summer. Plans have also been made for the marking of our Paul Revere Bell that hangs in the belfry of City Hall.

The first of the year, the historian was given newspaper clippings collected by a former regent, the late Mrs. L. F. Metcalf, and they have been added to the Historical Scrap Book, thereby increasing its value. There are items of local history as well as clippings concerning the chapter from its organization on December 29, 1903, to the time of Mrs. Metcalf’s death; items of value to every member of the chapter. Our Year Book and newspaper clippings of the past year have been added to this collection. —Mary Pelham Hill, historian.

Sarah Ludlow Chapter (Seymour, Conn.)—Has just ended a very prosperous and successful year. All the State officers were invited to meet the officers of this chapter at the House of Tyrrell on May 5, 1915, where a delicious luncheon was served. This was followed by a meeting in Odd Fellows’ Hall, where one hundred and eighty people, members of the chapter and their friends, assembled to celebrate the twenty-first birthday anniversary of the Sarah Ludlow Chapter. The hall was appropriately decorated with flags and bunting.

At half past 2 o’clock, to the music of a stirring march, played by Miss Gertrude Davis, and led by Miss Helen Sanford carrying the “Stars and Stripes,” the ushers, officers of the chapter and guests of honor entered the hall and took reserved seats. Mrs. Lewis A. Camp, first regent of the chapter, occupied the position of honor with the present regent, Mrs. S. Hart Culver.
The program was as follows: Invocation, Rev. William A. Woodford; song, Mrs. Herbert Williams; words of welcome, Mrs. S. Hart Culver, chapter regent; recitation, Miss Florence H. James; song, Miss J. A. Sweeten; speech, Mrs. John Laidlaw Buel, State regent; brief history of Sarah Ludlow Chapter, Mrs. C. H. Guild; song, Miss J. A. Sweeten; speech, Mrs. Charles Bissell, State vice-regent; recitation, Miss F. H. James; song, Miss Sweeten; cutting of birthday cake, Mrs. Lewis A. Camp, honorary regent, and the singing of “Auld Lang Syne.” At the close, refreshments were served, followed by a social hour.—IDA L. JAMES, ex-regent.

Caughnawaga Chapter (Fonda, N.Y.)—Our chapter passed the seventh milestone on February 22, 1915, and from the original number of twenty-five members has now an enrollment of ninety-two. We sorrowfully report the death of seven valued members in the past year and a half. Our regular meetings for the past year began last October and have been replete with interest, as instructive papers relating to all phases of Colonial and Revolutionary history have been read, and socially the meetings have also been a great success. Previous to the resumption of the regular meetings the chapter in September met in response to the President General’s call for aid for the Red Cross Relief Fund, and the sum of $25.00 was sent, this chapter being one of the first to respond. Also a number of members contributed knitted scarfs and wristlets as well as doing other work for the European war sufferers.

The chapter gives annually $10.00 in prizes ($5.00, $3.00, $2.00, respectively) to high school students for the best essays on Colonial history.

We pay a per capita tax of $9.00, and last year sent $50.00 to help pay the debt on Memorial Continental Hall. It might be interesting to know how we raised that amount. In the early history of the chapter an historic record quilt was designed, the model containing sixty-four blocks of white muslin joined with bars of orange muslin; each block having the outline of the spinning wheel, while around the hub were inscribed the names of Revolutionary men and women, the names of the descendants of patriots forming the spokes of the wheel. Thus some blocks bear the names of nine generations. The center block has a pen picture of old Caughnawaga Church, 1763—our beloved landmark. The inscriptions are made in indelible blue ink, thus combining the colors of the Netherlands flag. Originally the quilt netted $110.00, but last year it was sold by vote at ten cents a vote, and brought the fifty dollars sent to Memorial Continental Hall. Mr. H. H. Dockstader, who wrote the inscriptions on the quilt, was presented with a valuable cameo scarf pin by the chapter.

On Arbor Day last, our regent, Mrs. Catherine M. Schuyler, with befitting patriotic exercises, presented to the school adjoining her property a spacious memorial playground.

In response to the “Silver Shower,” called for on March 18, for the debt on Memorial Continental Hall, the chapter raised $15.00. Two delegates are sent annually to the Continental Congress and to the State conference. The chapter has contributed to the gift for our retiring State Regent, Mrs. Willard S. Augusbury, who has served so efficiently and whom all regret to lose. She could have no better successor than Mrs. Benjamin F. Spraker.

On January 26th, under the auspices of the chapter, a Colonial play was given which added $65.00 to the treasury. While we wish to do beneficial and charitable work, we also aim to have a home for the chapter in the future.—(MRS. S. W.) ALICE J. HADLEY PUTNAM, historian.
Marietta Chapter (Marietta, O.)—A very successful program has been given this winter by the Marietta Chapter at the monthly meetings in the homes of the members. The chairman of the committee, Mrs. Tasker Bosworth, arranged a series of talks on "American Statesmen," and prominent Marietta citizens contributed addresses.

The February and April meetings were especially interesting and instructive. The former was held on Washington's Birthday, and an illustrated lecture was given on "Landmarks in History," with slides obtained from Memorial Continental Hall. The meeting on April 7 marked the one hundred and thirty-seventh anniversary of the arrival of the pioneers at Marietta and the establishment of the first settlement in the great Northwest. It was also a celebration of the hundred years of peace between this country and Great Britain, and a lecture on "The Causes Leading up to the Treaty of Ghent" was illustrated by slides belonging to Mrs. Henry S. Bowen of New York.

These two meetings were held in the Episcopal Parish House, and were enjoyed by large audiences. On the second occasion the flag presented to the chapter by one of its members, Miss Minna Nye of Brooklyn, was displayed and the new design of the stars in the blue field attracted much attention.

Mrs. S. A. Mullikin, chairman of the Peace Committee, arranged a program to be held May 18 in the public schools of Marietta.—Mrs. Theodore F. Davis, regent.

John Hart Chapter (Elkins, W. Va.)—When this chapter was organized a few years ago, with Mrs. May Taylor as regent, it consisted of twelve members, more than half being descendants of John Hart, signer of the Declaration of Independence. Mrs. Taylor had held the office until the past year, when she resigned, and Mrs. Christine Baker, a Hart descendant, was chosen to fill her place. The other officers are: Vice-regent, Mrs. Mabel Lee Myers Johnston; secretary, Mrs. Margaret Butcher Bent; treasurer, Mrs. Evelyn Talbot Fling; registrar, Mrs. Lucy Bosworth Talbott; historian, Mrs. Rebekah Dast Gulland, and assistant historian, Mrs. Anna Grace Daniels.

We have two deaths to report: Miss Lottie Wilson, in 1913, and Mrs. Eva Baker Pearson, on January 21, 1914, both descendants of John Hart. Our membership has increased to thirty.

Mrs. Gulland reports that the chapter presented two medals to the scholars who wrote the best papers on Colonial heroes, and also presented a flag to the high school. We are now educating a student at the Martha Berry School for Mountain Children. At our monthly meetings a series of papers on Colonial and Revolutionary history were read. A "Peace Tea" was given at the home of Mrs. A. M. Fredlock, in Elkins, on November 27, and a silver offering was received from each guest, which was placed in the hands of the American Red Cross Society for the relief of the European war sufferers.—Mrs. Lucy Brown McCrum.

Pittsburgh Chapter (Pittsburgh, Pa.)—Unveiled a bronze tablet placed on the dividing line of the properties of the First Presbyterian Church and Trinity Church, Pittsburgh, Pa., at noon, Thursday, June 3, 1915. This tablet records the grant of that land in 1787 by the heirs of William Penn for the respective buildings of the people of Presbyterian and Episcopalian faith of this locality. Also the names of forty-nine officers of the Colonial and Revolutionary Armies, who, after assisting in the achievement of American Independence, were associated with the early history of Pittsburgh. Almost all of these officers attained higher rank in later service. Some died in action, but most of them were buried in the historic ground of these two churches.

Appropriate patriotic exercises marked the unveiling, and the order of the
The program was as follows: Invocation and address, the Rev. Edward S. Trav-ers, Trinity Church; address: “The Penn Grant Tablet,” Miss Julia Morgan Harding, chairman; address, the Rev. Maitland Alexander, D.D., First Presbyterian Church; address, Colonel Thomas P. Roberts; tablet unveiled, Mrs. Robert T. Reinman, regent; benediction, the Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, D.D.

The members of the Penn Grant Tablet Committee were Mrs. Elizabeth R. Allen, Mrs. Jane Baird Atwood, Mrs. Eleanor R. Baltzell, Mrs. Clara Howe Brown, Mrs. Mary Blair Burgwin, Miss Mary Burgwin, Miss Mary O'Hara Darlington, Mrs. Kate Guthrie Dickson, Mrs. Jane Hays Hawkins, Mrs. Rose Ingraham Marsh, Miss Annie S. Phillips; Mrs. Florence Jones Reineman, regent; Miss Julia Morgan Harding, chairman; Mrs. Emily Sprankle Heron, vice-chairman; Mrs. Edith Darlington Ammon, secretary.

George Clymer Chapter (Towanda, Pa.)—Mrs. C. R. Stiles of the Mansfield Normal School delivered an address on “Women of the Revolution” before the chapter on March 27. The chapter made it an open meeting, and invited the literary and educational clubs of the town to take part. The lecture was heard with much interest. The attendance was large. Mrs. Stiles’ address was delivered in a pleasing and unassuming manner, and was interesting as well as instructive.—Sue Rahm Mercur, regent.

Colonel Lowrey Chapter (Flemington, N. J.)—June 22, 1899, eight patriotic women, descendants of Revolutionary heroes, met at the home of our first and only regent, Mrs. Hiram E. Deats, whose gracious hospitality is always extended to us on these occasions. Her untiring efforts to arouse and maintain interest in the work and enlarge our chapter has resulted in our present membership of thirty-six. Our thanks are also due Mr. Deats, a son of the American Revolution, for his help and encouragement.

Our meetings are held in the homes of the members and well attended. The salute to the flag and the D. A. R. ritual are used in the opening exercises. The programs have been most interesting this year. Addresses on patriotic subjects have been given by prominent townsmen, to whom we tender our appreciative thanks. One musicale and a social afternoon varied the program.

Historically we have not been able to accomplish very much practical work, as we must constantly bear in mind lack of funds; however, a strong effort is being made by efficient committees to restore the grave of Esther Lowrey, also to provide suitable markers for Revolutionary soldiers buried in our vicinity. The only prize offered during the year is a five dollar gold piece to the pupil in the Flemington Grammar School having the highest standing in American history. A copy of “Pioneer Mothers of America,” by H. C. and Mary W. Green, was presented to the Public Library. We have a particular interest in these books, as Miss Green was a charter member of our chapter. The subscription was again renewed to the Daughters of the American Revolutionary Magazine for the Public Library. We also presented our file of Lineage Books to Hunterdon Historical Society, located in Flemington, the county seat. A scrap book has been prepared by the present historian in which past and future events pertaining to the chapter will be recorded.—Mary E. Dunham, historian.
Preservation of Historic Spots

Report of the New York State Committee

Watertown.

Activities along the lines of marking historic sites began on the day following the close of our last D. A. R. conference, when the Le-Ray-de Chaumont Chapter of Watertown presented a fence and unveiled a memorial tablet at the Arsenal Street Cemetery in that city.

Enthusiastic citizens manifested their appreciation of the gift, and patriotic speeches and patriotic music made the day a memorable one, an auspicious beginning of the year's program in the marking of historic sites.

Colonel Israel Angel Chapter.

Colonel Israel Angel Chapter of New Berlin, in June following, saw the consummation of a long cherished hope when, amid most impressive ceremonies, they unveiled a bronze tablet, which bears this inscription:

"IN MEMORY OF THE THREE SCOUTS KILLED ON THE ESTATE OF PERCEFEL CARR BY BRANDT'S INDIANS, SEPTEMBER, 1773."

Monroe Chapter, Brockport.

In the same month of June, Monroe Chapter of Brockport, at a cost of $1,500, installed a clock in the steeple of the Methodist Church in their town, and on the facade of the church erected a tablet to the memory of the thirty Revolutionary soldiers whose services they have been able to verify; also to unknown heroes whose neglected graves lie in fields close by. The tablet bears this inscription:

"TO THE HONOR AND GLORY OF OUR PATRIOTIC ANCESTORS WHO GAVE THEIR SERVICES AND THEIR LIVES FOR THEIR COUNTRY IN THE WAR OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, 1775-1783."

New York State Daughters would have occasion for gratitude had there been no other achievement than that accomplished by the Daughters of the Monroe Chapter of Brockport.

Tuckahoe.

Under the auspices of Bronx Chapter, Mt. Vernon, occurred on November 25 the unveiling of the Captain Samuel Crawford Memorial Tablet in Gifford Park, Tuckahoe. More than 400 people witnessed the unveiling, which was attended with most impressive ceremonies, in keeping with the character of the man whose memory was honored by one hundred of his descendants of the fourth and fifth generations—prominent members of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The tablet is secured to a large piece of granite, and bears this inscription:

"THIS TABLET MARKS THE SPOT WHERE CAPTAIN SAMUEL CRAWFORD WAS KILLED IN A SKIRMISH WITH BRITISH TROOPS, NOVEMBER 18, 1777.

"HE WAS A SOLDIER AND STATESMAN AND A DEPUTY FROM WESTCHESTER COUNTY TO THE PROVINCIAL CONGRESS; COMMITTEE MAN FROM SCARSDALE, AND SECONDED THE RESOLUTION TO MAKE NEW YORK A STATE. ERECTED BY BRONX CHAPTER, DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, NOVEMBER 22, 1914."

The tablet was placed on the spot where the fearless soldier met his death. Directly opposite, a large platform, artistically draped with American flags and bunting, had been erected, and from this platform stirring patriotic addresses were delivered, then, as the band played "The Star-Spangled Banner," the tablet was unveiled by the young son of the fifth generation.

These most impressive ceremonies were concluded with patriotic airs in which the audience joined, and marked
a red-letter day in the annals of New York history.

**Fort Edward.**

On September 16 occurred the unveiling and dedication ceremonies of the boulder and bronze tablet marking the site of Fort Edward, under the auspices of the Jane McCrea Chapter of the town of Fort Edward.

Most elaborate exercises marked this dedication, and was a memorial not only to the site of the Fort, but was in honor of those who, up and down the Valleys of Champlain and the Hudson, at great sacrifice brought victory to the Colonies.

September 1, 1914, will be remembered by the people of Fort Edward as a day big with history. Speeches by distinguished guests, stirring patriotic music, hospitality interspersed with historic reminiscences, all made the occasion a memorable one.

**Herkimer Homestead.**

Perhaps no one event has created more profound interest in our State than the consummation of the project so dear to the hearts of the Daughters, and especially to the Daughters of our historic Mohawk Valley, the sure promise, in the very near future, of the purchase by our State of the General Nicholas Herkimer Homestead, that most sacred spot in our historic valley, for a museum of Revolutionary relics. After years of hope and disappointments, we “have come into our own” rightful heritage. The year has marked the appointment of a commission, composed of three members of the National Society of the German-American Alliance and three members of the Daughters of the American Revolution of New York State, to take into its sacred care and keeping the Herkimer Homestead.

The prospectus of the General Nicholas Herkimer Homestead Association, through the efforts of Mrs. Charlotte Pitcher, its compiler, is already in your hands, and we will not repeat, but only tell you that frequent visits to the homestead by members of the commission, enable us to report to you most satisfactory progress in the way of repairs, and restoration to the exact original in every detail possible in the fine old mansion.

We believe our next report will show such perfected restoration of the homestead as to receive Revolutionary gifts and relics, and that it will find the name of every Daughter of New York State enrolled in the membership of the General Nicholas Herkimer Homestead Association.

**Wiltwyck Chapter, Kingston.**

Perhaps the most unique affair along the line of chapter unveiling was the surprise party given in the beautiful old Chapter House of Kingston. A large number of invitations were sent out for “October 1, from 3 to 6 o’clock.” Much secrecy pervaded the event beforehand, the chapter members positively refusing to say what the special feature of the occasion would be.

Arriving at the Chapter House, the guests were surprised and delighted to see at the doorway a very handsome bronze Memorial Tablet which was, through the generosity of Judge Clearwater, given by Mrs. Clearwater to the chapter, quite unknown to her. The tablet bears this inscription:

“As A MEMORIAL TO THOSE HISTORIC CITIZENS OF KINGSTON BECAUSE OF WHOSE PATRIOTISM THE VILLAGE WAS BURNED BY THE BRITISH FORCES UNDER THE COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL VAUGHEN ON THE 16TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1777, THIS TABLET IS ERECTED BY ONE OF THE MEMBERS OF WILTWYCK CHAPTER, DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, ON THE 16TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1914.”

Rear Admiral Higginson, U. S. N., made the presentation, and Judge Hasbrouck accepted the gift for the chapter, in an address replete with the history of Kingston, the burning of the
town on October 16, and the flight of the inhabitants to "Old Hurley." The address was most thrilling, as those familiar with the early history of Kingston will realize. Judge Clearwater concluded with an able address, after which the guests, as they proceeded down the stairway, were presented with handsome souvenir cards, cuts of the tablet. A beautiful scene met the eyes of the guests as they reached the large meeting room. American flags and large yellow and white chrysanthemums in great profusion decorated the walls and the handsomely appointed tables.

The people of Kingston will ever remember the 16th of October and Judge Clearwater's very happy surprise.

Oneonta Chapter.

On August 10, Oneonta Chapter placed, without ceremonies, a granite marker in beautiful Riverside Cemetery. The marker is about four feet high and of good proportions, and bears the name of eleven Revolutionary soldiers.

The marker was placed on the day which was the actual one hundred and thirty-fifth anniversary of the passing of Clinton's Army through what is now the City of Oneonta, passing in sight of the present resting place of those heroes, some of whom marched with Clinton one hundred and thirty-five years ago.

The marker bears this inscription:

"IN MEMORY OF THE SOLDIERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION BURIED IN RIVERSIDE CEMETERY."

Then followed the names of the eleven soldiers and underneath:

"ERECTED BY THE ONEONTA CHAPTER, DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, 1914."

Much has been done in the way of marking the graves of our patriot dead. The ceremonies attending these events have such an important place in our D. A. R. history that the temptation is great to include an account of them in our report, but we must not repeat what you will get in full in the chapter reports.

We can only tell you that the symbolic bronze marker, wrapped in the protecting folds of red, white and blue, dot our hillsides everywhere, and indicate to passers-by that the Daughters of the American Revolution never forget, but always remember. (Signed),

CHARLOTTE A. PITCHER,
ROSETTA C. L. PUGH,
FRANCES W. ROBERTS,
Chairman.

In Memoriam

It is with regret that Buffalo Chapter announces the death of these members:

Mrs. Edward Holmes, January 19, 1915.
Mrs. George D. Emerson, March 28, 1915.
Mrs. John C. Adams, April 18, 1915.
Mrs. Gracy C. Becker, June 6, 1915.
Mrs. Joseph H. Horton, June 27, 1915.

The death of Mrs. Sarah Adams MacWhorter, widow of George Gray MacWhorter, which occurred at her home in Augusta, Ga., March 25, 1915, is a loss to the community in which she lived, and also to those widespread interests which our patriotic organizations endeavor to maintain. While regent of the Augusta Chapter she was an enthusiastic leader, and her work in developing interest and increasing the membership was exceedingly valuable. Her patriotic work never flagged until the
day of her death at the age of eighty-three. She was a devoted member of the Episcopal Church, chairman of the Augusta Circle of Colonial Dames, member of the U. D. C. and D. A. R., the Boys’ Home, and West End Library.

The Sun Dial Chapter of Ames, Iowa, mourns the death of Mrs. Sarah Martha Breed Budd, a charter member of this chapter, who died February 4. She was the widow of Professor Budd, who occupied the chair of Horticulture at the State College at Ames.

Descended from distinguished New England ancestry, Mrs. Budd was also connected with that line of patriots for whom Breed’s Hill, upon which Bunker Hill Monument now stands, was named. Among her ancestors were Captain Caleb Baldwin, who served throughout the Revolutionary War with the Second Connecticut Regiment; his son, Elezar, also of Killingworth, and Isaac Livingstone of Haverhill, Mass. Captain Caleb Baldwin moved to Vermont, and later to New Hampshire, where he died. His son resided for a time in Benson, Vt., not far from Lake Champlain. Other members of the family settled across the lake at Crown Point, N. Y., where Mrs. Budd was born in 1837.

Almira E. (Carter) Simmons of Quincy, Mass., a charter member of Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter, died April 6, 1915, at the home of her daughter, in Detroit. Born in Stetson, Me., September 16, 1845, she was the daughter of Rufus B. Carter of Unity, Me., and Mary Burnett of Newport, Me., and was descended from Robert Burnett, a member of the Boston Tea Party. Until failing health kept her from attending the meetings, Mrs. Simmons was a member of the Tea Party Chapter of Boston. Among her ancestors were the Rev. Thomas Dalton, one of the founders of Woburn, Mass., and Joseph Carter, an intimate friend of General Warren. She came to Needham, Mass., when twelve years old, and was a resident of Massachusetts up to the time of her death. On February 22, 1868, she married Walter E. Simmons, who, with five children, survives her. For the last forty-four years they have lived in Quincy, where she was well known for her patriotic and charitable work. With the help of a friend she generously educated two boys at the George Junior Republic.

Mrs. Alice Hopkins Meyer died in Gary, Ind., March 10, 1915. The daughter of Newman W. and Mary E. Hopkins, she was born January 5, 1861, at Rensselaer, Ind., where she lived almost all her life. She was instrumental in the organization of the General Van Rensselaer Chapter, of which she became a charter member.

She married Frank B. Meyer, September 1, 1881, and seven years ago the family moved to Gary. At that time she transferred her membership at large in order that she might assist in the organization of the chapter in her new home, and it was largely through her efforts that it was formed. Mrs. Meyer was a woman of rare cheerfulness, proud of her ancestry, and broad in her sympathies.

Mrs. Lucy Atwood Fay, beloved member of the Massa Chapter, died June 15, 1915, at her home in Boston. Mrs. Fay was the founder of the Margaret Corbin Chapter, of Chelsea, following service in another chapter. She was the first president of the Massa, D. A. R., Founders’ Society, and for more than fifty years had been in active, civic, philanthropic and patriotic life. Her enthusiasm was an inspiration, her life an example of true womanhood.

The Gansevoort Chapter (Albany, N. Y.), reports the death of Mrs. Walter McEwan on January 14, 1915.

Mrs. McEwan was a life member of the D. A. R., a descendant of General Seth Pomeroy, Lieutenant Jesse McIntire and Samuel Stuart, all of Revolutionary fame.
THE EDITOR'S DESK

Before many months have passed this Society will celebrate its silver anniversary. During these eventful twenty-five years the Daughters of the American Revolution have worked faithfully and nobly to mark and honor the graves of patriots, to preserve historic papers, and to pass on to future generations the best traditions of the Nation. The alien at our door has been taught the first duties of American citizenship through the educational pamphlets issued by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

But there is a field which this Society has hitherto touched upon lightly—and yet a field whose value cannot be overestimated—the good which this magazine can accomplish in popularizing American history.

There are excellent historical magazines doing good work, but this is the official organ of the largest society of patriotic women in the world, and therefore the DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION MAGAZINE should rank second to none in this educational field.

In carrying out this belief we shall strive to present the human and romantic side of history—guided by two fundamental principles—every article must have permanent value and be absolutely accurate.

Every effort will be made by the chairman, the Magazine Committee, genealogical editor, and the editor to give to the Daughters of the American Revolution a magazine worthy of the Society's highest ideals.

The same space and careful attention as formerly will be devoted to the Minutes of the National Board Meetings, State Conference reports, work of the Chapters, and articles contributed by members of this Society.

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The Genealogical Department, edited and conducted by Mrs. Amos G. Draper, whose sterling work has won deserved recognition and commendation from high authorities, will be, as always, one of the most valuable sections of the magazine.

In addition, historical articles by writers of distinction will appear from time to time.

Valuable historical data, never before published, will shortly be used in a "Department of Documents."

A page will be devoted to "Ye Olde Heirlooms," and photographs of authentic heirlooms will prove a valuable and interesting feature.

Chapter reports should be dated as well as signed.

Kindly mention in "In Memoriam" notices of chapter members the place of death and date.

To insure accuracy in the reading of proper names it is requested that manuscripts be typewritten.

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All contributions for the Genealogical Department should be sent to Mrs. Amos G. Draper, Genealogical Editor, Kendall Green, Washington, D. C.

Articles and photographs of historic and patriotic value are desired. Contributions should be accompanied by letters from the senders, and addressed to

NATALIE SUMNER LINCOLN, Editor,
Memorial Continental Hall,
Washington, D. C.
This department is intended for hitherto unpublished or practically inaccessible records of patriots of the War for American Independence, which records may be helpful to those desiring admission to the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution and to the registrars of chapters. Such data will be gladly received by the Genealogical Editor of this magazine, under whose supervision this department has been placed for the present.

CHARLES POLK, Revolutionary Soldier.

Where was Charles Polk born, and what service did he perform? This question has been asked so many times and been answered in so many different ways that it is evident that a short sketch of three men, by name of Charles Polk, who served in the Revolution will interest many of the readers of the magazine. The information has been obtained from Pension Applications, wills in Rowan Co., N. C., sketches of the family written by Bishop Leonidas Polk, Judge Albert Watkins, W. H. Polk and others, and records in the office of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

While we will not follow the advice of the Divine, who says no true history of a man can be written unless we begin a thousand years before he is born, still a hasty sketch of the Polk Family in North Carolina will be of aid in distinguishing the two men, uncle and nephew, by name of Charles Polk, who rendered such valiant service in that state during the Revolution.

William Polk, the first of the name in North Carolina, and his wife, Margaret Taylor, settled west of the Yadkin in that part of Anson Co., which is now Mecklenburg Co., and died there about twenty years before the Revolution, leaving three daughters and four sons: John, Charles, Thomas (who married Susan Spratt and was famous as an officer in the Revolution, and was the grandfather of Bishop Leonidas Polk), and Ezekiel also a Revolutionary soldier, who married Nanny Wilson, and was the grandfather of President James Polk.

In the Spring of 1765, John Polk was residing on the Selwyn land grant in Mecklenburg Co., and was the author of a petition to the Governor and Council complaining of the oppressive conduct of Selwyn's agent; in June, 1766, he was in a company of Mecklenburg Colonial Militia, of which his brother, Charles Polk, was first Lieut., and during the Revolution he was Captain of a Rifles Company of Volunteers, which served at the mouth of Cape Fear River, and also at Charleston, S. C.

According to Family History, John married Miss Shelby, and had a large family of children. During the Revolution, while he lived only eight miles from Charlotte, N. C., it was just over the line in the Catawba Reservation in S. C., and during the Revolution he commanded a company made up mostly of Indians, under Gen. Sumter, being engaged in the New River fight and others. After the Revolution he moved to Tennessee, where he lived the rest of his life.

He had among others, a son, John, who married and moved to San Augustine Co., Texas, and later to Leon Co., Texas; a son, Charles, and possibly also a son, Taylor Polk, who moved to Arkansas, but whose family history seems to be unknown.

