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COVER STORY

The Moravian Candle Tea, in the restored village of Old Salem, has become a local tradition. This yearly event is an occasion which combines hospitality and fellowship and marks the opening of the Christmas season for the area. It also serves to link the present with the past through the various phases of the candle-making, the putz (Christmas scene), and the sugar cake and coffee which are served to visitors. In this way it gives emphasis to the religious significance and the timelessness of Christmas, the birthday of Christ, our Lord. In the cover photo, two young ladies, dressed in costumes similar to those worn by the women in the early years in Salem, examine the hand-dipped candles made of beeswax and tallow. The ruff of red paper near the base is an added decoration which contributes to the Christmas spirit.

The photo is through the courtesy of Old Salem, Inc., Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

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As we gaze upon the face of the Madonna and her Holy Child at this Christmas Season, my wish for each of you is that you have:

The Strength to endure the vicissitudes that are a part of life;

The Courage to face the crises confronting each of us as we try to shape our lives according to the Divine Plan;

The Vision to perceive the inherent goodness and beauty of spirit that lies buried in each heart and mind;

The Peace, Joy and Love made manifest to us by the birth of the Saviour.

May the 1973 Christmas Season be particularly meaningful to you and those you love.

In all sincerity,

Eleanor W. Spicer
Mrs. Donald Spicer
President General, NSDAR
Sentinels of Protection

BY JEANNETTE O. BAYLIES
State Regent, New York

ON April 16, 1973, prior to the opening of the 82nd Continental Congress, the New York State Organization, in a colorful dedication ceremony, presented to the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution twin 50 foot flagpoles to flank the front entrance of Constitution Hall. These poles, together with the 8 x 12 American Flag and the Banner of the National Society were a gift from the New York Daughters.

Participating in the ceremony were the Mount Vernon Guard Fife and Drum Corps, a Marine Color Guard, a four-man Honor Guard and Bugler and a three-man Flag Detail.

Presenting a colorful appearance in their Marine colonial uniforms and wearing white wigs and dark tricorns, was the Fife and Drum Corps, a contingent of the Mount Vernon Guard of Alexandria, Virginia, a patriotic group of young boys and girls serving as volunteer guards of Mount Vernon, Woodlawn Plantation and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier of the American Revolution. It is noted for its playing of Revolutionary War songs and marches.

The ceremony commenced with the playing of martial music by the Corps. The President General, Mrs. Donald Spicer; the Chaplain General, Mrs. Clarence Whitfield Kemper and the New York State Regent, Mrs. George U. Baylies, preceded by two New York State Pages, Miss Jacqueline Post and Mrs. Phillip Parks, each carrying the folded flags, descended the front steps of Constitution Hall amidst members of the National Board of Management, New York members, DAR personnel and others attending Continental Congress who were gathered on the steps on either side of the processional.

The President General, in introducing Mrs. Baylies said, “We are here this morning to receive these handsome and appropriate gifts which are being presented by the New York State Organization. It is a pleasure to present Mrs. George U. Baylies, State Regent of New York.”

In her presentation remarks Mrs. Baylies said, “As State Regent of the New York State Organization, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, it is a privilege to be here today to present and dedicate a special gift to the National Society.

“These twin 50 foot flagpoles which flank the front entrance of Constitution Hall together with the Flag of our Nation and the Banner of our Society are being presented by the New York members . . .

“They are exact duplicates of the flagpoles at the front entrance of Memorial Continental Hall, also given through New York, and will now join THEM as Sentinels of Protection, thus enclosing our magnificent block of build-

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nings in one cohesive unit, lending further identity and dignity to the National Society.

"It has always seemed strange that our beloved Constitution Hall, built by the DAR honoring the Constitution of the United States, has never had an American Flag beside or in front of it.

"Therefore, Madame President General, the members of New York in 175 chapters, wishing to pay tribute to YOU and to their great and enduring organization present these flagpoles as a Bicentennial gift to the National Society."

The Page stepped to the American Flagpole, handed the flag to the Marines stationed there and while it was being fastened to the halyards, Mrs. Baylies went on to say, "And as we watch our Nation’s Flag rising majestically to the top, we will be reminded that it must always fly high in our hearts for it epitomizes all we hold dear as true Americans and loyal members . . ."

While the flag slowly rose to the top, the Marine bugler sounded "To the Colors" and when it reached the pinnacle, a slight breeze caught it and it proudly unfurled for all to see.

The Page with the DAR Banner moved to the other flagpole and as it was secured by the Marines, Mrs. Baylies said, "And as we watch the Banner of our National Society, so dear to us and an inspiration to us as members, also rise to the top, we are reminded that it symbolizes not only service to Home and Country, but of deep and lasting friendships . . . This too flies high in our hearts as members privileged to be a part of this great and patriotic organization. . . ."

