MINUTES
NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

SPECIAL MEETING
February 1, 1938

REGULAR MEETING
February 2, 1938
INDEX

Report of Registrar General .................................................. 3
Report of Organizing Secretary General .................................. 3
Report of President General .................................................. 5
Report of Chaplain General ................................................... 10
Report of Recording Secretary General ................................... 10
Report of Corresponding Secretary General ............................... 10
Report of Treasurer General .................................................. 11
Report of Finance Committee .................................................. 16
Report of Auditing Committee ............................................... 16
Report of Registrar General ................................................... 16
Report of Organizing Secretary General ................................... 16
Report of Historian General ................................................... 16
Report of Librarian General ................................................... 17
Report of Acting Chairman of D. A. R. Museum ......................... 21
Report of Buildings and Grounds Committee .............................. 25
Report on Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasssee D. A. R. Schools ....... 26
Supplemental Report of Registrar General ................................. 27
THE Special meeting of the National Board of Management was called to order by the President General, Mrs. William A. Becker, in the Board Room, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C., on Tuesday, February 1, 1938, at 12 noon.


The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was given.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmadge, called the roll, the following members being present: National Officers: Mrs. Becker, Miss Street, Mrs. Dick, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Talmadge, Mrs. Keesee, Mrs. Pouch, Mrs. Robert, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Goodhue. State Regents: Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Latimer, Mrs. Haig, Mrs. Zimmerman, Mrs. Schlosser, Mrs. Binford, Mrs. Nason, Mrs. Geagley, Mrs. Hoskins, Mrs. Clapp, Mrs. Heaume, Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. McClarith, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Rowbotham, Mrs. French, Miss Johnson. State Vice Regent: Mrs. Cudworth.

The Treasurer General, Mrs. Robert, moved that 264 former members be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Haig. Carried.

The Registrar General, Mrs. Spencer, read her report.

**Report of Registrar General**

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

I have the honor to report 1,160 applications presented to the Board.

**LUE REYNOLDS SPENCER,**

Registrar General, N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Spencer moved that the 1,160 applicants whose records have been verified by the Registrar General be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. Goodhue. Carried.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Pouch, read her report.

**Report of Organizing Secretary General**

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

It gives me pleasure to report as follows:

The State Regent of Michigan requests a Chapter authorized at Grosse Pointe Park.

The Organizing Regency of Mrs. Eva Wigent Lowe at Mullen, Nebraska, has expired by time limitation.

The authorization of the Chapter at Freeburg, Illinois, has expired by time limitation.

The members of the Philip Perry Chapter, with the approval of their State Regent, requests permission to change the location from Titusville to Cocoa, Florida.

The Palo Alto Chapter at Stanford University, with the approval of the State Regent of California, requests permission to add the prefix El to the name, to make it more distinctly Spanish.

The following Chapters through their State Regents have requested official disbandment:

- Rockford Pilgrims at Rockford and Vinton at Vinton, Iowa.
- Polly Carroll at Palmyra, Missouri.
- Lone Oak at Latta, South Carolina.
- The Betsy Wright Chapter of Newport, Washington, was automatically disbanded for having been below the legal number for over one year.

The following Chapters have met all requirements according to our National By-laws and are now presented for confirmation:

- Cochise, Douglas, Arizona.
- Peter Meyer, Assumption, Illinois.
- Dr. Elisha Dick, Alexandria, Virginia.

**HELENA R. POUCH,**

Organizing Secretary General, N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Pouch moved the acceptance of the Organizing Secretary General’s report. Seconded by Mrs. Goodhue. Carried.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmadge, read the minutes of February 1, 1938, meeting which were approved as read.

Adjournment was taken at 12:20 p.m.

**MAY ERWIN TALMADGE,**

Recording Secretary General, N. S. D. A. R.

[3]
M I N U T E S
NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
REGULAR MEETING

February 2, 1938.

T H E regular meeting of the National Board of Management was called to order by the President General, Mrs. William A. Becker, in the Board Room, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, February 2, 1938, at 9:30 a.m.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. E. Thomas Boyd, quoted “The Empty Cup” and offered prayer.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was given.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Julius Young Talmadge, called the roll, the following members being recorded as present: National Officers: Mrs. Becker, Miss Street, Mrs. Dick, Mrs. Belk, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Talmadge, Mrs. Keesee, Mrs. Pouch, Mrs. Robert, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Goodhue; State Regents: Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Latimer, Mrs. Williams (Del.), Mrs. Haig, Mrs. Zimmerman, Mrs. Schlosser, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Binford, Mrs. Blakeslee, Mrs. Nason, Mrs. Geagley, Mrs. Chiles, Mrs. Hoskins, Mrs. Perkins, (Acting), Mrs. Clapp, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Heaume, Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. McCrillis, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Smith (Tenn.), Mrs. Rowbotham, Mrs. French, Miss Johnson; State Vice Regents: Mrs. Cudworth, Mrs. Brandage.

The President General, Mrs. William A. Becker, read her report.

Report of President General

Members of the National Board of Management:

Navy Day, 1937, at the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, will long stand out in D. A. R. history. The story has been told in verse and picture in the December issue of the D. A. R. Magazine, and Dahlgren Hall has been transformed by the beauty and color of the flags of our Union, presented by the State Societies of our organization. Luncheon as guests of Admiral and Mrs. Sellers in their spacious home was a delightful occasion. The graciousness and the joy of Admiral Sellers as he entertained the National Officers and State Regents found expression in his words while viewing the presentation: “This is the realization of a dream. I am very grateful for the opportunity to place the flags over the United States, and the water tower is the results of contributions from Daughters all over the United States, and the water tower is the gift of Mr. Harper D. Sheppard of Hanover, Pennsylvania, husband of our Pennsylvania State Regent. Joy was in our hearts and a friendly spirit pervaded all the days. Justly proud of these accomplishments was our National Chairman, Miss Katharine Matthies, as she presented the fruit of her labors and we saw the happy faces of those who will be happy because of our gifts. This story, too, appears in the December Magazine, so it is unnecessary to elaborate here.

At the home of Mrs. James Alonzo Groves at Albemarle, North Carolina, the Yadkin River Patriots Chapter and its C. A. R. Society entertained most delightfully. Beaten biscuits and ham, with a cup of tea, refreshed us in true southern style, and we motored on to Charlotte to be the house guests of Mrs. William Henry Belk, Vice President General. From a delightful Hallowe’en dinner, your President General and Mrs. William H. Pouch, National Director of our Junior Membership Committee, attended a Junior meeting at the home of Miss Deane Van Landingham of Charlotte, where a group of twenty young women were gathered, eager to tell of their work and to receive inspiration for further achievement. It is always a special privilege to meet with our young women and to realize the future of our great Society.

From Tamassee’s impressive exercises, we motored to Athens, Georgia, for a visit in the charming home of our Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge. We found the local Chapter, the Elijah Clarke, waiting to welcome us. Under the leadership of the Regent, Mrs. Joel A. Wier, a log cabin had been artistically decorated with autumn leaves and pumpkins, and a tempting barbecue supper prepared. This was truly a happy and delightful occasion.

Mrs. Talmadge entertained her guests at a bridge-club breakfast, when fried chicken, sausage and waffles tempted the appetite.

In Atlanta, a delicious luncheon awaited us at the Atlanta Club, with Mrs. William H. High tower a most gracious hostess. The pleasure of the occasion was heightened by reunion with old and loyal friends.

We travelled on to Chattanooga, where a round of social events had been planned. Mesdames Talmadge, Belk, Murray, Miss Matthies and your President General were house guests of Mrs. Willard Steele, while others of the party, namely: Mesdames Pouch, Goodhue, Wismer, Sheppard, Whittaker, Messenger, Strawn, Averill, Heaume, Forney, Schlosser, Sisson, Baughman, Haig,
Creyke, Strong, Middleton, Miss Mullins and Miss Farwell, either visited friends in the city or were guests at the hotel.

We attended the dinner closing the annual State Convention of the Tennessee Sons of the American Revolution held, as usual, in commemoration of the Battle of King's Mountain. Mr. Thomas Myers, President of the John Sevier Chapter, presided, and gave the address of welcome. Dr. Mims, internationally known as an au- thor and lecturer, was the speaker of the evening, drawing a parallel between the history of England immediately following the French Revolution and the dictatorship of Napoleon and the present events on the American scene.

Among the delightful social occasions in this hospitable southern city were an informal buffet supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Erwin; another buffet supper at which Mr. and Mrs. James Gager were hosts; and a luncheon at the Kosmos Woman's Club, of which our hostess, Mrs. Steele, is President.

A visit to Maryville College took Miss Matthies and your President General over highways and across glorious mountains radiant with autumn glow. A warm reception awaited us. It was a pleasure to view the buildings at this lovely place; to see the student body at luncheon and in the class room; to learn from Miss Clemmie J. Henry, the Director of the College, more in detail of the rotating student loan fund, which has worked so advantageously for student as well as for college; and to be entertained at luncheon by the Mary Blount Chapter in the home of the College President and Mrs. Lloyd.

Lincoln Memorial University was our next objective, and here we were the house guests of Dr. and Mrs. Stewart W. McClelland. Your President General had the privilege of addressing these sturdy mountain boys and girls, who are privileged to work for their education. We were happy to see six of our former Tamaseee girls and to have an opportunity to meet the professors and their wives. At an luncheon tendered us by President and Mrs. McClelland. How often the refrain ran, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help." These sturdy youths of the mountains do gain physical, mental and spiritual strength from the hills.

The return to Washington, skirting the Great Smokies and across the Skyline Drive, was one never to be forgotten for its awe-inspiring beauty and manifestation of the Maker's handiwork. We paused at the Blue Ridge Industrial School and saw the students at work, and bowed our heads and hearts in gratitude in the chapel recently built of native stone by the boys of the mountains. The Reverend George Mayo and his wife have lived among these mountains for over thirty years, serving with missionary zeal, with faith and dauntless courage. The results of their faith are evidenced in character and development of a splendid work.

The Mistress Mary Williams Chapter of East Orange, New Jersey, Miss Elizabeth R. Van Nest, Regent, gave a delightful reception to its friends on Tuesday, November 16. They came from far and near to greet this enthusiastic group of young women, whose spirit is contagious and whose accomplishments are outstanding.

On November 22, the Liberty Bell Chapter of Allentown, Pennsylvania, entertained at an elaborate luncheon at the Lehigh Country Club. Your President General was the guest of honor. Sixty chapter members and regents from neighboring chapters attended this truly beautiful function. Tables decorated with chrysanthemums and aspiragulus were formed around a center fountain which was banked with ferns, gorgeous plants and flowers. Mrs. Charles R. Harned, the gracious Regent of the Chapter, presented the special guests. These were Mrs. Joseph G. Forney, National Chairman of D. A. R. Student Loan Fund Committee, Miss Emily Schall, Mrs. David H. Ludlow, Regent of George Taylor Chapter, and Mrs. Sam Erwin. Mrs. Harned entertained a few guests that evening at dinner in her lovely home.

On December 2, the Garret A. Hobart Chapter of Paterson, New Jersey, Mrs. John H. Vermeulen, Regent, entertained at an elaborate luncheon in honor of National and State Officers. Held in the Alexander Hamilton Hotel, this affair was one of beauty and goodwill. Corsages of red and white roses were given to each honor guest, and a red rose to each of the 20 or more winning chapter regents. It was good to greet again New Jersey's Good Citizenship Pilgrim, Miss Margaret Baikie, and to meet many gracious, charming friends. It had been my privilege while State Treasurer of New Jersey, to attend the organizing meeting of this enthusiastic chapter, which, in twelve years, has grown enormously in numbers and good works. New Jersey is perhaps more fortunate than larger states in being able to bring its officers and regents together for frequent social affairs. A strong bond of fellowship and friendship results which works happily for accomplishment and growth. Chapter Guest Days become occasions looked forward to throughout the State and the Garret A. Hobart day was no exception.

December 6 brought another pleasure to your President General when he was entertained in the charming home of Mrs. Samuel B. Dove. This chapter, small in numbers, is outstanding in its successful ways of raising funds for the maintenance of its Chapter House, which is run as a tea house in spring and summer. Progressive dinners, birthday bags and sales are a challenge for activity to support this historic house and the work of the chapter.

On December 15, Bergen and Paulus Hook Chapters of Jersey City, New Jersey, entertained the National and State Officers at luncheon at the Carteret Club. This was a festive Christmas party, the tables decorated with greens and blue and white and silver. All present, too, were in a joyous mood and appreciated this generous hospitality under the direction of Mrs. George M. Culver and Mrs. William Voorhees, Regents of the hostess chapters.