Oct. 23, 1846, Charles Polk, of San Augustine Co., Texas, who was born in Mecklenburg Co., N. C., Jan. 18, 1760, applied for a pension as a soldier in the Revolution, and also in the War of 1812. He deposed that in 1776, when he was too young to be subject to militia service, he had volunteered, under Capt. James Jack, and served during the Cross Creek expedition against the Tories in the Mecklenburg Brigade, commanded by Col. Thomas Polk; and later had served in his father's company (Capt. John Polk), at Cape Fear River and Charleston. He was in the engagement at Sullivan's Island, under the command of Gen. Moultrie; and also served a tour under Capt. James Jack, at Snow Camp, in S. C., where the Tories were defeated; but his cousin, William Polk (son of Col. Thomas), being wounded, he was sent home with him. He was also in many other engagements, among them that of Bate's Ford, where Gen. Davidson was killed, and was encamped on Robert Lee's plantation, on Rocky River, where they took twelve or fifteen hundred stand of arms from the Tories. He served continuously from the taking of Charleston until the close of the war, part of the time under his uncle, Major Charles Polk (who was first Captain), and at other times under his uncle, Col. Thomas Polk, who commanded the Fourth regiment. After the war he resided in South Carolina, Tennessee and Texas, and was a sergeant in the War of 1812. The claim was held in the Pension Office, awaiting specific terms of service, and proof of service by other witnesses, neither of which were furnished by the applicant, and the file was therefore known as R. F. 8301. In a letter from Bishop Polk,
he states that "Old Charley" Polk showed him a powder-horn, which he valued highly, having carried it through the Revolution, under his uncle (Bishop Polk's grandfather), Col. Thomas Polk. 

"Just before the forces were to march North, he found that he had lost his horn; and on reporting the fact to his kinsman and General, when the troops were under arms the morning following, the General requested him to accompany him down the line and see if he could find it. He did so, and to his great delight found it, shot-pouch and all, on the neck of one of the soldiers. An examination was immediately begun, the man was convicted of having willfully appropriated it, and the penalty was dismissal from service with a refusal ever to allow him to serve again." Charles told this with great pride to illustrate the gallantry and sense of honor which distinguished his day and command! According to Judge Watkins, Charles Polk married Margaret Baxter, in North Carolina (born in Charlotte in 1760), resided in Maury Co., Tenn., and later in Western Tennessee, and in his old age moved to Texas, whither most of his children had emigrated. Charles and Margaret had: Jane, who m (1) Mr. Fowler, m (2) John Potts and lived in Alabama; John, b 1780, m Miss Elizabeth Allen, and d in Nacogdoches Co., Texas, in 1866; Andrew, who m Miss Tindall, and moved first to Mo., and then to Texas; William, who m Miss Petty, and lived and died in Miss., being at one time the postmaster at Holly Springs; Cynthia, who m her cousin, John Polk (son of John, and grandson of Capt. John Polk), moved to San Augustine Co., Texas, and later to Leon Co., Texas, where she died; Charles, who m Elizabeth Haynes, and moved to Leon Co., Texas, where he died; and Alfred, who m Nancy McIvor, and lived and died in San Augustine Co., Texas, where they raised a large family. The above was the only record of a Charles Polk, of N. C., in the Pension Office for eight years.

Oct. 25, 1854, George W. Polk, of Union Co., N. C., aged 55 years, claimed, as only living son and administrator of his mother, the five years' pay, due her as the widow of a soldier, who had served throughout the Rev. war. He deposed that his father, Charles Polk, was born July 9, 1732, resided in Mecklenburg Co., N. C., where he was a Lieut. in the Militia, before the Revolution; that he was a Captain in 1777, serving under Lieut. Col. William Polk, in the N. C. Brigade; was in the Battle of Eutaw Springs, and in other battles not specified; that he married, first in March, 1763, Mary (or Polly) Clark, who was born in June, 1744, and died Oct. 8, 1776; that he married secondly, Feb. 5, 1782, Philippines Helmes, who was born June 10, 1764; that his father, Charles Polk was the brother of Gen. Thomas Polk, John Polk and Ezekiel Polk, and died March 10, 1821; that his mother died Jan. 12, 1849;
though the evidence was then in the possession of the authorities. As the evidence of the death of Martha (Polk) Shelby was also not conclusively shown, the money was given to George W. Polk, as Executor, he giving bond to give Martha her share, if she appeared within two years.

Among those who deposed in behalf of George W. Polk were: "Old Mrs. Susanna Alexander," whose deposition, and account of rescuing Gen. Joseph Graham is given in the April, 1914, issue of this magazine; and William Davidson, (then) J. P. of Mecklenburg Co., who testified that he was born Sept. 2, 1778, had known the Polks all his life; that while he can not tell from personal knowledge of their deeds before and during the Revolution, he would state from what he had always heard that the four brothers, Thomas, Charles, John and Ezekiel, were men of mark; that Thomas was a Colonel, and called out the people of Mecklenburg Co., May 20, 1775, when Mecklenburg declared its independence; that he had two sons in the service: Thomas, Jr., who was killed at the Battle of Eutaw Springs, and William, who was shot in the mouth at the Battle of Brandywine, and shot in the shoulder at Snow Camp, S. C. (compare the statement of Charles Polk, R. F. 8301), that Capt. Charles Polk settled about twenty miles east of Charlotte, among his wife's relations, and is the only family of the original stock now in the county; that when Gen. George Washington was on his Southern tour he stopped a day at Charlotte, about 1791, and dined at Gen. Thomas Polk's, with all the leading men of the day, and after dinner walked the streets that the people might see him; that ever since he (Davidson) was a boy, he has attended the meetings of Revolutionary veterans and listened to their stories, and remembers well old Henry Emerson bragging about being sent by Col. Washington with a troop of cavalry to take a Tory fort, about fourteen miles this side of Camden, S. C. He sent a flag of truce, demanding its surrender; and on their refusal, the troops retired to a sand hill near by, and paraded about and got a black pine log and cut the end off and mounted it on the fore wheels of a wagon, and hauled it round and planted it for action as a cannon. A white flag was instantly held out from the fort, and the prisoners were much mortified when they found out the trick that had been played on them. Among the other persons who deposed were: Edith Stancel, of Union Co., in her 89th year (Feb. 2, 1855), who stated that Capt. Charles Polk lost his eyesight entirely before his death; that of his six children, by his first wife, all had left Mecklenburg Co., and of the five children, by his second wife, all were then dead except George W. Polk.

Andrew Secrest, of Union Co., in 1855, said that his brother, John Secrest, now deceased, had often told him of serving under Capt. Charles Polk, and that he was a brave, fearless man.

Dan Alexander, of Mecklenburg Co., N. C., aged 73 yrs., testified Apr. 25, 1855, that he was the son of Capt. William Alexander, a Rev. pensioner; was born and raised in Mecklenburg Co., that Charles Polk was his father's uncle, was rather slender, a whole-souled, genial man, and has often heard his father say that he was a brave officer.

Creasy B. Long, who was born and raised within nine miles of Charles Polk's house and is "now turning her eighty-four year," testified that she remembers hearing of Capt. Charles Polk when the American soldiers were encamped at her father's house.

A number of other neighbors and friends testified along these lines; and the service of Charles Polk seemed complete; but, some years after the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution was organized, search was begun for another Charles Polk, who also was a Captain during the American Revolution, and who moved to Kentucky, near Bardstown, in 1780, and from there to Knox Co., Ind., where he died in 1823. He was a conspicuous Indian Fighter after the Revolution, and an officer, under Harrison, at Vincennes.

After weeks and months of research, it was discovered that this Charles Polk was born in Frederick Co., Maryland, that so far as known he is not related to the Polks of North Carolina; that he was not the son of William Polk, etc. The will of his father, Charles Polk, Senior, was probated June 20, 1753, in Frederick Co., Md., and mentions his six children: Sarah, William, Thomas, Charles, Edmund and John, Sarah married Anstil Piety, and died in Kentucky, in 1835, aged 99 years; Charles born in 1744, married Delilah Tyler in 1774. She was born in 1755, was the daughter of Edward Tyler (b 1719) and Anne Langley, and a descendant of Robert Tyler, Sen., the emigrant, and died in 1797. They lived first in that part of Virginia which is now West Virginia (Brooke Co.), about sixteen miles from the Ohio river, on what was then called, "Cross Creek." As both of the other Charles Polks served during the Revolution, in," the Cross Creek expedition," there seemed to be authentic evidence that all of them were on Cross Creek during the Revolution. But the Cross Creek expedition was in North Carolina, and Cross" Creek then is Fayetteville now, while the Cross Creek settlement in Virginia during the Revolution is now Wellsburg, West Virginia. In 1780, Charles and Delilah moved to Kentucky, and in 1799 he was a resident of Shelby Co., Ky., and disposed in regard to the murder of Logan's family, by Daniel Greathouse (see Jefferson's Notes), having led a varied life, between those dates, as is shown by the birth-place of their son, Charles. Their children were: William, Elizabeth, (who married Captain Spear Spen-
cer, son of John and Margaret Spencer, for whom Spencer Co., Ky., and Ind., are named, and who was killed at the Battle of Tippecanoe, Nov. 7, 1811, after having been wounded three times), Nancy, who m. Peter Ruby; Sallie, who married Capt. William Bruce; Charles, who was born at Detroit, while his mother was held in captivity there, in 1782, and who married Mary McQuaid; Ellen, who married John Hollingsworth; and Kitty, who married Rev. Mr. McCoy, a missionary among the Indians. For official proof of service of this Charles Polk, who also was a Captain during the Revolution, see Virginia Rev. Soldiers (1912), p. 554, "Charles Polk, Capt. I. P. D. 43, D 92," which, being interpreted, means that Charles Polk was a Captain in the Illinois Department, and his services are mentioned in a collection of manuscript rolls on pages 43 and 92.

Bell Merrill Draper,
(Mrs. Amos G.)

Town Records of Canterbury, New Hampshire

Sent by Mrs. Charles W. Barrett, Samuel Ashley Chapter,
Claremont, N. H.

(Continued from May issue.)

Thomas Foss'es Children's Age.
Prisillia, born July ye 22nd, A. D. 1772.
Nathaniel, born November ye 4th, 1774.
Hannah Crosby's first born Child, named
Hannah, born July 25th, A. D. 1773.
Sarah Foss, Daughter of Thomas Thomas, born November ye 19th, 1781.
Stephen Sutton, Junr. was born at Loudon October the 15th, A. D. 1783.
The Age of Moses Foss'es Children:
Stephen, born June ye 30th, 1774.
May ye 9th, 1772—Then recorded the Birth of David Norris' Children: his Oldest Son, named Benjamin, was born March the fourteenth, 1766.
the Second Child, named Mark, born February ye 5th, 1768.
the Third Child, named David, born July ye 14th, 1770.
the fourth Child, named John, born August ye 25th, 1772.
the fifth Child, named Edward, born December 5th, 1774; and died April ye 6th, 1775.
the sixth Child, named Nathaniel, born March ye 22nd, 1776.
Ensn. John Moor, Born Apriel ye 9th, 1696.
Hannah Sias, his wife, Born August 21st, 1700.
William Moor, the oldest Son, Born August ye 19, 1720.
Archeelaus Moor, Born Apriele ye 6th, 1722.
Elisabeth Moor, Born June 11th, 1724.
Samuel Moor, Born September 15th, 1726.
Sarrah Moor, Born June 1st, 1729.
Nathaniel Moor, Born May 16th, 1733.
Hannah Moor, Born May 6th, 1737.
Mary Moor, Born May 6th, 1740.
Hannah Moore, Wife of ye above John Moore, Died February 11th, 1786.
The above named John Moore Died April ye 10th, A. D. 1786.
Archeelaus Moor, Born Apriele ye 6th, 1722.
Hannah Elkins, Born February ye 24th, 1719; they two entred the Marriage Couenant, September 19th, 1745.
**MARRIAGE RECORD EXCHANGE**

Through the National Committee on Historical Research

Mrs. Willard S. Augsbury, Chairman

**EARLY MARRIAGES IN FREDERICK COUNTY, VIRGINIA.**

(Copied at Winchester, Va., by Mrs. Amos G. Draper, Gen. Editor.)

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1782, December 2  Stevens, Elizabeth to Andrew Witmon.
1782, July 20      Stribling, Ann to John Milton.
1782, October 15   Thompson, Sarah to John Rannolds.
1786, October 6    Tice, William to Tabitha McCann.
1787, May 23       Vance, Elizabeth to Joseph Edwards.
1782, May 14       Warner, Actissiah to Henry Miller.
1787, October 30   Wickersham, Mary to William Davis.
1782, December 2   Witmon, Andrew to Elizabeth Stevens.
1787, August 13    Wright, Nancy to William Davis.

INDEPENDENCE HALL

The Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence have had printed, in sepia, twelve postcards of Independence Hall, which are now on sale at twenty-five cents a set, postage four cents.

A catalogue of the painting and other works of art in Independence Hall has also been prepared and is on sale. This catalogue contains a short history of Independence Hall and the pictures of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence, as well as a biographical sketch of each signer. It also can be had for twenty-five cents, postage three cents.

Address all orders, inclosing price, to Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

The Genealogical Editor gladly inserts the above notice, as the proceeds from the sale of the cards and hand-books are devoted exclusively for the benefit of Independence Hall.

A RECENT ACQUISITION TO THE LIBRARY


This genealogy of 136 pages gives an account of the Haggard Family in England, a sketch of the coat of arms, and then traces the descendants of the Haggard Family in this country, all of whom claim to be descended from one James Haggard, a wealthy Englishman, who settled in Norfolk, Va., in 1698, and had four sons: Nathaniel, Edmund, Zachariah and Gray (or Granville). Nathaniel, b Nov. 21, 1723, married Elizabeth Gentry and settled in Albemarle Co., Va. Of their seven sons three became Baptist preachers; and two of the three daughters married Baptist preachers. In 1788 Nathaniel with the entire family moved to Clark Co., Ky., where a colony of Baptists from Culpeper and Orange Counties, Va., had preceded them, and joined the Providence Baptist Church, which numbered among its congregation Daniel Boone. From there the members of the family emigrated into Tennessee, Alabama, Missouri, Illinois and Kansas. One of the sons, David Haggard, born in Albemarle Co. in 1763 is said to have served in the Revolution at the surrender of Cornwallis, and to be the only Revolutionary soldier buried in Bloomington, Ill. He never applied for a pension; and his name is not found in Virginia Revolutionary Soldiers. It is a tradition, however, that while he was in service his twin brother, Bartlett Haggard, would visit him, quietly exchange clothes and serve for a week or more while David was enjoying the pleasures of home. After the Revolution they married Martha and Nancy Dawson, sisters, and daughters of the Rev. Martin Dawson, a Baptist minister. Edmund Haggard also married and settled in Kentucky, but in Madison Co. His oldest son, William, settled in Tazewell Co., N. C., and served in the Revolution for three years, dying in Garrard Co., Ky., in 1852, aged 98 years. Edmund’s descendants were all Methodists; and Rice Haggard, his second son, was the originator of the Christian (or Campbellite) Church.

The book seems to be very carefully compiled, but it lacks that sine qua non in a genealogy, an index; and there is not even a table of contents to assist the searcher for knowledge. It contains much valuable information, and will be read with pride by all of the name in this country.
1. Any one is allowed the privilege of sending queries to this department, provided they pertain to the Revolutionary period, or that following. Questions pertaining to the Colonial period must be excluded for want of space; also all queries in regard to the requirements or other societies.

2. Queries will be inserted in the order in which they are received. It will, necessarily, be some months between the sending and printing of a query.

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8. It is impossible for the Genealogical Editor, as such, to send personal replies to queries. They must take their turn and be answered through the columns of the magazine.

ANSWERS

3413. JACKSON. In that fascinating storehouse of knowledge, "Pioneer Mothers of America," Volume II, pp 431-6, there is a sketch of Elizabeth Jackson, mother of President Andrew Jackson, compiled from information given by the Historian of the Elizabeth Jackson Chapter, Washington, D. C. In this sketch the statement is made positively that Elizabeth's maiden name was Hutchinson; that her parents were linen weavers and for generations had been noted for their industry, thrift and honesty. It hardly seems probable, therefore, that her name was Vance. I would suggest that A. V. R. correspond with Mrs. Helen A. Engle, the Historian, or with Mrs. R. Augustus Heaton, the Regent of the Elizabeth Jackson Chapter, in regard to the matter. I do not doubt they will be glad to furnish her their reasons for their statement.—Gen. Ed.

3451A. (5) MILES. There is a Genealogy of about 200 pages of the Miles Family, of Penna., in the Congressional Library. A recent number of the Athol (Mass.) Transcript mentions a monument recently erected at Petersham, Mass., by Gen. Nelson A. Miles (who was born at Westminster, Mass.) and his brother, Daniel C. Miles, in honor of their ancestors: JACOB MILES (1741-1832), one of the Revolutionary heroes who gave his services and valuable property to the cause of Human Liberty, and his wife, Elizabeth Fitch (1758-1837), their son Daniel Miles (1799-1875), and his wife Mary Curtis (1802-1875).—Gen. Ed.

3612. EDGINGTON. The name Edginton, under any of its spellings does not appear in the List of Va. Rev. Soldiers or in McAllister's Va. Militia in the Revolution. In a list of men serving in the Continental Line from Washington Co., Penna., as recorded in Fifth Series Penna. Archives, Vol IV, p. 398, we find the names of Joseph Edginton, Isaac and Joseph Edginton, all privates.

(2) JOHNSTONE-DOUGLAS. For the correct title of William and James Johnston and In-sley Douglas, of Morris Co., N. J., write to the Adjutant General of the State of N. J., Trenton, N. J., enclosing a dollar for each name, and the search will be made. There are a number of names of N. J. soldiers recorded in Trenton, which have never been printed.—Gen. Ed.

(3) SCOTT. While there is no record of a Thomas Scott serving in the Revolution from Vermont, the name of Samuel Scott occurs on the list of the first company of Militia in the town of Bennington, organized Oct. 24, 1784, as a private. Oct. 13, 1777, his name appears among a list of men and horses employed by Capt. Abel Marsh, in carrying flour from Connecticut River to Battenkill for the use of the Northern Army. While Samuel Scott did not go on the expedition, he furnished a horse for twelve days to Capt. Marsh. In Oct. 1780, Samuel Scott was Captain of a company of Militia that served under Col. Ebenezer Woods, from Oct. 16, for two days, traveling seventy miles in that time. In Sept., 1782, the name also occurs as that of a private, who served in Capt. Josiah Fish's Co. of Foot in the First regiment of Militia in Gen. Fletcher's Brigade, Col. Stephen R. Bradley, assisting the sheriff in carrying into execution the law, etc. Whether this last service belongs to the Capt. or not, I

(4) STAMM-EMERICK. Nicholas Stam was taxed as a resident of Bern, Berks Co., Pa., in 1781, '84 and '85; and Nicholas Stamm (evidently the same person) was taxed in same township, in 1779 and 1780. He owned 149 acres of land, horses and cattle. (Penn. Archives, Third Series Vol. XVIII, pp. 451-578 and 710.) Other members of the family who resided in the same township were, A. T., Adam, Alexander, Conrad, Frederick, Henry, Jacob, Leonard, Martin, Peter and Werner (also spelled Verner, Vernon and Vernon). There is no record in either the Third or Fifth Series of the Rev. service of Nicholas, although Adam, David, Peter and Philip Stam are recorded as having served. There were a number of men by name of Emerick, who were residents of Penna. during the Rev., but the only ones who are mentioned as having served are: Adam, from Berks Co., David and John, from Northumberland Co., and Philip, who served in the Penna. State Troops, and in 1832 was a resident of Montgomery Co., Penna., aged 77 yrs., and a Rev. pensioner.—Gen. Ed.

3615. ANDREWS. The Andrews Genealogy, giving the descendants of John and Mary Andrews, who settled in Farmington, Conn., in 1640, down to 1872, a book of 652 pages, will quite probably give the answer to R. T. B. See also answer to 3951.—Gen. Ed.


3651. DOUGLASS. In the list of S. C. Rev. Soldiers, published by the Columbia State, occurs the name of John Douglass, who was a sergeant, under Col. Anderson, and a Lieut. in Capt. John Irwin's Co.—Gen. Ed.

3636. (2) ARNOLD-BLAKEMORE. Richard Arnold served in the Revolution in the Penna. Militia, under Captains Brooks, Robert E. Hooper and Mordecai Roberts, enlistling from Bucks Co., Tenn. He was born in Ireland in 1757, and d July 24, 1783, in Logan, Ind. His widow, Mary Blackmore (Blakeimore), applied in 1851 for a pension as his widow, and at that time was aged 87 yrs. They had the following children: George, Jane, Mary, William, Catherine, Richard, Samuel, Charles and Elizabeth. The pension application does not give the names of the persons to whom the children were married—Gen. Ed.

3640. (3) DWYER. There was a James Dwier, private from Maryland, whose name appears in the Fifth Series, Penna. Archives, on the Roll of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates of the Invalid Regiment in the Service of the United States, from June 1, 1781, to Jan. 1, 1782. He was honorably discharged at that time, and no further mention is made of him.—Gen. Ed.

3647. (6) PETERFISH (BEIDERFISCH). The name of Peterfish or Beiderfisch does not appear in any list of Rev. Soldiers from Penna. or Virginia, accessible to the Genealogical Editor.—Gen. Ed.

3649. LEACH. There was an Andrew Leach, who served in the Revolution, from Stafford Co., Va., and an examination of the records at the County-seat Stafford, might show that Elizabeth (Leach) Bridges was a daughter or grand-daughter of his.—Gen. Ed.

3752. CAMP. Thomas Camp, who moved to S. C. about 1761, was the son of Thomas Camp, and his wife, formerly Miss Marshall. Thomas was born Feb. 8, 1717, m (1) Winifred Starling, by whom he had twelve children: Edmund, b 1739; Joseph, b 1741; John, b 1743; Nathaniel, b 1745; Thomas, b 1747; Starling, b 1749; Hosea, b 1751; William, b 1753; Alfred, b 1755; Benjamin, b 1757; Elizabeth, b 1759; and Joel, b 1761. His wife died soon after the birth of Joel; and Thomas, m (2) Margaret Conrey, b Ireland, June 20, 1744, and had: Henshaw, b 1763; James, b 1765; Daniel, b 1766; Lewis, b 1769; Adam, b 1771; Stephen, b 1773; Larkin, b 1773; Unisy, b 1778; Aaron, b 1780; Ruth, b 1782; and Joshua, b 1786. Thomas Senior died in 1798, and his widow, Margaret in 1824. (The above was contributed from some unknown friend of the Genealogical Department.)

3790. GAULDR. Joseph Gaylord, who m Rachel Tibbals, Apr. 27, 1766, in Conn., was the son of Lutie. Samuel Gaylord, and Thankful Munson, his wife. Samuel served in the Revolution and died from wounds inflicted in 1778; but the service of Joseph has not yet been proven by me. He may be the Joseph who was a pensioner in 1832, from Litchfield, Conn. An examination of the pension record would probably tell. Mrs. Albert D. Poss, Plainview, Minn.

3814. GRYMES. No one has entered the D. A. R. on the service of Nicholas Grymes or Grimes, of Va., neither do I find his name in the Census of 1790; neither is his name in any list of Rev. Soldiers accessible to the Genealogical Editor.

(2) FRANCE. While there is no record in Va. Rev. Soldiers of the service of a William France, there was a man of that name who served in the Chester Co. Militia, in 1782; and it is possible that he may have moved from Virginia to Pennsylvania during the Revolution. That would have to be proved.—Gen. Ed.

(3) TALBOTT. No one has entered the D. A. R. on the service of Samuel Talbott; neither do I find his name in any list of Rev. Soldiers from Virginia accessible to me; but if the statement in regard to his dying from exposure dur-
ing the Revolution can be traced to one who heard it stated at the time of his death, that might be taken as proof of service, at least as a patriot.—Gen. Ed.

(4) Troutman. There was a Peter Troutman (Troutman), who received Depreciation pay as a Rev. soldier, from Berks Co., Penna. (See Penna. Archives, Fifth Series, Vol. IV, p 208.)—Gen. Ed.

(5) Forman. There was a John Forman, who was living in Hampshire Co., Va., in 1782 and '84, as well as John Forman, Jr. (See Census for Virginia.)—Gen. Ed.

(8) Adams. In 1850, John Adams, 64 yrs. old, b Penna., was living in Jackson Co., Ga. His wife, Elizabeth, was 53 yrs. old, b S. C., and the children in his family, all of whom were b in Ga. were: Harriet, 27 yrs., Nancy, 19 yrs., and Priscilla, 15 yrs.—Gen. Ed.

3841. Mallette. In the answer to 3841 in May issue, a mistake was made by the Genealogical Editor in giving the Rev. ancestor of Mrs. Bateman as Stephen, instead of Gideon Mallette, as it should be.

3924. Davis. On account of the similarity of names, it seems probable that my ancestors were relatives of the ancestors of M. B. H. I am therefore sending the accounts of mine in the hope that some connection may be found which will aid both of us. My great, great grandfather was Jonathan Davis, of Randolph Co., Va., (now West Va.) His wife was Piety Davis, his father was Jonathan, b July 6, 1798, who m Wm. Low, for his second wife, Aug. 15, 1824; Robert; Elizabeth, who m Abram Helmer; Anna, who m Bill Blue; Gideon, Cheney, James, Lucy, John and Euphemia Narcissus.—Mrs. U. E. Low, Dayton, Iowa.

In addition to the above statement the Gen. Ed. appends the application for pension of twelve men by name of William Davis, who claimed to have served in the Revolution from Virginia. They are as follows:

"S. F. 2160. William Davis, of Butler Co., Ohio, in 1832, aged 80, enlisted as a private in 1777, from Stafford Co., Va., in Capt. Wm. Washington's company, Cont. Line. [In a letter on file with this application the statement is made that a dau. of this William, Heathly (or Hettie) Davis, married her cousin, John Davis, who was a soldier of the War of 1812.]


S. F. 10521. William Davis, of Lewis Co., Va., applied for pension, but later confessed that his service was rendered in 1794; and the papers were removed. There is a memorandum, however, from one of the inspectors, stating that there was at that time, 1834, a William Davis residing in Harrison Co., Va., who served during the Rev., in N. J. troops.

S. F. 12738. William Davis, of Mainard's Cove, Jackson Co., Ala., in 1842, aged 88 yrs., was born in Hanover Co., Va., enlisted in 1776, from Albemarle Co., Va., as a Minute Man, under Capt. Nicholas Lewis. In 1781 was drafted under Lafayette; and also served two terms as a substitute. He lived after the Rev., in Ky., Tenn. and Ala.

S. F. 15796. William Davis, of Allegheny Co., Va., in 1834, aged 77 years, was born in Maryland, in 1756, enlisted in 1779, from Amherst Co., in Capt. James Pampolin's Co., Va. Militia, as a substitute for John Tinsley; and on two other occasions was a substitute; but in 1780 was drafted in Amherst Co. Militia, in Capt. Barnet's Co. (Dielosian Reynolds and Wm. H. Davis, both of Alleghany Co., Va., in 1834, certify to his character, etc.)

S. F. 35884. William Davis, of Fleming Co., Ky., in 1818, in his 58th year, enlisted from Frederick Co., Va., in 1781, and was sent to the 3rd regiment of Dragoons, under Capt. Churchill Jones. His name was dropped in 1829, on account of property, but in 1828 he applied again, and his claim was allowed.

S. F. 45896. William Davis of Lunenburg Co., Va., in 1833, aged 82 yrs., was born in Caroline Co., Va., enlisted from Dinwiddie Co., in 1777, under Capt. Walker, and later enlisted for three years, under Capt. Peter Jones, of Dinwiddie Co. He joined the main army at Valley Forge, and was attached to the 14th Va. reg't., commanded by Col. William Davis. Was in battles of Monmouth, Stony Point, and was taken prisoner at the surrender of Charleston, S. C., put on board the British ship Renown, escaped and returned to Dinwiddie Co., where he received a discharge from his Colonel, William Davis, who was then at Chesterfield Court House.