While the Banner rose to the top, a continuous rolling crescendo of drums was heard and it too unfurled in the breeze as it reached its pinnacle.

Mrs. Baylies concluded by saying, "...and so, Madam President General, as our National Society is giving a Gift to the Nation in this Bicentennial period, the New York State Organization is giving a gift to the National Society. . . ."

The President General in accepting this gift said, "On behalf of the National Society, I accept with deep gratitude these stately flagpoles which will fly the Colors of our Country and our Society in front of Constitution Hall, a most fitting and timely tribute during this Bicentennial era."

The National Anthem was played by the Fife and Drum Corps. Mrs. Baylies then introduced the Chaplain General, Mrs. Kemper who gave the dedicatory prayer and followed with the Benediction: "O Lord, this is a significant day in the annals of DAR, as we stand here accepting this second pair of magnificent flagpoles to carry aloft the twin banners of the United States of America and of our National Society for the world to see and realize anew our dedication to all that is fundamentally and first American.

"We are grateful for the generosity of gracious donors who had this splendid vision and have brought to reality another dignified DAR dream . . . this impressive four-point placement . . . a completed square of flags about our handsome buildings.

"May the givers thereof be richly blest and the gift remain as enduring and timeless as our Nation and its history.

Wave Flags above us,
Thy bright folds release,
Billow up heavenward,
Free-flying, speak Peace.
Sing out the story
Of this brave land,
Pay reverent, silent tribute
As you reach for God’s Hand.

"Now, Divine Spirit of this Universe, unsurpassed in glory and power, bless us as we go, saying in benediction . . . Fulfill thy destiny, America, let nothing deter thee and live true to thy greatness, journeying in MY MIGHT . . . Amen."

The flagpoles are of anodized aluminum and weigh 385 pounds each. Cone tapered, they are topped with hand hammered copper eagles with a 23-inch wingspread, gilded with gold leaf. Each has two sets of nylon halyards and a revolving truck on top to prevent the flags from wrapping the pole. At the base of each pole are bronze plaques mounted in granite stone with raised lettering which reads, "PRESENTED TO THE NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION BY THE NEW YORK STATE ORGANIZATION, NSDAR, MRS. GEORGE U. BAYLIES, STATE REGENT. APRIL 16, 1973."

In the upper left hand corner is the DAR insignia and in the lower right hand corner is a facsimile of the New York State pin.

Since the flagpoles that flank the entrance to Memorial Continental Hall (the first building erected by the DAR) were given by Mrs. Baylies through New York in honor of the National Society’s Diamond Jubilee, it seemed only fitting that in this Bicentennial period, the New York members should erect duplicates for Constitution Hall, the second building built by the National Society.

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The National Society Regrets to Report the Death of:

HELEN HAMMETT ORR (MRS. MARSHALL PINCKNEY) on May 1, 1973. Mrs. Orr, a member of the Cateechee Chapter, served as South Carolina State Regent 1942-45 and Vice President General, 1948-51.

DECEMBER 1973
The Past Is Prelude To The Future

By Sara Roddis Jones

It has been said that the past is the prelude to the future. As we approach the Bicentennial of the birth of our Nation, it will be a time of reviewing the proud history of the United States. Let it also be a time for recognizing our responsibility for the future of this Country, a time of renewed faith in America, and of reaffirmation of our own DAR motto, “Home and Country.” We can do so by rededicating ourselves to the moral and spiritual and constitutional values which brought this Nation to the pinnacle of greatness. These values must be carried into the future.

No DAR needs to be reminded of their importance. Moral and spiritual values are part of our daily lives. But what of our knowledge of the Constitution? How well are we equipped to defend and guard it; to perpetuate its values and thereby assure the “blessings of liberty” not only to ourselves, but to posterity?

Under the framework of the Constitution the American people have enjoyed a degree of freedom unparalleled in history. But freedom is never free. Each generation must earn freedom if it is to deserve it, and the price of freedom is still eternal vigilance.

As we reflect on our responsibilities toward our Country, we can remember with pride that the Constitution was once described by the English statesman, William E. Gladstone as “the most wonderful work ever struck off at a given time by the brain and purpose of man.” William Jennings Bryan called the Constitution “our children’s richest legacy”, and it should be that, indeed. However, by itself, the Constitution cannot guarantee the perpetuation of freedom. That is the responsibility of the American people and the fact is that, today, the Constitution is honored more in the breach than the observance.