On December 17, your President General visited the New Rochelle Chapter with Mrs. C. Robert Duncan, Regent. After a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Harold Gardner, we went to the
SUPPLEMENT TO NATIONAL HISTORICAL MAGAZINE

Woman’s Club where again a festive Christmas array greeted us. This meeting was particularly interesting because of the presence of heads of the C. A. R. Junior Groups and the President of the Italian group of girls being aided by the chapter in more than a material way. Eighteen Italian girls, known as the Betsy Ross Club, meet under the direction of the Junior American Citizenship and the presidency of Mrs. Alexander W. Whiteford, Regent, proved a gracious hostess, a witty toastmistress and a fairy godmother in all she showered upon us.

The New York City Chapter, Mrs. Edward C. Zabriskie, Regent, is unique in that it is the only one, within my knowledge, which celebrates the wedding day of Martha and George Washington. This delightful custom has been carried on for years, and the entire occasion is known for its spirit of dignity, grace, charm and warmth of hospitality. What a privilege was mine to attend such a gathering on Thursday, January 6. Many friends and members assembled in the Plaza, as well as distinguished men and women from various walks of life, all to pay homage to our First Gentleman and his Lady Love. After a delightful program of music and greetings, we adjourned to the tea room for a delicious collation.

On January 10, Mrs. James F. Hunter, Regent, presided at the meeting of the Mary Clap Wooster Chapter, which was attended by nearly 400. Prior to the luncheon, a reception was held in honor of the President General and the National Officers. This was truly a gala occasion, made so by the presence of our Honorary President General, Mrs. George Maynard Minor; Honorary Vice President General, Mrs. John Laidlaw Buel; Vice President General, Miss Emeline A. Street; ex-National Officer, Miss Katharine Arnold Nettle ton; the State Regent of Connecticut, Mrs. Frederick P. Latimer; and the State Board. Beautiful flowers, music and delicious food all added to the joyousness of the occasion. After a fine dinner at the home of Miss Street we went to the home of Mrs. Donald Nugent, where about 75 Juniors of the Mary Clap Wooster Chapter, of New Haven, and Juniors from Danbury, Milford, Bridgeport and Meriden, were gathered for a meeting splendidly presided over by Mrs. Latham B. Lambert, Junior Chairman. The reports of the chairmen of the various committees, and of the Junior State Chairman, Mrs. J. Harold Welch, and the able presiding of Mrs. Lambert, would put many an older group to shame. Reports were clearly given, brief and to the point, and showed thought and constructive work accomplished and planned for. It was a real inspiration to meet with these promising young women, so full of vigor and life, so eager to help and to work. Your President General is thankful for these rich opportunities, for the enthusiasm these young women give to others, and for their promise for the future of our Society and for the country.

Do, State Regents and Chapter Regents, get close to them and help them fulfill their dreams! Your President General was happy to be among those present at the French Embassy on January 11, when ceremonies were conducted in honor of Mme. Marie Curie, the great woman scientist famed for her part in the discovery of radium. Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, among other
prominent members of the Women's Field Army of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, said, in her remarks, "We are indebted to Mme. Curie not only for her great discovery, but for her great life." A specially bound volume of the recent biography of Mme. Curie was presented to Mr. Jules Henry, Minister Plenipotentiary of France, by Mrs. Marjorie B. Illig, of Massachusetts, National Commissioner of the American Society for the Control of Cancer. Mme. Curie's contribution to human conservation is one worthy of our utmost gratitude.

On January 11, your President General attended the Judiciary Reception at the White House. This was a brilliant occasion, honoring members of the United States Supreme Court and officials of the Department of Justice.

The Richmond County Chapter, of which Mrs. Willard A. Boyd is Regent, was hostess to the President General on January 14. Mrs. Pouch, a member of this chapter and hostess for the day, entertained a small group at luncheon at the Richmond County Club House, after which the meeting was held. Among the guests were the acting State Regent of New Jersey, Mrs. J. Warren Silver, a number of State Chairmen and Regents of neighboring chapters and one hundred chapter members, all of whom enjoyed a delightful program which demonstrated the work of the C. A. R. and the Juniors. The regents of the Staten Island chapters gave brief accounts of their chapter activities. A delightful musical program was given by members of the C. A. R. The Richmond County troop of Girl Scouts marched in and gave their Scout pledge. Such demonstrations bring us all to a fuller realization of the value of character building in the early years of life.

For the privilege of attending all of these chapter meetings I am very grateful, for the personal contact with many earnest members gives a President General something which cannot be measured in words.

January 15 found your President General on her way to South Jersey as the guest of Haddonfield Chapter. Here were gathered nearly 100 members for the 42nd Chapter Birthday Party of this outstanding chapter. The acting State Regent, Mrs. Perkins, State Officers, ex-Vice President General, Mrs. William D. Sherrerd, and Regents of six neighboring chapters, were among the honor guests. Miss Emma Middleton, Regent, presided in an inimitable way, bringing wit and pleasure to our hearts, while delightful music engendered a spirit of joy.

The Juniors of the D. A. R. and the S. A. R. of New York gave a brilliant Assembly at Pierre's on January 22, which Mr. Becker and your President General attended. This annual affair is for the benefit of the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund.

By invitation of the U. S. Commissioner of Education and the National Education Association, your President General agreed to act as a sponsor for the program in tribute to Horace Mann, which was arranged in keeping with the nation-wide observance of the Horace Mann Centennial. This program was held in Washington, D. C., as part of the plans made for American Education Week.

Even though your President General is unable to be in Washington at all times, our Society has been ably represented on various occasions. On Navy Day, October 27, Mrs. Tonnis J. Holzberg represented the National Society and laid our memorial wreath of tribute on the monument to John Paul Jones.

On Armistice Day, our Society was represented at the Tomb of America's Unknown Soldier when Mrs. Geoffrey Creyke placed the Society's memorial wreath in commemoration of America's Unknown Dead.

Our hearts were saddened when, on November 7, we learned of the passing of our Honorary Vice President General, Mrs. Eleanor Washington Howard of Alexandria, Virginia. Mrs. Howard was the last member of the Washington family born at Mt. Vernon. She was a great-grandniece of George Washington and daughter of Colonel John Augustine Washington. We mourn with Virginia in the passing of this loyal and devoted officer and member of our organization. Her funeral was held in Christ Church, Alexandria, amidst historic surroundings. Mrs. Lue Reynolds Spencer, Registrar General, represented the President General at the funeral, which was also attended by National and State Officers and a host of friends.

Just a few weeks later word came to us of the passing of another beloved Honorary Vice President General, Mrs. Alexander Ennis Patton, of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Harper Donelson Sheppard, State Regent, represented the President General at her funeral. We bow with grief in the loss of this fine and loyal Daughter of Pennsylvania, our own Honorary Vice President General.

It is with sorrow that the National Society records the passing of Mrs. Jonathan P. Dolliver of Fort Dodge, Iowa, our past Historian General, who entered Life Eternal December 29, 1957. Deep sympathy is extended to the State of Iowa in the passing of this fine and loyal Daughter.

After years of faithful service as one of the Clerical Staff at National Headquarters, Mrs. Hallie Chunn was retired at her own request on January 4. It is with appreciation that the National Society records this record of her work well done.

In between chapter meetings and committee meetings of special activities, routine mail and detailed writing of sketches on various phases of D. A. R. work, and especially one for the new edition of the Encyclopedia Brittanica, have filled the days and even the nights for your President General. What marvelous opportunities for service await us these days! The deep regret is that the days have not enough hours in which to do all we wish to accomplish.

It is the hope of your President General that all projects and special projects begin moving this administration be completed before April 1, 1938. They are equipped for Kate Duncan Smith School, the dairy for Lincoln Memorial University, and the furnishing of Moore House at Yorktown. The exacting work of correctly furnishing the Surrender Room of Moore House at Yorktown is proceeding steadily. Eighteenth Century antiques are costly, and yet nothing but correct pieces are to go into this room. We still need...
a few fine pieces and we hope that the States will support this national project, voted by the Congress and, if possible, complete the work in this administration.

It was an inspiration and a privilege to be among the thousand citizens who gathered at the banquet at the Willard Hotel in Washington on January 26, to pay tribute to "Washington's First Citizen," Theodore William Noyes, Editor of the Evening Star and President of the Associated Press from the time of its inception. The occasion marked this patriot's eightieth birthday and his retirement from active direction of his many activities. The assembly included representation of the fourth estate, members of Washington's official society, representatives of the diplomatic corps, and District and Federal Government, and citizens from every walk of life, as well as old and beloved friends.

Words of tribute and words of praise hailed him as "The Washingtonian who towers above them all," as a planner, as a citizen, as a patriot and as a man. Congratulatory messages were received from The President of the United States, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, the members of the Cabinet, and many groups of citizens. Among these were greetings from your National Society sent by your President General. A Book of Remembrance including all these messages was presented to the aged editor.

In his response, Mr. Noyes called for continued efforts in behalf of his native city. Speaking of Washington, he said: "Now that the city is a beautiful one, let us make it also a healthful, wise, good and above all, an American one."

The members of the Executive Committee, felt it an honor and a privilege to take special notice of the Golden Wedding Anniversary of our Curator General, Mrs. Robert J. Reed, in November. An event such as this celebration is indeed "golden" and prayer that she will soon be restored to health and strength. It is our earnest hope of the Golden Wedding Anniversary of our Curator General, Mrs. Reed and were happy to send to her our best wishes. Dorothy Roberts, with her inexhaustible supply of "pep" and enthusiasm, has given motivating power to the movement through her contact with others. Mrs. Jeanette Jackson proved her heartfelt interest when she, being appointed the shopper for foodstuffs, appeared at the door of the Sanitary Grocery Company, in this neighborhood, at seven-thirty o'clock on Wednesday morning, displaying to the grocery clerk, through the unopened door, the length of her grocery list and explaining the importance of being admitted, since she wished delivery of her order of goods by nine a.m. at the Hall, in time to have the food baskets grouped about the tables for picture taking by a local newspaper photographer. Miss Janie Glascock, ever patient and painstaking in all things, lent her tender care to the project, giving invaluable advice and contributions to the cause. To give you some idea:

Dickie, a little blind boy, aged 8, and his sister, aged 5, received toys, a toy pipe organ which he could enjoy playing, warm gloves for each, and candy.

There was a boy, aged 14, who had been in the hospital for four months, but now released, who was supplied with sweater, other pieces of clothing, about six books of adventure, and games to keep him interested. His mother was given two pairs of new silk hose, a reconditioned dress made fresh and new-looking by careful freshening up on the part of the donor, shoes and underwear.

A boy 16 was provided with a suit, books, and the family given a bountiful basket, containing food supplies, a chicken, even including the luxury of gift bread, and freshened up rompers, blocks and stuffed toys as enumerated above.

Another girl, 14, needed only clothing, and she was supplied with a dress, a lovely pair of warm knitted gloves, brand new, and three beautifully reconditioned blouses, all looking fresh and lovely. (All reconditioned clothing was folded "starched" and tied with fancy string or ribbon to look smart and attractive. This was done by the donors themselves at their homes.)

A girl, 10, was completely outfitted, with hat, a grand reconditioned coat with nice fur collar, new gloves, three little dresses, a doll with wardrobe trunk, underwear and toys. A boy, brother aged 13, was given sweater, gloves, toys, and to the family a complete box of food as enumerated above.

Another girl, 14, needed only clothing, and she was supplied with a dress, a lovely pair of warm knitted gloves, brand new, and three beautifully reconditioned blouses, all looking fresh and lovely. (All reconditioned clothing was folded "starched" and tied with fancy string or ribbon to look smart and attractive. This was done by the donors themselves at their homes.)

A large family with four children was looked after. A boy 6, a boy 4, a girl 3 and a baby 10 months. Complete box of food was supplied, with milk for the baby, one thoughtful donor providing two cans of Gerber's Baby Food for the infant. Two baby nightgowns, brand new, two pairs of nice baby shoes, two pairs of freshened up rompers, blocks and stuffed toys
were supplied the youngest. The little boy of 4 received a new red wool knitted cap and gloves to match, with a new suit to correspond. The girl of 3 was given the pair of dolls sent by the President General, which will cause her to gasp with admiration. Sweaters were sent in this box for each child, with gloves for all ages and sizes of the family. This family too received a goodly meat supply.

All of this speaks of the love and affection which was put into this movement. Most noteworthy of all was the cash donation, approximating $35, which purchased the food baskets.

When “toys” are mentioned, it would seem the ten cent stores were combed for their most desirable and attractive games, books, etc. Never did one see such an array! There was a Shirley Temple Paper Doll set, with cardboard house, which proved enviable to all who saw it. And, to add prestige to the entire collection, there sat Charlie McCarthy (without Bergen) looking very wise, although a bit mute!

This word picture may show you what was accomplished in ten days’ time, through the efforts of willing hands and hearts.

Sincerely, AN OBSERVER.