W. F. 6973. William Davis, of Fayette Co., Va., aged 77 years, enlisted from Amherst Co., in 1780, for three years in Va. Cont. Line, and later served under Capt. Nicholas Cabell. Was in the Battle of Guilford Court House, and at the siege of Yorktown. He died in Fayette Co., Va., in 1846, and his widow, Benedicita, received a pension. In 1834, Henry Peyton, Sr., of Cabell Co., testified that he served with William Davis, under Capt. John Peyton, in an Indian war, and also in 1781, under Capt. James Franklin and Capt. James Dillard. He was at
Point Pleasant in 1777, with him, and at Guilford Court House in 1781 with him, also.

W. F. 10309. William Davis of Prince William Co. Va. in 1832, aged 72 yrs. enlisted from New River, Va. in 1776 under Capt. Daniel Trig in the Va. Line, marched against the Indians in the waters of the Big Sandy River and was stationed at Fort Davidson; in 1778 was drafted in Prince William Co. and served 3 months under Capt. Peter Ivens; in 1779 was drafted again, serving under Capt. Valentine Peyton, and marched to Alexandria, Va. He died in 1837, and his widow Jane (King) Davis received a pension.

W. F. 284. William Davis of Logan Co. Ky. (close to the Va. Boundary line) in 1832, aged 85 yrs. enlisted from Chesterfield Co. Va. in the 9th. Va. regiment and served from the time of the Battle of Bunker Hill until after the siege of Yorktown. He died in 1842, and his widow Mary (Taylor) Davis received a pension.

There is also in the Pension Office the application for Bounty-Land of Col. William Davis or Davies. The warrant (BLWt. 507-500-Col.) was issued to him May 7, 1797 for his services as a Colonel. This is supposed to be the William Davis of Isle of Wight Co. who served as Capt. and Colonel, and who in his will, probated in Isle of Wight Co. mentions his lands in Kentucky.

In Augusta Co. Records, Vol. II, the Declarations for pensions of two men by name of William Davis are recorded. They are, however, already given (S. F. 8277 and S. F. 15796.)

In McAllister's Virginia Militia in the Revolution, p 109, is given an abstract of the Declaration of William Davis of Alleghany Co. (S. F. 15796.) On p 207 of the same book mention is made of a William Davis who was appointed Ensign in 1780 or 81 from Greenbrier Co. and on p 217 of same book we have the record of the Montgomery Co. Court, recommending William Davis of that Co. for Second Lieut.

In Va. Rev. Soldiers mention is made of a Lieut. William Davis, who applied for Bounty Land. His claim was withdrawn, however, and the papers in the case returned to him, so nothing further can be found out of him from Richmond.

In the application for pension of Benedicita, wid. of William Davis (W. F. 6973) there is a letter on file from the office of the Auditor, dated Richmond May 13, 1834, stating that "the name of William Davis appears twelve times on the Continental Register and three times on those of the Line. Six individuals of the name received Bounty Land." It may be difficult, therefore, to identify the particular William Davis desired.

3930. MARCELS. Catherine Marcelus (or Marselis) was the daughter of Derrick or Richard Marselis and Lyset Vau Epis, his wife; and grand-daughter of Ahasuerus Marsellis and Sarah Heemstraat, his wife. Richard Marselis (1700-1785) was a patriot of Schenectady, N. Y. where he lived and died. Mrs. J. E. Kaley, 151 Montgomery St. Poughkeepsie, N. Y. The Gen. Ed. would add to the above information that Mrs. Catherine Clute Conde has joined the D. A. R. on the service of Richard Marselis, and her line is to be found in the Lineage Book D. A. R. Vol. XV, p 109.

3931 (2) GOLDSBOROUGH-GRISWOLD. Mrs. Charles B. Goldsborough, 700 West 115th. Street, New York City, is an authority on the Goldsborough Family of Maryland. Her fine Genealogy of the family which will probably be issued within the year will be a veritable mine of information when published. David M. Griswold, 925 University Building, Syracuse, N. Y. is at work on a Genealogy of the Griswold Family, and has a large amount of data already collected.—Gen. Ed.

3932. ROSE. While the following is not a direct answer to E. H. M. it may be of assistance to her in tracing her connection. Lewis Rose, an Indian Fighter during the Revolution whose record was accepted by the D. A. R. some years ago, was born Oct. 11, 1749, in a small village near Bingen, Germany. His parents were Godlove and Barbary Rose, respectable, industrious citizens of the Lutheran faith. They emigrated to America in 1764, landing at Alexandria, Va. In the spring of 1765 Godlove Rose moved to Gaunt's Iron works in Frederick Co. Md. where he continued to reside until 1770 when he moved to Bedford, Penna. where he purchased a tract of land and commenced farming. On Mch. 31, 1772, Lewis Rose m Barbary Trair (or Trayer) and when the Rev. broke out he enlisted in the Penna. Militia. He went to Garrard Co. Ky. in 1779 and was prominent in the Indian uprisings, a splendid account of which may be found in Collins' History of Ky. Vol. II. This account of Lewis Rose is taken from a biography of him published in a Harrodsburg (Ky.) newspaper in 1829. I have been unable to find official proof of his service in Penna. or the names of his brothers and sisters, although it is quite possible that Edward may have been a brother of Lewis.—Mrs. Malcolm Smith, 1304 North Emporia St., Wichita, Kansas.

3943. HAND. Although I have a great many records of the Hand Family I have never seen any proof that Philip was a Rev. Soldier. Stevens gives a most complete list of the Cape May men, but Philip is not mentioned. Lovicia Ludlam, dau. of Anthony Ludlam, m Philip Hand. They had three sons and two daughters: Nathaniel, who m Rachel Hughes; Ludlam, who m Milicent Garrison; Philip who
educated his children, grandchildren, and also school, which is still standing. Sarah Strother in the two story school-house, built by her uncle, Capt. John Strother, of Culpeper Co. Mr. Henry Strother, Fort Smith, Ark. and also from a descendant of Capt. Moses Hawkins—Mrs. L. G. Wright, LaBelle, Mo.

3979. ALSTON-LYNCH. Elizabeth Alston, b 1728, was the dau of William Alston (Allston) Collector of Customs for Georgetown, S. C. and his wife, Esther Margarette La Bune (1704-1781). Sept. 5, 1745, she married Thomas Lynch, son of Thomas, and grandson of the emigrant, and had three children: (1) Thomas Jr. b on his father's plantation on the North Santee River, Prince George's Parish, S. C. Aug. 5, 1740, who m Elizabeth Shubrick, was a Captain in 1775 in the first provincial regiment of troops raised in S. C. for the Continental service; resigned to take a seat in the Continental Congress made vacant by his father's feeble health, remained long enough in Philadelphia to sign the Declaration of Independence; and then, with his father started home, but were stopped at Annapolis, by the death of the father. Thomas Jr. returned home, and in 1779 sailed for the south of Europe, but with his wife was lost at sea. (2) Esther, who d unm. (3) Sabina who m John Bowman and had four ch., three daughters who left no issue (two of whom died unmarried) and one son, John Bowman, who changed his name to John Bowman Lynch, and married Miss Campbell, of Baltimore. They had three sons, who died unmarried, and four daughters, three of whom died unmarried. The eldest daughter, Sabina Lynch, married Paul Dismukes, of Nashville, Tenn. and they had nine chns. After the death of Elizabeth (Alston) Lynch, Thomas m (2) Miss Motte from whom are descended the Hamiltons and Prioleaus of S. C. See "The Alstons, and Allstons, of North and South Carolina," by Joseph A. Groves, M. D. pg. 72-73 and The Lives of the Signers of the Declaration by N. Dwight.—Miss Mattie M. Bronson, Florence, S. C.

3985 (3) MIDDLESWART. In my travels this summer I ran across an old grave-yard of the Bethany Presbyterian Church, Bridgeville, Penna. (Allegheny Co.) a church which is over one hundred years old, and noticed a number of tombstones of the Middleworts (or Middlesworth, as it is spelled there) family. Allegheney Co. was formed from Washington Co. in 1788 and this graveyard is near Chartiers (not Charlies) Creek, which empties into Saw Mill Run. —(Another friend of the Genealogical Department who prefers to hide her good works.)

3986. KNOX. James Knox, son of the emigrant, John Knox, and his wife, Jean Gracy,
was b 1752 in Rowan Co. N. C. and served as a Captain in the Revolution. (Wheeler's History of N. C. p 358.) He refused to join Gov. Tryon in July, 1768, in his attacks on the Regulators, and served in the Continental troops. (Knox Family History by Miss Hattie S. Goodman, Woodleaf, N. C.) He m Lydia Gillespie and in his will he mentions four children: Jean, who m Dec. 25, 1794, Samuel Polk, and became the mother of Pres. James Knox Polk; Naomi, Robert (said to have been a Rev. soldier from one of the Carolinas) and Thomas. The site of the old residence of Capt. James Knox, about two miles west of Huntersville, N. C. is still pointed out to strangers. In the old Hopewell cemetery at Mecklenburg Co. may be found the grave of Capt. Knox, near the gate at the corner nearest the church. His will is on file at Charlotte, N. C.—Mrs. S. Douglas Knox, 510 Rock St., Little Rock, Ark.

4007. DEMAREST. On pages 146 to 156 of the 'Genealogical and Memorial History of the State of New Jersey,' compiled under the editorial supervision of Francis Bagley Lee, and published by the Lewis Historical Society, N. Y. in 1910, is to be found an exhaustive history of the Demarest (Demorest) Family in which E. B. H. may find much of interest.—Miss Elizabeth C. Hendry, 5041 Green Street, Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa.

4025. (2) WYCKOFF-WIKOFF. A perusal of Mequinnness' History of the West Branch Valley may assist M. E. M. R. as the Wyckoff family were very prominent in the early days of Indian Warfare. The brothers Peter and William were from N. J. Peter with his sons were taken to Canada, captives by the Indians in the summer of 1778. The wife of Peter, Rebecca, made her way back to N. J., where she lived adjoining the Dutch church at Readington in 1782. The sons of Peter were: Cornelius, Joseph, William and John. Joseph signed the oath of allegiance in Northumberland Co. July 30, 1777. He was appointed Lieut. of the 3rd. Co. of the 3rd. Battalion of Militia of Northumberland Co. in 1785. Cornelius Wyckoff left no children. John Wyckoff, second son of Peter, always remained in N. J. He m Altje Jans and they kept the Pottertown Tavern. William, who was taken captive by the Indians, suffered by privation and sickness during the journey but on arriving in the Seneca Country he was adopted into one of the Indian families, according to custom, so his life was fairly comfortable; but in the autumn he was exchanged and returned home. He married Isabella Covenhoven, sister of the noted scout and guide of the West Branch, Robert Covenhoven, June 17, 1786, and they settled near Canandaigua, N. Y. where he died April 2, 1847. After the Revolution Peter Wyckoff and his brother William returned to the West Branch Valley locating again on their old home.

land. Some of the Wyckoff family removed from the West Branch to Harper's Ferry; thence to Kentucky; others went west, so that now the name has become widely distributed all over the United States. A table of the Wyckoff ancestry is included in the History mentioned. Wherever the name may be found, it seems to have emanated from New Jersey originally.—Mrs. J. C. P. Krom, Jersey Shore, Penna.

(3) HUGHES-MCALLISTER. There is no reference in the large Hughes Genealogy to any one by name of McAllister, nor to a Caty or Catherine who could possibly answer to the description given by M. E. M. R.—Gen. Ed.

4036. (5) STIMPSON. George Stimpson (or Stinson) m Abigail Clark in 1751 and they had eleven children as follows: Jeremy, who m Nancy Jones; Abigail who m Roger Fitch; Experience who m Abijah Stone; Henrietta who m John Claffin; Sally, who m Increase Claffin; Betsey who m Samuel Crocker; George who m Sally Westlake (or Westlyck); Ephraim who m Polly Benham; Nathaniel who m (1) Eliza Eliot, and m (2) Phoebe Pond; Harry who m Rebecca Pond; and William who m Phoebe Wright. This George Stimpson was the Paymaster during the Revolution who was mentioned by K. E. B. in her Query.—Mrs. A. B. Cook, Massena, N. Y.

4127A. DAMON. The only man of name of Damon mentioned in the Census of Vermont for 1790 is a George Damon, who did not live in Hartford, but in Windsor County, in the town of Woodstock. He had three males over 16 yrs. one under 16 yrs. and six females in his family. There were in the town of Hartford, Windsor Co. three families by the name of Demmon in 1790, two of whom could have been the ones desired. Levi, with one male over 16 yrs. three under 16 yrs. and four females in his family; and William, with one male over 16 yrs. one under 16 yrs. and two females in his family. The other family of Demmons was that of Nathan, who had only one male over 16 yrs. and two females in his family. In each case, of course, one must remember that one of the males over 16 yrs. is the house-holder.—Gen. Ed.

4128. DRENNAN. The names of David, James, Joseph, Thomas and William Drennan appear as serving from Penna, but no Hugh Drennan.—Gen. Ed.

4162. GERRARD. There is no record of a Jonathan Gerrard under any of the spellings of the name that can be found by the Gen. Ed. Neither does the Census of 1790 give the name. There was a John Gerrard who was a Rev. pensioner living in Ohio in 1835; a Benjamin who served in the 13th Va. regiment; an Elias, and a William who was Captain of Berkeley Co. Militia. There were also men by name of
Isaac, John, Josiah and Nathaniel Gerard; also Robert and William Jarret who served in the Revolution from Penna. It is possible that the Jonah who was a private and ensign in the Washington Co. (Pa.) Militia was your Jonathan. Greene Co. was not formed until after the Revolution. See also answer to 3628 (2).—Gen. Ed.

Obituaries from "Western Citizen."

PART II.

[Through the kindness of Mrs. W. H. Whitley, regent of the Jemima Johnson Chapter, D. A. R., Vine Street, Paris, Ky., a number of obituaries have been condensed and copied from the "Western Citizen" for the years 1831-1865. This paper was published at Paris, Bourbon Co., Ky. from 1807-1866, but the only copies Mrs. Whitley has seen earlier than 1831 are two special numbers issued during the War of 1812 and a single copy of the issue of 1827. The obituaries are condensed but no item of genealogical value has been omitted. Many notices were not included, for failure to record age, as she had not attempted to record any persons born after 1800. The actual date of death is given where stated; where it is not stated, the issue of the paper is given. These obituaries have been divided into two parts by the Genealogical Editor, Part 1 giving the obituaries of Revolutionary soldiers, or their wives, and Part 2 the obituaries of those whose service, if any, is not stated.]

AKER, Margaret, wid. of Jacob of Bourbon Co., Ky., d Dec. 11, 1855 in 82d year.
ALEXANDER, Margaret (Mrs. Wilson) d Jan. 13, 1851 Harrison Co., Ky., abt. 75.
ALLEN, Adoniram d Nov. 12, 1862 aged 77
ALLEN, Isaac d Sept. 8, 1854 Bourbon Co., Ky., upwards of 70 years
ALLEN, Jane, wid. of Judge Allen, d April 30, 1847 in 83d yr. at residence of daughter, Mrs. Grosjean in Bourbon Co., Ky.
ALLEN, John M. d June 22, 1855 in 82nd yr.
ALLEN, Mrs. Mary d Nov. 9, 1854 in 73d yr.
ALLISON, Andrew d Jan. 5, 1852 in 64th yr.
ANDERSON, Sarah (Mrs.) d May 26, 1864 in 90 yr. at her son-in-law’s Mr. Wm. Benthell’s
ARNOLD, Susan P., wid. of Thomas (clerk in Bourbon Circuit Court) d Covington, Ky., at residence of son-in-law Dr. Blackburn, Feb. 4, 1857, aged 80
ARNOLD, Thomas, Sr. d March 6, 1840 in 70th yr. b. in Culpeper Co., Va.; emigrated with his father to Woodford Co., Ky. in 1780. 1793 went to Paris, Ky. to practice law. Performed military service in "Wayne’s Campaign."
ASHURST, Rebecca (Mrs.) d Sept. 24, 1855, aged 84. Daughter of John Kennedy. She was one of the oldest settlers in the Co.
AUSTIN, Mrs. Melissa d April 18, 1848 abt. 66
BAKER, Prudence (Mrs.) d April 14, 1865 in 72nd yr.
BARNETT, John d June 2, 1854, Dewitt Co., Ill., abt. 75; formerly of Bourbon Co., Ky.
BASSETT, Frances (Mrs. James) d Jan. 11, 1859 in 72d yr.; native of Va.
BATTERTON, Mrs. Susanna buried May 11, 1852, aged 84 yrs. 7 mos. 14 days. Came to Ky. in 1788 from N. C. with parents.
BEDFORD, Mattie Clay (Mrs. Littleberry) d March 1864; b. Charlotte Co., Va. Sept. 8, 1772
BEERBRIDGE, Capt. Geo. of Scott Co., Ky. d Sept. 15, 1838
BERRY, Mrs. Elizabeth d June 30, 1854 in 67 yr.
BLEDSOE, Sarah H., wid. of Jesse. d Jan. 31, 1849 Frankfort, Franklin Co., Ky., abt. 65
BLYTHE, D. D., Rev. Jas. d May 20, 1842 South Hanover, Ind. in 77th yr.
BORBEIS, Rev. Lewis d April 1, 1840 in 88th yr., Bourbon Co., Ky. Baptist.
BRAMBLETT, Henry d Feb. 10, 1847 in 84th yr.
BRAND, Thomas d Oct. 27, 1855 in 84th yr.; b. Md. emigrated to Augusta Co., Va. and from there to Bourbon Co., Ky. in 1808 or 1809.
BRECKINRIDGE, John d May 5, 1854 in 67th yr.
BRENT, Richard d 1847 at Lexington, Ky. aged 66
BRISTOW, Mrs. Judith d July 16, 1852 at advanced age in Boyle Co., Ky., at res. of son in law John R. Lyle

BRYAN, Samuel d Oct. 21, 1852, Fayette Co., Ky.; one of oldest citizens in Co.

BUCCHANAN, Spencer d Aug. 7, 1840 aged 80 yrs.; one of first settlers of Ky.

BULLOCK, Edmund d July 16, 1852, Louisville, Ky. in 90th yr.; formerly of Fayette Co.

BURNAW, George d April 14, 1848 about 59. Was soldier in War of 1812, served one campaign under Maj. Gen. Hopkins as volunteer.

BUTLER, Edmund d Jan. 31, 1846, Montgomery Co., Ky. in 79th yr.

CALDWELL, Ann, wid. of Wm. d May 31, 1838 in 67th yr. Native of Pa., emigrated to Ky. before war whoop had died away; d at residence of son in law, Luther Smith.

CAMPBELL, Elizabeth, wid. of Wm. of Rockbridge Co., Va.; d April 9, 1848 in 68th yr. near Knightstown, Ind.

CARROLL, Charles (Last of the Signers) d Sept. 14, 1831 in 95th yr.

CARTER, Dr. Joseph A. d Feb. 29, 1852, Urbana, Ohio, in 63d yr.

CASTLEMAN, David d May 1852 about 67; Fayette Co., Ky.

CHAMBERS, Gov. John of Iowa d Sept. 1852 about 73 at res. of son-in-law, Chas. S. Brent, Paris, Ky. b. in N. J. in 1779; emigrated to Mason Co., Ky. Was at Battle of Thames. m. Miss Hannah Taylor.

CLARK, A. E. (Mrs.) d June 1863 aged 79, Covington, Ky. (formerly of Bourbon Co.)

CLARKE, Robert d Sept. 24, 1857 in 78th yr.

CLARK, Charles of Wm. d May 31, 1838 in 67th yr. Native of Pa., emigrated to Ky. before war whoop had died away; d at residence of son in law, Luther Smith.

CUMMINS, Mrs. Pamela d July, 1854, about 75 at res. of son in law, A. H. Talbott, Bedford, Ky. Formerly of Paris, Ky.

CUMMINS, Wm. d March 24, 1845, Bourbon Co., Ky.; aged citizen

CUNNINGHAM, Isaac d Nov. 11, 1842, Clarke Co., Ky. aged 64

CUNNINGHAM, John (Capt.) d Aug. 19, 1864. Soldier in War of 1812

CUNNINGHAM, Sarah, wid. of Capt. Isaac d April 12, 1845 at advanced age.

CURLE, Mrs. d April 23, 1847, Bourbon, Ky., in 90th yr. at res. of son, John Curle

CURREY, Elijah d Aug. 23, 1860; old citizen

DARNALL, Elias d March 9, 1860, Bethany, Va.; formerly old citizen of this Co.

DAVIDE, Henry (b. 1811) d Gallatin Co., Ky. 1831, late Judge of circuit; 62 yrs.

DAVIDSON, Mrs. Mary d Feb. 7, 1839 in 74th yr., Bourbon Co., Ky.

DAVIS, Nathaniel d May 27, 1864 aged 73

DEBRULER, Mrs. Anna d April 25, 1858, aged 72

DEBRULER, Miss Polly d Sept. 1854 about 80 at res. of nephew B. B. Wright

DUNN, Capt. James of War of 1812 d April 1, 1841, Clay Co., Mo.; formerly of Ky.

DUNN, Mathew, formerly of Bourbon Co., Ky., went to Mo. about 1826. Came to Ky. in 1785 and d Jan. 27, 1844 in Clay Co., Mo.

EADES, Mrs. Priscilla d June 21, 1847, Nicholas Co., Ky. at home of son Preston Eades in 80th yr.
EADES, Thomas, Sr., of Nicholas Co. d Nov. 15, 1838 in Millersburg, Bourbon Co., Ky. in 75th yr.

EASTEN, Gen. Z. d Jan. 15, 1852 at Henderson, Ky. at an advanced age, was formerly of Bourbon Co., Ky.

EDWARDS, Mrs. Elizabeth d Sept. 22, 1850 abt. 80 at res. of son in law Geo. A. Smith.

EDWARDS, Maj. John d Oct. 8, 1852 abt. 79

ELDRIDGE, Peyton R. d Nov. 8, 1848 N. Middletown, Bourbon Co., Ky. abt. 79

ELLIOTT, Major Thos. d Feb. 1843 near Paris, Ky., abt. 45th yr.

ESTELL, Walter d Sept. 1860, Madison Co. in 86th yr.

FORD, Wm., Sr. d Dec. 20, 1850 in 82d yr.

FOREST, Mrs. Sarah of Bourbon, Ky. d Jan. 10, 1892 aged 76 at res. of Henry Parker.

FORMAN, Thomas Morgan (Gen.) d Mason Co., Ky. near Mayslick Nov. 30, 1864 in 57th yr.


FRANCES, Mrs. Martha d Sept. 20, 1850 abt. 72

FRAZIER, John Harmon d Sept. 12, 1863 in 63rd yr.

FRY, Nancy (Mrs.) d Nov. 1862 aged 74 at res. of son Newton Fry

GAINES, Margaret, Mrs. Wm. of Bourbon Co., Ky. d Dec. 26, 1854 abt. 63

GARRARD, James (Gov.) d Aug. 1838

GARRARD, Thos. d Sept. 10, 1842 aged 66


GASS, Jas. d Jan. 14, 1854 abt. 89

GASS, John in 91st yr. b Va. Dec. 8, 1765.


HAYSE (See Hayes)

HEDGES, John d March 11, 1857 aged 86 yrs.

HEDGES, Peter d Feb. 10, 1865, aged 68; b Bourbon Co., Ky.

HENDERSON, Elizabeth (Mrs.) d Feb. 1, 1865, aged 77, Bourbon Co., Ky.

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HICKMAN, Joel d July 16, 1852 in 92d yr. Clark Co., Ky.


HIGGINS, Mrs. Mary E. d April 27, 1859 aged 75, at son Charles' res.

HILDBRETH, Joseph d Feb. 14, 1845, Bourbon Co., Ky., one of the first settlers of the Co.

HILDBRETH, Marianne, Mrs. Capt. John d June 11, 1862; b. Wythe Co., Va. in 1800, was formerly Miss Finley

HOGGINS, Solomon d April 9, 1845 aged 77

HOLT, Dr. David. Capt. in late war, was at siege of Fort Meigs, etc.; d May 1, 1838, Little Rock, Ark.

HONEY, William d July 31, 1862 in 78th yr.

HORTON, E. W. d Aug. 16, 1861, aged 67

HILDRETH, Marianne, Mrs. Capt. John d June 11, 1862; b. Wythe Co., Va. in 1800, was formerly Miss Finley

HOGGINS, Solomon d April 9, 1845 aged 77

HOUSTON, Nancy (Alexander) d Feb. 28, 1855 abt. 91. Wid. of James who d 1853 aged 85; dau. of Allen Alexander, b. Iredell Co., N. C., emigrated to Ky. 1 yr. after marriage, settled in Bourbon Co. in Caneridge where they lived together 65 yrs.


HOWARD, Paris, d July 27, 1862, aged 86

HUFFMAN, Mary, Mrs. Michael d Feb. 18, 1857, aged 81

HUGHES, Margaret, wid. of John d Dec. 22, 1851 abt. 95 at res. of son in law John S. Todd

HUGHES, Michael d March 12, 1844 in 54th yr.

JACKSON, Ann, wid. of Dr. John d Feb. 14, 1840 in 93d yr., Bourbon Co., Ky.


JACOBY, Jacob, Sr. d Jan. 29, 1843, Bourbon Co., Ky., aged 64

JAMES, Rev. John d Jan. 14, 1846 Millersburg, Ky. aged 78. Methodist preacher

JANUARY, Mrs. Hannah d Aug. 20, 1858 in 79th yr. at res. of J. R. Thornton


Johnston, Francis d Sept. 21, 1855 aged 80

Jones, James d June 7, 1838 in 81st yr. Bourbon Co., Ky.

JONES, Salathial, wid. of James d April 12, 1850 abt. 89; native of Va.

JONES, Sarah, dau. of late Jacob Spears, d 1844 aged 44


KEENE, Sarah Y. (Fauntleroy), Mrs. Vachel, b. Queen Anne Co., Md. Jan. 13, 1786; d April 7, 1846 in Scott Co., Ky.

KELLAR, Margaret (Mrs.) wid. of Abraham, d June 1866 aged 82

KENNEDY, David d 1847, old citizen of Bourbon Co., Ky.

KENNEDY, Mrs. Elizabeth d July 25, 1859 aged 67 at home of her son Jacob

KENNEDY, Joseph d Feb. 27, 1860 Danville, Ind. in 77th yr. at son's res. (Mr. P. S. Kennedy); b. in Md., emigrated to Ky. with parents at age of 6 yrs.

KENNEDY, Rev. Thos. d Sept. 18, 1857, Crawford Co., Ill., aged 85 at res. of son in law, Samuel J. Gould.; b. in Va. March 24, 1773, son of Thos. Kennedy, Sr. Came to Ky. with parents in 1779, Bourbon Co. Lived in Christian and Logan Counties, Ky., moved to Ill. Lived at Palestine at time Hutsonville family was murdered by Indians, where Hutsonville now stands.


KEWPER, Wm. d Oct. 30, 1846 in 82d yr., Montgomery Co., Ky., pioneer

KING, John d July 23, 1852 abt. 76

KIRBY, Richard d Oct. 1, 1855, aged 76

KLIZER, Jos. d July 30, 1846 in 83d yr., Bourbon Co., Ky.; lived 53 yrs. on farm on which he died.

LAKE, Mrs. Isabella d March 18, 1831 at Maysville, Ky., aged 78, at res. of son in law Mr. Wm. Henry

LAMME, James d July 16, 1839, aged 66

LANGHORN, Maj. Maurice d July 9, 1841 aged 68, formerly of Bourbon Co., Ky.