Year after year we observe Constitution Day and Week. On these occasions, we either point with pride to the “blessings of liberty” thus far secured to the American people by the Constitution, or we mourn the erosion of constitutional values and principles that has already taken place. In either event, we cannot much longer ignore the unhappy fact that there are in this Country those who have neither reverence for, nor any real knowledge of the Constitution.

No less important to the preservation of freedom must be an awareness that there are, today, men in high places in and out of Government, who chafe under the still remaining “checks and balances” of a Constitution they regard as outmoded. There are also those who are willing to subordinate constitutional Government and national sovereignty to a socialistic and one-world government.

The Constitution of the United States is part of the basic strength of this Nation. Its preservation is the joint responsibility of the people of the United States. Its principles are as immutable as those of mathematics. They are founded on the belief that liberty is God-given and that the Government should be the servant and not the master of the people.

During the last three or four decades, many of the restraints on Government have broken down and the “checks and balances” seriously weakened. Countless bills approved by Congress vest wide discretionary powers in the hands of the President. This power is further augmented by “Executive Orders” which are issued under the authority of existing laws and do not require further approval by Congress. They become the “law of the land” when placed in the Federal Register unless rescinded by Congress within a specified time.

Every American should know of the existence of Executive orders which already offer the means of achieving unprecedented and dictatorial power at any time the Chief Executive finds it necessary to declare an “emergency.” No less important is the fact that the Executive branch of Government is free to determine what constitutes that “emergency.”

In the lifetime of many of us, there has been an enormous expansion of government power and bureaucratic controls with consequent undermining of the Constitution.

In the name of “liberalism,” a substantial degree of socialism has been fastened upon the American people at the cost of individual constitutional liberty. Who is there to remember today the warning of the late Senator Harry F. Byrd in 1964 when he said:

“We are being enticed into central-
ized government by Federal paternalism, forced into centralization by Federal usurpation of power, and driven to centralization under the burden of public debt.

"Make no mistake. Excessive Federal spending in Federal aid and all other Federal programs is a lever of centralized power which may crush the blessings of liberty right out of the Preamble to our Constitution."

The expansion of Federal power referred to by the late Senator has been achieved at the expense of the reserved powers of the States as set forth in the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution. The rights of the States have been steadily whittled away over a period of almost four decades without evoking serious protest from either the States or the people.

How many of us are there today who ever stop to think that States' Rights are not the property of some political party or right-wing extremist? States' Rights are set forth in the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution, and part and parcel of our Bill of Rights.

In this era of so-called detente with such communist nations as the Soviet Union and China, it isn't easy to arouse the American people to the dangers of a possible communist takeover from within. But why should we leave our back door wide open and risk such an eventuality? Let no American ever forget that it isn't easy to take over a Country which is divided into 50 sovereign States, each of which has its own sovereign army in the form of the National Guard, each of which has control of its property laws, its educational system, its police force, its ballot box, and its electoral laws.

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The first great crack in the Constitution came in 1913 with the adoption of the 16th Amendment and the Federal Reserve Act. In that year Congress was given its first unfettered grant of power when no limitations were placed on the Amendment empowering it to tax incomes. In the same year, Congress lost control of the money power through the Federal Reserve Act, the most far-reaching currency law ever placed on the books.

In 1917, another quiet revolution took place with the passage of the 17th Amendment. Until 1917, the House of Representatives was regarded as the House of the people, and the Senate was the House of the 48 sovereign States. Only the House was elected directly by the people. The Senate was elected by the legislatures of the several States. This was an important part of our republican form of government, since it was presumed that the States in their House would be a check on sudden and ill-considered action by the House of the people.

The 17th Amendment changed all that. A Senator is no longer responsible to his State but to the people who elect him. He is obliged to campaign, and campaigns cost more money with each passing day. Thus, he is obliged to have backers and he may, therefore, cease to be the owner of himself.

We are reaping the whirlwind today. Our States no longer have representation in Washington. Instead they have become mendicants at its gates. We cannot always foresee the consequences of Amendments to the Constitution. It was for this reason that the amending process was deliberately made slow and cumbersome as a protection against too rapid and ill-considered action.

Consider what has happened to the so-called Equal Rights (for women) Amendment. For approximately 30 years the Amendment was regarded as untouchable by Congress. Suddenly, in 1972, under pressure from the "Women's Libbers," the Amendment sailed through Congress before many of us knew what had happened. In the first flush of enthusiasm almost 20 States hastened to ratify the Amendment, but then the reaction set in.

In a matter of months, American women woke up to the fact that they might lose more than they would gain under the Amendment, and that ERA would nullify most of the protective legislation for women that had been written into law so laboriously over a long period of years.