This contribution to the spirit of good-will and service adds another pearl to the strand that twines throughout our land, binding us all in a common cause to make America the best and happiest place in which to live. Our responsibility is here. What we contribute to her life she will have to contribute to the life of the world. So let us stand shoulder to shoulder, nothing daunted by mistakes or failures, but ever pushing on together for the better life of our country.

FLORENCE HAGUE BECKER, President General, N. S. D. A. R.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. E. Thomas Boyd, read her report.

Report of Chaplain General

On November 15 I was privileged to address Zebulon Pike Chapter, Colorado Springs, on “The Return of the Pioneer.” There was a large attendance.

Arkansas Valley Chapter, Pueblo, courteously invited me to be its guest speaker at an open, evening meeting, January 8. There were both men and women present. The attendance was 175.

There has been much correspondence. The routine duties of the office have been kept up.

I was present at a regular meeting of the State Board of Management.

SAIDEE EDWARDS BOYD.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Julius Young Talmadge, read her report.

Report of Recording Secretary General

Since my last report to the Board in October, the work of the office of the Recording Secretary General has gone forward as usual.

The minutes of the Regular Board meeting in October, and the Special Board meeting in December were written for the MAGAZINE, and proof read.

Letters and resolutions, as directed by the Board, were written and forwarded to the proper persons.

The verbatim has been transcribed, indexed and bound. Rulings of these meetings have been typed and delivered to each National Officer, also typed for the Statute Book and indexed.

Notices of Board and Executive Committee meetings were sent to the members.

The minutes of meetings of the Executive Committee have been copied and sent to the members of the Committee; recopied for binding in book form and permanent record, and temporarily indexed. Rulings were copied and delivered to those offices affected.

Membership certificates numbering 2,678 have been issued to members.

I am happy to report that my office has made progress in bringing up to date back records of the National Society, which for many years have not been indexed or classified. This is tedious work and requires time and accuracy, and we are indebted to my clerk, Mrs. Berry, for this valuable work, which was in addition to her routine duties.

I should like to request the State Regents to see that official notification, or announcement, of candidates for office to be elected at the Continental Congress, be sent to my office. It is very necessary that this information be in my office, in order to have candidates properly listed.

All correspondence and requests for information have been given careful and prompt attention.

FLORENCE HAGUE BECKER, President General, N. S. D. A. R.

The Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. Charles Blackwell Keesee, read her report.

Report of Corresponding Secretary General

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

As your Corresponding Secretary General, I have the following report to submit. Since the October Board meeting supplies have been mailed to chapters and individuals as listed herewith:

Application blanks .................................................. 15,280
“How to Become a Member” leaflets .......................... 1,258
General Information leaflets .................................. 1,003
Constitution and By-laws ....................................... 353
Transfer Cards ...................................................... 1,230
“What the Daughters Do” pamphlets .......................... 3,694
Applicants’ Working Sheets .................................... 7,596
Ancestral Charts ................................................... 7,881
Miscellaneous material ........................................ 359

Orders for the D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship have been filled to the number of 109,896. The distribution according to languages follows: English, 69,250; Spanish, 2,744; Italian, 7,880; Hungarian, 940; Polish, 4,088; Yiddish, 2,427; French, 2,469; German, 2,980; Russian, 2,102; Greek, 2,519; Swedish, 1,456; Portuguese, 1,963; Lithuanian, 1,925; Norwegian, 936; Bohemian, 4,315; Armenian, 720; Finnish, 934; Japanese, 370.

The incoming and the outgoing letters numbered the same, 1,329.

OLIVIA H. S. KEESEE, Corresponding Secretary General.

The Treasurer General, Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., read her report.
Report of Treasurer General

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

I herewith submit the following report of receipts and disbursements from October 1, 1937, to December 31, 1937:

**CURRENT FUND**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Balance in bank at last report, September 30, 1937</td>
<td>$ 95,685.45</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**RECEIPTS**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Annual dues</td>
<td>$71,308.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Initiation fees</td>
<td>$9,595.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reinstatement fees</td>
<td>$410.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplemental fees</td>
<td>$1,296.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ancestors lists</td>
<td>$.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Application blanks</td>
<td>$311.94</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Certificates</td>
<td>$13.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Certificate folders</td>
<td>$80.81</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Flag booklets</td>
<td>$220.97</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Genealogical charts</td>
<td>$9.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Genealogical Extension Service</td>
<td>$556.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Handbooks</td>
<td>$212.75</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Historical papers</td>
<td>$58.47</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>History prize</td>
<td>$4.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lantern slides</td>
<td>$1,605.14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lineage index #1</td>
<td>$5.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lineage index #2</td>
<td>$5.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Magazine: subscriptions</td>
<td>$5,981.99</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Advertisements</td>
<td>$1,901.47</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Single copies</td>
<td>$223.37</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Picture</td>
<td>$.53</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Other</td>
<td>$106,384.53</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**DISBURSEMENTS**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Refunds: annual dues</td>
<td>$355.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Initiation fees</td>
<td>$90.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reinstatement fees</td>
<td>$56.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>President General: clerical service</td>
<td>$1,560.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Official expenses</td>
<td>$1,500.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$98.61</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Telephone and telegrams</td>
<td>$47.11</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$37.85</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stationery</td>
<td>$35.58</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Typewriter repairs</td>
<td>$1.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chaplain General: stationery</td>
<td>$22.98</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Typewriter repairs</td>
<td>$12.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>President General: clerical service</td>
<td>$327.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$15.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Certificates: clerical service</td>
<td>$375.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$10.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stationery</td>
<td>$5.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clerical service</td>
<td>$827.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$15.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Typewriter repairs</td>
<td>$12.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Recording Secretary General: clerical service</td>
<td>$30.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Printing</td>
<td>$44.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Engraving</td>
<td>$2.53</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$1.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Certificates: clerical service</td>
<td>$375.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$164.12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Printing</td>
<td>$44.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Engraving</td>
<td>$2.53</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$1.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Corresponding Secretary General: clerical service</td>
<td>$510.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$75.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$44.29</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Leaflets</td>
<td>$30.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stationery</td>
<td>$16.88</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Express</td>
<td>$9.06</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Registrar General: clerical service</td>
<td>$7,924.34</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Genealogical Extension Service</td>
<td>$502.55</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Records</td>
<td>$2.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lineage: clerical service</td>
<td>$425.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Vols. 157 and 158</td>
<td>$2,315.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ancestors roll</td>
<td>$.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$150.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$53.33</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Express</td>
<td>$45.67</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Historian General: clerical service</td>
<td>$291.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$10.58</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Express</td>
<td>$5.31</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Treasurer General: clerical service</td>
<td>$1,560.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Official expenses</td>
<td>$1,500.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stationery</td>
<td>$107.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$26.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Printing</td>
<td>$11.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$5.10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Librarian General: clerical service</td>
<td>$1,025.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Books</td>
<td>$22.09</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Book reviews</td>
<td>$19.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$18.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$8.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Examination of rug</td>
<td>$2.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplier</td>
<td>$19.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$11.49</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Finance—postage</td>
<td>$10.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Genealogical Records—postage and expense</td>
<td>$36.30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Girl Home Makers—reprint</td>
<td>$10.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Historical Research—postage</td>
<td>$2.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>House—postage</td>
<td>$2.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Junior American Citizens—buttons</td>
<td>$233.54</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Committees: clerical service</td>
<td>$435.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Conservation and Thrift—reprint</td>
<td>$10.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Correct Use of Flag—reprint</td>
<td>$4.40</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Credentials—supplies</td>
<td>$61.59</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$15.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Express</td>
<td>$.24</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Filing and Lending—reprints</td>
<td>$60.63</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reprints</td>
<td>$19.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$19.08</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>$11.49</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Finance—postage</td>
<td>$10.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Genealogical Records—postage and expense</td>
<td>$36.30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Girl Home Makers—reprint</td>
<td>$10.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Historical Research—postage</td>
<td>$2.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>House—postage</td>
<td>$2.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Junior American Citizens—buttons</td>
<td>$233.54</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reprints</td>
<td>$43.75</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$22.17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Express</td>
<td>$5.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Junior Membership—express</td>
<td>$.53</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Memorial C. S. H. Liaison—reprint</td>
<td>$3.75</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Motion Pictures—commission</td>
<td>$44.93</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reprint</td>
<td>$22.64</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Total Receipts | $106,384.53

Total Disbursements | $202,069.98
Expense
Buildings: services $6,473.34; landscaping $1,639.00; electric current and gas $711.57; fuel oil $707.97; supplies $421.97; repairs $331.85; apartment rent $225.00; water rent $142.45; elevator insurance $121.90; ice and towel service $53.03 $10,828.08
Printing Machine: supplies 278.74
Constitution Hall Events: services $3,537.50; rebates $150.00; care of organ $50.00; taxes $37.70; payroll tax $19.00; check room $10.00; repairs to carpet $6.50; metal signs $5.25 3,844.35
Memorial Continental Hall Events: rebate $55.50; services $37.50 93.00
Magazine: Editorial Dept.—services $1,044.65; articles $541.00; postage and supplies $42.55; stationery $37.18; stand $13.50; Genealogical Editor—salary $150.00; Subscription Dept.—clerical service $604.50; postage $66.81; supplies and telegrams $6.21; Issues $3,699.04; cuts $593.59; commissions $93.04; postage $83.50; book reviews $51.71; supplies $14.28; trip $13.00; printing $5.20; telegrams $5.07; research $5.00; pictures $3.00; refund $1.80 7,092.13
Ancestors lists: express .15
Auditing, research, and examination of ledger accounts, March, 1903 to September 30, 1937, to establish proper balance sheet accounts 1,240.00
D. A. R. Reports: express .08
Duplicate papers: refunds 3.00
Flag booklets: express 2.17
Flag codes: printing $163.84; posters $18.38; express $1.92 184.14
Handbooks: postage $80.00; express $18.25 98.25
Parliamentarian: services $250.00; express $.48; postage $10.00 260.48
Proceedings, 46th Congress 4,290.79
Rituals: printing $573.90; express $.70 574.60
State Flags, N. A. 3,173.79
State Regents: postage $334.80; stationery $618.23 953.03
Statuettes: express .72
Telegrams 4.22
Telephone: services $330.00; calls $298.58 628.58
Forty-Seventh Congress: Program Committee—letterheads and envelopes 8.25

Total Disbursements $ 63,423.24

PERMANENT FUND

Balance in bank at last report, September 30, 1937 $ 6,203.93

RECEIPTS

Constitution Hall contributions $ 1,038.98
Memorial Continental Hall contributions 40.00
Interest, Chicago and Alton R. R. Bonds 45.00

Total Receipts 1,123.98

Transfer from Current Fund 1,500.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Interest, Liberty Loan $ 1,500.00
Constitution Hall furnishings 25.00
Memorial Continental Hall furnishings 343.00

Total Disbursements 1,868.00

Balance in bank, December 31, 1937 $ 6,959.91

PETTY CASH FUND

Balance at last report, September 30, 1937 $ 800.00
Transfer from Current Fund 400.00

Balance, December 31, 1937 $ 1,200.00
### SPECIAL FUNDS

#### Life Membership

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$2,450.00</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: fees</td>
<td>300.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>$2,750.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Manual

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$9,210.26</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions $2,044.94; sale of leaflets $5.41</td>
<td>2,050.35</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: French edition $731.83; postage $600.00; messenger $135.00; supplies $127.00; express $124.93</td>
<td>1,718.76</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>9,541.85</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Approved Schools

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Approved Schools</th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>receipts</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>disbursements</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Carpenter Mountain Schools

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$1,487.63</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: interest</td>
<td>180.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>1,667.63</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Liberty Loan

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$836.13</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: interest</td>
<td>1,500.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: pensions</td>
<td>950.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>1,386.13</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Angel and Ellis Islands

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$2,555.59</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions</td>
<td>1,416.33</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: services $1,346.50; supplies $325.82; Christmas gifts $50.00; immigrant aid $50.00; postage and express $47.74; Angel Island $90.00; cotton and loom $28.65; expenses $14.20; reprints $10.25</td>
<td>1,963.16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>2,008.76</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Preservation of Historic Spots

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$665.18</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions</td>
<td>3,098.05</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements</td>
<td>3,461.23</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>301.31</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Library

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$984.52</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions</td>
<td>2.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: books</td>
<td>235.84</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>750.68</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Relief

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Balance, September 30, 1937</th>
<th>$7.55</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions</td>
<td>1.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>8.55</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### NATIONAL DEFENSE

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Balance, September 30, 1937</td>
<td>$21,100.35</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions</td>
<td>2,378.89</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sale of Medals</td>
<td>291.95</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: services</td>
<td>23,771.19</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>messenger, payroll tax,</td>
<td>1,842.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>literature, postage, supplies, expenses</td>
<td>4,820.03</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>$18,951.16</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### GOOD CITIZENSHIP PILGRIMAGE