LATHAM, John d June 7, 1838, an aged citizen of Bourbon Co., Ky.

LAUGHLIN, John (Capt.) native of Va. emigrated to Ky. in 1809. d 1838, Aug. 27, in Clarke Co., Ky., aged 72

LEER, David d Aug. 12, 1852 in 86th yr.

LEIGH, Benj. Watkins, U. S. Senator from Va., d 1848 (Richmond Va. Enquirer.)

LEWIS, Eleanor Parke (nee Custis) Mrs. Lawrence, d July 15, 1852, Audley, Clark Co., Va., dau. of John Parke Custis, only son of Mrs. Martha Washington by her marriage with Daniel Parke Custis; b March 31, 1779
LUCKIE, Rachel, Mrs. Joseph, of Caneridge, Bourbon Co., Ky. d May 12, 1841 abt. 68
LYLE, Agnes, wid. of Joel R. (first Editor of Western Citizen) d Sept. 21, 1849 abt. 66. dau. of late Matthew Kenney, Sr. of Fayette Co., Ky.; b. in Augusta Co., Va., m. in 1807.
LYLE, John, Sr. d Aug. 6, 1846 near Lexington, Ky. in 79th yr. Native of Va. Came to Fayette, 1796 when he married Miss Tompkins, sister of Judge Tompkins of Ky.
LYLE, Margaret, wid. of Rev. John, d Aug. 21, 1842 Fayette Co., Ky. abt. 82.
LYTER, Henry d Aug. 12, 1842 in 74th yr.
MCCANN, John d June 1, 1849 in 81st yr.
MCCANN, Nancy, Mrs. John, d April 15, 1842 Bourbon, Ky. in 63rd yr.
MCCLINTOCK, Wm., Sr. d Nov. 29, 1865 aged 78
MCCONNELL, Rebecca, Mrs. Ned. d May 11, 1860
MC Cormick, Mrs. Mary Anne, d Feb. 21, 1852,Sharpsburg, Ky. abt. 81; formerly of Bourbon Co., Ky.
MCCUNE, Capt. John d May 4, 1849 in 81st yr., Ky. A soldier of Indian wars of the west and 1812. Was at Battle of Thames where he killed an Indian chief.
MC GINTY, Dr. Anthony d Sept. 19, 1854, old and respected citizen.
MCKEE, John, Sr. d Sept. 10, 1842, an old citizen of Ruddle’s Mills, Ky.
MCKENNEY, Mrs. Polly, d Sept. 15, 1846 on Green Creek, Ky. abt. 81; formerly of Bourbon Co., Ky.
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PENN, Delphia, Mrs. Samuel d Jan. 17, 1846, aged 52

PHILLIPS, Thos. d Aug. 15, 1843 in Todd Co. near Elkton, Ky. in 69th yr., was formerly of Paris, Ky.

PICKETT, Col. of Mason Co., Ky. d Feb. 5, 1831 Cincinnati, Ohio

PIPER, James d Sept. 25, 1857, Carlisle, Nicholas Co., Ky. in 81st yr.

PIPER, Nancy A. (Mrs.) b Va. 1778, emigrated early to Ky. with parents; d Dec. 28, 1864 aged 87

PORTER, Mrs. Catherine b in King George Co., Va., March 23, 1802; d July 23, 1852

PRITCHETT, Mrs. Phoebe d March 23, 1842, aged 81

PULLEN, Agnes, Mrs. James of Boone Co., Ky. d Feb. 21, 1852 at the asylum in 68th yr., Lexington, Ky.

QUARLES, Hon. Tunstall d Jan. 7, 1855 near Somerset, Ky. Was Capt. in War of 1812. Legislator both in Senate and House. Member of Congress when Henry Clay was Speaker. Judge of Mountain District for 12 yrs.

RAINEY, Rev. W. H. d April 21, 1850 abt. 60, Harrison Co., Ky.

RALLEN, James, d May 19, 1865 near Florence, Ky., formerly of this county, aged 89

RESPASS, Harriet, wid. of Col. A. C. d Feb. 7, 1852 abt. 60, Maysville, Ky.


RICE, Mrs. Polly d June 3, 1852 in 85th yr.

RICHERSON, John d Aug. 25, 1860 aged 65

ROBERTSON, ELLINER J. (Bainbridge), Mrs. (Hon.) George d Lexington, Ky., Jan. 13, 1865

ROBINSON, James, early settler, Senator and Representative, d in Bourbon Co., Ky. 1831

ROGERS, Nancy (Moran), Mrs. Nathaniel d 1846. Daughter of Edw. B. Moran

ROSEBERRY, Hugh d March 15, 1861 about 72

ROSS, Susan, wid. of James Ross of Bourbon Co., Ky. d March 29, 1844

ROKE, Henry d Oct. 7, 1854 in 84th yr.

ROKE, Rosa, wid. of Henry Rowe, d Nov. 28, 1863 aged 82; b. Pa., came to Ky. in 1790 with parents.

RULE, Samuel d Jan. 13, 1865 aged 87

RULE, Mrs. Susan d Sept. 20, 1844 abt. 73

RUSSELL, RUSSELL, Col. Thos. A. d July 24, 1846, Fayette, Ky.

RYAN, RION, Mrs. Sarah F., formerly of Va. d Jan. 14, 1841, aged 73 at son’s residence, Mr. Stokley T. Rion, Bourbon Co., Ky.

SCOTT, Dr. Joseph of Lexington, Ky. d June 6, 1843 abt. 60

SCOTT, George T., formerly of Bourbon Co., Ky. d March 11, 1843, Jackson, Miss. in 47th yr.

SCOTT, Patrick d Dec. 9, 1845 abt. 72


SCROGIN, Nancy, wid. of Robert, d July 21, 1843 at an advanced age

SEAMANDS, Mrs. Francis, d March 21, 1845, Albemarle Co., Va. 95 or 97 yrs. old.

SHAW, John d Aug. 5, 1843 in 53d yr. Was a native of England, emigrated to America 1819

SHAWHAN, John, emigrated to Bourbon Co., Ky. 1787. Father of Mrs. Elizabeth Smith of Louisiana, Mo.


SHERMAN, Mrs. Mary d Aug. 24, 1859 aged 102

SIMPSON, Miss Amelia d Feb. 9, 1862 aged 90, formerly of Fairfax Co., Va., member of household of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rogers for many years.


SKINNER, James d June 26, 1846 abt. 68 in Harrison Co., Ky.

SMEDLEY, Aaron, d Sept. 1860 aged 67

SMITH, Elizabeth, Mrs. James C. d Louisiana, Mo. June 30, 1855; b. March 2, 1795, m. 1811, moved to Mo. 1821; oldest daughter of John Shawhan, one of the first settlers of Bourbon Co. in 1787

SMITH, George A. of Ky. in 1850, son in law of Edwards, Elizabeth

SMITH, George A. d April 21, 1854, old and respectable citizen

SMITH, James C. d Aug. 12, 1842, aged 52

SMITH, Lucretia (Caldwell), Mrs. Luther, last child of late Wm. Caldwell d Jan. 10, 1845

SMITH, Peter in 83rd yr. d March 23, 1864

SPENCER, John d Oct. 14, 1852 abt. 75

STAMPSON, Wm. d Oct. 22, 1855 in 91st yr. From Va. Oldest settler in County

STARK, Col. Cyrus, member of the Bar and native of Bourbon Co., Ky. d Sept. 10, 1846, Palmyra, Mo.

STEELE, Jane (Mrs.) wid. of Rev. John Steele; 5th daughter of Capt. Walter Cunningham; b. Staunton, Va. 1783, d July 24, 1863; emigrated (1) Jessamine Co. (2) Bourbon Co., Ky.

STEPP, Mary, Mrs. F. d April 10, 1852 in 63 yr., Clintonville, Bourbon Co., Ky.

STEELE, Jane (Mrs.) wid. of Rev. John Steele; 5th daughter of Capt. Walter Cunningham; b. Staunton, Va. 1783, d July 24, 1863; emigrated (1) Jessamine Co. (2) Bourbon Co., Ky.

STEPPI, Mary, Mrs. F. d April 10, 1852 in 63 yr., Clintonville, Bourbon Co., Ky.

STIVERS, Nancy A., Mrs. R. P. d Oct. 14, 1855 in 66th yr.

STONE, Cynthia, Mrs. Thos. d Aug. 20, 1845, Columbia, Mo. in 57th yr.

STONE, Kinzea, Sr. d Feb. 19, 1846 abt. 73

STUART, Elisha d Oct. 21, 1864 aged 75. War of 1812 in Capt. Manson Seamond’s Co.
TALBOTT, Aquilla, d March 17, 1854, old 
respected citizen in 74th yr.
TALBUTT, Charles d Feb. 9, 1862 aged
72. Native of Va.
TALBUTT, Dan d Sept. 20, 1861 in 80th yr.
TALBOTT, Daniel, Sr. d Nov. 11, 1852,
Louisville, Ky. abt 76; formerly of Millers-
burg, Bourbon Co., Ky.
TALBOTT, Demetrius d April 19, 1839
Bourbon Co., Ky. "old resident of county."
TALBOTT, George, Sr. d Jan. 3, 1852 in
66th yr. Millersburg, Ky.
TALBOTT, Reason, d Feb. 19, 1862 in 79th yr.
TARR, Mrs. Lydia d Jan. 3, 1852 abt. 86
TAYLOR, Simon d March 27, 1854, North 
Middletown, Ky. in 71st yr.
TEVENBAUGH, Mrs. Magdalen, d June 19,
1847 in 69th yr.
THOMAS, John D. d Leesburg, Bourbon Co.,
Ky. Aug. 1, 1864 in 70th yr.
THOMAS, Mrs. Samuel d Oct. 6, 1855, aged 
80, resident of Bourbon Co., Ky. since 1792.
THORNTON, Mary S. Harrison, Mrs. Dr. 
John H., daughter of late Gen. Harrison d 
Nov. 25, 1842, North Bend, Indiana.
THROCKMORTON, John d Nov. 6, 1865 
aged 86, Boyd's Station, Nicholas Co., Ky.
THROCKMORTON, Sally (Mrs.) d Nov. 23, 
1862 Nicholas Co., Ky. aged 79
TIMBERLAKE, Henry, Esq., youngest son 
of Richard and Mary Timberlake, b. Hanover 
Co., Va. Sept. 18, 1777. Came to Ky. in 
1786, lived in what was then Bourbon, now 
Harrison Co. Was Justice of Peace 16 yrs. 
and represented his county in legislature 1815 
and 1825. d Jan. 2, 1848 in 71st yr.
TODD, John d Feb. 18, 1861, Paris, Ill. Was 
son of Dr. John Todd (Bourbon) who had also 
David and Andrew and 2 daughters, wives of 
Rev. John McFarland of Paris, Ky. and of 
late Dr. Edgar of Nashville, Tenn. b 1802, m 
1823 Miss Mary B. Reynolds, daughter of Rev. 
Samuel Reynolds.
TODD, Mrs. Margaret, d near Lexington, 
Ky., aged 57 in 1831
TODD, Mary (Todd), Mrs. Dr. A. Todd, 
dau. of Rev. John Todd of Va. b Jan. 24, 
1839 abt. 77, Bourbon Co., Ky.
TOWLS, Henry d Aug. 25, 1854, Ky.
TOWLES, John d June 28, 1844.
TRICE, Mrs. Mildred d March 17, 1845 in 
83d yr.
TRIOG, Susan, wid. of Major Wm., d March 
6, 1844 Frankfort, Ky., at an advanced age.
TRIMBLE, Nancy, wid. of Judge Robert 
(N. B. Supreme Court) in 78th yr. at resi-
dence of son in law Dr. Flint; b. in Hanover 
Co., Va. 1782, m. 1803, d June 1, 1880
TRIMBLE, Hon. David d Sept. 15, 1842, 
Greenup Co., Ky.
TROUTMAN, Peter H. d Sept. 13, 1858 at 
residence of son in law, A. W. Darling at Car-
rolton, Ky.; b. Md. Feb. 1788, formerly of 
Bourbon
TRUMBULL, John d 1831, Detroit, Mich., 
aged 81
TRUDELL, Daniel d July 30, 1846 abt. 53
TUCKER, Elias d Feb. 1, 1861, old citizen
VARNON, John d Georgetown, Ky. Jan. 27, 
1865 aged 87; b Delaware 1778, emigrated to 
Bourbon Co., Ky. 1794. 82 lineal descendants,
13 children, 53 grandchildren, 36 great grand-
children
VIMVIRT, Rosannah, wid. of Lewis, b N. C., 
emigrated to Ky. in early life. d Millers-
WALKER, Joseph d Jan. 16, 1843 Harrison 
Co., Ky. abt. 80 yrs.
WARD, Capt. James d March 9, 1846, Mason 
abt. 83. Was a citizen of the county 65 yrs.
WARD, James d March 5, 1852, Bourbon 
Co., Ky. at an advanced age
WARD, Martha, wid. of James, d Jan. 15, 
1854 in 82d yr.
WARE, Col. Thompson, d Sept. 9, 1852 abt. 
84
WARFIELD, Nicholas d Dec. 2, 1863 Fay-
ette Co., Ky. in 78th yr.; formerly a resident 
of Bourbon Co.
WASSON, Sarah, Mrs. Joseph of Lexington, 
Ky. d Aug. 26, 1864 aged 74
WEBB, Mrs. Sally, b. in Bourbon Co., May 
24, 1793; d. Jan. 1859
WEST, Mrs. Elizabeth d Jan. 15, 1847 in 
Bourbon Co., Ky. in 86th yr. at residence of 
hers son in law.
WHEAT, Mrs. d Aug. 27, 1852 in 82d yr.
WILLIAMS, Mrs. Elizabeth d March 16, 
1844 in 58th yr.
WILSON, Wm. Spicer, d June 5, 1860, Mt. 
Sterling; old citizen
WITHERSPOON, Mrs. Sarah W., d July 17, 
1849, Boyle Co., Ky. abt. 63
WOODFORD, Thos. d Jan. 16, 1852 abt. 69
WOOLFORD, Abraham d June 3, 1852 in 
East Maysville, Ky.; aged citizen
WORNALL, Sarah, Mrs. (Col.) Thos. d 
Sept. 23, 1854 in 78th yr. at residence of son 
in law Francis P. Clay
WRIGHT, Isaac d Sept. 18, 1863 in 72nd yr.
WRIGHT, John d Oct. 26, 1849 abt. 63
WYATT, Susan, Mrs. Emanuel, b. in Spott-
sylvania Co., Va. 1782; d Jan. 15, 1848 in Ky.
QUERIES

4095. North. Roger North, 8 of whose sons were in the Rev., all, it is said, in the Battle of Monmouth, made a patriotic speech at Trappe Inn, where the patriots met at the beginning of the Rev. and determined to resist England. He said that although disabled himself by age and infirmity so that he could not engage in the struggle for human rights, his sons belonged to his country in the day of her need, when she must and should be defended. From what record is the above quoted?—A. N. M.

4096. Abbott. Hull Abbott and Bethia Row, whose marriage intentions were pub. April 4, 1756, had a dau. Rachel, b Feb. 2, 1770. Hull Abbott was a sea-faring man, lost off Cape Ann in a terrible gale when many boats went down some year after 1830. Did he have Rev. service?

(2) Whitteredge. Richard Whitteredge, brother of Mary W., whose marriage intentions with Capt. Andrew Harraden were pub. June 29, 1789, had marriage int. with Rachel Abbott pub. Oct. 9, 1798, and d Oct. 12, 1807. His parentage wanted. Had his father Rev. service? All the above were from Gloucester, Mass.

(3) Dale. Rachel Dale (July 1762-July 1, 1857) m Jacob Daseomb of Lyndeborough, later Wilton, N. H. Her parentage? Father's Rev. service?

(4) Ordway. Elizabeth Ordway of Amesbury, Mass. m 1760 Nathaniel Bradley of Haverhill, Mass. (June 1, 1738-April 3, 1804). Her parentage? Father's Rev. service?—E. A. A.

4097. Morrill. John Morrill m Betty Clough and had a dau. Sarah, b in Salisbury, Mass. 1752. Had he Rev. service? (2) French. Who were the parents of Betsy French, b Hallowell, Me. 1776? She m Noah Prescott 1795, after which she lived and d in Searsmont, Me. Had her father Rev. service?—E. B.

4098. Martin-Winn. Did John Martin of Richmond, Va., m who Ann Fairish, serve in the Rev.? Their dau. Letitia attended Washington's Inaugural Ball and was a wealthy belle of her day. She m (1) Thomas Carter, killed in battle of Augusta, Ga., (2) Thomas Winn. Was Thomas Winn in the Rev.? I believe John Martin moved to Edgefield and his dau. m Thomas Winn there, for her home was in S. C.

(2) Sale-Dawson. Wanted, Rev. service for Leroy Sale of Richmond, who m Jane Dawson, for Jane Dawson's father, and for Lewis, son of Leroy and Jane (Dawson) Sale.

(3) Hughes-Moss. Is there Rev. service for the father of Charity Hughes, who m John Moss, of Edgefield District, S. C., or for John Moss?

(4) Groves. Did Solomon Groves of Md. who m Elizabeth Nicholson serve, or their son John Groves of Baltimore, who m Letitia Winn, dau. of Thomas and Letitia Martin Carter Winn?

(5) Burch. Did John Burch, who m Sara Gerald Phillips (cousin of George Washington) and lived in Westmoreland Co. or Petersburg, Va., serve in the Rev.? Later he lived in Hancock Co., Ga. (1790) and d in Macon, Ga.

(6) Lek. Did Cato Lee who m Nancy Holland serve as a private under Gen. Marion and later under Gen. Eton?


(8) Brodnax-Vivein, Vivian. Did members of these families of Va. serve in the Rev.?—M. L. W.


4100. Cotten. William Cotten, son of Alexander Spotswood Cotten, was at Gates' defeat and d in N. C., Hertford Co. I think. He m Ann Kirvin. Proof of this service desired. Address Miss Martha Glenn, Sylacauga, Ala.

(2) Stewart-Carter. Elizabeth Stewart was the dau. of David Stewart, b 1776, and his wife Sally or Sarah Carter, b 1780. Will some one give data for D. A. R. admission of the parents of David Stewart and Sarah Carter? Elizabeth's brothers were John, Lorenz or Dow, James; sisters, Angelina, Susan. They moved from Va. to Ky. Address Mrs. H. H. Howard, Sylacauga, Ala.

(3) Eichelberger-Johnston. David Eichelberger, b 1801, m Sarah Keeley. He was the son of Michael Eichelberger, b 1774 and his wife Mary Johnston, b 1779. The parents of Michael and Mary desired, to complete line to join D. A. R. Supposed to have been m in Franklin Co. Penna. and moved to Bedford Co. Penna. Address Mrs. Jas. H. Lane, Sylacauga, Ala.

(4) Roberts. The parents of the following family desired: Joshua, John, Daniel, Josiah, William, Annie and Elizabeth Roberts. They were of Brunswick Co. Va. and Joshua served in the War of 1812. Address Mrs. J. H. Lane, Sylacauga, Ala.

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The regular meeting of the National Board of Management was called to order by the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, in the Board Room of Memorial Continental Hall, Wednesday, June 16, 1915, at 10:15 a. m.

After a prayer by the Chaplain General, Mrs. Lockwood, the members joined in repeating the Lord’s Prayer.

The following members responded to roll call: President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story. Vice-Presidents General: Mrs. Smallwood, District of Columbia; Mrs. Moody, Delaware. Active Officers: Mrs. Lockwood, Chaplain General; Mrs. Boyle, Recording Secretary General; Mrs. Smoot, Organizing Secretary General; Miss Pierce, Registrar General; Mrs. Sternberg, Librarian General; Miss Barlow, Curator General. State Regents: Mrs. Buel, Connecticut; Mrs. Hall, Delaware; Mrs. Greenawalt, District of Columbia; Mrs. Bosley, Maryland; Miss Wallace, New Hampshire; Mrs. Gedney, New Jersey; Mrs. Spraker, New York; Miss Crowell, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Longley, Rhode Island; Mrs. Maupin, Virginia; Mrs. Parks Fisher, West Virginia.

The President General stated that she would not take up the time of the Board with a report, but she desired her first words to be those of tender remembrance of the women who were not meeting with the Board, some of them through sad affliction, mentioning particularly Mrs. Abbott, Vice-President General from New Hampshire, who had lost her father; and Mrs. Goss, former State Regent, of New Hampshire, who had met a great sorrow in the death of her husband; suggesting that the Board would wish to send an expression of tender sympathy to those women; that a loving little message to Mrs. Davis, Vice-President General from Minnesota, who had to undergo a severe operation, much more painful than she had anticipated, would be very much appreciated; as also to Mrs. Foster, Vice-President General from Georgia, who was confined to her bed and suffering exceedingly; and to Mrs. Augsbury, Historian General, who was unable to be present because of illness; to Mrs. Burrows, Corresponding Secretary General, who the Board was rejoiced to know was recovering, even though slowly, from the effects of the operation she had undergone; to Mrs. Ransdell, Treasurer General, who had been ill since returning to her home in Louisiana; and to any other members who were unable to be present because of illness or affliction, the Board would like to send a message of affection and sympathy.

The President General referred to the appointment it had been her privilege to make of the Secretary of Memorial Continental Hall Committee, and of the honor which had been conferred upon the Society by Mrs. Robert Lansing’s acceptance of it. Mrs. Lansing is the daughter of our Honorary President General, Mrs. John W. Foster.

The President General reported also that the order for the cup usually sent to Annapolis had been given, and that the regular routine of business had been attended to.

On motion of Mrs. Buel, seconded by Mrs. Gedney, it was carried, that a message of deep sympathy be sent to Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. Goss in their sorrow, and letters of sympathy to Mrs. Davis and others in their illness.

The report of the Recording Secretary General was then read by Mrs. Boyle.

Report of Recording Secretary General.

Madam President General, and members of the Board of Management.

Since the meeting of the Board of Management, on April 26, 1915, the routine work of the office of the Recording Secretary General has gone forward as usual.

The minutes of the Board meetings of April 17 and 26 have been prepared and turned over to the editor of the Magazine and proof read as far as completed. Copies of the rulings of these meetings have been sent to all offices. The minutes of the April meeting of the Memorial Continental Hall Committee, and of the Executive Committee meetings, have also been transcribed.

The official notices, letters of sympathy, regret, and condolence in connection with the Twenty-fourth Congress have been sent out from this office.

The new officers list has been sent to the Magazine, and copies of that list are here for distribution.

Notices of appointments on committees are being sent out as lists are received from the President General.

The printed copies of the Constitution are being corrected in conformity with the revision of the By-Laws as made at the 24th Congress.

The notices to the members of the Board of the meeting to be held June 16 were mailed two weeks in advance, as were the cards of reappointment to the Memorial Continental Hall Committee and notices of the meeting of that Committee on June 15.

Cards of condolence have been sent to the families of deceased Daughters and to Regents.
of their Chapters in all cases when the Recording Secretary has been notified.

The notification cards to new members (1213) admitted at the April 17 Board meeting, and 83 admitted April 26, were promptly mailed and many letters of appreciation have been received in acknowledgment.

All documents requiring her signature have been signed by the Recording Secretary General.

Regrets and acceptances for the June Board meeting have been received and filed.

Certificates of membership issued, 498.

The following invitations have been received:
- From Mrs. Frederick Heber Eaton, of New York City, to attend reception in honor of the President General, May 19, from four to seven;
- from the President and Faculty of the George Washington University to attend the 94th Commencement of the University June 9, at 8 p.m., Memorial Continental Hall; from the Interstate Boone Trail Committee, North Carolina, Tenn., Virginia, and Kentucky, and the Daughters of the American Revolution, to attend the unveiling of a monument June 30, 1915, at eleven o’clock, Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

The following Year Books have been received: Captain Job Knapp Chapter of Massachusetts and General Henry Dearborn Chapter of Illinois.

There has also been received from the Kansas Daughters, announcement of the candidacy of Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey of Independence, Kansas, for the office of President General in 1917; from the U. S. Press Association, description of “Mount Vernon, the Home of Washington”; from the Eugenics Record Office, Charles B. Davenport, Secretary, a letter giving data concerning the traits of America families:

An interesting letter from Miss Mary E. Springer, Regent of the Havana Chapter, expressing appreciation of the honor of being a member of the Memorial Continental Hall Committee, and also of appreciation of the kind cooperation of the Army and Navy Chapter, and especially Mrs. Baird, in having the bronze memorial tablet re-affixed to the mast of the “Maine,” a place it had held for two years until the wreck of the Maine was sunk outside Havana Harbor. Miss Springer regretted exceedingly she could not be present at the Memorial Exercises at Arlington on May 31st.

Respectfully submitted,

ABBEY WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,
Recording Secretary General

Moved by Mrs. Gedney, seconded by Mrs. Spraker, and carried, that the report of the Recording Secretary General be accepted.

The Recording Secretary General stated that she had with her the minutes of the Saturday session of Congress which it had been impossible to get out before the adjournment on Saturday, and the editing of which had been referred to the Board. There being no objection, these minutes were then read, and those for the morning session approved. Mrs. Sternberg said that she asked to be allowed to publish a catalogue for the Library, which was to be sold in the library, irsasmuch as it was very important that the details of the publishing of this catalogue should be under the supervision of the librarian, and the corrections in the proof made by some one giving their entire attention to it, and she asked, therefore, that the minutes read that the Librarian General be authorized to edit and have printed a catalogue of the books and pamphlets in the library, which is to be sold in the future in the library. This correction was accepted, and a few minor corrections having been made, the minutes were approved.

The Recording Secretary General referred to the expressions of appreciation received from those to whom messages of sympathy had been sent from the Congress and the April Board meeting.

The report of the Corresponding Secretary General was read by Mrs. Lockwood in the absence of Mrs. Burrows.

Report of Corresponding Secretary General.

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

I have the honor to report the following for the months of April and May, 1915:

Letters written ........................................ 545
Letters received ........................................ 785
Application blanks mailed ............................ 5,427
Constitutions ............................................. 579
Leaflets ‘‘How to Become Member’’ ................. 433
Miniature blanks ......................................... 408
Transfer cards .......................................... 537
In addition to the above the mail has been assorted and distributed and the clerical work of the Finance Committee attended to.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY S. LOCKWOOD,
For MRS. J. C. BURROWS,
Corresponding Secretary General, N. S. D. A. R.

Moved by Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Mrs. Gedney, and carried, that the report of the Corresponding Secretary General be received.

Mrs. Lockwood also referred to communications received by the Corresponding Secretary General with regard to the change of name desired by some of the members of the Walla Walla Chapter, and to the stand taken by one of the chapters in opposition to the founding of any new schools in the South, arguing that it would be better to give support to those that are now in existence.
The President General asked to be allowed to interrupt to make the point that in all of the parliamentary procedure that she had ever been associated with other than the Daughters, the report of the Corresponding Secretary General had been the last report, with the idea that inevitably matters that required discussion and vote come from the Corresponding Secretary General, and it was better judgment to let the officers who have simply reports finish their reports before the Corresponding Secretary General introduced the extraneous matters, and that in her opinion it would be very wise in the future order of business to make that report of the Corresponding Secretary General the last of the National Officers, and if there was no objection the change would be made in the order of business.

Mrs. Smoot read her report as Organizing Secretary General as follows:

**Report of Organizing Secretary General.**

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

I present the name of Miss Bird Wilson for confirmation as State Regent of Nevada, the report from her State not having been received in time to have her confirmation take place at Congress.