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Balance, September 30, 1937</td>
<td>$2,856.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions</td>
<td>1,020.13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: posters</td>
<td>3,876.73</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>postage, expenses, award pins</td>
<td>236.12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>3,640.61</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### CONSERVATION AND THRIFT

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts</td>
<td>$173.80</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements</td>
<td>173.80</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### EMPLOYEES PENSION

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Balance, September 30, 1937</td>
<td>$3,564.73</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: interest</td>
<td>180.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: pensions</td>
<td>1,335.96</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>2,408.77</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### PRESS RELATIONS

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Balance, September 30, 1937</td>
<td>$2,890.04</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: contributions</td>
<td>445.97</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: services</td>
<td>3,336.01</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>postage, Digest, supplies, etc.</td>
<td>609.80</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>2,726.21</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### STUDENT LOAN

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receipts</td>
<td>$613.05</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements</td>
<td>613.05</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### RESERVE

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Balance, September 30, 1937</td>
<td>$6,690.70</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: interest</td>
<td>825.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements</td>
<td>7,515.70</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>6,084.70</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### PHILIPPINE SCHOLARSHIP

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Balance, September 30, 1937</td>
<td>$2,031.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receipts: interest</td>
<td>13.62</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disbursements: tuition</td>
<td>2,045.12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Margaret Carl</td>
<td>200.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Balance, December 31, 1937</td>
<td>1,845.12</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Total Special Funds

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>$54,071.48</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Recapitulation

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Funds</th>
<th>Bal. 9/30/37</th>
<th>Receipts</th>
<th>Disbursements</th>
<th>Bal. 12/31/37</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Current</td>
<td>$95,685.45</td>
<td>$106,384.53</td>
<td>$65,323.24</td>
<td>$136,746.74</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Permanent</td>
<td>6,203.93</td>
<td>2,623.96</td>
<td>1,868.00</td>
<td>6,959.91</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Petty Cash</td>
<td>800.00</td>
<td>400.00</td>
<td>1,200.00</td>
<td>1,200.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Life Membership</td>
<td>2,450.00</td>
<td>300.00</td>
<td>2,750.00</td>
<td>2,750.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Manual</td>
<td>9,210.26</td>
<td>15,546.91</td>
<td>9,541.85</td>
<td>9,541.85</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Approved Schools</td>
<td>1,487.63</td>
<td>180.00</td>
<td>1,667.63</td>
<td>1,667.63</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Carpenter Mt. Schools</td>
<td>836.13</td>
<td>1,500.00</td>
<td>1,386.13</td>
<td>1,386.13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Angel and Ellis Islands</td>
<td>2,555.59</td>
<td>1,416.33</td>
<td>2,008.76</td>
<td>2,008.76</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Preservation of Historic Spots</td>
<td>665.18</td>
<td>3,098.05</td>
<td>301.31</td>
<td>301.31</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Library</td>
<td>984.52</td>
<td>2.00</td>
<td>750.68</td>
<td>750.68</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Relief</td>
<td>7.55</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>8.55</td>
<td>8.55</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Defense</td>
<td>21,100.35</td>
<td>2,670.84</td>
<td>18,951.16</td>
<td>18,951.16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Good Citizenship Pilgrimage</td>
<td>2,856.60</td>
<td>1,020.13</td>
<td>3,640.61</td>
<td>3,640.61</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Conservation and Thrift</td>
<td>356.73</td>
<td>173.80</td>
<td>2,498.77</td>
<td>2,498.77</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Employees Pension</td>
<td>356.73</td>
<td>173.80</td>
<td>2,498.77</td>
<td>2,498.77</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Press Relations</td>
<td>2,890.04</td>
<td>445.97</td>
<td>2,726.21</td>
<td>2,726.21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Student Loan</td>
<td>613.05</td>
<td>613.05</td>
<td>6,084.70</td>
<td>6,084.70</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reserve</td>
<td>6,690.70</td>
<td>825.00</td>
<td>1,431.00</td>
<td>1,431.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Philippine Scholarship</td>
<td>2,031.50</td>
<td>13.62</td>
<td>1,845.12</td>
<td>1,845.12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td>$160,020.16</td>
<td>$139,447.56</td>
<td>$100,489.59</td>
<td>$198,978.13</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Disposition of Funds

- National Metropolitan Bank: $197,778.13
- Petty Cash in Office of Treasurer General: 1,200.00

### Indebtedness

**Constitution Hall Fund:**
- Liberty Loan Fund Notes: $100,000.00

### Investments

- Chicago & Alton R. R. 3% Bonds, due 1949 (par value $3,000): $2,314.84
- Liberty Loan Fund:
  - Constitution Hall Notes: $100,000.00
- Library Fund:
  - Home Owners' Loan Corporation 2 1/4% Bonds, due 1949: $28,000.00
  - U. S. Postal Savings 2 1/2% Bond, due 1952: $500.00
- Mountain School Fund:
  - Home Owners' Loan Corporation 2 1/4% Bonds, due 1949: $12,000.00
  - Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation 3% Bonds, due 1949: $12,000.00
- Philippine Scholarship Fund:
  - Home Owners' Loan Corporation 2 1/4% Bonds, due 1949: $22,000.00
- Pension Fund:
  - Home Owners' Loan Corporation 2 1/4% Bonds, due 1949: $8,500.00
  - Federal Land Bank 3% Bonds, due 1956 (par value $7,000): $7,041.42
  - U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% Bonds, due 1949-53 (par value $6,000): $5,911.20
- Reserve Fund:
  - Federal Land Bank 3% Bonds, due 1956 (par value $30,000): $30,177.50
  - U. S. Treasury 2 1/4% Bonds, due 1949-53 (par value $30,000): $29,644.80
- Life Membership Fund:
  - Home Owners' Loan Corporation 2 1/4% Bonds, due 1949: $16,200.00
  - U. S. Postal Savings 2 1/2% Bond, due 1952: $500.00

**Total:** $274,789.76

**Sarah Corbin Roberts**

Treasurer General, N. S. D. A. R.
Supplement to National Historical Magazine

In the absence of the Chairman, Mrs. Robert J. Reed, the report of the Finance Committee was read by the Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmadge.

Report of Finance Committee

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

In the absence of the National Chairman, Mrs. Robert J. Reed, as Acting Chairman I have the honor to submit the following report. From October 1 to December 31, vouchers were approved to the amount of $96,989.83, which includes $15,548.91 received for Approved Schools and Americanism; $3,461.92 for Preservation of Historic Spots; $613.05 for Student Loans.

The following items list the largest disbursements:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Item</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Clerical service</td>
<td>$21,597.24</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Services of Superintendent, Manager and employees</td>
<td>$10,472.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Magazine</td>
<td>$7,692.13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Defense Committee expense</td>
<td>$4,820.03</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Angel and Ellis Islands expense</td>
<td>$1,963.16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Printing and mailing Proceedings of 46th Congress</td>
<td>$4,290.14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Printing two volumes of Lineage Book</td>
<td>$2,315.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pensions for Real Daughters, Nurses and Employees</td>
<td>$2,285.96</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>State Flags</td>
<td>$3,170.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postage</td>
<td>$2,251.39</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Landscaping</td>
<td>$1,639.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

LOTTIE H. CALDWELL, Acting Chairman.

The Chairman of the Auditing Committee, Mrs. Julius Young Talmadge, read the report of that committee.

Report of Auditing Committee

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

The Auditing Committee met on Monday, January 31, 1938, at 9:00 a.m.

The reports of the Treasurer General and the American Audit Company were examined for the months of October, November and December, 1937, and found correct.

MAY E. TALMADGE, Chairman.

Mrs. Talmadge moved that the report of the Auditing Committee be accepted which automatically carries with it the reports of the Treasurer General and Finance Committee. Seconded by Mrs. Rowbotham. Carried.

The Registrar General, Mrs. Lue Reynolds Spencer, read her report.

Report of Registrar General

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

I have the honor to submit the following report of the work of this office since my last report:

Number of applications verified: 40
Number of supplementals verified: 500
Total number of papers verified: 540

Papers returned unverified:
Originals: 14
Supplementals: 40
New records verified: 422
Permits issued for official insignias: 245
Permits issued for miniature insignias: 280
Permits issued for ancestral bars: 427

LUE REYNOLDS SPENCER, Registrar General, N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Spencer moved that the 40 applicants whose records have been verified by the Registrar General be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. Pouch. Carried.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. William H. Pouch, read her report.

Report of Organizing Secretary General

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

It gives me pleasure to report as follows:
The State Regent of Pennsylvania requests a Chapter authorized at Wilkinsburg.

The following authorizations have expired by time limitation:
Littleton, New Hampshire
Marion and Prince George, Virginia.
The State Regent of New Hampshire requests that the authorization of a Chapter at Littleton, be renewed.
The resignation of Mrs. Bessie M. Carlisle, as Organizing Regent in New York City, has been reported.
The Kate Waller Barrett Chapter, with the approval of the State Regent of Virginia, asks permission to change its location from Arlington to Alexandria.
The Westport Chapter of Kansas City, Missouri, has met all requirements and is now presented for confirmation.

HELENA R. POUCH, Organizing Secretary General, N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Pouch moved: The acceptance of the Organizing Secretary General's report. Seconded by Mrs. Spencer. Carried.

The Historian General, Mrs. Julian Goodhue, read her report.

Report of Historian General

Madam President General and Members of the National Board:

Since the October Board meeting over two thousand cards have been added to the file of D. A. R. markers. We now have more than five thousand of these. The information for others is at hand and the work is proceeding steadily. We are glad to say that the data now sent us is much more complete than at first. There are strong indications that we shall have a larger exhibit of historical material at the Congress than that of last year. As you understand so well, it is never possible to report to the National Board the progress of history projects going on in the many states. We must depend upon the oral and the printed report of the Congress to reveal these. But may we say that the kind and amount are tremendously gratifying.

Driving with Mrs. Pouch as her fortunate com-
Supplement to National Historical Magazine

In a three weeks' trip through the South last fall, delightful hospitalities were received and opportunity given to visit a number of accredited antique dealers in Chattanooga, where it was my great pleasure to attend the State Conference, Atlanta, Roanoke, Martinsville, and later six of the best in New York, three in Philadelphia, four in Richmond and one in Fredericksburg, Va. The first ten consulted were in my own city, Chicago. While in New York City in November, an interview of an hour and a half was given me by Mr. Downs, Curator of the American Wing of the Metropolitan Museum. Mr. Downs conducted me through the magnificent eighteenth century rooms of that great museum and we discussed the furnishings and the possibilities for our Surrender Room at Yorktown. Great interest was expressed by the Curator and a courteous offer of help.

The purpose in speaking of these visits and interviews is to give you assurance that the Historian General is not relying solely upon her own judgment in the matter of selections. She has repeatedly sought expert advice. At the house, an ozonite rug pad has been purchased and placed under the Aubusson rug given by Pennsylvania and plush ropes have been placed in the two doorways.

The original Queen Anne lowboy which was in the house on the memorable day which we are commemorating is in the possession of a descendant of the Moore family. She has declined other opportunities to sell elsewhere her most prized possession but now feels that if we will pay five hundred dollars for it she will let it go back to its old home. Virginia Daughters have offered to present this lowboy for the room.

Another earnest quest is for a proper eighteenth century portrait to be placed over the mantel. The superintendent and Curator of Moore House and of the National Colonial Historical Park are pleading for the portrait. We submit several for your inspection today. Many others have been viewed previously by this officer and others.

It had been thought that the historic event occurring in the room called for the portrait of a man since it was essentially a man's day but the Superintendent points out the truth that with the Moore family living there the place was a normal, peace-loving home. Therefore, we feel that either a man's or a woman's portrait would be suitable.

It is amazing how many of these eighteenth century portraits are of British officers of the period. These with others of George IV, we had to reject for the obvious reason that had any one of them been hanging in that room before 1775, it would undoubtedly have been removed during the conflict, so deep was the feeling.

The welcome news that such a trip is to be offered has reached me and I recommend it most heartily.

One of my fond hopes was that, before closing this administration we might have a pilgrimage to Jamestown, Williamsburg and Yorktown which would include a visit to the Surrender Room. The welcome news that such a trip is to be offered has reached me and I recommend it most heartily.

One is loath to suggest a new project during the last weeks of one's term but a promise has been given to Pennsylvania that mention will be made of the possibility of our National Society erecting a bridge at Valley Forge which is now being restored by the Government. Mention of this is made at this time only with the thought that if it is to be undertaken, an act of the Congress would be desired. Pennsylvania should be given the credit for the idea. It is not the proposal of the present Historian General.