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

- Mrs. Mary Blewett Carothers, Memphis, Tenn.
- Dr. Anna Robinson Cross, Crawford, Neb.
- Mrs. Mary L. B. McKinnon, Sidney, N. Y.
- Mrs. Helen H. P. Manson, New Haven, Conn.
- Mrs. Ethel M. Kirwan Rood, Bartlesville, Okla.
- Mrs. Mary B. P. Vose Potter, Lynn, Mass.
- Mrs. Sara Willis O. F. Shepard, Oak Lane, Pa.
- Mrs. Mary B. P. Vose Potter, Lynn, Mass.
- Mrs. John H. P. Manson, New Haven, Conn.
- Mrs. Mary L. B. McKinnon, Sidney, N. Y.

The Organizing Regencies of Mrs. Asenath Osborn, of Needham Heights, Mass.; and Mrs. D. Lula Neely Engelken, of Le Mars, Iowa, have expired by time limitation.

The State Regent of Connecticut requests the authorization of a chapter at New Haven, Conn.

The following chapters have been organized since the last Board Meeting:

- Hannah Cobb, of Ogden, Iowa, organized May 1, 1915.
- Fair Forest, of Union, S. C., organized May 4, 1915.
- Are-ly-on-let, of Franklin, N. Y., organized March 10, 1915.
- Sylacauga, of Sylacauga, Ala., organized May 27, 1915.
- Os-co-hu, of Troy, Penna., organized June 5, 1915.
- Judge David Campbell, of St. Elmo, Tenn., organized June 9, 1915.

**Officers lists written for** ........................................ 55
**Officers lists received** ........................................ 281
**Letters written** ................................................ 211
**Letters received** ................................................ 193
**Organizing Regents commissions issued** .................................. 8

Mrs. Smoot's attention was called to the motion passed by the Board that reports of officers were not to contain recommendations—that the recommendations should come in separate form—the Board acting upon the report and then taking up the recommendations. Moved by Mrs. Boel, seconded by Mrs. Hall, and carried, that the report of the Organizing Secretary General be accepted.

Reference was made to the request of the State Regent of Massachusetts for the appointment of Mrs. Minnie B. Kellogg as organizing regent at Boston. It was shown that Mrs. Kellogg had withdrawn from her chapter with the acquiescence of the chapter, but, as no card transferring her to membership at large had been received in the Treasurer General's office, the question had been raised as to whether this appointment as organizing regent could be recommended to the Board. After some discussion by the members, the President General ruled that while it was desirable to observe the proper forms, if it was shown that a member had withdrawn in good standing from her chapter she automatically became a member at large, even though the formal card transferring her as member at large had not been received in the Treasurer General's office. Mrs. Smoot, therefore, recommended that Mrs. Minnie B. Kellogg be appointed organizing regent at Boston, the request having come through the State Regent of Massachusetts. Moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Miss Barlow, and carried, that the supplemental report of the Organizing Secretary General be accepted.

The Organizing Secretary General presented the applications of a chapter at Brockport, N. Y., dated February 15, 1915, for a change of name; one from the Macomb Chapter, dated February 2, 1915, asking permission to add...
General to their chapter name; one from the chapter at Salem, Missouri, dated February 3, 1915, to change their name from Salem to Caleb Parry; and from the Walla Walla Chapter, dated May 5, and another one dated June 5, to change the name of their chapter to something of more meaning to them than the name of the town they live in. Mrs. Smoot stated that inasmuch as the recommendation of the Organizing Secretary General, "that great consideration be taken in the choosing of chapter names, and when selected and recorded no change be granted in the future," had been adopted by Congress, the request of the Walla Walla Chapter could not be granted, but she desired to know if the Board considered that the applications which had been received before the adoption of the recommendation would also come under that ruling. After some discussion, it was moved by Mrs. Smallwood, seconded by Mrs. Maupin, Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Fisher, and carried, that the ruling of Congress against the change of chapter names be sustained and that it be interpreted to include all pending requests.

The President General presented the request of Mrs. Enslow, the National Charity Officer, to appear before the Board and submit her recommendations with regard to her work. The point was brought out in the discussion which followed that, since Congress had adopted her plan, it only remained for the Board to appropriate the money for the printing and postage, and the President General stated that if the Board accepted that interpretation Mrs. Enslow would be asked to appear for five minutes and a vote could afterwards be taken. The Chairman of Finance Committee stated that she would bring in her report in a business like form a recommendation with regard to appropriations for committees, etc.

Mrs. Smoot presented the recommendation in her report for permission to issue a letter of instruction to regents notifying them of the recommendations of the Organizing Secretary General as adopted at the recent Congress, and other details relating to the work of the chapters, stating that the information had to be sent to the chapters in some way, and, unless the circular was printed, the imparting of the information necessitated the writing of a great many letters. The President General referred to the rule of the Society that no official document should be circulated by officers except with the approval of the Board, and she would, therefore, request the Board to relegate the power to a small committee acting with the Organizing Secretary General in getting up this letter for distribution. Moved by Mrs. Maupin, seconded by Mrs. Buel and carried, that a committee be appointed to prepare the card of instruction to be sent out by Organizing Secretary General to chapter regents. The President General requested that Mrs. Smoot act as Chairman, and appointed as members Mrs. Buel and Mrs. Draper, others to be named later; the President General stating that it would require considerable familiarity with constitutional measures, and Mrs. Buel and Mrs. Draper had been recently serving on a committee having to do with the constitution.

Mrs. Enslow having appeared before the Board, the President General stated that in the opinion of the Board any further authorization was unnecessary, because Congress had adopted her plan, which the President General considered wonderfully well conceived and very carefully worked out, and the only question before the Board was the appropriation for the necessary expense of the committee. Mrs. Enslow stated that her plan had been submitted to the principal juvenile court judges and the heads of other organizations, and they had all expressed their approval, Mrs. Enslow reading the following letter:

Juvenile Court of the District of Columbia,
June 15, 1915.

Mrs. Carrie Ridley Enslow,
National Charity Officer of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Dear Mrs. Enslow:

I have read that portion of your report to the President General and members of the National Board of the Daughters of the American Revolution relating to the proposed committee for assisting the work of the juvenile courts, and, speaking for the Juvenile Court of the District of Columbia, I should not only be willing, but very glad, indeed, to have the cooperation and assistance of such a committee working along the lines suggested in your report.

Yours respectfully,

J. W. LATIMER,
Judge.

Mrs. Enslow stated that she had never before asked the Society to pay any stamp bill or for any stationery, but she was so anxious that her plan should be a success that, rather than have it imperilled for the lack of necessary funds, she would prefer standing the entire expense herself. Mrs. Enslow asked, since she had not been granted time enough to read her report, whether it might not be made a part of the minutes of the meeting and be published in the magazine. This request was granted Mrs. Enslow by the President General.

Report of National Charity Officer.

To the President General and Members of the National Board:

At the last annual Convention it was resolved by the Daughters of the American Revolution to put into effect a plan for the e-
establishment of an organized force for the doing of "good deeds" along certain lines, and I now beg to submit, as National Charity Officer, my recommendation for carrying such work into effect.

All formal directions and instructions shall be issued for this work by the National Board.

The returns will be made quarterly to the National Charity Officer, at Washington, who will present to the Board the result of each quarter's work.

After the first cost of printing the instruction sheets indicated, there will at the present time be practically no further expense involved. The expense for printing, based on an estimate, is seventy dollars ($70).

The work of receiving and tabulating the quarterly returns from the various State Charity Officers can easily be done with the present clerical force now employed at Memorial Hall, and one clerk should be specially designated to look after this work. As the scheme is planned, after the organization is well under way there will be but four returns a year, which returns will be made on forms, copies of which are attached hereto. These reports will simply contain the figures showing the work done under various heads, and it should not require more than a few hours work four times a year to condense the same and enter in the general form employed at Headquarters to show all the work that has been done.

The principal thing at the present moment is to start the movement by establishing a force of State Charity Officers. For this purpose there is attached a circular addressed to the State Regents giving instructions with regard to recommending appointments of State Charity Officers, and which circular I shall now read.

No. 1.

Information and Directions for State Regents.

Pursuant to the resolution adopted at the last annual Convention, authorizing the establishment by the Daughters of the American Revolution of a strong organization for the doing of "good deeds" along certain lines, the National Board has now prepared plans for carrying out the work intended.

The first step is to secure the appointment of a State Charity Officer in each State. This Officer is to be appointed by the President General upon the recommendation of the State Regent, and the party recommended for appointment should be one who by experience, sympathy and ability is deemed best capable for the performance of her duties.

Upon receipt from the State Regent of the name and address of the party recommended for appointment as State Charity Officer, and as soon as the appointment has been made by the President General, the National Board will cause to be sent to each of the Chapters in such State full information and directions for the appointment of Local Charity Officers, who shall correspond direct with the State Charity Officer concerning such matters as they may care to bring up, and who will report to her quarterly on the blanks, as per forms attached hereto.

It is requested that you be good enough to recommend the appointment of a State Charity Officer at the earliest date possible, in order that the work of establishing Local Charity Officers may be promptly undertaken.

Copies of instructions for State and Local Charity Officers are attached so that you may be fully informed.

(To be signed by the President General.)

By having our State Charity Officers first established, there will be no necessity of the local Chapters writing to Headquarters for instructions and explanations; they are to correspond with the State Charity Officer, who will have full charge of such matters in her particular State. The State Charity Officer will receive, quarterly, all the returns from the various Chapters in her State and incorporate them in one report which she will forward quarterly to Headquarters, so that the work devolving upon those here will be very little after the organization is established.

It is not intended to delay starting the work until all the State Charity Officers have been appointed. On the contrary, it is planned to start the work immediately in the various States as State Charity Officers are appointed.

For instance, if the State Regent of New York should promptly recommend the appointment of a State Charity Officer, upon receipt of such recommendation and after the appointment is made by the President General, Headquarters will send to the State Charity Officer instructions as per copy attached hereto, which I shall now read.

No. 2.

Information and Direction for State Charity Officers.

(Name) ........................................

(Address) ....................................

Upon the recommendation of your State Regent, which we have approved, you are hereby appointed State Charity Officer for ............, of which we have made note in our records. We have this day sent to each of the Chapters in your State copies of the attached instructions and directions for appointment of Local Charity Officers, and as you will note they are to correspond and report direct to you on the work accomplished. The quarterly reports will be made out on the forms as per copy attached hereto.
It is desired that the work of the Local Charity Officers be confined to the lines of effort indicated by the report forms. As you will appreciate, in some localities the opportunities of doing some classes of work will be quite different from that afforded in other places, and the Local Charity Officers should be guided accordingly. Your good judgment will indicate to you the advice to give to the Local Charity Officers in such cases where they apply to you for assistance.

The bulk of the work is to be performed by the Local Charity Officer, who will receive from her Chapter and associates full credit for all the details of the work performed; but it is not intended that the State Charity Officers shall be burdened with details beyond the receipt of the quarterly reports and condensation of same into one report for transmission to the National Charity Officer. To illustrate: In the District of Columbia there are forty-four Chapters, and, assuming Local Charity Officers have been appointed for each Chapter, there will be sent to the State Charity Officer for the District of Columbia forty-four quarterly reports. These quarterly reports are to contain simply the figures showing the work done under the four heads indicated. The State Charity Officer condenses these forty-four reports into one report, which is sent to the National Charity Officer. In this way the National Board will receive only forty-eight reports each quarter, instead of about fourteen hundred, which would be the case if the Local Charity Officers reported direct to Washington; and these forty-eight reports will be condensed at Headquarters into one report showing the work done by each State.

The instructions to the Local Charity Officer are deemed sufficient for starting their work, but should they require further explanation or assistance they are to correspond direct with you. It is requested that you will dispose of all such cases except those that you deem are of sufficient importance, or of such an exceptional nature as to warrant taking up direct with the National Charity Officer.

As soon as Regents of the Chapters advise you of the appointment of Local Charity Officers, you will please report such names and addresses to the National Charity Officer at Washington.

(To be signed by the President General.)

At the same time that this notification is sent to the State Charity Officer, Headquarters will mail direct to all Regents of Local Chapters in that State a notice giving the name and address of the State Charity Officer and directions for the appointment of Local Charity Officers, which notice I shall now read.

No. 3.

Information and Instructions for Regents of Chapters.

In accordance with the resolution passed at the last annual Convention, authorizing the establishment by the Daughters of the American Revolution of a National organization for doing "good deeds" along certain lines, you are hereby advised that....................., whose address is....................., has been appointed State Charity Officer for.............

Will you please, therefore, appoint from your Chapter some one who is desirous and is specially fitted for doing work along the lines indicated in the "Instructions for Local Charity Officers," copy of which is attached hereto, and which copy, with the quarterly report forms, please hand to the Local Charity Officer at the time of making the appointment, together with the report of the National Charity Officer for 1915.

The Local Charity Officer is to correspond direct with the State Charity Officer, to whom please send notice, giving name and address of party appointed by you as Charity Officer of your Chapter.

It is specially requested that you will kindly give the matter of this appointment your prompt attention, so that the work of establishing the organization may be proceeded with as speedily as possible.

(To be signed by the President General.)

The Local Charity Officers will then correspond direct with the State Charity Officer and submit to her quarterly the reports, as called for by the accompanying forms.

The real work, of course, is to be done by the Local Charity Officers, and I shall now read, therefore, the instructions and directions which I have prepared for issuance to them, with your approval.

No. 4.

Instructions for Local Charity Officers.

At the last annual Convention a resolution was passed for the establishment by the Daughters of the American Revolution of a national organization for the doing of "good deeds" along certain lines.

It is planned to establish forty-eight State Charity Officers, appointed by the President General upon the recommendation of the State Regents, and fourteen hundred Local Charity Officers, appointed by the Regents of Chapters. The Local Charity Officers are to report to the State Charity Officers, who in turn will condense the reports from the various Chapters in their States and report to the National Charity Officer at Washington.

It is intended to limit the work to be done along lines benefiting children and young girls. It has therefore been decided to cover the following four lines of work:
1. Establishment of Tooth Brush Brigades;
2. Assisting young working girls;
3. Visits to Children's Hospitals;
4. Juvenile Court Work.

Tooth Brush Brigades.—The establishment of these brigades offers a very practical field for doing good. It enables the worker to start easily along lines of interest and brings her into contact with many cases deserving special attention, which will arouse her interest and induce further efforts on her part. These brigades are made up of bands of children between the ages of 6 and 12, and as a reward for faithfully brushing their teeth twice a day they are given a lily at Easter and a small American flag at Christmas. A great deal of good can be accomplished in these directions, not only in the specific results of having children preserve their teeth, but particularly because the practice of regularly brushing their teeth inculcates in them the habit of cleanliness.

Assisting Working Girls.—In those localities where there are large department stores a great deal of good can be accomplished by getting the department store managers to improve the conditions surrounding the working girls in their charge, and in pursuing this work many opportunities will be found to help individual cases and to enable many of the girls to help themselves.

Hospital Visits.—The visiting of children in hospitals is a line of work that will appeal to many and bring untold joy to the little ones. At very little expense lilies can be distributed at Easter and small American flags at Christmas.

Juvenile Court.—This subject is one requiring the attention of an experienced worker and is to be undertaken gradually, as it may require some time before the Judges of the various Juvenile Courts will be prepared to admit outside workers. The Local Charity Officers in our large cities should form a committee for this specific work, and endeavor by tact and ability to secure the approval of the Judges of such Courts and to impress them with the fact that they are sincerely desirous of being of assistance to them and to the regular workers attached to the Juvenile Courts. Considerable success has already been achieved along these lines. Where there are no Juvenile Courts, however, efforts should be made toward securing their establishment, which is a most important work.

The foregoing, together with the report of the National Charity Officer for 1915, attached hereto, will no doubt give all the information desired.

The work that has been conducted by the National Charity Officer along the foregoing lines has been entirely without expense to our National Society, and we wish to clearly point out that the work of the Local Charity Officers must also be done without expense to the National Society, it being left entirely to the discretion of the Local Charity Officer and of her Chapter just what expense, if any, there is to be assumed. It will be found that through the contributions and other assistance given by various members of the Chapter who are in sympathy with the work no difficulty will be encountered in carrying it along, and without imposing a burden or heavy obligation on any one person or Chapter.

On the first of March, June, September and December, a report on one of the enclosed forms should be sent to the State Charity Officer.

(To be signed by the President General.)

From a consideration of the foregoing it will be quite apparent that there should be little or no expense to headquarters for the carrying out of this work beyond the first cost of the printing herein indicated; that there will be very little work devolving upon the State Charity Officer beyond receiving the quarterly reports from the Local Chapters and condensing the same into one report for Headquarters; and for the Local Charity Officers there is only such work to be done as they may feel they are properly fitted for and the territory in which they are established permits.

It should be borne in mind that the limitations of work herein specified have been carefully thought out, and it is considered most advisable to confine ourselves first to the establishment of a soundly built organization applied to a few specific lines of work, instead of attempting a general and nebulous policy of endeavoring to do good. By restricting our efforts along certain well defined channels, we shall not only make it easier for our Local Charity Officers to start, but also for them to properly report to the State Charity Officers the result of their efforts, so that at our annual Convention we can show by reliable figures just what has been accomplished for the year.

It is not thought that the foregoing plan is perfect or one that cannot be amended and improved. On the contrary, it is fully appreciated that changes will have to be made from time to time as experience and good judgment may dictate. But it is felt that the foregoing is a workable plan and sufficient for our immediate requirements; that it will accomplish the purpose for which we have planned it. We may well rest content with our labors if we can but get this plan soundly started and established along the broad lines laid down, leaving it to those who are to follow us to expand and develop it to the needs and necessities of their times.

CARRIE RIDLEY ENSLOW,
National Charity Officer.
REPORT OF ............................................ CHAPTER.

(Date) ..........................................................................................

(Address) ..........................................................................................

To .................................................., State Charity Officer,

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I beg to give you below the work accomplished by this Chapter for the quarter ending

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Remarks:

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(Name) .................................................. Local Charity Officer.

REPORT OF STATE CHARITY OFFICER FOR ........................................

(Date) ..........................................................................................

(Address) ..........................................................................................

To the National Charity Officer, D. A. R.,
Memorial Hall,
Washington, D. C.

I beg to give you below the work accomplished by (state number) .................... Chapters

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(Name) .................................................. State Charity Officer
The report of the Treasurer General was next presented by Miss Pierce in the absence of Mrs. Ransdell, the totals only being read with the permission of the Board.

REPORT OF TREASURER GENERAL

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management: I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements from April 1st to May 31st, 1915:

CURRENT FUND
Balance in Bank at last report, March 31, 1915 .......... $53,489.40

RECEIPTS
Annual Dues $10,586.00 less $392.00 refunded .......... $10,194.00
Initiation Fees, $1,194.00, less $32.00 refunded .... 1,162.00
Certificate ........................................ 9.00
D. A. R. Report to Smithsonian Institution ........... 16.42
Directory ........................................... 5.38
Drinking Cups—Slot Machine .......................... 9.20
Duplicate Papers and Lists ........................... 52.29
Exchange ............................................ 6.25
"First Flag Pole" Gavels .............................. 283.24
Hand Books ......................................... 132.04
Interest ........................................... 53.56
Lineage Books ...................................... 7.97
Magazine, sale of single copies ....................... 6.50
Museum Fund ........................................ 11.00
Proceedings of Congress ............................. 17.52
Ribbon ............................................... 4.17
Rosette ............................................ 4.89
Stationery ......................................... 50.05
Telephone .......................................... 50.00
Ice, Nordhoff Guild ................................ .40
Program Committee, Twenty-fourth Congress .......... 400.00
Transportation Committee, Twenty-fourth Congress ... 194.03
Auditorium Events:
George Washington University ......................... $100.00
Home Club Chorus .................................. 100.00
Motet Choral Society ............................... 100.00
Washington College of Law .......................... 100.00

Total Receipts ...................................... $12,666.31

EXPENDITURES
OFFICE OF PRESIDENT GENERAL
Clerical service ..................................... $180.00
Postage ............................................. 52.72
Telegrams and telephones ............................. 22.89
Rent of typewriter ................................ 3.50

OFFICE OF ORGANIZING SECRETARY GENERAL
Clerical service .................................... 390.00
Extra clerical service ............................... 14.18
Postage ............................................. 5.00
Engrossing charters and Chapter Regents' commissions 14.10 423.28

OFFICE OF RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL
Clerical service .................................... 305.00
Extra clerical service ............................... 87.87
Postage ............................................. 2.00
Telegram ........................................... .31

CERTIFICATE
Clerical service ..................................... 173.59
Postage and expressage ............................. 77.24
Engrossing 750 certificates ........................ 73.00
10,000 seals ....................................... 18.00

OFFICE OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL
Clerical service .................................... 150.00
Extra clerical service ............................... 16.70
Postage ............................................. 50.00

OFFICE OF REGISTRAR GENERAL
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7,000 programs  294.00
Reception, postage  1.22
Transportation, guides and circulars  99.70
Charts and maps  54.50
Clerical service  4.60
Postage, drayage and express  2.60  2,765.85

**Typewriter, Treasurer General**  41.00
**Holder for paper cups**  3.15
**Medallion, pin for President General**  450.00
**Addressing machine for Magazine Chairman**  279.55  773.70

Auditorium Events

**Labor and expressage, Motet Choral Society**  19.94
**Refund, Motet Choral Society**  42.11  62.05

Total disbursements  $16,188.32

Transfer to Permanent Fund, order of Twenty-fourth Congress  $49,967.39

Balance, Current Fund, May 31, 1915  20,000.00

**Emily Nelson Ritchie McLean Historical Fund**

As at last report, March 31, 1915  $1,483.09  $1,483.09

**Franco-American Fund**

As at last report, March 31, 1915  214.89  214.89

**Philippine Scholarship Fund**

As at last report, March 31, 1915  1,065.30

**Patriots' Memorial D. A. R. School Fund**

As at last report, March 31, 1915  647.30

**Patriotic Education Fund**

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| Philippine Scholarship Committee, in honor of the President General | 50.00  239.00  1,304.30

On deposit in National Metropolitan Bank, May 31, 1915  $33,641.97

Petty Cash Fund  $500.00  $500.00
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Liquidation and Endowment Fund, Mrs. Williard T. Block, Chairman 46.65
Commission on:
Photos ........................................... 113.27
Recognition Pins ................................ 39.40
Regents' and Ex-Regents' Pins ............... 42.50 195.17

Total Receipts ................................. $9,958.51

Transfer from Current Fund by order of
Twenty-fourth Continental Congress ....... $11,008.40

DISBURSEMENTS

Continental Hall contribution refunded, Elijah Paine
Chapter, Vermont ................................ $5.00
Bills Payable ..................................... 25,000.00
Interest on Bills Payable ...................... 465.28
Stand, regilding candelabra, glass for mirror and
plates, Massachusetts Room .................... 43.25

Total Disbursements ........................... $25,513.53

Balance on hand, May 31, 1915 .......... $5,494.87

Balance, American Security & Trust Co. Bank, May 31,
1915 ............................................. $5,494.87

Permanent Investment, Chicago & Alton Bonds ...... 2,314.84

Total Permanent Fund, Cash and Investment ...... $7,809.71

Respectfully,
OLIVE POWELL RANSDELL,
Treasurer-General, N. S. D. A. R.

The President General announced that the statement of the Treasurer General was received as read. Miss Pierce presented also a request from the Treasurer General that she be granted the privilege of a reprint of the Christmas offering letter and permitted to send it out before the October meeting. Moved by Mrs. Hall, seconded by Mrs. Moody, and carried, that the request of the Treasurer General to send out a reprint of the Christmas offering letter before the October meeting be granted.

REPORT OF REGISTRAR GENERAL

The following report of the Registrar General was presented by Miss Pierce, who stated that during the afternoon she would have an additional list to present:

Madam President General and Members of the
Board of Management, I have the Honor
to Report the Following:

Applications presented to the Board...... 1,023
Supplemental applications verified ......... 804
Original papers returned unverified ........ 22
Supplemental papers returned unverified ... 7
Permits for Insignia issued ................. 285
Permits for Ancestral Bars issued ........... 242
Permits for Recognition Pins issued ...... 269
Applications for Real Daughters pre-
sented ........................................... 1
Number of Letters, including duplicate
papers, issued ................................ 2,835
Number of cards issued ...................... 1,164
Original papers examined and not yet verified ............................................. 614

Supplemental papers examined and not yet verified ..................... 1,979
New Records verified ............................. 326
Original papers awaiting Notary's Seal 26
Supplemental papers awaiting Notary's Seal .............................. 24
Total number of papers verified .......... 1,827
Number of application papers copied...$1@25c
                                      $22.75

Number of volumes bound since Congress 12
Number of volumes ready to bind ........... 10

Respectfully submitted,
GRACE M. PIERCE,
Registrar General.

Referring to the admission of the Real Daughter, the Registrar General stated that when this paper was verified it was discovered that the Society already had another Real Daughter as a member, who had been admitted through another wife of this revolutionary soldier. This Real Daughter was discovered in South Dakota, the daughter of a soldier who had served in Virginia with Washington's Life
Guard, and whose service was especially honorable, and the record was remarkably clear. Miss Pierce told briefly of the enormous amount of work that had been accomplished by her office since the last Congress, stating that every paper in the office had been gone over, in the hope that it might be verified in time for the June Board meeting, and every paper that could be verified had been completed. The acceptance of the Registrar General’s report, with appreciation for the great amount of work accomplished, was moved by Mrs. Smallwood, seconded by Mrs. Maupin, and carried. Following an explanation by the Registrar General of a complication that sometimes occurred in the admission of a member living outside of her state, whose paper had been signed by another state regent, the President General requested that Miss Pierce would also serve on the committee to be appointed to prepare the letter of instruction to be sent out by the Organizing Secretary General to chapter regents.

The President General stated that the lists of names of applicants for membership were at the disposal of the state regents, and the motion was seconded and carried empowering the Secretary to cast the ballot. The Recording Secretary General announced that she cast the ballot for the admission of the 1,023 new members presented by the Registrar General.

The Registrar General presented the following telegram:

As a favor, will you present to Board name of Inez Matthews Wilson, daughter of Ellen Eddy Matthews, a recent member. Mrs. Wilson is very anxious to attend as a member in August the state conference at Marquette, her old home. Papers on the way.

Alice Louise McDuffee stating that the mother and sister of this applicant were members of the Society and there would be no question of the papers being perfectly satisfactory, and requested that her name be placed on the conditional list and accepted by the Board if the requirements were met. On motion duly seconded, it was carried that this request be complied with.

The Registrar General recommended also that the pension usually paid to Real Daughters be increased in the admission of a member living outside of her state, whose paper had been signed by another state regent, the President General requested that Miss Pierce would also serve on the committee to be appointed to prepare the letter of instruction to be sent out by the Organizing Secretary General to chapter regents.

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the State of Iowa have been most generous of their furnishings of one of these rooms, but it is a question whether this generosity can...two rooms of the Registrar General, being the existing conditions in the office, proper care can...ing. At present the letters are filed in the pasteboard filing cases which accommodate one hundred letters each. These are stored on top of the stacks in the smaller room, so high they are out of reach of the clerks and require a messenger or step-ladder whenever needed for reference. These pasteboard files have a way of bursting open when closely packed, like ripened chestnut burrs, and have to be tied with strings. They are exposed to all of the dust of the office and altogether present neither an orderly nor sanitary appearance.

The membership application papers awaiting verification are necessarily stacked anywhere and everywhere. No receptacle of any kind has ever been provided for these papers since the early days, when two tin bread boxes of a suitable length and width were provided in which to keep these papers. These bread boxes are still in use for certain papers, but the increase in membership from less than one hundred members in one month to more than one thousand members in the same time has caused the leaven of those early days to overflow the confines of the bread boxes, and today these papers are stored in every available place, on vacant shelves now required for other use, on top of cabinets, desks and tables. An improvised cabinet of discarded furnishing and office chairs have been requisitioned until there have been times when there has not been an available chair to offer a visitor who comes into the office on business. As a result of this lack of proper care, these papers are constantly exposed to dust and the wear of constant handling. They become soiled, defaced and mutilated. I have signed papers during the past few weeks so soiled and worn that I felt it a disgrace for the Society to have them returned in such a condition, and yet, under existing conditions in the office, proper care cannot be given them. In the old days at 902 F street, when anything was needed, the reply was always "Wait until we move to Continental Hall and we will be able to have everything we need then," but, someway, in the selection by the several states of rooms to furnish, the two rooms of the Registrar General, being the working offices of the Society, did not lend themselves to artistic furnishing so readily as the others and were, therefore, not desired. The Daughters of the American Revolution of the State of Iowa have been most generous of their furnishings of one of these rooms, but it is a question whether this generosity can be called upon to cover all the additional features which will be needed from time to time with the growth of the Society. The ancestral card catalogue, at present in the smaller room, has now reached the limitations of its service. This catalogue is at present composed of a motley collection of sectional cabinets of two, four and six drawers. Some of these sections were originally purchased for this office, while others, as the need arose, have been transferred from other offices as they were discarded or replaced by the purchase of new cabinets for these offices. These sections vary in depth from twelve, fourteen, fifteen and seventeen inches and present a very irregular appearance. The height has gone beyond the height of the average clerk, necessitating the use of a step to reach the top row of drawers. In some of the drawers the cards are so tightly packed that it is an impossibility to file another card, and cards are having to be bunched and kept on top of the case, exposed to dust and danger of loss or destruction. Every application paper coming into the office has to be compared with this catalogue to ascertain if the Revolutionary ancestor through whom the applicant desires to enter is already in our files. These cards enable us to verify the papers for two generations, that of the Revolutionary soldier and the child through whom the applicant descends. The catalogue is, therefore, in constant use and in order to secure rapid and accurate work the drawers cannot be filled beyond a certain point for ready handling. After each meeting of the Board for the admission of members, new cards are added for the Revolutionary soldiers whose records are thus added to our files, so that we cannot hope to have a finished catalogue as long as we can receive even one new member. This catalogue has also reached the limitation of space which can be allotted to it in the room where it now is and, furthermore, as previously stated, the space it now occupies will be needed in the autumn for book stacks for bound application papers. Consequently, some other provision must be made and this catalogue must be removed to another room. With these conditions in view, I have measured every inch of available space and studied every unoccupied room in the building and herewith submit the following report:

The room most practicable both for the present and for years to come, most convenient for both the Registrar's work, the clerks of the Historian General's room, who refer to it almost as constantly as the Registrar, and the future development of the Genealogical Department, will be the larger one of the present Registrar's rooms. There is no place for it in this room at present, and to place it there will necessitate an entire readjustment of the work of my office, rearrangement of furniture and
the transfer of several clerks with their work to other rooms at present unoccupied. This change, of course, must be worked out carefully and with deliberation, as it is not possible to make radical readjustments and transfer of work from one clerk to another all at once without impairing the degree of efficiency which it is so desirable to maintain. I desire, therefore, Madam President General and ladies, the consent and authority of this body to try out during the summer vacation the plans which I have drafted to relieve the congestion to which I have previously referred and which I now believe will result in more efficient service to the Society. I ask that the Board assign to me two rooms at present not occupied as offices for this purpose. I prefer first the room in the northeast corner of the third floor. I have selected this because it is adjoined that now occupied by the clerk whose work it is to make out the certificates of membership and who has to use for that purpose the application papers passed upon at each meeting before these papers are sent to the bindery. My plan is to transfer to this room the two clerks from my office whose work can be rearranged so as to have practically the entire handling of the papers after admission until the duplicates are returned to the applicants or members and ours are ready for the bindery. At present these papers have to be transferred from my office to the certificate clerk and returned there, but in the plan I have suggested the same transfer would accommodate the clerks of both offices. The work on them could also be completed there and they need not be returned to the office on the first floor till returned from the bindery and ready for the stacks. This would also remove from the present Registrar’s room a large part of the congestion of papers previously referred to, as the papers passed upon would no longer have to be stacked, as they now are, on desks and tables until sent to the binders. The other room I ask for, if available, is the room directly above the smaller of the two rooms I now have, recently furnished by the State of Massachusetts. Here I would remove two other clerks with their desks, but whose work necessitates their being nearer the main office, within ready call. This will then leave in the main office two typewriters and the desks of the chief clerk and national officer. At present there are in this room six typewriters, the desk of the chief clerk and of the national officer. A call on the telephone always necessitates suspension of work on from two to six machines and a call in person the same, as it is practically impossible for any conversation under present conditions.

Having thus readjusted my clerical force and their work, a rearrangement of furniture would permit the placing in this larger room of the ancestral card catalogue, and we would thus have readily available on the first floor convenient to the Library and other offices all the data and material necessary for reference and verification of papers. The ancestral card catalogue has also been the object of anxious hours of study for days and nights during the past few weeks. Again it is necessary to plan for the future growth of the Society and development of work. I have consulted dealers in library supplies for prices and materials and make the following report: To purchase a solid wood mahogany filing case for these records does not seem to me a wise thing to do when all large libraries, business concerns and public record places are refitting their filing rooms with steel equipments. These can be obtained with mahogany finish which gives them an appearance of wood with the safety of steel. I have had several designs drafted based upon my own suggestions and plans and believe that I have now solved the question of a card catalogue and filing cabinet for our application papers and a letter file—the three articles of furniture required in my office—in one combination, which will prove perfectly practicable, being both compact and expansive as the growth of the Society may demand. This is of steel construction, mahogany finish and consists of three sections on a sanitary base. In the lower part of each section are four filing drawers of a height and length to accommodate our application papers. In the three sections which we shall need immediately there are twelve drawers. Here can be kept all application papers awaiting verification under various headings, classified and filed according to states and alphabetically by chapters under states. One or two of these drawers can be used as a letter file and one drawer can accommodate the number of letters now contained in from fifteen to twenty of the pasteboard files now in use. One or two of these drawers can also be used for the office supplies which necessarily have to be kept in the office, and will be better than cupboards, as they can be drawn out and articles in the back part of the drawer can be removed without displacing those in the front. Above these large filing drawers are the smaller card filing drawers for the card index, with sliding shelves so necessary for resting paper and taking notes from the catalogue work. Whenever wall space is no longer available for these sections they can be placed back to back and double rows extended through the room. I have had estimates made on these by two firms. Each has some feature that the other has not. One has a larger base. That is, the lower filing drawers are twenty-five inches deep, the index card drawers seventeen inches deep, the difference between these forming a ledge eight inches wide which answers the purpose of another.
This arrangement gives a larger base, which precludes the possibility of the sections falling forward and also affords additional filing space of eight inches for papers in each of the lower drawers, or altogether eight feet additional filing space. As this catalogue and filing cabinet is absolutely necessary for the immediate work of the office, I ask authorization to arrange for the purchase of same and that the Finance Committee be empowered to approve the voucher. It would also be a great accommodation to the office if the small closet adjoining the stage could be assigned to us for storage of supplies.

As usual, with the end of every season there remains in the office a vast accumulation of work still to be finished. The rule has always obtained that applications for new members in the Society must always be given preference, and the supplemental papers filed by those already members must await verification until such times as seem convenient. Personally I do not altogether approve of this rule. The preference for new members is always necessary, but it has never seemed to me fair that the actual members should not be accorded the same promptitude of service as the would-be members. The supplemental papers filed by actual members are those from which we are getting our greatest number of new records, as it seems to be the general scheme for applicants to enter as far as possible on records already approved, so that there may be the least possible delay in admission, and to send in additional papers on new records later.

These new records are those to which the ruling referred to applies, and they are always the ones that have to wait a more convenient season. But these new records are all the time helping to complete our files, and the verification of all new records means the easier verification later of papers from applicants for admission, and to send in additional papers on new records later.

In consultation with other National Officers upon the work of our respective offices we have found many little cross workings of the office which seem to the National Officers in charge might be easily readjusted to the betterment of the general work. Therefore, I would recommend that the active National Officers, that is, those elected by Congress as heads of departments, shall be constituted a committee to confer regarding the work in the several offices and in part to make such changes as affect their respective offices which are not established by the officers of the National Board of Management, and to try out during the summer such changes as seem desirable, and to report back to the Board such changes requiring the action or approval of the Board at the October meeting; to also conjointly make such rules and regulations governing the work and clerical force of their respective offices and to arrange, if possible, for a change of clerical assistance during the rush season, and, in fact, to draft and test out such measures as seem best adapted in their own departments to the progress and efficiency of the work of the General Society, and, if this can be done, I believe, it would insure an esprit de corps among the clerical force and the National Officers which would result in the material advancement in the interest of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE M. PIERCE,
Registrar General.
ommendations or suggestions should be re-
ported from that Committee, which was com-
pelled to present the recommendations of Na-
tional Officers to the Board, whether or not
approved by the Building and Grounds Com-
mittee. The President General stated, how-
ever, that an effort would be made to dis-
cover some way of taking immediate action
in those matters which the laws required to
be presented through the Committee, so that
the work of the Registrar General would not
be retarded.

On motion of Mrs. Sternberg, a recess was
taken for luncheon, Miss Pierse requesting
permission to resume immediately on recon-
vieving.
The afternoon session was called to order
at 2:45 by the President General.
The Registrar General presented a third list
of applicants for membership, stating that her
clerks had worked through the luncheon hour
in order to complete the verification of the
papers.

New records verified ........................ 19
Applications presented to the Board...... 278
(Including 44 conditionals.)
Supplemental applications verified......... 24
Total number of papers verified .......... 2,129

Respectfully submitted,
GRACE M. PIERCE,
Registrar General.

It was moved that the Secretary be empow-
ered to cast the ballot for the 234 applicants
reported by the Registrar General as having
fulfilled all the requirements. This was sec-
onded and carried, and the Recording Secre-
tary General announced that she had cast the
ballot for the admission of the 234 additional
members. It was then moved by Miss Pierce,
seconded, and carried, that the Board consent
to accept as members the 44 applicants as
soon as they meet the necessary requirements
of eligibility of the Society.

The President General stated that when the
Registrar General reached a point in her work
where she had many applications to present it
would be wise to admit these applicants, even
though it were in the middle of the summer—
that a special meeting would be called just
for the admission of the members.

The Registrar General presented a letter
from a member in which it was stated that the
insignia of the Society could be purchased from
almost any jeweler at a price less than that
of Caldwell, to which the reply had been made
that the official insignia could only be pur-
chased through Caldwell on a permit from the
office of the Registrar General. This matter
was referred to the proper committee.

Mrs. Sternberg presented her report as Li-
brarian General, with the permission of the
Board reading only the totals.

Report of Librarian General.
Madam President General and Members of the
National Board of Management:
I have the honor to report the following
accessions received since April 17th:

Books.
History of Northern Michigan and its peo-
Chicago, Lewis Publishing Company, 1912.
Presented by the Marie Theresa Cadillac Chap-
ter.
The town of St. Johnsbury, Vermont. A
review of one hundred and twenty-five years
to the anniversary pageant 1912. By Edward
T. Fairbanks. St. Johnsbury, Cowles Press,
1914. Presented by the St. John de Creve-
coeur Chapter, under whose auspices the work
was prepared.
Old Rail Fence Corners. The A. B. Co. of
Minnesota history. Authentic incidents gleaned
from the old settlers by the Book Commit-
tee (a sub-committee of the Old Trails and
Historic Spots Committee, D. A. R., Mrs.
James T. Morris, Chairman). Austin, Minne-
sota, 1914. Presented by Mrs. James T. Mor-
ris, regent Old Trails Chapter.
Archives of Maryland. Proceedings and Acts
of the General Assembly of Maryland, October,
1720—October, 1723. Volume 34. Baltimore
Maryland Historical Society, 1914. Presented
by Baltimore Chapter.
The Family Tree of Columbia County, Wis-
consin. By A. J. Turner. Portage, Press of
Wisconsin State Register, 1904. Presented by
Mrs. Chester W. Smith, regent Wau Bun Chap-
ter.
History of De Kalb County, Tennessee. By
Will T. Hale. Nashville, Paul Hunter, Pub-
lisher, 1915. Presented by Mrs. Keller Ander-
son.
History of the Disciples of Christ in Illinois,
1819-1914. By Nathaniel S. Haynes. Cincin-
Register of the Lynn Historical Society,
Lynn, Mass.; for the year 1914. Lynn, 1915.
Presented.
Biographical Congressional Directory with an
outline history of the National Congress
1774-1911. The Continental Congress, September 5,
1774—October 21, 1788. The United States
Congress from the First to the Sixty-Second
Congress, March 4, 1789—March 3, 1911.
Presented by Mrs. Ellen Straw Thompson,
through Mr. Ancel Wold.
The Story of the Marking of the Santa Fe
Trail by the Daughters of the American Revo-
lution in Kansas and the State of Kansas. By
Allie Peckham Cordry, Historian Kansas D. A.
R. Topeka, Crane and Company, 1915. Pre-
sented by the Seventeenth Annual Conference
Kansas D. A. R.

Yesterdays in Washington. By Mary Smith


The Baxter family descendants of George and Thomas Baxter of Westchester County, New York, as well as some West Virginia and South Carolina lines. By Frances Baxter. New York, Tobias A. Wright, 1913. Presented by the author.


Early history of Brown University, including the life, times and correspondence of President Manning, 1756-1791. By Reuben Aldridge Guild. Providence, Snow and Farnham, 1897. Presented by Miss Katherine Clarke.


Pension papers; typewritten abstracts of original pension applications. Vol. 30 prepared in office of Historian General, 1915.


The Genealogy of the Cleveland and Clevelander Families. An attempt to trace, in both the male and female lines, the posterity of Moses Cleveland ... of Woburn, Mass.; of Alexander Cleveland of Prince William County, Virginia; and of ancient and other Clevelanders in England, America and elsewhere ... also a genealogical account of Edward Winn of Woburn, and other Winn families. 3 vols. By Edmund James Cleveland, and Horace Gillette Cleveland. Hartford, Case, Lockwood and Brainard, 1890. Presented by Mrs. Edmund James Cleveland, Sr.


Genealogical history of the Hoyt, Haight and Hight families, with some account of the earlier Hyatt families. By David W. Hoyt. Providence, 1871. Purchased.


Five bookplates have been added to our collection. One presented by Miss Amy Winslow and four by Mr. Anton Zichtl.

Pamphlets.


Periodicals.

Annals of Iowa.

Daughters of The American Revolution Magazine. May.


New England Historical and Genealogical Register. April.

New York Genealogical and Biographical Record. April.


Ohio Archaeological and Historical Quarterly. April.
Patriotic Marylander. June.
South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Magazine. January.
Virginia Magazine of History and Biography. April.
William and Mary College Quarterly. April.
The above list includes 35 books, 5 pamphlets, 5 bookplates, 2 charts and 13 periodicals.

25 books were presented, 6 received in exchange and 4 purchased. 5 pamphlets were presented.
2 charts and 5 bookplates were presented.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. George M.) M. L. STEINBERG,
Librarian General.

Moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Smoot, and carried, that the report of the Librarian General be accepted. Mrs. Sternberg read the following letter from the State Historian, giving list of books donated by Tennessee Daughters in response to her appeal:

National Board of Management, D. A. R. Ladies:

Some days since I wrote the regents of the twenty-seven chapters in Tennessee, telling them of a conversation I had with Miss Griggs, librarian, concerning the inadequate collection of Tennessee books. I urged each of the chapters to send a volume, or set of volumes, in order that our wealth of history might be fittingly indicated. I am delighted to report that the suggestion has met with favor, and that I have already handed the librarian some volumes received in response to that request. I feel sure that a number of others will be sent, and I ask that you accept these volumes, so promptly and willingly donated by the Tennessee Daughters.

Very truly,
MRS. CHARLES H. SLACK,
Cumberland Chapter, State Historian,
Nashville, Tennessee.

721 19th Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Daniel Boone, or the Wilderness Road, gift of Mrs. George White Baxter, State regent; Nancy Ward, gift of Mrs. Charles H. Slack, State historian; Caldwell's Constitutional History of Tennessee, gift of Mrs. Slack; De Kalb Co., gift of Mrs. Keller Anderson, Memphis; De Soto, gift Com. Lawrence Chapter, Memphis; Preservation of the Hermitage, gift Mrs. Mary C. Davis; Historic Homes in Middle Tennessee, gift Mrs. James Caldwell; Mrs. W. B. Gates, regent Adam Dale, Memphis, and Col. McClung, Knoxville, will each send one volume.

It was moved and carried that these books from Tennessee be received with thanks.

Mrs. Sternberg asked also that one of the clerks in the building be made a notary public for the convenience of the Society, and on motion of Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Mrs. Spraker, it was carried, that one of our clerks in the building be made eligible to act as a notary public.

Mrs. Maupin, Chairman of Printing Committee, then read her report as follows:

Report of Printing Committee.
April 19 to June 16, 1915.

Orders for printing filled outside the building:
No. 2078. Directions for voting; ballots for 24th Continental Congress.
No. 2083. 2,000 copies of Financial Statement, for Treasurer General.
No. 2084. 500 copies of songs of different States, for 24th Continental Congress.
No. 2124. 5,000 "How to Become a Member," Form 18, for Corresponding Secretary General; 30,000 remittance blanks, Form 25, for Treasurer General; 500 "Chapter Charters, etc.," Form 6A; 1,000 "Application for Charter."
No. 2127. 1,000 "Methods of Organization, D. A. R.," Form 5, for Organizing Secretary General.
No. 2140. Book of 100 pages, 500 envelopes for filing, for Curator General.

Orders for printing filled in the building:
No. 53. 2 quires ½ letter sheets, for Curator General; 1 box letter heads, 1 box envelopes, for editor of magazine; 2,000 transfer cards, for Corresponding Secretary General; 500 referring cards, for Recording Secretary General; 300 large letter heads, 300 small letter heads, 600 envelopes with return card, for Committee to Prevent Desecration of the Flag.
No. 54. 100 notification cards, for Organizing Secretary General; 1,000 certificate slips, for Certificate Division.
No. 55. 400 postals, for editor of Lineage Book; 500 Memorial Continental Hall appointment cards, 450 Memorial Continental Hall notice cards, for Recording Secretary General.
No. 56. 150 magazine appointment cards, for Recording Secretary General.
No. 57. 130 Magazine Committee notices, for Recording Secretary General.
No. 58. 500 Pension Record sheets, for Registrar General.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the Printing Committee was accepted.

Mrs. Maupin. On motion having been brought up as to a telephone message from the secretary of the Building and Grounds Committee having been incorrectly delivered, in the course of a discussion of communications received by the Recording Secretary General, the Registrar General and the Organizing Secretary General, from the Building and Grounds Committee, to which exception had been taken by the Na-
The National Officers (the first vice-chairman and the secretary of the Building and Grounds Committee having been invited by the President General to appear before the Board), it was moved by Miss Barlow, seconded by Miss Pierce, and carried, that communications from committees bearing on the affairs of the different offices shall be addressed to the National Officers.

The President General referred to the recommendations in the report of the Registrar General, which, she stated, according to the laws made by the Board, must be presented to the Board through the Building and Grounds Committee, and asked that Mrs. Greenawalt, second vice-chairman of that Committee, present these recommendations as a request that had come to her from the Registrar General.

The first request was for two additional rooms to which might be removed certain clerks and furniture, so that the congestion now prevailing in that office might be relieved. Moved by Mrs. Hall, seconded by Mrs. Smallwood and Mrs. Bosley, and carried, that a committee be appointed by the President General with power to act in regard to the Registrar General’s request—the President General being the chairman of that committee.

The second request was that a new ancestral catalogue be provided for the work in the Registrar General’s office as outlined in the report. Moved by Mrs. Hall, seconded by Mrs. Smallwood and Mrs. Bosley, and carried, that a committee be appointed by the President General with power to act in regard to the Registrar General’s request—these recommendations as a request that had come to her from the Registrar General.

The recommendation that the active National Officers—those elected by Congress as heads of departments—be constituted a committee to confer regarding the work in their respective offices—to try out during the summer such changes as seemed desirable and to report back to the Board at the October meeting, was then taken up and discussed. The motion by Mrs. Moody, seconded by Mrs. Smallwood, that this be laid on the table, was lost. The President General stated that it did not require a motion to permit the National Officers to get together and institute little methods that they thought would improve their own departments. Miss Pierce, thereupon, with the consent of the Board, withdrew the recommendation.

A supplementary report from the Organizing Secretary General was next presented as follows:

Supplementary Report of Organizing Secretary General.

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

Mrs. Mary Lamkin Howe, Everett, Mass.
Mrs. Lizzie C. Flavell, Marshfield, Mass.

The Capt. Christopher Robinson Chapter of Crawford, Neb., has been recorded officially organized June 16, 1915.

Respectfully submitted,
BETTY CARTER SMOOT,
Organizing Secretary General.

On motion, duly seconded, this report was accepted.

Mrs. Sternberg, as Librarian General, presented the following supplementary report:

Supplementary Report of Librarian General.

In accordance with a recent revision of the By-Laws, made at the Twenty-fourth Continental Congress, I have the honor to report that the following historical and genealogical books, magazines, pamphlets, manuscripts, and State and chapter reports from the Historian General’s office, have been duly turned over to the Librarian General.

This material has been very carefully examined and placed as follows:

a. Historical and genealogical books, magazines, pamphlets and manuscripts, suitable for reference in the library.

b. Birth, marriage, and death records which properly speaking would be classified in the Genealogical Research Department.

c. Church and court records, embracing dates, that would not be of any value at present, but may be useful for future generations.

d. State and chapter reports.

e. Duplication of data already in possession of the National Society and on file.

Under each sub-division the gifts have been arranged according to the States from which they were presented.

A. California.

History of the Watson family in America, 1760-1914.

B. Connecticut.


Traditions of Wallenpaupack.

East Hartford in the Revolution.

List of persons buried in Avery and Morgan Yard, the Colonial Cemetery, Groton, Connecticut.

C. Georgia.

Newspaper clippings from Georgia, 1912.

Georgia’s Old Trails Road, 1814.

D. Illinois.

Journal of the Illinois State Historical Society, Number 1, Volume 5, April, 1912.

The Farmer’s Almanack. For the year of our Lord, 1810, 1836, 1837. (To be loaned to Museum of Memorial Continental Hall.)

History of Old Homestead of Philip Walker, Seekonk, Massachusetts. Old deed signed by

The Story of Black Hawk's Tower.


List of Revolutionary soldiers in Morgan County, Illinois. Copy of deed bearing signature of James K. Polk, President of the United States. Copy of Democratic ticket for President, Samuel J. Tilden.

List of Revolutionary soldiers buried in Sangamon County, Illinois.

Diary of John Fisher, 1776, with sketch of John and his father, Barzill.

List of soldiers of the Revolution and War of 1812, from Dearborn County, Indiana, papers.

Photographs of indentures, telegrams, affidavits and deeds. Certified letter from Josiah Fay, 1775.


Indiana.


Revolutionary soldiers whose graves have been located in Jefferson County, Indiana. "Our Philippine Sisters. By Mrs. Joseph E. McWilliams.

Iowa.

Copy of old deed given by William Clark to Isaac Spaulding, 1752.

Kansas.

Illustrated History of Wichita, 1868-1880. Compiled by Eunice Sterling Chapter.

Maine.


Maryland.

Saint Mary's Female Seminary. Established 1844.


Copy of the Morning Chronicle and Baltimore Advertiser, April 4, 1820.

Notes collected at Frederick, Maryland, and Leesburg, Virginia.

The Patriotic Marylander.

Francis Scott Key Memorial Day Program and newspaper article.

History of Jacob Hall, Surgeon and Educator, 1747-1812.

Inscriptions from cemeteries at Snow Hill, Maryland, 1754-1905.

Obituaries copied from Maryland Gazette, 1727-1776.

Our Fathers who crossed the ocean wave to seek this shore. By Margaret Roberts Hodges.

History of ye ancient city and its public buildings, Annapolis, Maryland.

Sixteen views of Annapolis, Maryland.

Colors or flags of ten counties of Maryland. Tombstone inscription of Major General Daniel Morgan.

Massachusetts.

Services in dedication of the village Congregational Church, Whitinsville, Massachusetts.

Souvenir programme. Dedication services of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Whitinsville, Massachusetts.

History of Thomas Sawyer of Lancaster, Massachusetts.

Revolutionary soldiers buried in Mendon and newspaper clippings of exercises incident to marking graves of Mendon soldiers.

The Living Descendants of William Healy of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Revolutionary soldiers buried in Blackstone, Mass.

A Discourse delivered in Whitinsville-Northbridge, July 31, 1859.

Historical sketch of the Congregational Church, Northbridge Center, 1772.

Two hundred Revolutionary soldiers of Hadley. Old Hadley and Hoekanum, Massachusetts.

Inscriptions from cemeteries at Snow Hill, Maryland, 1754-1905.

Obituaries copied from Maryland Gazette, 1727-1776.

Soldiers buried in Grafton, Massachusetts, and list of soldiers serving from Grafton, Mass.

The First Early Settlers of the Town of Northbridge, Mass.

The Jonathan Bacon family of Worcester County, 1733-1783.

List of Revolutionary soldiers from Milford, Mass.

Brief sketch of Fall River, Massachusetts, 1656-1913.

List of soldiers in Captain Wood's company, Battle of Lexington. List of Revolutionary soldiers buried in the town of Northbridge. The White and Wing Tavern of Northbridge, Massachusetts.
Michigan.
Newspaper clippings. Editorial on General Washington.
A History of the Ottawa and Chippewa Indians.
Two post cards of marker on Old Territorial Road, Marshall, Michigan.
Account of Boulder which marks the old Indian Trail.
Invitation and Seal of State presented to University of Michigan.
Early history of Ottawa County, Michigan.

Minnesota.
Ogdens-Preston Genealogy.
History of St. Paul and Ramsey County, 1787-1860.

Mississippi.
A Song Grown in Mississippi. Dedicated to a Daughter of Mississippi, Mrs. Chalmers Williamson.

Missouri.
Early History of La Plata, Missouri.
Proof of Revolutionary service of Bennet Tilley.
Copy of preemption papers in the case of James Cole.
Reminiscences of "The Bloomington Gazette."
List of Revolutionary soldiers buried in Missouri.
Newspaper clipping of first Pony Express.
Sketch of the Minnis Family.
Revolutionary soldiers buried in Missouri.
National Old Trails Road.
Early History of La Plata, Missouri.
Historical sketch of Missouri, 1827-1844.
Some items of interest from Callaway County, Missouri.
Early History of Pike County, Missouri, 1808-1819.

New Hampshire.
The Descendants of Joseph Stickney. Stickney chart.
An Historical Pageant, Hartford, Vermont, 1761-1911.
A Rural Poem Centennial Celebration of the town of Reading, Vermont, 1872.
Revolutionary soldiers buried at Forest Hill Cemetery, Charlestown, N. H.
Revolutionary soldiers' graves in Manchester, N. H.
The Vermonter. The State Magazine—Autumn Number, 1912.
The Granite State Free Press. Anniversary supplement, Friday, June 30, 1911.
The Granite State Free Press. April 12, 1901.
Articles on American Indians.
List of Old Dover Revolutionary soldiers' graves.

Reminiscences of the Revolution.
Record of John Deenerit.