Mary A. Goodhue
Historian General, N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Goodhue displayed photographs of the D. A. R. Room in Moore House, Yorktown, also a rare pair of wall lamps, original slender iron arms with lovely etched hurricane globes. These are for the wall above the mantel at each end, flanking and giving Colonial lighting to the much desired portrait when it comes, not "if," but "when." Ohio has promised the first one hundred dollars towards it. Perhaps acquiring the first one hundred is like living the first one hundred years only—this was much, much easier. Connecticut is presenting a coveted three-quarter length small portrait on glass. New York is giving one of the pair of American Colonial chairs which we have placed in the room. (I hope that I am not too bold when I say that we cherish the fond hope that New York will announce "its Twins" and give both of them.) Texas has offered a gift which we may select at a cost of seventy-five dollars and Kansas has made a similar offer of thirty-five dollars or thereabouts. Wisconsin is considering presenting the crimson damask hangings at the windows. We need a pair of fine old vases for the ends of the mantel or perhaps a set of three mantel garnitures.

It is with joy that we announce that the Daughters of the Order of the Cincinnati are now engaged in furnishing the dining room directly across the hall, so you see, the old home is coming back again.

In the absence of the Librarian General, Mrs. Luther Eugene Tomm, her report was read by the Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmadge.

Report of the Librarian General

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

The continued interest in the library has made it necessary to provide more shelf space for the
books. One complete stack and two additions of three sections have been installed.

The installation of a set of angle tag guide cards has made our card catalogue one that may readily be continued.

A lovely clock has been presented to the library by Mrs. Frank Madison Dick in memory of Frank Madison Dick, member of the Advisory Board.

To our collection of State bookplates Colorado and New Mexico have been added.

The gifts that are coming in from the states indicate active interest and cooperation on the part of our State Librarians and members as the list of accessions will show.

Contributions continue to come in from the Genealogical Records Committee, the latest addition being the Interments and Removals, 1820-1862, from Washington Parish Burial Ground, better known as the Congressional Cemetery of the District of Columbia. Four volumes of these records were copied and typed by members of the Committee. Also four volumes of marriages in the District of Columbia, from 1811 to 1858, were copied from old books in the Supreme Court. These volumes are a valuable addition to our unpublished material.

My regular letter requesting reports from the State Librarians was sent out February 1st. The Accessions to the library which number 192 books, 55 pamphlets, 19 manuscripts, 2 charts, 13 photostats, and 12 bookplates, list many valuable additions.

BOOKS

CALIFORNIA


CONNECTICUT


DELAFWARE

Following three books from Delaware "Daughters": Supplement to Genealogies, Jaquett, De Carpentier & Others. E. J. Sellers. 1922.


America Awake. F. W. Huntington. 1937.

First and Central Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, Dela. 1737-1937. From Mrs. Walter S. Williams, State Regent.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Following four books from D. C. Genealogical Records Committee:


ILLINOIS


INDIANA


IOWA

History of Muscatine County, Iowa. 1879. From Mrs. J. R. Treliecher.

KANSAS


MARYLAND

The Journal of the Rev. Francis Asbury, Bishop of The Methodist Episcopal Church, from August 7, 1771 to Dec. 7, 1815. 3 vols. 1821. From Miss Emma Powell, through Samuel Chase Chapter.

Francis Scott Key, Life and Times. E. S. Delaplaine. 1937.


Massachusetts


Norfolk County Manual and Year Book for 1876. H. O. Hillcrest. 1877. From Hannah Gedlacht Chapter.

Following 9 volumes from Mass. "Daughters."

The Jesses. 1601-1928. J. S. Jesse. From Mrs. Addie Steele, through Phebe Dustin Chapter.

NEW JERSEY

The Old York Road and Its Stage Coach Days. E. Van Sickles. 1937. From Colonel Lowrey Chapter.
SUPPLEMENT TO NATIONAL HISTORICAL MAGAZINE

NEW YORK


OHIO


History of Ashland County, Ohio. G. W. Hill. 1880. From Sarah Copus Chapter.


Spangler and Allied Families. The American Historical Soc. 1937. From Mrs. T. F. Spangler through Ohio "Daughters."

History of Allen County, Ohio. 1885. From Mrs. Eva May Martin Landis Orchard (Mrs. J. E.) through Lima Chapter.

Early Homes of Ohio. 1. T. Firsty. 1936. From Mr. I. T. Frary through Columbus Chapter.

Following three books from Mrs. Elatus G. Loomis through Lakewood Chapter:

- Directory of Cleveland and Ohio City for 1837-38. J. P. B. MacCabe. 1837.
- Some Account of Jacob Oberholtzer and Some of His American Descendants. E. S. Loomis. 1891. Index to William's History of Washington County, Ohio. 1881.

From Marietta Chapter:


Following four volumes from Hetuck Chapter:

- Centennial History of Licking County. I. Smucker. 1876.
- Autobiographical Sketch of Mrs. Ellen S. O'Bannon. 1907.

PENNSYLVANIA


RHODE ISLAND


A Personal Narrative of Some Branches of the Lake Family in America and His Antecedents in the Old World. Elia & Elisha S. Loomis. 1908. From Mrs. Elatus G. Loomis through Lima Chapter.

The Massachusetts-Bay Colony in America. D. Lake. 1937. From Mr. Devereux Lake.

VERMONT


VIRGINIA


Following four books from Virginia "Daughters."

- William and Mary College Quarterly. Vol. 8, No. 2. Supplement, 1899. (The Goodwin Family in America.)


ANOTHER SOURCES

Horse Mann Centennial 1837-1937. 1937. From James C. Beardon, Commissioner of Education, Commonwealth of Massachusetts. 2 copies.


Marriage Record of Washington County, Pa., 1811-1845. From Mrs. Jerome A. Hart.


Italian-American Who's Who. 2nd Ed. 1936.

The Descendants of Thomas Whittier, Section 2. C. C. Whittier. 1937.

Following two books received in exchange for review:

- Outposts of History in Orange County, N. Y. D. Akers. 1937.


West Point Today. K. Banning. 1937.


Barr Family Beginning With Robert Barr and Mary Wills. W. B. Barr. 1903.


A Personal Narrative of Some Branches of the Lake Family in America. D. Lake. 1937. From Mr. Derereux Lake.
Supplement to National Historical Magazine


From Wm. Penn Vail.


Annual Report of The American Historical Association for 1933-1937.

Following 28 volumes of Inventories of County Archives from Works Progress Administration:

No. 6.—Carroll County, Illinois. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 6.—Boone County, Indiana. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 66.—Johnson County, Kansas. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 61.—Knox County, Kentucky. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 6.—Saint Charles Parish. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 3.—Amite County (Liberty), Mississippi. 1937.
No. 62.—Pike County, Missouri. 1937. 2 copies.

Albany County History. Inventory of the County Archives of New York State, Exclusive of the Five Counties of New York City. 1957. 2 copies.

No. 21.—Massachusetts, Oklahoma. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 25.—Morrow County, Oregon. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 8.—Boufalo County, South Dakota. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 33.—Hamilton County, Tennessee. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 61.—Denton County, Texas. 1937.
No. 29.—Pend Oreille County, Washington. 1937. 2 copies.
No. 39.—Fauksonoma County, West Virginia. 1937. 2 copies.


Newbold Family Notes. 1937. Compiled and presented by Helen Van Uxem Cubberley.


Following 16 volumes published from Hugh Vernon Washington Fund:

List of Patents of Lands, &c. to be Sold in Jan., 1822 for Arrears of Quit Rent. E. E. Brownell. 1937.


Commemorative Biographical Record of Ulster County, N. Y. 1806.

Genealogy of Some of the Vail Family Descended from Thomas Vail, 1640. W. P. Vail. 1937.

Merion in the Welsh Tract, in the Province of Pa. T. A. Gilman. 1896.

The McQuiston, McCulin & McQuesten Families 1809-1937. L. B. McQuiston. 1937.

Genalogy of Peter Hyl and His Descendants 1100-1936. E. H. Rucker. 1938.

The Virginia Carys. F. Harrison. 1819.

PAMPHLETS

District of Columbia


Indiana


One Hundredth Anniversary of the 1st Presbyterian Church, Richmond, Ind. 1837-1937. From Mrs. Paul L. Ross Richmond Chapter.

Iowa

The following pamphlets were erroneously credited to Illinois in the October Report. Credit should be given to Iowa:

O'Brien County, Iowa. 1878. From Mrs. M. M. Burtta.

Following 7 pamphlets from Mrs. Almeda Brenton Harpel through Abigail Adams Chapter:

Jan Van Cleef, Van Cleve, or Van Cleave.
SUPPLEMENT TO NATIONAL HISTORICAL MAGAZINE

[21]

SOURCES


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates


dates

[21]
to our collection of minatures. Another notable addition to our treasures, and one for which we have been searching and longing over the years, is an authentic Paul Revere silver teaspoon given by the Massachusetts Daughters in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Frank L. Nason. This has already been placed in the Museum in such a way that both sides may be seen.

We are fortunate in having two new Museum cases. One, the gift of the Daughters of West Virginia, in honor of our Curator General, Mrs. Robert J. Reed, is to house only those articles given in honor of Mrs. Reed and they will be known as the Mrs. Robert J. Reed Collection. The first piece to be placed in this case is a lovely blue and lustre pitcher, the gift of Mrs. William Sinnott, District of Columbia State Chairman of the Museum Committee. The second case honors Mrs. John S. Haume, State Regent of Ohio, and is given by the Ohio Daughters.

Changes and additions in the State Rooms in Memorial Continental Hall have been as follows:

The Kentucky Room has been painted and has new drapes.

The Virginia Room has new drapes.

In the New York Room there have been added a set of very lovely Lowestoft china for the cupboard and a pair of beautiful lustres for the mantel.

In the Ohio Room there have been added a very fine wing chair covered with material which is a reproduction of Chippendale's own design, a desk and a new covering for the sofa.

Michigan is rebuilding its room into a colonial study which, it is expected, will be completed by the time of Congress. Massachusetts is painting its colonial bedroom and replacing old hangings.

The Museum office has superintended the repainting and cleaning of all the crystal chandeliers in the building.

The following gifts to the Museum have been accepted:

(See list.)

EMELINE A. STREET,
Acting Chairman, D. A. R. Museum.

Gifts to Museum, October 26, 1937-February 2, 1938


Colorado: State Chairman, Mrs. Herbert S. Sands. Pitcher from the birthplace of Lafayette, the Chateau de Chevenani in Auvergne. A relic, brought to Colorado by Mrs. Sands with a token as a gift to the D. A. R. Museum from Mrs. Neil Kimball (Jean Williams) Regent of Mount Lookout Chapter, Golden, Colorado.

Connecticut: State Chairman, Miss Emeline A. Street. Cup and saucer and plate with luster decoration in red with touches of blue and green and Staffordshire bowl with gold edge; one baby dress, 1818; three ladies' linen capes, handsomely embroidered, 1820; three ladies' collars, two pairs of cuffs, one lace hat, a legacy of Mrs. Angelina Loring Avery. Aside from these, her gifts also included her father's wedding night-shirt, her own baby shoes, her autograph book, 1848; three books "Morals and Hints for Young People," "Girls' Own Book of Amusing and Instructive Stories," and 'Infants' Hymns Designed for Young Children." A small sewing box, decorated with shells and a flowered print; award of merit she received from school; two buckles of gold and mother of pearl for lady's belt; photograph of Mrs. Avery taken on her 97th birthday; her father's and mother's wedding certificate, dated 1787; and her own certificate, 1857. Legacy of Mrs. Angelina Loring Avery, daughter of Solomon Loring and Susanna Whipple. Mr. Loring was a soldier of the American Revolution at the age of fourteen as aide to Colonel Bost. He enlisted from Hingham, Massachusetts, and received a pension from Connecticut, 1818-1835. He was 72 when his daughter, Angelina, was born in 1839. She died May, 1937. A spoon, fig shaped bowl of brass composition, 1650. Gift of Mrs. J. Laurence Raymond of Guilford, Connecticut. A Ciphering Book of Revolutionary period. Gift of Mrs. W. B. Bean of Stafford, Connecticut. A pink luster cup and saucer. Gift of Mrs. George H. Sage, West Hartford, Connecticut; Emma Hart Willard Chapter, Berlin, Conn.


Maryland: State Chairman, Mrs. Joseph W. Holland. Rose and blue luster plate with castle decoration, a very fine English china probably Crown Derby. Waterford glass and Sheffield salt dish, Irish 1810, and two old silver salt spoons, marked not of the maker but of the repairer. Gifts of Mrs. Maud Holt Maulsby, State Vice Regent of Maryland, presented through Thomas Johnson Chapter, Baltimore, Maryland. A silver plate given by the Massachusetts Daughters in honor of former Curator General, Mrs. Charles H. Otis, as a salutary gift to the Museum. A large silver platter, "The Chateau de Chevaniac in Auvergne." A relic as a gift to the D. A. R. Museum from Mrs. Neil Kimball (Jean Williams) Regent of Mount Lookout Chapter, Golden, Colorado.