New Jersey.
Account of Franklin Cabin Home.
History on early Newark, New Jersey.
Royal Pedigree of Colonel Azariah Dunham.
Newspaper article, Old St. Mary's, Burlington, N. J.
Early settlements of Elizabethtown, N. J., Perth Amboy, N. J., and Shrewsbury, Monmouth County, N. J.
History of Perth Amboy, New Jersey.
Almanac and Year Book, 1915, Woodstown, New Jersey.
Old Church of St. George's in Penn's Neck, N. J.

New York.
General Nicholas Herkimer. Homestead and newspaper article.
The story of the rescue of Catherine Du Bois from the Indians and the settlement of New Paltz, New York.
Partial list of Colonial and Revolutionary documents and papers at Washington's Headquarters, Newburgh, New York.
Address on the Battle of Fort Washington, New York.
Tombstone inscriptions of eight country cemeteries in Hanover, New York. Mss.
Newspaper clipping. Account of death and funeral of Miss Wilhelmina Randall, "Real Daughter."
Newspaper clipping. Saving General Knox's Headquarters.
Year Book of Avon, New York, 1912.
American Phrenological Journal, 1848.
Centennial Book. First Presbyterian Church, Caledonia, New York, 1805-1905.
A pamphlet on Lawrence Washington and Benjamin Franklin.
Newspaper clippings of Caledonia county, New York.
The 16th annual meeting of Livingston County Historical Society, 1892.
Composer describes writing "Old Glory."
Newspaper clippings of Randall and other families of New York.
Address on the Battle of Fort Washington, New York.
The Victor Centennial, 1813-1913.
Rise and Progress of Baptists in the Empire State.
Lineage of John Adams, New York.
Also commission of Captain John Green signed by Robert Morris, New York.
The Military Tract of the State of New York.
Historic spots and graves restored in New York State by different chapters of that State.
Records of Revolutionary soldiers living in or near Fredonia, New York.
Revolutionary soldiers buried in Lincoln County. Account of Lafayette in Rochester, New York.
Sketch of Mrs. Sarah Bishop Carl, "Real Daughter."
Copy of Pledge taken in Hanover Precinct, 1775.
List of Revolutionary soldiers of Cortland County. First deed recorded in Cortland County, New York.
List of Revolutionary soldiers located by Jamestown Chapter, New York.
List of Revolutionary graves from Delaware County, New York.

North Carolina.
An Historic Spot in the Old North State.
Balfour of Randolph.
A Genealogical History from Northampton County at head of Roanoke Falls. Inscription on the grave of Mary Montfort Jones. Poetry.
Post card of Council Oak, Quaker Meadows, North Carolina.
History of Fort Dobbs, North Carolina.
Ohio.
Pictures of Josiah Hedges, 1778-1858.
Port Clinton, Ohio, Memorial Day.
Photograph of tree which marks site of old Fort Ball.
Pictures of headstones of Revolutionary soldiers' graves.
Report from Dayton, Ohio.
Map of Ripley, Brown County, Ohio.
List of Revolutionary soldiers from Brown County, Ohio.
Monument to Major General Arthur St. Clair and sketch of his life.
List of Revolutionary soldiers buried in Franklin County, O.
Oregon.
History of Multnomah Chapter, Portland, Oregon, 1915.
Pennsylvania.
Ring Pedigree. Letters from Samuel Ring.
Copy of old marriage certificate and history of Somerset County, Pennsylvania.
Records from old Bibles, 1643-1853.

List of Revolutionary soldiers' graves in Scranton.
Marker placed on grave of a Mr. Barnett, Brookville, Pa.
Revolutionary soldiers' graves, Pennsylvania.
List of records from Allegheny County, Susquehanna County, Lackawanna County, Northumberland County, Penna.
List of graves of Revolutionary soldiers near Jersey Shore, Pennsylvania.
Post cards of historic spots in Pennsylvania.
Ye Olde Southwarke Shot Tower, 1913. Newspaper clipping, giving address on Patriotic Education.
Journal of Lieutenant Colonel Adam Hubley, Jr., 1779.
Rhode Island.
Rhode Island Independence Day, May 4, 1776.
Pamphlet on Rhode Island Arbor Day.
Rhode Island Arbor Day, May 9, 1913.
Rhode Island Independence Day, May 5, 1913.
Two photographs, Miss Ella Packard Wild, of Rochester, New York, and Nancy (Montgomery) Henry, "Real Daughter."
History of Hubbard Burdick, Sr., 1680. * History of Hubbard Burdick, Sr., 1725. Copy of Will of Hubbard Burdick, Sr., 1758.
Article on tablet unveiled at Old State House.
South Carolina.
Sketch of Colonel Elias Alexander of South Carolina.
Sketches of Governor John Adair and Governor James Moore, South Carolina.
Account of unveiling of a memorial of the treaty Oak.
Sketch of Old Pendleton District, South Carolina.
Sketch of the Alexanders of South Carolina.
Tennessee.
Soldiers of the American Revolution buried in Tennessee.
Brainerd Mission, Tennessee.
The Evening Fire-Side, 1805.
The Philadelphia-Minerva, 1797.
Texas.
History of the Raines Family, Texas.
Historical newspaper clippings sent by Betty Martin Chapter, Texas.
Vermont.

Revolutionary soldiers' graves located in Wells, Vermont.

Regarding Peter Hammond and his father, member of Boston Tea Party.

Retrospection. A Poem recited at the 150th anniversary of the settlement of Cornwall, Vermont.

History of Universalist Society, Hartland, Vermont.

A pilgrimage to the monuments of the early settlers of Brandon, Vermont.

Biographical sketch of one of the pioneers of Middletown, Vermont.


Historical facts and places in Pawlet and Wells, Vermont.

Virginia.

Copy of will of Alexander Boyd, the elder, of Mecklenburg, 1800.

Copy of letter, May, 1776, from Thomas Nelson, Jr., sent by Miss Mary Newman, Norfolk, Virginia.


Two pamphlets on 'How Britain strove for Race,' and 'Why Britain is at War,' 1914-1915.

Isle of Wight County, Virginia, 1608-1907.

Newspaper clipping. Old Farnham Church, Farnham, Va.

Three Centuries of an Old Virginia Town, Petersburg and the Appomattox.

West Virginia.

Genealogy of the Raines Family.

Wisconsin.

Old Coapman Documents.

Wyoming.

Newspaper clippings. Laramie, Wyoming.

Newspaper clippings.

B. Alabama.

Marriage records in Mobile, Alabama, 1739-1818.

Burials in Old Church Street Cemetery, Mobile, Alabama, 1812-1836.

Marriages in Mobile, Alabama, 1819-1829.

Connecticut.

Marriage records from Greenwich, Connecticut, 1681-1730.

Georgia.

One hundred marriage records, Upson County, Georgia, 1825-1858.

Illinois.

First wills recorded in Peoria County, Illinois, 1825.

Sketch of Conrad Will. Marriage records and wills from Will County, 1779. Photographs of old commissions.

First official act in the commissioners' Court of first marriage in Clark County, 1819.

Last will and testament of John Lloyd of Clark County, 1820.

First white child born and first wedding in Chicago.

Records of Revolutionary soldiers, Aurora, Illinois. First will on record in Madison County, Illinois. Early marriages in Madison County, Illinois.

List of wills from Warren County, Illinois, 1822.

Indiana.

Town and county records of Fayette County, Indiana, with a list of Revolutionary soldiers buried there.

Iowa.

Genealogy of Nellie S. Hotchkiss from Sir Matthew Gilbert. Dates of marriages and land grants in Monona County, Iowa.

Kentucky.

Tombstone records, Kentucky, 1768-1883.

Louisiana.

Epitaphs from 4 old tombstones in New Orleans, 1750-1836.

Maine.

Graves of Revolutionary soldiers in Bath, Maine.

Maryland.

Index of court records of Anne Arundel County, 1655-1776-78.

Marriage records of Anne Arundel County, 1781-82.

Marriage records of Anne Arundel County, 1777-1813.

Copy of original commission from Anne Arundel County. Copy of original commission from Harford County. Copy of old will St. Mary's County.

Marriage records in Baltimore Record Office, 1779.

Marriage license records of Baltimore County, Maryland, 1784-5-6-7-8; 1778, 1782, 1784.

Early Baltimore marriages, 1779.

Marriage records from Baltimore City, 1789-1797.

Marriage records from Charles, Calvert, Caroline and Worcester counties, 1777-1803.

Marriage records of Frederick, Md., 1756-1803.

Marriage license records of Montgomery County, 1798-1800.

Marriage records from Prince George County, 1777-1850.

Marriage records from Rockville, 1778.

Massachusetts.

Marriages, births and deaths in Fall River, 1809-1813.

Early marriages, Fall River, 1762-1829.

Minnesota.

Marriage records from Northfield, 1854-1888.

Missouri.

Marriage records from Clay County, 1821-1826.
Inscriptions on tombstones in Greene County, 1798-1906.
Marriage records from Jackson County, 1827-1832.
Marriage records from Lewis County, 1829-1838.
Marriage records from Lincoln County, 1825-1849.
Marriages in Pike County, 1818-1826.
Marriages, births and deaths in Seneca Falls, 1790-1865.

New Hampshire.
Records of births and marriages in the town of Canterbury, N. H.

New York.
Marriage records in Caledonia, N. Y., 1823-1841.
Tombstone inscriptions from the cemetery of the West Hillsdale Baptist Church, located at Craryville, Columbia County, New York.

Ohio.
Earliest marriages in Ashtabula County, 1800-1816.
Marriage records from Brown County, 1818.
Index of wills from Brown County from 1818-1838.
One hundred marriage records from Columbus, 1808-1808.
Marriage records from Franklin County, 1803-1807.
Pennsylvania.
List of marriage records and Revolutionary soldiers' graves in Canton, Pennsylvania.
Copy of index of wills probated in Luzerne County, 1787-1850.
Marriage records Lycoming County from 1808-1847.
List of marriage records and deaths from Pittsburgh, 1811-1817.
Earliest marriage records of Susquehanna County, 1812-1833.
Index of wills for Susquehanna County from 1812-1850.
Marriages in Warren County, 1811-1844.
South Carolina.
Record of wills and land deeds of Marlboro County, South Carolina, 1785-1840.
Texas.
Marriage records from Clinton, De Witt County, Texas.
Vermont.
Copy of records from "Old Church at Rockingham," Vermont.
Marriage records from Wells, Vermont.
Inscriptions from tombstones in Wells, Vermont.
Virginia.
Wills from Accomack County, Virginia, 1663.
Marriage bonds, 1781-1789, Greensville County, Va.
Marriage records from Loudoun County, 1793-1796, Va.

Wills from Northampton County, 1657-1666, Va.

West Virginia.
Earliest marriage records, wills and deeds of Cabell County, Virginia.
First will and marriage of Ritchie County, West Va.

C.
Colorado.
Marriage in the Colorado Gold Diggings, 1859-1862.
First marriage certificate in Colorado City, 1861.
The First Morgan Times, September 11, 1912.

Florida.
First marriage record in Willsborough County, 1846.
Marriage records, 1846-1847.

Georgia.
A sketch of Antioch M. E. Church, Upson County, 1829.
A sketch of the educational interests of Thomaston, Ga.
History of the Thomaston M. E. Church, 1825-1880.
History of the Thomaston Baptist Church, 1803-1862.

Idaho.
History of Idaho, 1864.

Illinois.
Marriage records of Stephenson County, 1837-1850.
Marriage records of Warren County, 1838.
Newspaper clippings of history of Monmouth, Illinois.
Marriage records from Rock Island County, 1833.
Marriage certificate from Adams County, 1825.
First birth and first will in Adams County, 1829-1837.
Marriage records in Henry County, Illinois, 1837.
First deed recorded in Henry County, 1836.
Marriage records of McLean County, 1831.
Copy of License to practice law issued March 23, 1837, to Richard Yates, later War Governor of Illinois. Copy of commission as member of Congress to Richard Yates, December 21, 1852. Copy of patent issued by the State of Kentucky to Richard Yates.

Indiana.
Marriage records of Johnson County, 1833.
First marriage license issued in Monona County, 1856.
Iowa.
Marriage records from Keshkekosh County, 1845.
First child born in Marion County, 1843.
History of Sioux City, 1856.

Kansas.
First will and first marriage in Franklin County, 1859-1858.

Maryland.
Two hundred marriage licenses in Prince George County, 1851-1853.
Inventory of Benjamin Gill.

Michigan.
First one hundred and thirty marriages recorded in Shiawassee County, 1838-1845.

Minnesota.
Marriage records of Olmstead County, 1855.

Missouri.
Marriage records and wills from Andrain County, 1837-1860.
Marriage records from Greene County, 1840-1842.
Marriage records from Trenton, Grundy County, 1841-1842.
Marriage records from Springfield, 1834-1840.

Nebraska.
Marriage records from Columbus, 1858-1863.

New York.
Marriage records, "Rural New Yorker," published at Rochester, 1854.

Ohio.
Marriage records from Carroll County, 1833-1852.

Oregon.
First will and first marriage recorded in Linn County, 1854-1850.

Arkansas.
Report of State Historian of Arkansas, 1913.
Account of Banquet of Sons of the American Revolution, Arkansas, 1915.

California.
Copy of State Report, giving work accomplished by thirty-five Chapters, 1915.
Report of Eschscholtzia Chapter, 1911-1912.

Connecticut.
History of the Denison Family from Stonington, 1632-1863.

Massachusetts.
Report of Old North Chapter, Massachusetts.
Annual report of Old South Chapter, Boston, Mass.
Report of Old South Chapter, Boston, Mass., 1913.
Annual report of Old South Chapter, 1911-1912.

Michigan.
Organization of Petosega Chapter, Michigan.
History of Philip Livingston Chapter, Michigan.

New Hampshire.
List of Revolutionary soldiers from Antrim, N. H.
Revolutionary record of John Colby, Ware, N. H.
Family history of George Choate, who was born in Derry, N. H.

New Jersey.
Historical facts of Burlington County, N. J., during the Revolution.

Pennsylvania.
The Old Moravian Sun Inn, 1758, Bethlehem, Penna.
Historical spots in Lower Merion Township, Montgomery County, Penna.
Family histories of Vermont and Connecticut.

German literature.
Real Daughters of the American Revolution, 1912.
Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. Geo. M.) M. L. Sternberg,
Librarian General.
On motion of Miss Pierce, seconded by Miss Barlow, it was carried, that the supplemental report of the Librarian General be accepted.

The total number of deceased, 159; resigned, 205; dropped, 10, and reinstated, 13, was read by Miss Pierce for the Treasurer General and received as read, and the recommendation for the reinstatement of the members accepted.

The following report of the Historian General was read by Mrs. Boyle in the absence of Mrs. Augsbury.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board:

The few weeks since my election have been profitably spent, I believe, in becoming conversant with the duties of the Historian General. I have undertaken the work with a due appreciation of the plans and achievements of my predecessors in office, and for the present, at least, no innovations are contemplated. The foundations have been well laid and it is my desire to arouse greater and greater enthusiasm for research work among the Daughters far and wide. I have made a special appeal to the historians of newly organized chapters, where the field for research work is still untouched. To the hundred and one newly-elected historians of older chapters, I have sent notifications of their membership on the National Committee of Historic Research, with a few words of congratulations and suggestions as to cooperation with the Historian General.

Interesting reports are at hand from Attleboro Chapter, Massachusetts, and Old South Chapter, Boston.

Miss Corning, historian of Elder Brewster Chapter, Freeport, Illinois, a historian in deed as well as in name, who has already sent us a splendid list of six hundred marriage records, a part of which have appeared in the magazine, writes me that she is about finishing the copying of old wills recorded in her County, and will next take up the deeds. With such a devoted worker in every chapter, our records might become soon, as they will eventually, a complete synopsis of the pioneer families of the United States.

Gifts to the Society through the Historian General include:

List of two hundred and forty Revolutionary soldiers taken from Pine Grove Cemetery, Leominster, Massachusetts, by Mrs. Charles H. Pierce.

Manuscript biography of Edward Colver (or Culver), the Puritan founder of the family in America, by Mrs. S. C. Denison, of Granville, New York.

List of wills recorded in the Court House at New Orleans, and a number of old tombstone inscriptions from the old St. Louis Cemetery, New Orleans, sent by Mrs. Jay W. Tucker.

Biography of Abiel Fellows, for whom the Chapter at Three Rivers, Michigan, is named. Also very valuable collection of newspaper clippings describing unveiling ceremonies of a memorial Sun Dial placed by the above-mentioned chapter in the old Bowman Cemetery at Three Rivers. Also genealogical data of the Bowman family, running back to 1759, and a biographical sketch of John H. Bowman, founder of the City of Three Rivers. These were the valued gifts of Dr. Blanche M. Haines.

With a desire to reduce the expenses of the Historian General’s office to the lowest amount consistent with efficiency, I shall assume, personally, a good share of the correspondence, at least during the summer, feeling it a privilege thus to come into closer relations with the chapters.

Respectfully submitted,
MARY E. AUGSBURY,
Historian General.

On motion, duly seconded, the acceptance of the report of the Historian General was carried.

Miss Barlow then read her report as Curator General.

Madam President General and Members of the Board of Management:

I have the honor to report on the work accomplished in the Museum. The Revolutionary Relics Committee had completed the work of eliminating articles that did not reach the standard of period, excellence and value, and left somewhat incomplete indexes of the contents.

To index and catalogue the articles in accordance with the system employed by the National Museum, I took my assistant and made a call on Mr. Holmes, Curator. There we were instructed by his clerk, regarding their methods; we think it will greatly simplify the search for the history of an article beyond all doubt. Seventeen letters have been received and thirty-three letters have been written.

The articles received in the past month are:

One silver table spoon, presented by the Misses Farnsworth, of the District of Columbia.

One silver table spoon, presented by Miss Frances Stockbridge Taylor, of the District of Columbia.

One silver cream dipper, presented by Miss Catherine Brittin Barlow, of the District of Columbia.

One syllabub glass, of old English cut, presented by Miss Mary Elizabeth Barlow, of the District of Columbia.

Pair of shoes, worn by Lieut. Augustus Fitch when a child, in 1732. He served during the Revolutionary War as Lieutenant of Maj. Backus’ 4th Regiment of Light Horse of East
Windsor, Conn. Presented by Mrs. Frank Glentworthy Geary.

Old pocket knife and brass case, of the period of 1732, presented by (no record).

A group of articles, including: Three dress pins, with round heads, over 100 years old; book, "System of the Geography of the World," printed 1803; three German silver spoons, owned by Hannah Valentine; knitting needles and case, used by Hannah Valentine; certified copy of will of Amy Wiltse, of Fishkill, N. Y., drawn Nov. 22, 1803; a copy of the Cooke Genealogy; a copy of the Will of Nathaniel Bouton, drawn Dec. 19, 1775; presented by their descendant, Mrs. Harriet E. Blodgett, of Brockport, N. Y.

A lottery ticket of Petersburgh Church, of Petersburg, Va., marked 100 years old, presented by Mrs. Robert Harrison, of the District of Columbia.

A valuable collection of manuscripts, including: Abstract of Provisions issued by Halld Hall, Asst. Commissary of Issues, 1st Conn. Brigade, 1779; bound Abstract of Provisions, issued by Halld Hall, Asst. Commissary of Issues, 1st Conn. Brigade, 1780; a Depreciation Bill, adopted as a resolution by Congress, June 1, 1780; an original muster roll of Capt. John Stevens' Company, Col. Charles Burrall's Regiment, Northern Army, 1776 and 1777; Abstract of Receipt and Return of Stores, kept by Benjamin Stevens, Asst. Commissary of Issues, and later Commissary General, at Fishkill, N. Y., June, 1780, presented by his great-granddaughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens White, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Typewritten copies of these manuscripts are being carefully made and placed in the Library.

The gradual acquisition of articles is pressing on the facilities for holding them, and I earnestly entreat those members of the Board present to-day to return to their States and present to the chapters the subject of new cases for the Museum. The size and style of a case has been accepted and will be carried out to present a uniformity of furnishing.

In my search for rulings of Congress or by the Board, to guide me in the discharge of my office, I found the following contained within the Statute Book: "On motion, the recommendation of the Relics Committee, of $50 per year for the purchase of relics was accepted." This recommendation was embodied in the report of the Chairman of the Relics Committee, Mrs. William Lindsay, read to and accepted by the Continental Congress, Feb. 23, 1898.

No money has been drawn from the Treasury for this purpose and as this recommendation has never been rescinded, I believe it is still operative, and I recommend that from this time on it shall be at the service of the Curator General of Museum.

Respectfully submitted,
Catherine Brittin Barlow,
Curator.

Moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Sternberg, and carried, that the report of the Curator General be accepted. On motion of Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Boyle, it was further carried that the regular appropriation of $50 a year for the purchase of relics for the Museum may be available and placed subject to the order of the Curator General (to take effect from this time on).

Mrs. Sternberg read her report as Chairman of Finance Committee, as follows:


After the reading and accepting of the minutes of the last meeting, the first business brought to the attention of the Committee related to some bills presented for payment by the Chairman of the Committee on Desecration of the Flag.

A bill amounting to $17.00 was presented for the printing of a seven-page report, which was issued before it was accepted or ordered printed. Also several other small bills.

The Chairman of the Finance Committee asked for explanation and itemized bills. In transmitting the bills the second time the Chairman of the Committee on Desecration of the Flag mentioned that she had received no instructions, but she understood that she was entitled to $200.00 for her Committee work.

After discussing the many points of interest the announcement was made that a search had been made in the records of our Society by one of the clerks and the only information found was that two Committees, The Children of the Republic and the Committee on Patriotic Education, are given $200.00 for expenses. In the discussion it was stated that the Auditor for the National Society had said that the expense of printing reports of the various Committees was one of the largest items of expenditure in the organization. It was thought advisable to bring the matter before the Board and the following motion was made and carried, and I present it as a recommendation: "That a Committee be formed from the Board to formulate a circular stating the amount of money that each of the National Committees will be allowed to carry on the work allotted it."

As Chairman of the Finance Committee I recommend that the bill for printing the report of the Committee on Desecration of the Flag, which was printed before this Chairman had instructions, be paid by the Society.

The subject of the ambulance fund authorized by the National Board of Management at its last meeting was next considered.
The Chairman stated that the matter had not been fully discussed by the Board and it would therefore be necessary to bring the matter again to its attention. A resolution was offered as follows: "Inasmuch as we have a ruling (in Article 249 of the Statute Book) to the effect that all money collected by any Committee appointed by the National Board of Management of the D. A. R. be transferred to the keeping of the Treasurer General.

"I move we ask the National Board to direct the fund being collected by the Countess de Tavara, known as the ambulance fund and sent (according to her circular) to the Columbia National Bank Ambulance Fund, Washington, D. C., be transferred to the Treasurer General's keeping; and that a notice be sent by the Board to the Countess de Tavara, instructing her to have all future contributions sent direct to the Treasurer General of the D. A. R."

In discussing the ambulance fund the Chairman stated that she had been so interested in the project that she had made inquiry concerning the cost of an ambulance, such as is used by the United States Army, and the National Red Cross. She learned that these two government organizations used the same ambulance, manufactured by the Ford Company. This ambulance has been thoroughly tested. Much thought has been given by expert surgeons and others to perfecting this ambulance for field service. America already has 84 motor ambulances in constant use along the front, and they have so far carried more than thirty-six thousand wounded from the firing line to hospitals. The cost price of the ambulance used in the United States Army is $750.00. Fittings consisting of four litters, $14.88; one box of surgical dressings, $27.98; one box of hospital stores, $19.65; a total for fittings of $62.29. The ambulance used by the Red Cross is exactly the same as that used by the United States Army, but it is somewhat lower in price, owing to the great number the Red Cross has ordered. The price quoted is $650.00 and $100.00 for freight from New York to destination. The Red Cross will order and forward for us an ambulance to any destination desired. After due consideration the following motion was made and carried:

"I move that this Committee recommend to the Board that the ambulance for which the ambulance fund is being raised be purchased through the Red Cross at the quoted price, $650.00, plus $100.00 for transportation, and that it be sent in the name of the N. S. D. A. R., through the Red Cross to whatever belligerent power is deemed by the Red Cross to be most in need of it."

The Committee then discussed a question relating to the salaries of the employees of the Society. It was that the salaries of the National Society be computed on the thirty-day-to-the-month basis. In explanation it was stated that the adoption of this method was in the interest of our organization, as it would save the time given by the clerks in figuring pay accounts. The following motion was made and carried:

"That we recommend to the Board that all monthly salaries be computed on a thirty-day-to-the-month basis and that service by the hour be paid for in round numbers, rather than in using fractions of a cent in computing."

Mrs. Ludlow, Secretary Building and Grounds Committee, asked the consideration of the Committee on the matter of the caterer's luncheon for the members of the Board at the monthly meetings. After some explanation and discussion the following motion was made and carried:

"I move to recommend to the Board that if the number of members partaking of lunch provided by the caterer on Board meeting days do not cover the entire cost the Board authorize an extra assessment on the members partaking."

Miss Barlow, Curator General of the Museum, asked to appear before the Committee. She submitted three catalogues and estimates for filing cases and asked that a certain one be purchased for the museum, in order that she might be able to get her papers and cards in order during the summer months. She had selected the filing case she desired and the estimated cost was $89.50. A motion was made and carried:

"That Miss Barlow's request be granted."

I recommend that she be given the filing case she desires.

I move the acceptance of my report with its recommendations. Except that the motion relating to the purchase of ambulance be modified by omitting the last clause so that it shall not say that it be sent to the belligerent country where it is most needed, as I understand the desire is to send it to France.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. Geo. M.) M. L. STERNBERG
Chairman Finance Committee.

Vouchers have been approved during the months of April and May to the amount of $15,691. The largest items comprising this amount were:

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Employes of Hall $5,770.29
Twenty-fourth Continental Congress, expenses incidental to, and including Extra Clerical service (as given above) .................................................. 2,863.59
Handbook, printing and postage .................................................. 1,274.50
Postage, including stamped envelopes for National Officers, State regents and Committees .................................................. 773.85
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION MAGAZINE, Salaries of Editors and expenses of Committee .................................................. 772.99
(Bills for printing not submitted to date)
Real Daughters' support .................................................. 696.00
Patriotic Education .................................................. 650.65

On motion of Miss Pierce, seconded by Miss Barlow, it was carried, that the report of the Chairman of the Finance Committee be accepted, the recommendations being taken up ad seriatim. On motion of Mrs. Gedney, seconded by Mrs. Buel, the adoption of the recommendation of the Chairman of the Finance Committee that a committee be formed from the Board to formulate a circular stating the amount of money that each of the National Committees will be allowed to carry on the work allotted it, was carried.

On motion of Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Mrs. Greenawalt, it was carried, that the bill for printing the report of the Committee to Prevent the Desecration of the Flag be paid.

The Countess de Tavara was requested to appear before the Board to discuss the subject of the ambulance fund brought up in the report of the Chairman of Finance Committee. The discussion was interrupted by a request from the President General that a member desiring to take an early train be permitted to make a motion with regard to the matter of removing the name "Connecticut" over the door, and substituting the name of the donor instead. The following letter was read by the Recording Secretary General:

52 Hillhouse Ave.,
New Haven, Connecticut,
June 14, 1915.

Mrs. William C. Boyle, Secretary General,
National Society, D. A. R.,
Memorial Continental Hall,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mrs. Boyle:

May I trouble you to present to the National Board meeting on June 16th a matter relating to the Board Room in Continental Hall that is of personal interest to me? When I gave the money for this room it was given as a personal memorial to my ancestors, as the enclosed copy of the pledge will show. I was not a delegate to the Continental Congress at that time, and the then Connecticut State regent made the announcement for me, but the subscription was not solicited by her or any one. It was purely voluntary.