Massachusetts: State Chairman, Mrs. Alva N. Fisher. Powder keg used by Ezekiel Raymond, a Revolutionary soldier, to keep his gun powder dry during his service in the War. Gift of a descendant, Mrs. Thayer of Deborah Sampson Chapter. Buss board worn by Lucy Hyland Williamon, daughter of John Hyland, a Revolutionary
soldier from Scituate, Massachusetts. Gift of her great granddaughter, Miss Nellie Litchfield Sparrell of Chief Justice Cushing Chapter. Schoolmaster's ferule. Presented by Miss Serena Frances Perry, granddaughter of Revolutionary soldier, Ebenezer Perry, and member of Old Boston Chapter. Her father used this ferule to line paper, and maintain discipline when he became a schoolmaster after the War. Clothes pins, China toy "fish tail" vase, flower decoration. Gifts of Mrs. Alva N. Fisher, whose Revolutionary ancestor, Lieutenant Fisher, whose Revolutionary ancestor, Lieutenant Walker, made the clothes pins. Wood carved pastry wheel, belonged to Silva Thomas, a sister of Deborah Sampson. EXTRA SPECIAL: Dessert spoon made by Paul Revere, the State Regent, Mrs. Frank L. Nason. This spoon owned by Elizabeth Gray, wife of Thomas Fisher, whose Revolutionary ancestor, Lieutenant Perry, granddaughter of Revolutionary soldier, sold to Gen. Andrew Lewis, Revolutionary officer of Va. Presented by a descendant (not a D. A. R.), Mrs. L. W. Christian, through Weatherford Chapter, Weatherford, Texas.

West Virginia: State Chairman Mrs. A. Bruce Eagle. Of outstanding interest is the large case recently installed in the South Museum in honor of the Curator General, Mrs. Robert J. Reed by the D. A. R. in her own State, West Virginia. It is given for the exhibition only of those gifts to the Museum given in honor of Mrs. Reed and to be known as the Mrs. Robert J. Reed Collection.

Louise B. Reed,
Curator General.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmdge, moved That a telegram of love be sent to Mrs. Reed by the Board, expressing regret at her absence, caused by illness, and the hope that she may soon be restored to health. Seconded by Mrs. Nason and entire Board. Carried.

The Secretary of the Executive Committee, Mrs. Julius Young Talmadge, read the following recommendations of that committee:

1. Amend Article V, Section 8 (a), second line, by inserting the words "in the chapter from which she was dropped providing her reinstatement shall be approved by the chapter or the Chapter Board of Management, as prescribed by the chapter By-Laws" after the word "Management." Further "Amend Section 8 (a), third line, by striking out the words "upon the payment," and inserting the words "she shall also be required to pay" and striking out the word "of" before the words "her indebtedness." If amended Article V, Section 8 (a) will read:

2. Amend Article V, Section 9, second line, by striking out the words "either to chapter membership or to membership at large upon payment of the dues for the current year," and inserting the
words "in either one of the following ways" after the word "Management." Further amend Section 9, by adding paragraphs (a) and (b) as follows:

"(a) To chapter membership, providing her reinstatement shall be approved by the chapter or the Chapter Board of Management, as prescribed by the chapter By-Laws, and upon payment of the dues for the current year."

"(b) To membership at large upon payment of the dues for the current year." If amended Article V, Section 9 will read:

"A member having resigned from membership may be reinstated by the National Board of Management in either one of the following ways:

"(a) To chapter membership, providing her reinstatement shall be approved by the chapter or the Chapter Board of Management, as prescribed by the chapter By-Laws and upon payment of the dues for the current year."

"(b) To membership at large upon payment of the dues for the current year."

Moved by Mrs. Clapp, seconded by Mrs. Marshall. Adopted.

3. Amend Article V, Section 12, second sentence, by striking out the words, "her annual dues for the current year," and inserting "the annual dues for the current year of a new member admitted to the National Society prior to the confirmation of the chapter by the National Board of Management." If amended Article V, Section 12 will read:

"A member at large, in good standing, desiring to become a member of a chapter, if approved by the chapter or its Board of Management, as the chapter may decide, shall be entitled to a transfer card from the National Society. If such chapter be a newly organized chapter, one dollar of the annual dues for the current year of a new member admitted to the National Society prior to the confirmation of the chapter by the National Board of Management shall be paid to said chapter by the Treasurer General, provided the chapter has been organized within six months after said dues become payable to the National Society."

Moved by Mrs. Haig, seconded by Mrs. McCrillis. Adopted.

4. Amend Article IX, Section 2(c), first paragraph and first sentence, by inserting the words "in writing, by the State Regent and the Organizing Secretary General," after the words "shall have been given at least thirty days' notice of the proposed organization." If amended Article IX, Section 2(c), first paragraph, will read:

"(c) In a locality where there is already a chapter, other chapters may be organized provided each secondary chapter shall contain at least twenty-five members who have never belonged to any chapter, and provided the existing chapter, or chapters, in that locality shall have been given at least thirty days' notice of the proposed organization in writing by the State Regent and the Organizing Secretary General, and further provided that the organization of the chapter is approved by the State Regent, the Organizing Secretary General, and the National Board of Management. Where a chapter, or chapters, which have not reached a membership of fifty already exist, the Organizing Secretary General shall inform the National Board of Management of the reasons or conditions which make an additional chapter desirable in that locality."

Moved by Mrs. Hoskins, seconded by Mrs. McCrillis. Adopted.

5. Amend Article IX, Section 15, by inserting the words "to another location within the state in which the chapter is located," after the words "may change the location of a chapter," in the third line, and by inserting the words "in writing by the State Regent and the Organizing Secretary General," after the words "at least thirty days' notice," in the fourth line. If amended Article IX, Section 15 will read:

"The National Board of Management, upon recommendation of the State Regent and the Organizing Secretary General may change the location of a chapter, to another location within the state in which the chapter is located, provided that, if there is a chapter in the new location, at least thirty days' notice, in writing by the State Regent and the Organizing Secretary General, of the proposed change shall have been given the chapter, or chapters in that location."

Moved by Mrs. Heaume, seconded by Mrs. Latimer. Adopted.

6. Amend Article X, Section 1, by striking out the words "and of any country geographically outside of the United States" after the word "Columbia," in the second line, and inserting "and" after the word "Territory," in the first line, and inserting the words "for a term of three years" after the words "shall be elected," in the fourth line. If amended Article X, Section 1, will read:

"The chapters of each state and territory and the District of Columbia shall form a State Organization which shall hold an annual State Conference. At these conferences shall be elected, for a term of three years, a State Regent, a State Vice Regent and such other state officers as shall be deemed necessary; and By-Laws shall be adopted which shall not conflict with the Act of Incorporation, Constitution and By-Laws of the National Society. The election of State Regent and State Vice Regent must be confirmed by the Continental Congress, and their terms of office shall begin at the close of the Congress at which they are confirmed."

Moved by Mrs. Clapp, seconded by Mrs. Binford. Adopted.

If amended it is suggested that the States modify their State By-Laws to conform with the above amendment by 1940.

7. Amend Article X, Section 1, by adding the following new Part (b): "To form a State Organization in any country geographically outside of the United States, there shall be at least three chapters organized within the boundary of the country or territory named, before permission shall be granted by the National Board of Management for the formation of a State Organization, the election of state officers, or the holding of a State Conference." If Part (b) of Section 1, is added the Section now called "Section 1" will be called "Section 1 (a)."

Moved by Mrs. Nason, seconded by Miss Street. Adopted.

8. Amend Article V, by striking out entirely Sections 5 and 6, with the proviso that this amendment does not go into effect until July 1, 1938, and that the status of life members already accepted shall not be affected. If adopted this means in
effect that Life Memberships will not be accepted after July 1, 1938.

Moved by Mrs. Latimer, seconded by Mrs. Chiles. Adopted.

9. The proposed amendment to Article X, Section 3, submitted as directed by a resolution of the 46th Continental Congress, to the effect that—

“No State Regent, or State Vice Regent shall be elected who is not an actual resident of the state she represents, except that in a country geographically outside the United States, either the State Regent, or the State Vice Regent, but not both, may reside in the United States. The right to elect an Honorary State Regent shall belong to the State Organization, at a State Conference. No one may be elected Honorary State Regent unless she has held the office of State Regent. States desiring to do so, may through their By-Laws provide that Honorary State Regents may be voting members of the State Conference,” was lost.

The Chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee, Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., read the report of that committee.

Report of Buildings and Grounds Committee

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

The new elevator in Memorial Continental Hall, which erection required several months, was approved for operation by the District of Columbia Building Inspector shortly after the October meeting. A hollow tile wall was required by the Fire Marshal as a protection against possible spreading of fire from the machinery to the basement. This was erected at a cost of $130.00.

Minor changes of lights, closets, etc., resulting from enlarging the elevator shaft have been completed. Certain renovation usually done in the summer but delayed because of dirt and dust from the construction has been in process during the winter months. The repainting of the halls and stair-wells of Memorial Continental Hall has been completed within the last week. Some redecoration of State Rooms remains to be done before the 46th Continental Congress.

In any new construction within a building already erected, many problems arise. In enlarging the doorway of the elevator on the first floor to conform to present standardized requirements, there was danger of considerably defacing the appearance of the corridor because of the nearness of the door to the telephone booth. The attention of the Board is called to the success with which our architect, Mr. Deming, for many years a member of our Art Committee, solved this problem. By designing an entirely new unit to cover both doorways, the beauty and dignity of the corridor is preserved. This treatment has received much favorable comment. It emphasizes the importance of making changes in our buildings only upon most competent advice even if at some added cost.

If any member of the Board would enjoy seeing the modern automatic control of the elevator, Mr. Phillips will be pleased to show them the complicated mechanism.

The major planting of the grounds has been completed. The full beauty cannot be judged until spring, but the attention of the Board is called to the improvement around the Founders Memorial which can be noted even at this season of the year. It is possible that with the coming of summer some of the old planting may appear at a disadvantage and that a few more replacements may be necessary. There is space also for two or more large trees, possibly magnolias, which would be welcome as gifts or memorials.

It is a fact worthy of consideration that our Society, the pioneer in paving the way for making this section of the city the beauty spot that it is, should have been the last to complete the beautification of its grounds. The planting accomplished this fall will give to our properties an appearance in keeping with their surroundings.

The wisdom of a reserve fund is indicated by two major programs of repair demanded at this time. In order that Constitution Hall may conform to current standards of the Department of Health a complete renovation of the ventilating system of Constitution Hall has been in progress.

During the coming summer extensive painting on the outside of Memorial Continental Hall and the Administration Building will be required. Before contracts are let for this work, competent advice will be sought as to necessary pointing up of cement, repair of the broken keystone on the south side of Seventeenth Street entrance and the cleaning by sand blast of the entire building.

Preparations for the Congress are now in progress. The additional gifts and changes in the State Rooms will hereafter be incorporated in the report of the Curator General.

SARAH CORBIN ROBERT,
Chairman, Buildings and Grounds Committee.

Mrs. Sheppard of Pennsylvania stated that Pennsylvania is to erect a much needed bridge, costing $5,000, at Valley Forge over the river General Washington ferried so often, thus making easier the pilgrimages to the three great shrines, Valley Forge, Yorktown and Williamsburg; also to rebuild the village occupied by General Washington's armies during encampment at Valley Forge, and invited the States to build little houses, to bear tablets giving the names of the soldiers present at encampments, such houses to cost in the neighborhood of $500 each.

The Editor of the Magazine, Mrs. Frances Parkinson Keyes, gave an informal report, stating that subscriptions to the magazine had increased appreciably (631 copies in January) until the list now totaled 10,131 copies, thus necessitating a revision of the present contract for 9,000, and recommended arranging for 10,500 copies; that she was $50 to the good on the $200 authorized by the October Board meeting—that the $400 for serials for a period of six months was also very necessary; that she was contacting Dorothy Canfield and other well-known writers of short stories and historical numbers, and recommended these sums be renewed for six months further; Mrs. Keyes displayed the latest number of the magazine, calling attention to the change in color and wording of the cover, and asked that the Board express its views in order that she might carry out the wishes of the National Society.

Mrs. Keyes read letters praising the change in policy of the magazine, its new cover, etc., and
expressed appreciation of the opportunity of bringing the magazine into higher brackets of achievement and renewed her faith in the success of the official organ.

Recess was taken at 1 p.m.

The afternoon meeting convened at 2:15 o’clock, the President General, Mrs. Becker, presiding.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmadge, called the roll, the representatives of the states drawing for seats during the Forty-seventh Continental Congress, 1938, with the following results:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>States</th>
<th>No. 1-25</th>
<th>No. 26-50</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>20 Alabama</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15 Arizona</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>15</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 Connecticut</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21 District of Columbia</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8 Georgia</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13 Idaho</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>19 Indiana</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>19</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6 Kansas</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>17 Louisiana</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 Maryland</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14 Michigan</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 Mississippi</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23 Montana</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>23</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16 Nevada</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7 New Jersey</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22 New York</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>22</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 North Dakota</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10 Oklahoma</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23 Pennsylvania</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>23</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>25 Rhode Island</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 South Dakota</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11 Texas</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>11</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18 Vermont</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>18</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9 Washington</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>9</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12 Wisconsin</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>12</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

* Chapter Regents only—No State Organization.

The President General reminded the members of the recommendations made by the Editor of the Magazine, Mrs. Keyes, and Mrs. Heaume of Ohio moved That the same provision made for the publication of the D.A.R. Magazine, for articles and serial be made for the next six months. Seconded by Mrs. Marshall. Carried.

Action on the recommendations of the Executive Committee was resumed and the Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmadge, read the following:

11. That the name of our Magazine be called the "National Historical Magazine." (For action of the Continental Congress.)

Moved by Mrs. Spencer, seconded by Mrs. Marshall. Carried.

Discussion followed and it was the consensus of opinion that the name, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, be given more prominent placing.

12. That the Children of the American Revolution be given permission to erect a building on the property and under the supervision of the National Society. Moved by Mrs. Goodhue. Seconded by Mrs. Boyd.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Pouch, displayed architectural designs showing the setting—between Memorial Continental Hall and Administration Building—of the proposed building. Discussion followed and Miss Street of Connecticut moved to substitute the following for the recommendation of the Executive Committee: That if and when the Children of the American Revolution Society has raised sufficient funds for a suitable building the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution consider the advisability of allowing it to be placed on the D.A.R. property. Seconded by Mrs. Boyd. Carried.

In the absence of the Chairman, Miss Katharine Matthies, the report of the Approved Schools Committee was read by the Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Talmadge.

Report on Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee D. A. R. Schools

Since my October report to the National Board the Florence H. Becker Recreation Hall and the Sheppard Water Tower have been dedicated at Kate Duncan Smith. A plentiful water supply means a great deal to this school. Becker Hall is proving a real boon to the school and to the community with such diversified events as a fiddlers' convention, basketball games and a rummage sale taking place in it. An electric bell system, a drinking fountain and a washroom have been installed in the buildings. The principal with his wife and the teachers have been investigating the homes way back in the mountains and have found appalling conditions. Children were found who could not attend school because they lacked undergarments and stockings. These conditions are being relieved with the clothing sent in our boxes but in return for articles of clothing the people, in most cases, are asked to work a few hours at the school. This saves their self-respect and keeps them from feeling they can get something for nothing any time they need it.

A loyal friend of the school has made it possible for them to have a resident nurse this year which means improved health conditions. The health house is promised and we can hope that next year the nurse will have proper facilities with which to carry on her work, provided of course, we make it possible for her to remain for we cannot expect one person to continue this contribution indefinitely.

A fund was started in October to provide hot soup or cocoa at noon and contributions to it are needed. We also need to complete the equipment for the Recreation Hall.

Our other school, Tamassee, does not report many activities but did receive many lovely boxes at Christmas and a fine new piano. The new barn, or "Tamassee Manger" and the Memorial acres were dedicated in October. Equipment for this barn is needed to make it really useful and so far none has been given. The Tamassee Club
needs members at a dollar each, this money to be used for heating the little girls’ dormitory. A boys’ dormitory is a very great need which we hope will be given soon.

Katharine Matthies,
National Chairman.

Mrs. Zimmerman of Illinois stated that during a recent visit they had fallen in love with Tamassee and the chapters of Illinois had appointed themselves a committee of one and had collected $1,150 to go toward a boys’ dormitory at Tamassee.

Mrs. Marshall of South Carolina expressed appreciation of the visit of the National Officers in October last and for the gifts of blankets, clothing, etc., and asked for continued interest and support.

The President General reminded the members of the decision to limit the reports of State Regents to two minutes, in order to give more time to nominations, and that the evening meeting would convene at 7:30 instead of 7 o’clock.

The President General spoke of the plans being made for the World’s Fair in New York in 1939; stating that Mr. Kendall, President General of the Sons of the American Revolution, Mrs. Pouch, National President of the Children of the American Revolution, and representatives of other patriotic societies were interested in giving an American Cavalcade—depicting the history of America from birth to the present moment—a wonderful spectacle which had been such a financial success in the Dallas, Texas, Fair; and stated that Mr. Kendall, because of illness of his mother, could not be present as planned to interest the members in the proposition of making individual investments in the enterprise by the purchase of bonds bearing interest, just as one might invest in other activities; and asked that the members express themselves freely as to what part the National Society wished to take as to endorsing the proposition, no financial interest involved.

Discussion followed.

Mrs. Smith of Tennessee moved That the National Board recommend to Congress the endorsement by the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, of the American Cavalcade as presented by Mr. Kendall for the World’s Fair in New York in 1939. Seconded by Mrs. Pouch. Carried.

Mrs. Rowbotham of Virginia stated that Virginia was privileged to present to Moore House, for the D. A. R. Room, the lowboy so much desired by the Historian General.

The President General stated that the next Board meeting would be 9:30 Saturday morning, April 16, 1938; that the Continental Congress would open on Monday, April 18; Memorial Services on Sunday at 3 p.m.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Tal-madge, read the minutes of February 2, 1938, which were approved as read.

Mrs. Clapp of New York moved That when the resolution relating to the name of the Magazine is presented to Congress the words “Published by the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution” be included. Seconded by Mrs. Dick. Carried.

Adjournment was taken at 3:30 p.m.

MAY ERWIN TALMADGE,
Recording Secretary General, N. S. D. A. R.
MRS. FRANK M. DICK,
"Dunmovin," Cambridge, Md.

MRS. ELMER H. WHITTAKER,
124 E. Arrellaga St., Santa Barbara, Calif.

MRS. WM. HENRY BELK,
220 Hawthorne Lane, Charlotte, N. C.

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS
OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
(Organized—October 11, 1890)
MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL
Seventeenth and D Streets N. W., Washington, D. C.
NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
1937-1938

President General
MRS. WILLIAM A. BECKER
Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

Vice-Presidents General
(Term of office expires 1938)

MRS. WILLIAM HERRON ALEXANDER,
865 21st Ave., N., St. Petersburg, Fla.

MISS NANCY HUDSON HARRIS,
37 Saunderson St., Allston, Mass.

MRS. JAMES H. McDoNALD,

MRS. ZEBULON VANCE JUDD, 275 S. College, Auburn, Ala.

(Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

Vice-Presidents General
(Term of office expires 1939)

MRS. WILLIAM HERRON ALEXANDER,
865 21st Ave., N., St. Petersburg, Fla.

MISS NANCY HUDSON HARRIS,
37 Saunderson St., Allston, Mass.

MRS. JAMES H. McDoNALD,

MRS. ZEBULON VANCE JUDD, 275 S. College, Auburn, Ala.

(Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

Vice-Presidents General
(Term of office expires 1940)

MRS. WILLIAM HERRON ALEXANDER,
865 21st Ave., N., St. Petersburg, Fla.

MISS NANCY HUDSON HARRIS,
37 Saunderson St., Allston, Mass.

MRS. JAMES H. McDoNALD,

MRS. ZEBULON VANCE JUDD, 275 S. College, Auburn, Ala.

(Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

Chaplain General
MRS. E. THOMAS BOYD, 2588 Dexter St., Denver, Colo.

Recording Secretary General
MRS. JULIUS YOUNG TALMADGE,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Corresponding Secretary General
MRS. CHARLES BLACKWELL KEESE,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Organizing Secretary General
MRS. WILLIAM H. POUCH,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Treasurer General
MRS. HENRY M. ROBERT, JR.,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Registrar General
MRS. LUE REYNOLDS SPENCER,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Historian General
MRS. JULIAN G. GOODHUE,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Librarian General
MRS. LUTHER EUGENE TOMM,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Curator General
MRS. ROBERT J. REED,
Memorial Continental Hall.

Reporter General to Smithsonian Institution
MRS. JOHN Y. RICHARDSON, 2659 S. W. Georgian Place, Portland, Ore.
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>State</th>
<th>Regents and Vice-Regents 1937-1938</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| **ALABAMA** | MRS. ELLY RUFF BARNES, 18 Wilson St., Montgomery.  
MRS. T. H. NAPIER, Montevallo.  
MRS. JOHN ELTON YOUEL, Lock Box 201, Fairbanks. |
| **ARIZONA** | MRS. CHESTER S. McARTHUR, 3221 Palmcroft Drive, Phoenix.  
MRS. JOHN WALLACE CHAPPELL, 525 E. Speedway, Tucson. |
| **ARKANSAS** | MRS. HOMER FERGUS SLOAN, Willbeth Plantation, Marked Tree.  
MRS. CHARLES HENRY MILLER, 2516 Broadway, Little Rock. |
| **CALIFORNIA** | MRS. JOSEPH TAYLOR YOUNG, 32 Bellevue Ave., Piedmont.  
MRS. JOHN W. H. HODGE, 158 No. June St., Los Angeles. |
| **COLORADO** | MRS. CLARENCE H. ADAMS, 800 Pennsylvania St., Denver.  
MRS. WALTER K. REED, 550 Mapleton Ave., Boulder. |
| **CONNECTICUT** | MRS. FREDERICK PALMER LATIMER, 40 Kenyon St., Hartford.  
MISS MARY CHARISSA WELCH, 40 Thomaston St., Hartford. |
| **DELAWARE** | MRS. WALTER S. WILLIAMS, 101 Rodman Road, Penny Hill, Wilmington.  
MRS. HOWARD G. ELY, 1204 West 10th St., Wilmington. |
| **DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA** | MRS. CHARLES CARROLL HAIG, 2656 15th St., N.W., Washington.  
MISS LILLIAN CHENOWETH, 1350 Meridian Place, N.W., Washington. |
| **FLORIDA** | MRS. E. M. BREVARD, 319 Monroe St., Tallahassee.  
MRS. T. C. MACAULAY, Zelz-Clair Villa, Plant City. |
| **GEORGIA** | MRS. JOHN S. ADAMS, 310 E. Elm St., Wichita.  
MRS. ROBERT KEENE ARNOLD, Versailles.  
MISS MARION ELEANOR SEELYE, 1105 N. Buckeye Ave., Abilene. |
| **KANSAS** | MRS. LOREN EDGAR REX, 310 E. Elm St., Wichita.  
MISS MARION ELEANOR SEELYE, 1105 N. Buckeye Ave., Abilene. |
| **KENTUCKY** | MRS. GEORGE HAWES, Marseo.  
MRS. FRED C. MORGAN, 326 Main St., Saco. |
| **LOUISIANA** | MRS. A. R. LACEY, 1816 Irving Place, Shreveport.  
MRS. CHARLES M. FLOWER, 1105 No. First St., Monroe. |
| **MAINE** | MRS. VICTOR ABOTT BINFORD, Roxbury.  
MRS. FRED C. MORGAN, 326 Main St., Saco. |
| **MARYLAND** | MRS. WILBUR BUNNELL BLAKESLEE, 222 St. Dunstan Rd., Homeland, Baltimore.  
MRS. MAUD HOLT MAULSBY, 4503 Roland Avenue, Baltimore. |
| **MASSACHUSETTS** | MRS. FRANK LEON NASON, 10 Driftway, Scituate.  
MISS ETHEL LANE HERSEY, 154 South St., Hingham. |
| **MICHIGAN** | MRS. WILLIAM CARL GEAGLEY, 1115 So. Genesee Drive, Lansing.  
MRS. OSMOND DORE HEAVENRICH, 1149 Virginia Park, Detroit, Mich. |
| **MINNESOTA** | MRS. LELAND STANFORD DUXBURY, 1974 Kenwood Parkway, Minneapolis.  
| **MISSISSIPPI** | MRS. WILLIAM KENNEDY HERRIN, JR., 101 Cypress St., Clarksdale.  
MRS. HARRY C. OGDEN, Rosedale. |
| **MISSOURI** | MRS. FRANCIS CHARLES BECKER, 1712 Watson St., St. Charles. |
| **MONTANA** | MRS. REUBEN EDWARD KNIGHT, 907 Cheyenne Ave., Alliance.  
MRS. GEORGE H. HOLDEMAN, 305 College Ave., York. |
| **NEVADA** | MRS. ELMER M. BOYNE, 624 Nixon Ave., Reno.  
MRS. FREDERICK H. SIBLEY, 307 W. Sixth St., Reno. |
| **NEW HAMPSHIRE** | MRS. CARL S. HOSKINS, Lisbon.  
MRS. MADELINE T. REYNOLDS, Dover. |
| **NEW JERSEY** | MRS. J. WARREN PERKINS (Acting), 17 Hawthorne Ave., East Orange. |
| **NEVADA** | MRS. ELMER M. BOYNE, 624 Nixon Ave., Reno.  
MRS. FREDERICK H. SIBLEY, 307 W. Sixth St., Reno. |
| **NEW HAMPSHIRE** | MRS. CARL S. HOSKINS, Lisbon.  
MRS. MADELINE T. REYNOLDS, Dover. |
| **NEW JERSEY** | MRS. J. WARREN PERKINS (Acting), 17 Hawthorne Ave., East Orange. |
| **NEW MEXICO** | MRS. ABRAHAM G. SHORTLE, 815 West Copper Ave., Albuquerque.  
MRS. ROBERT K. BELL, Farmington. |
### National Board of Management—Continued

#### NEW YORK
- **Mrs. William Henry Clapp**, Cohocton.
- **Mrs. Arthur W. Arnold**, 145 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn.