I was ill when the room was decorated and furnished, and did not see it for nearly three years after. Even then I did not notice that the name "Connecticut" had been placed over the door, and not until some time later did I learn of it when a friend mentioned it to me. It has been my intention to ask that the name "Connecticut" be left off of the door, and that the inscription read simply, "Board Room," but it has recently come to my attention that on more than one or two occasions friends, who happened to be in Washington and visited Continental Hall and have asked to see the room I gave, have been told by the attendants that they did not know of such room. For this reason I wish to ask that the inscription read:

Board Room
Gift of Mrs. John T. Manson
In Memory of Her Ancestors.

Of course any expense in connection with this change I shall expect to bear.

I might say further that for some time it has been my intention to place in the Board Room a clock and mantel ornaments in keeping with the rest of the room, subject to the approval of the appropriate committee, and also to establish a small fund sufficient to provide for any renewals, but not for ordinary care.

Trusting that I may have an early favorable answer from you, I beg to remain,

Very cordially,

(Mrs. John T.) HELEN H. P. MANSON.
Washington, D. C., April 18, 1906.

I hereby pledge six thousand dollars ($6,000) to Memorial Continental Hall for the Board of Management Room, as a memorial to my Revolutionary Ancestors. Said sum to be paid within six months from date.

(Signed) HELEN H. P. BENEDICT,
5 Howe St., New Haven, Conn.
Member of Mary Clap Wooster Chapter, of New Haven.

The question was raised as to whether the laws of the Society would permit the name of an individual to be placed over the door of any room. The State regent of Connecticut desired it understood that the State of Connecticut had never claimed that the room was furnished by the State, giving always the credit for the gift to the donor, and she wished it to go on record that it was the desire of the State to do everything fairly and squarely, and it was not the wish to have the State name where it was not legal to have it. After lengthy discussion, a motion of Mrs. Moody, seconded by Mrs. Hall, that the name Connecticut room be changed to Board Room at the re-
guest of Mrs. H. P. B. Manson, if it does not conflict with the rules of the National Society was put and carried.

The consideration of the recommendation in the report of the Chairman of Finance Committee as to transferring the ambulance fund from the Columbia National Bank to the Treasurer General's keeping was resumed, and it was ruled that inasmuch as all checks were sent direct to the bank and no money could be drawn from the ambulance fund unless countersigned by the Treasurer General, who would report the amount drawn and the purpose for which it was drawn, the spirit of the rule was met and the point made by the Chairman of Finance was covered.

It was stated by the Countess de Tavara with reference to the recommendation that the ambulance be purchased through the Red Cross at a certain sum, that there would be no cost for transporting the ambulance to France, and the ambulance would have to be in accord with the requirements of the French Red Cross, and that as many ambulances would be sent as money was contributed. Moved by Mrs. Gedney, seconded by Mrs. Spraker, and carried, that the Countess de Tavara be empowered to proceed with her work with the understanding that the full credit be given to the Daughters of the American Revolution. The recommendation of the Finance Committee designating the purchase price of the ambulance and through whom it should be purchased was, on motion duly seconded, lost.

The recommendation that all monthly salaries be computed on a 30-day-to-the-month basis, and that service by the hour be paid for in round numbers, not using fractions of a cent in computing, was, on motion duly seconded, carried.

The recommendation that if the number of members partaking of lunch provided by the caterer on Board meeting days does not cover the entire cost the Board authorize an extra assessment on the members partaking, was, on motion duly seconded, also carried.

On motion of Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Mrs. Hall, it was carried, that Miss Barlow's request for filing cases be granted and the purchase made.

The President General presented a substitution paper authorizing the change of the lawyer to that of a trial lawyer in a matter having to do with a magazine suit, which had already been placed in the hands of Miss Finch to proceed with. On motion of Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Fisher, it was carried, that the desired substitution of words, a trial lawyer, instead of the name of the attorney, Wm. C. Orr, be granted.

The matter of the fund being raised by the State of Kentucky Daughters of the American Revolution and the Mary Desha Memorial Chapter of New York for a monument to Miss Mary Desha was brought to the attention of the Board by the President General in the hope that the National Society might feel that it would wish to be associated in erecting this monument, and on motion of Mrs. Moody, seconded by Mrs. Gedney, it was carried, that fifty dollars be donated by the National Society toward a monument in memory of Miss Mary Desha.

The following statement was presented from the Treasurer General:

The sum of $2,897.00 for the Connecticut Bond came at the end of March without a list of donors. This list has since been furnished, and the State regent of Connecticut is desirous that it be printed.

I therefore ask that it appear in the next issue of the Magazine.

OLIVE POWELL RANSDELL,
Treasurer General.

The Board unanimously agreed that the list should be printed as requested.

The report of the Auditing Committee was next read by Mrs. Greenawalt.

Report of Auditing Committee.

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

I have the honor to report that the Auditing Committee has examined carefully the reports of the National Accounting Co. for the months of April and May, 1915, and find that all monies deposited in the different funds of the Society are duly accounted for, and that the Petty Cash Fund, as well as the money received in the Business Office and turned over to the Treasurer General, has been properly entered and found to agree with records kept.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. Frank Foster) MAUD L. GREENAWALT,
Chairman Auditing Committee.

The acceptance of the report of the Auditing Committee was moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Sternberg, and carried.

A recommendation from the Memorial Continental Hall Committee to the Board that the Treasurer General be authorized to pay the interest on the purchase of land notes was carried on motion of Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Miss Barlow.

A matter was presented from a chapter which had to do with a gift of land, which, through some error in drawing of the deed, was made to the National Society instead of to the chapter as intended. The chapter now asked that the Society give a quit claim deed in order that the title to the land might be legally vested in the chapter. Moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Greenawalt, and carried, that the quit claim deed desired by the Stephen Read Chapter be granted.
The question of the appropriation for the work of the National Charity Officer was then discussed, and on motion of Miss Crowell, seconded by Mrs. Fisher, it was carried, that the National Charity Officer be allowed $100 for the installing of her work.

The report of the Editor of the Lineage Book was read by the Recording Secretary General, as follows:

Report of Editor Lineage Book.

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

The Forty-first Volume of the Lineage Book is progressing rapidly and if I meet with no obstacles I can send it to the printer in the early fall. One can never calculate time in research work, but there is a satisfaction in feeling, when finished, that I have exhausted everything possible to prove the records correct, in these volumes.

With this report of progress I send a bound volume of pensions, copied from the originals at the United States Pension Office by myself, made to corroborate proof of service in the last two Lineage Books. Two hundred have been compiled in the volume, copied by Miss Weedon and bound for the Library. It is the tenth volume the Historian's Department has contributed to the Library.

Very truly yours,

SARAH HALL JOHNSON,
Editor of the Lineage Book.

The bound volume of pensions was accepted by the Librarian General with thanks, and the acceptance of the report of the Editor of the Lineage Book was moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Greenawalt, and carried.

The President General stated that Mrs. Draper desired to present two very short reports, and it was moved by Mrs. Gedney, seconded by Miss Crowell, and carried, that Mrs. Draper be permitted to appear before the Board.

While waiting for Mrs. Draper, the Recording Secretary General presented the following communications from the National Chairman of Patriotic Education Committee, and from Mrs. Ammon, Chairman Department of Patriotic Education, Pittsburgh Chapter.

Madam President General and National Board of Management:

I take pleasure in presenting the names of three young ladies for the Alice Bristol scholarship, and two for the Alice Thurston scholarship.

I am sending the names on another sheet. All of the young ladies are well recommended, so I would suggest that if it pleases the National Board to approve of these names, the scholarships can be given to the young ladies applying first.

Respectfully yours,

MRS. JAMES G. DUNNING,
Chairman.

Applicants for the Alice Bristol Scholarship.


Applicants for Alice Thurston Scholarship.

1. Deone Grenelle, Hampton, Iowa. Graduate of Hampton High School. Recommended by F. A. Welch, Superintendent of Schools; Rev. James Thompson, First Congregational Church; Regent Candle-Stick Chapter.


June 11, 1915.

Recording Secretary General,
National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, Washington, D. C.

Dear Madam:

I herewith enclose a letter received today, from Miss Alice M. Thurston, of the Thurston Preparatory School, Pittsburgh. The letter contains a statement from Miss Thurston relative to the Thurston Scholarship. Kindly read the letter to the National Board of Management at the regular meeting of that body scheduled to meet on Wednesday, June 16th, next.

In connection with the Thurston Scholarship permit me to say that Miss Thurston has been much pleased with the student awarded the scholarship last year, and who graduated from the Thurston School last week, Miss Mary Pelton, of Burg Hill, Ohio. Miss Thurston and her instructors...
have complimented Miss Pelton in the highest terms, both as a student and as a charming companion, Miss Thurston expressing the wish that she could have Miss Pelton in her school for a second year.

Very truly yours,
Edith Darlington Ammon,
Third vice-regent, Pittsburgh Chapter;
Chairman Department of Patriotic Education, Pittsburgh Chapter, D. A. E.

June 11, 1915.

My dear Mrs. Ammon:

During the past two years we have had two students in our school who have entered through the Thurston Scholarship. The first year this Scholarship was offered through The Daughters of the American Revolution of Pennsylvania, the second year through the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution.

Both students have been most satisfactory and it has been a great pleasure to have such girls in the school, representing the Daughters of the American Revolution.

We desire to award this scholarship again, for the school year of 1915 and 1916, to a candidate recommended by you and who fills all the requirements for admission.

This annual scholarship I shall not offer for the year 1916 and 1917, but it may be my pleasure to offer it again at some future time.

Thanking you for your co-operation with the school through this annual scholarship and for thus furthering the cause of education, I am,

Most cordially yours,

Alice M. Thurston.

Moved by Mrs. Longley, seconded by Mrs. Sternberg, and carried, that the National Board, Daughters of the American Revolution, approve the young ladies mentioned by Mrs. Dunning for scholarships in schools, and beg her to find some other scholarships in schools for the remaining young ladies.

Mrs. Draper stated that while she was away after the Congress she had had occasion to go to the office of the New Jersey Historical Society, and found that some man, with a number of employees, had gone over every reference to the name of Philips and Phillips in the records at Trenton and in the county seats of Hunterdon and Morris counties, from the earliest times up to the year 1850, and had presented the result of the work to the New Jersey Historical Society, the librarian of which had kindly permitted her to copy everything, and, while it had been a great deal of labor, she was proud to offer it through the Librarian General to the National Society. The acceptance of the gift of New Jersey records by Mrs. Amos G. Draper, with thanks, was moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Lockwood, and carried.

Mrs. Draper then read the following:

"Owing to the fact that I left town immediately after the Continental Congress I was unable to present at the last Board meeting my reports as Chairman of the Emergency Committee of the Continental Congress and as Genealogical Editor, but hope that it is not too late to present them now, inasmuch as the resolution that was carried that all unfinished business should be referred to the Board did not mention specifically the Board meeting of April 26th."

Madam President General and Members of the National Board:

As Chairman of the Emergency Committee of the Continental Congress, created by the President General, April 12th, I have the honor to report that I immediately engaged a clerk, who entered upon her duties Thursday morning, April 15th. Her duties consisted in answering the telephone from ten to fifty times an hour, typing reports for the Chairmen of Finance, Auditing and various other Congressional Committees, and State regents, filing cards, taking subscriptions to the Magazine, and in general performing those duties which amount to very little in the telling, but without which many of the members of the Congress would have been seriously annoyed.

Your Chairman has the honor to report that she feels that she climbed more flights of stairs and went in and out of the Continental Congress in response to calls more often than any other Chairman of her age and size.

Respectfully submitted,

Bell Merrill Draper, Chairman.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board:

The Genealogical Editor has the great pleasure to report that during the year 1914-1915 more space was given to the Genealogical Department than in any previous year. Letters have been received not only from Daughters of the American Revolution, but from members of other patriotic societies and also from librarians throughout the country expressing interest and pleasure in the contents of the Department.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the various individuals, one and all, who have so kindly responded to the request for assistance and have sent answers to queries, many of which would not have been answered otherwise, as the information forwarded was obtained from family Bibles or other manuscript material inaccessible to the general public.

Several contributions have been received and others promised which lead me to hope that the
The Department will be even more valuable the coming year than any of the preceding ones.

Respectfully submitted,

BELL MERRILL DRAPER,
Genealogical Editor.

The acceptance of the report of the Genealogical Editor was moved by Mrs. Hall, seconded by Mrs. Moody, and carried.

The President General reported the receipt of funds from the Hospitality Committee of the 24th Congress, making in all $96.05, as a clear gift from the Banquet Committee to be used toward the liquidation of the debt on the Hall. Moved by Mrs. Gedney, seconded by Mrs. Fisher, and carried, that the thanks of this Board be sent to the Chairman and members of the banquet committee of the 24th Congress.

The Recording Secretary General read the following communication from the Chairman of Transportation Committee.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board:

Since the close of Congress the Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Edwin F. Parham, who has taken charge of the Official Tour starting from Washington, has deemed it advisable to change the route, which had been arranged to pass through New Orleans and Texas, to San Francisco, to one going through Memphis and thence to Denver, where it will follow the train from New York to the Exposition.

As people do not care for the Southern route during the summer, I would recommend that the change be permitted, so that the Southern Daughters and friends will join us—and trust that the National Board will approve this route.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEONORA G. GOLDSBOROUGH,
(Mrs. Charles B.) Chairman.

Lv. Washington, D. C., 4:10 a. m., Sept. 2, Thursday; So. Ry. No. 25; Ar. Memphis, Tenn., 8:00 a. m., Sept. 3, Friday, via Bristol, Knoxville and Chattanooga.

Auto Trip.

Lv. Memphis, 8:00 p. m., Sept. 3, Friday, Frisco Lines; Ar. Kansas City, 10:20 a. m., Sept. 4, Saturday.


Auto Trip.


Auto trip, Garden of Gods, Manitou, next morning.

Lv. Colorado Springs, 10:55 a. m., Sept. 6, Monday; Ar. Salt Lake City, 12:01 noon, Sept. 7, Tuesday (Royal Gorge Route).

Auto trip.*

Lv. Salt Lake City, evening, Sept. 7th, for four days trip, Yellowstone Park.*

*If accommodations can be procured at this late date.

Lv. Ogden, Utah, 6:30 a. m., Sept. 12th, Sunday; Ar. San Francisco, 9:30 a. m., Sept. 13th, Monday.

Sept. 13, 14, 15 and 16 at San Francisco. Hotels and meals not furnished.

Lv. San Francisco, 8:10 a. m., Sept. 17, Friday; Ar. Big Trees, 11:04 a. m., Sept. 17, Friday.

Lv. Big Trees, 2:03 p. m., Sept. 17, Friday; Ar. Santa Cruz, 2:25 p. m., Sept. 17, Friday.

Auto trip Shore Drive.

Lv. Santa Cruz, 3:35 p. m., Sept. 17, or 11:25 a. m., Sept. 18; Ar. Del Monte, 6:15 p. m., Sept. 17, or 1:43 p. m., Sept. 18.

Auto seventeen mile drive.

Lv. Del Monte, 7:02 p. m., Sept. 18, Saturday; Ar. Los Angeles, 7:45 a. m., Sept. 19, Sunday.

Hotel Clark (Room only), Sept. 19, 20, 21.

Lv. Los Angeles, 11:59 p. m., Sept. 21, Tuesday; Ar. San Diego, 5:40 a. m., Sept. 22, Wednesday.

Day at San Diego. Exposition and Auto Trip.

Lv. San Diego, 2:00 a. m., Sept. 23, Thursday, (car open at 10:00 p. m.); Ar. Los Angeles, 7:15 a. m., Sept. 23, Thursday.

Lv. Los Angeles, 8:55 a. m., Sept. 23, Thursday; Ar. Riverside, 1:25 p. m., Sept. 23, Thursday.

Auto Trip Magnolia and Victoria Ave., Rubidoux Heights.

Lv. Riverside, 4:45 p. m., Sept. 23, Thursday; Ar. El Paso, 4:30 p. m., Sept. 24, Friday.

*Trip to Juarez, Mexico.

*I have directed the trip to Juarez, Mexico, be omitted, as, owing to disturbances there, we may find difficulties.

Lv. El Paso, 8:55 a. m., Sept. 25, Saturday; Ar. New Orleans, 8:50 p. m., Sept. 26, Sunday.

Two Auto Trips. Uptown and French Quarter. Monday, Sept. 27.


Cost of tour, one person, lower berth, $275.00; one person, upper berth, $265.00.

Madam President General and Ladies of the National Board:

Since sending in my report, the information has come to me that every reservation in Yellowstone Park has been engaged for several months on the dates put down in the itinerary of the train (D. A. R.) starting from Washington for California. So that there may be no misunderstanding about it, I am adding this
to my report, deeply regretting that this is the case.

Respectfully submitted,
ELEONORA G. GOLDSBOROUGH,
(MRS. CHARLES G. GOLDSBOROUGH),
Chairman.

Moved by Mrs. Boyle, seconded by Miss Pierce, and carried, that the recommendation of the Chairman of the Transportation Committee be approved.

The President General referred to the plans of the National Americanization Day Committee and asked if the Board would accord their approval to the movement, which was receiving the endorsement and cooperation of a great number of patriotic bodies. Moved by Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Miss Wallace, and carried, that we give our moral support to the Americanization Day Committee.

Mrs. Boyle read the following letter which she had written to the Caldwell Company and their reply thereto:

May 28, 1915.

J. E. Caldwell and Company,
My Dear Sirs:

Will you kindly furnish me at your earliest convenience an estimate of the price you could make our regular spinning wheel design in “D. A. R.” Spoon for, I want it done in the style of the short turned under at the end handle used by small children.

In my Chapter are many “Mothers and Daughters,” the daughters are many of them married now, and are now presenting us with quite a collection of “first babies.”

We have been as a Chapter presenting them with different miscellaneous gifts, and the thought has just come to me to have some definite and distinct gift to give, sent to boy and girl just alike, where the mother is a “Daughter” and the child not old enough to be as yet a little “C. A. R.”

I would have been only too glad to have presented my little granddaughter with such a spoon, and short handled fork, also, for that matter, when instead I had to buy her awkward long handled ones, she will not be able to use for several years.

We have several “first babies” who are on the “waiting list” for a present until I can hear from you, I will present the matter at the June National Board Meeting, and feel quite sure I can get permission to have them made in that style, if I have a satisfactory letter from you to present to the Board.

I feel it would fill a long felt want, to have some definite thing for chapters to be able to give, and also for fond mothers and doting grandmothers to take home from our Congresses and State Conferences to our cherished young embryo “sons” and “daughters” for one is often quite at her “wits ends” to know what to take these young specimens that would be a pretty souvenir, both ornamental and useful for very little men and women.

Sincerely yours,

ABBIE WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,
(MRS. WILLIAM C.),
Recording Secretary General.

P. S.—Do you think the handle of Memorial Continental Hall with the eagle on it would be more appropriate for boys? I know my grandson would like the eagle better than the spinning lady.

June 8th, 1915.

MRS. WM. C. BOYLE,
c/o Leader-News Building,
Cleveland, O.

Madam:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of May 28th, which arrived here this morning.

The question of the curved handle spoons for First Babies seems to us one worthy of considerable thought and care. It would, of course, be possible to turn back the handles of either of the regular spoons to make a curved handle spoon for a child’s use. This method has been used on regular patterns of teaspoons. It is, however, not the best kind, by any means.

To make the spoon properly, dies would have to be cut which would show the broadest and most important part of the handle in the front, before the turn is made. The back part of the handle is usually made narrower to where it joins at the base of the bowl.

It will require a little time to work this matter out in detail, and making the designs, but we will take the matter up at once and find out the best method of handling it. It will not be possible to quote prices until we have gone into it thoroughly. As soon as the designs and estimates are ready we will send them to you.

Thanking you for the inquiry, and assuring you of our best efforts, we remain,

Very truly yours,

J. E. CALDWELL & Co.

After some discussion as to whether the Caldwell Company would allow the same royalty as on the D. A. R. spoons, it was moved by Miss Crowell, seconded by Mrs. Buel, and carried, that Caldwell & Company be authorized to include in the official spoons of the Society one with a curved handle suitable for children, provided that there be some profit to the National Society from the sale thereof.

The President General referred to a letter received by her with regard to the historical drama, “The Blue Lights of Cape Fear,” presented by the author, Mrs. Belle Bushnell, to the National Society, in which a request was made that all of the Chapter Regents be notified to bring the matter before their local
Chapters, with the suggestion that each Chapter purchase a number of the books for use in presenting the play. The feeling was expressed that the National Society could not assume any financial responsibility, and the Recording Secretary General was instructed to write the parties concerned that the National Society would be very glad to cooperate in spreading the knowledge of the book, and, as far as possible, induce the members to purchase it, but the Society was not in a position to assume any financial responsibility or do anything that would incur an outlay.

Referring to the work of the General Council of Women presented in a letter from Mrs. Philip N. Moore, the President General stated that of course it was the understanding that the Society could not affiliate officially as a body, but that the Board might express an interest in the work and cooperate as far as the laws permitted in the big movement of the organization of women. Moved by Miss Crowell, seconded by Mrs. Buel, carried, that as far as the laws will permit the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, express its approval of the movement and agree to cooperate with the National Council of American Women.

The President General presented a letter from Anna E. Chaires referring to a picture by Auguste Couder of "The Surrender of Yorktown," the original of which is in the National Museum, at Versailles, and making a formal offer, at a price to be stipulated later, of this picture to the Daughters of the American Revolution. The statement was made in this letter that it had come to the knowledge of the writer that a committee had been appointed by the Manhattan Chapter to take steps toward raising the money for the purchase of this picture, if it met with official approval, by soliciting small contributions from the various chapters of the different states.

The question of the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the National Society was brought up by Mrs. Lockwood with the suggestion that the October meeting of the Board be held the week of the 11th, in order that as many as possible of the State Regents and National Officers might be present. The President General pointed out that at the April 26th meeting the Board had voted to meet the third week in October and that time appointed for the consideration of the case which was to come before the Board. Many suggestions were made as to the chapters observing the silver anniversary by appropriate exercises, and that a notice be sent to each State Regent to observe the day, she to send out to all the chapters in her state suggestions and plans; and after some further discussion it was moved by Miss Pierce, seconded by Mrs. Fisher, and carried, that the attention of the chairman of the 'Silver Shower' Committee be called to the 25th anniversary, "Silver Wedding," on October 11, 1915, of the organization of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and suggestion offered that a silver offering be asked for. It was further moved by Mrs. Gedney, seconded by Mrs. Moody, and carried, that the regular October meeting of the National Board be held the week of the 25th anniversary of the Society, provided the change in time is satisfactory to those who will appear with reference to the Syracuse matter.

The President General announced that the necessary changes prohibiting the admission of descendants of polygamous marriages, authorized by Congress and by the Board, having been submitted to the attorney, had been made in the application blanks.

On motion of Mrs. Greenawalt, seconded by Mrs. Gedney, it was carried, that this Board express its interest in the Dixie trail, that has to do with the Boone trail.

The President General stated that she had turned over to the Recording Secretary General a letter from Mrs. Louise J. Barney having to do with the preservation of the Island of Jamestown, and a picture and clippings about the house presented by the Daughters to the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities in 1907. The Recording Secretary General was instructed to write Mrs. Barney that the Society was not in a position to give financial aid to the undertaking, but that it was interested and wished them every success.

The movement in defense of the preparedness of this nation was touched upon by the President General, who stated that she would ask the Board to authorize the Executive Committee to act in case an appeal came to the National Society, and on motion of Mrs. Greenawalt, seconded by Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Sternberg, it was carried, that in the case of an appeal in regard to the moral support of this Society in reference to the preparedness of our nation be submitted to the Executive Committee for action.

The motions as passed were read and approved as the minutes of the meeting.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 9:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

ABBIE WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,
(MRS. WILLIAM C.)

Recording Secretary General.
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My dear Madam State Regent and Fellow Members:

The National Society Daughters of the American Revolution is about to celebrate the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of its organization.

The Society will also for the first time hold a National Conference in California, to which all members are cordially invited. For these two important events I ask your personal interest and co-operation. Knowing well that the Organization is very dear to you I am confident that you will esteem it a privilege to do all you can to make these two great occasions ones of real value and interest.

I feel sure, with a faith born of experience, that you will respond, as a member, personally, and as a State, a valued, component part of a great and splendid whole—respond with that enthusiasm which has characterized your past efforts.

October eleventh a celebration of the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of the birth of the Society will be held in our headquarters, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

My own preference as to the form of celebration would be for one that would leave a lasting benefit to our beloved Society. With this end in view, the "Silver shower" Committee, Mrs. Charles B. Nelson, Chairman, Winchester, Ky., will ask for donations on this "Silver Anniversary," to pay the debt on our Hall.

You will not feel that you are giving endlessly to a cause that might be allowed to lag and lapse, for you will consider what a great object this call for donations represents. It means the freeing of our beloved Hall from a mortgage which has for years hung upon it, but which is gradually being lifted by your worthy efforts,—it means that your Monument to your Ancestors will be paid for,—it means that the thousands of dollars, now paid out in interest each year, may be applied to advancing the great
work of the Society,—that we are much nearer to the fulfil-
ment of our dream to acquire all the land adjacent to our
Hall, which, for self-protection we must own,—it means
that we are that much nearer to building adequate office
rooms and possibly increasing the capacity of our Audi-
torium. It is deplorable that our members are frequently
unable to find adequate seating capacity when they travel
far to attend our Congress.

Dear members, I beg that you will respond to the call
for a donation to mark this Twenty-fifth Anniversary.

A program will be arranged for exercises in our Hall
which will be unique, beautiful and worthy of this most
important occasion.

A number of distinguished guests will attend, try to
be present and to have a large delegation from your State.

If possible, the date of the meeting of the National Board
of Management will be made near that of the celebration,
in order that the members may attend both meetings while
in Washington.

The Committee in charge of arrangements will advise
you, either through the Publicity Committee, by the papers
or by personal announcement, as to the form of celebration,
I am addressing you now to ask you to make your arrange-
ments to be present and to respond to these important oc-
casions.

You have received from our Chairman of Transporta-
tion, Mrs. Charles B. Goldsborough, 600 West 113th Street,
New York City, the literature which gives you the neces-
sary information regarding the coming Conference the Na-
tional Society has voted to hold in San Francisco, September
14th next, but if you desire further details write to her at
once and she will give you every particular.

I hope you will realize that to go with our members
and their friends on this official trip is really a great op-
portunity and privilege. There will be much to appeal
to you of very unusual interest, but in my estimation, the
greatest feature of this unique trip is the uniting influence
that one must experience from a visit to the home States of
our members and the personal acquaintance that one may
be privileged to make with members who are never able
to visit our National Headquarters or attend our Contin-
ental Congresses.

We very well know the generous, open-hearted Daugh-
ters of the South and West, and it is the personal meeting
with these splendid women that will particularly appeal
to their Eastern and New England sisters.

No Organization in the world should hold so close this
precious tie of fellow membership as we, the Daughters of
the Patriots, who united in a great cause so long ago. This
is a great and beautiful opportunity to strengthen this tie,
my Daughters.

The Conference will not be a delegated body, but a gath-
ering of members, and the character of the program will
be determined by the response I receive to this appeal to
you to attend.

I hope each State Regent will make a personal effort
to be present and to insure the attendance of a large repre-
sentation from her State, and will write me what part in
the program she would like her State to have. I will be
very glad to make our plans meet her desire as far as it is
possible to do so.

With the hope that I may meet you on these two oc-
casions, which are so important in the history of our Society,
and that you will express by your presence the interest that
I know you feel, I am,

Faithfully Yours,

Daisy Allen Story,
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