#### NORTH CAROLINA
- **Mrs. Eugene Norfleet Davis**, 107 E. Lane St., Raleigh.
- **Mrs. Curtis Wayne Spencer**, 514 Princess St., Wilmington.

#### NORTH DAKOTA
- **Mrs. Walter C. Fait**, Fingal.
- **Mrs. Raymond W. Shinnert**, 607 6th Ave., N.W., Mandan.

#### OHIO
- **Mrs. John S. Heaume**, Hotel Heaume, Springfield.
- **Mrs. James F. Donahue**, 2850 Chadbourne Road, Shaker Heights, Cleveland.

#### OKLAHOMA
- **Mrs. Jesse William Kayser**, 302 South 13th St., Chickasha.
- **Mrs. James Howard Thompson**, 174 Highland St., Shawnee Heights, Cleveland.

#### PENNSYLVANIA
- **Mrs. Harper Donelson Sheppard**, 117 Frederick St., Hanover.
- **Mrs. Ira R. Springer**, Main and Spring Streets, Middletown.

#### PHILIPPINE ISLANDS
- **Miss Ruth Bradley Sheldon**, 1903 N. 49th St., Milwaukee, Wisc.
- **Mrs. Gilbert E. Holt**, 4663 E. Bellview Place, Milwaukee.

#### UTAH
- **Mrs. W. E. Fleetwood**, 1464 S. 14th East, Salt Lake City.
- **Mrs. O. Alvin Farmley**, 730 25th St., Ogden.

#### VERMONT
- **Mrs. C. Leslie Witherek**, Shoreham.
- **Mrs. Irvin C. Crosier**, 4 Bullock St., Brattleboro.

#### VIRGINIA
- **Mrs. Arthur Rowbotham**, Bedford Ave., Altavista.
- **Miss Claudine Hutter**, 122 Harrison St., Lynchburg.

#### WASHINGTON
- **Mrs. Pelagius M. Williams**, 2607 Park Drive, Bellingham.
- **Mrs. Stark Sherman**, 709 University St., Walla Walla.

#### WEST VIRGINIA
- **Mrs. David E. French**, 2126 Reid Avenue, Bluefield.
- **Mrs. Wilson H. S. White**, Shepherdstown.

#### WISCONSIN
- **Mrs. Helen C. Kimberly Stuart**, 406 E. Wisconsin Ave., Neenah.
- **Mrs. William H. Cudworth**, 3463 E. Bellview Place, Milwaukee.

#### WYOMING
- **Mrs. Edward G. Harris**, 71 S. Willow Ave., Tampa, Fla.
- **Mrs. Roland A. Martinez**, San Rafael 12, Havana.

#### CANAL ZONE
- **Mrs. Edwin L. Luce** (Chapter Regent), Box 957, Balboa.
- **Mrs. George A. Stuckert** (Chapter Regent), Box K, Puerta de Tierra, San Juan.

#### ITALY
- **Mrs. Katherine Smoot Tuccimei** (Chapter Regent), Via Taro 39, Rome, Italy.

#### GERMANY
- **Mrs. Friedrich Eichberg** (Chapter Regent), 3a Tiersgarten Strasse, Berlin.

#### CHINA
- **Mrs. H. Holis A. Wilbur**, 3463 E. Bellview Place, Shanghai.
- **Miss Lillian Thomason**, 454 Carleton Ave., Richmond, Calif. (Temporary)

#### CUBA
- **Mrs. Edward C. Harris**, 71 S. Willow Ave., Tampa, Fla.
- **Mrs. Roland A. Martinez**, San Rafael 12, Havana.

#### ENGLAND
- **Mrs. R. A. Rothermel**, 5 Aldford House, Park Lane, London W. 1.
- **Mrs. Volney Allen Brundage**, 484 Lees Road, Richmond, Calif. (Temporary)

#### FRANCE
- **Mrs. Harlan P. Rowe**, "Littlebrook," Chamant de Senlis, Oise.

### HONORARY OFFICERS ELECTED FOR LIFE

#### New York
- **Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey**
- **Mrs. Mary Nauk Minor**
- **Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook**

#### New Jersey
- **Mrs. Drayton W. Bushnell**, 1914
- **Mrs. John Newberry Carey**, 1916
- **Mrs. William Butterworth**, 1923
- **Mrs. Thomas Kite**, 1927

#### New York
- **Mrs. Grace L. H. Brosseau**
- **Mrs. Lowel Fletcher Hobart**
- **Mrs. Russell William Magna**

#### New Jersey
- **Mrs. John Layden Buel**, 1935
- **Mrs. Henry Bourne Joy**, 1935
- **Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins**, 1935
- **Mrs. Alvin Valentine Lane**, 1936

#### New York
- **Mrs. William B. Burnet**, 1937

---

[30]
National Committees, 1937-1938

NATIONAL CHAIRMEN

APPROVED SCHOOLS .............................. Miss Katharine Matthes, 255 Whitney Ave., New Haven, Conn.
AROLINE E. HOLT SCHOLARSHIP FUND .......... Miss Ruth Bradley Sheldon, 1903 N. 49th St., Milwaukee, Wis.
AMERICAN INDIANS] .......................... Vice Chairman in Charge, Mrs. Richard Codman, Fair Oaks, Sacramento County, Calif.
INSTITUTION HALL MEMORY BOOK ............. Mrs. G. L. H. Brosseau, 485 Park Ave., New York, N. Y.
DEDICATION TO THE FLAG ..................... Mrs. Martin L. Sigmon, Monticello, Ark.
A. R. GOOD CITIZENSHIP ....................... Mrs. Raymond G. Kimbell, 8910 Cicero Ave., Niles Center, Ill.
A. R. MAGAZINE ................................ MRS. Wm. J. Ward, 58 Bellevue Ave., Summit, N. J.
A. R. MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP ............. Mrs. Robert J. Reed, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
A. R. STUDENT LOAN FUND .................... Mrs. Smith H. Stebbins, 590 East 19th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
ILLIS ISLAND ................................ Mrs. Frederick G. Johnson, 4036 Strong St., Riverside, Calif.
HING AND LENDING BUREAU .................. Dr. Jean Stephenson, The Conard, Washington, D. C.
AREALOGICAL RECORDS ....................... Mrs. Lester S. Daniels, 58 Lowden Ave., West Somerville, Mass.
ISITORIAL RESEARCH ......................... Mrs. Julian G. Goodhue, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
UNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS .................... Mrs. Walter L. Tobey, Fountain Square Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio.
UNIOR MEMBERSHIP ............................ Mrs. Leon A. McIntyre, 23 Georgian Road, Morristown, N. J.
MEMORIAL CAROLINE SCOTT HARRISON LIAISON Mrs. Walter L. Tobey, Fountain Square Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio.
PTION PICTURE ................................ Mrs. Leon A. McIntyre, 23 Georgian Road, Morristown, N. J.
PATRIOTIC EDUCATION ......................... Mrs. Vinton Earl Sisson, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
ATIONAL DEFENSE THROUGH PATRIOTIC EDUCATION ........Mrs. Lue Reynolds Spencer, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
PRESS RELATIONS .............................. Mrs. Joseph E. Pryor, 127 Whittredge Road, Summit, N. J.
ADIO ........................................... Mrs. Henry K. Daugherty, 315 W. Main St., Grove City, Pa.
REAL DAUGHTERS .............................. Mrs. Julian McCurry, Bradwell Hall, Athens, Ga.
ADVISORY ...................................... Mr. George Whitney White, National Metropolitan Bank, Washington, D. C.
REDENTIALS ................................ Mrs. Keysor Fry, 325 Douglass St., Reading, Pa.
NSIGNIA ....................................... Mrs. Frank Howland Parcells, 409 Park Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
ESOLUTIONS ................................. Mrs. Robert J. Johnston, Humboldt, Iowa.
TRANSPORTATION ............................. Mrs. Anne Fletcher Rutledge, Apt. 15, 269 1st Ave., Salt Lake City, Utah.

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES

EXECUTIVE .................................. Mrs. Wm. A. Becker, 77 Prospect St., Summit, N. J.
AUDITING ................................... Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
ANCE .......................... Mrs. Robert J. Reed, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS .................... Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
PRINTING ................................ Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.
RT CRITICS ................................ Miss Aline E. Solomons, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

All questions on State and Chapter By-Laws which it is desired be checked or inspected for conflicts with National Rules should be sent to
Mrs. John Trigg Moss, Parliamentarian,
6017 Enright Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.
In Washington—
  "Visit the store that's different"
Jelleff's is a pleasant, friendly place to visit whether you've actual shopping to do or just curious to see what's new. We specialize in fashions and accessories for women, misses and juniors, with varieties always at high peak and prices pleasantly low.

Accept with our compliments a copy of our booklet "Washington in Miniature"—worthwhile memento of your Washington visit!

Jelleff's
1214-1220 F STREET N. W.

Fountain Court
Washington, D. C.
Governor House
Superior accommodations for delegates to the National D. A. R. Congress.
3640 Sixteenth St. Columbia 0294

ANNIN & CO.
OFFICIAL FLAG MAKERS
85 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK
Write for Catalogue of D. A. R. Flags; also makers of C. A. R. Flags

MY KINSMEN
Record Books
Keep Record
of Family groups and Ancestry Systematically. One Book $1.00, Wove Sheets $.25 extra, Postage $.10. State if for a D. A. R.
THEDA KORN GROSS
W. Pike St. Jackson Center, Ohio

In Washington Use
Diamond Cabs Limousines
P0tomac 6200

Ask the Driver for a copy of The Diamond Chatterbox
Tells You "Where to Go" "What to See"

UNITED STATES
COAT OF ARMS
CHINA

PRICES ON REQUEST
ODD PIECES OR COMPLETE DINNER SERVICE—CREATED IN AMERICA BY THEODORE HAVILAND Expressly for MR. FOSTER'S REMEMBRANCE SHOP 606-13th STREET N. W., WASH., D. C. "The House of Gifts"
I want you to come into the garden with me. It is a very old garden. In it are gnarled olive trees, and great gray boulders, and steep narrow paths. There is a silvery tinge to the trees, and their leaves meet in misty masses. Through the translucence they assume strange shapes. For daylight has not come yet. It is very early in the morning, very cool and quiet. We have not come to the garden joyfully. We have come sadly, despairingly, crushed by grief, overwhelmed by loss. We feel that we have nothing left to live for. And yet we go into it, partly because this is our custom, and it is hard to break away from familiar habit; partly because in time of trouble, a garden is a shelter and a sanctuary. Its solitude is soothing to our mourning hearts. But we have no sense of salvation as we enter it; only a sense of secrecy—and of a sepulchre. The silvery leaves are quivering. The stones, solid as they are, seem to be shaking too; we are precipitated over the paths. The light is changing, and as radiance permeates the mist, we cease to stumble among the ancient foundations, the ancient walls no longer confine us, the dolorous weight is lifted from our souls. Our vision clears at last, and raising our bowed heads, we venture to gaze, straight and steadfastly, ahead of us. And lo! instead of a dreadful apparition, we see the Angel of the Lord, “his countenance like lightning, his raiment white as snow.” Instead of a sepulchre, we see a shrine. Instead of destruction and death, we see everlasting life. This is not an experience of long ago, far away. It is a perennial privilege. Of the many lessons we have learned concerning Easter, there is one which seems persistently to escape us. This is its significance not in relation to joy but in relation to sorrow. We forget that it marks not only the beginning of a festival season, but the end of a period set apart for penitence. We overlook the slender interval of separation between supreme failure and supreme fulfillment. Yet would it not help us immeasurably, in our most difficult and dreadful hours, if we could remember that: “Calvary and Easter day, Earth’s saddest day and gladdest day Were just three days apart!” Come into the garden with me. Wait and pray. Watch and you will see. Listen and you will hear. Search your own soul as you listen to the questions “Why weepest thou? Why seek ye the living among the dead?” Testify to your own faith as you heed the assurance “He is not here; for He is risen.” Do this, and the rebirth of Easter, without which the birth of Christmas loses most of its meaning, will be your for ever and ever.