A case in point is my own State of Wisconsin, which was quick to ratify the proposed Amendment. However, in 1973, when Wisconsin sought to amend its constitution to conform with the proposed Amendment, it was the women of the State who defeated the measure overwhelmingly.

There is another proposed constitutional Amendment in the Congressional hopper which the American people will want to study carefully. Claiming that naturalized citizens are second class citizens because they are not eligible for the presidency of the United States, proponents of the Amendment urge that any naturalized citizen shall be eligible for the presidency after 14 years of residence in this Country as a citizen of the United States.

The DAR is proud of its record of assisting aliens to achieve citizenship in the United States. The Society has awarded naturalized citizens many medals for distinguished service to their adopted Country, recognizing that these men and women may appreciate liberty more than many native-born Americans who have never known what it is to lose liberty. However, to grant any and all naturalized citizens the right to seek the
For a Constitutional Amendment

Idaho, and Congressman John Ashbrook of Ohio, have introduced identical amendments, except that Congressman Symms calls his the Bricker Amendment.

Here is an Amendment which is essential to the preservation of national sovereignty and is offered as a means of plugging a dangerous loophole in the Constitution—the treaty power. So long as treaties concerned only such things as fishing rights and international boundaries, the treaty clause in the Constitution offered no threat to American liberties or sovereignty. But, when the United States ratified the United Nations Charter as a treaty, a Pandora's Box of potential trouble was opened up, with far reaching consequences.

It is likely that the United Nations Charter would never have been ratified had it not contained a proviso specifically denying the United Nations the right to intervene in the domestic affairs of member nations. Although the United Nations was organized and accepted for the primary purpose of considering ways and means of implementing world peace, from the moment of its inception it became a perfect hatchery for treaties, covenants and pacts which had as their purpose the regulation of the domestic affairs of every nation on earth.

Probably the most famous of these Conventions spawned by the United Nations is the Genocide Convention. For more than 20 years the Senate, in its wisdom, has refused to ratify the Genocide Convention, but propaganda in its behalf has been dinner into American ears during all of these years. At the same time, the arguments against the Genocide Convention have lost some of their effectiveness through constant repetition. Thus, if and when it is allowed to come up in the Senate, there is at least a possibility that the Genocide Convention may be ratified unless the American people rouse themselves once more and successfully oppose it.

Treaties never die until either ratified or defeated, but here is a Convention or Treaty which fails in its original purpose of preventing genocide by nations. A careful reading of the Convention reveals that it is directed primarily against individuals rather than nations. Moreover, the crime of genocide is so poorly defined that it includes "causing mental harm" to individuals and "incitement to genocide," whatever that is.

Who shall say what constitutes "mental harm" or "incitement to genocide"? And for this shall an American risk being hailed before an international tribunal, with little knowledge or understanding of the guaranties of the American Bill of Rights? Shall we risk having an American soldier accused of the crime of genocide in a foreign country, when he is there at the behest of his own Government? What does this Convention or treaty really mean?

The obvious and immediate danger this Convention presents is that it will deny American citizens rights thus far secured by the Constitution. What is not so well understood is that it would convert what had hitherto been considered domestic crimes into international crimes. Is that what we want for America?

The great majority of Americans are unaware that Conventions such as the Genocide Convention are actually treaties. Moreover, a whole generation has grown up with little or no understanding of the awesome power of treaties. Many of our young people have never even heard the vivid warning concerning the dangers of treaty law once given by John Foster Dulles.

Prior to becoming Secretary of State under President Eisenhower, John Foster Dulles warned:

"The treaty making power is an extraordinary power liable to abuse. . . . Under our Constitution treaties become the supreme law of the land. . . . treaty law can override the Constitution. Treaties . . . can take powers away from Congress and give them to the President; they can take powers from the State and give them to the Federal Government or to some international body and they can cut across the rights given to the people by the constitutional Bill of Rights." (Italics supplied)

It was with this warning in mind twenty years ago that the American people fought for the so-called Bricker Amendment to the Constitution as a means of safeguarding national sovereignty and protecting constitutional rights. In 1953, when the effort failed by one vote in the Senate, the effort collapsed as if it had never been.

Meanwhile, the dangers of treaty law remain. Treaty law provides the means for circumventing the limitations imposed by the Constitution of the United States. Treaty law is the means by which the internationalists can hope to lead a heedless Nation down the road to world government, and thereby subvert our Constitution.

Here it should be noted that treaties are not the only instrument which can be used to override constitutional government. Constitutional government can be placed in jeopardy by executive agreements ever since the Supreme Court ruled in United States vs. Pink (315 U.S. 203, 228), that an executive agreement, made by the President alone in his conduct of foreign affairs, is, like a treaty, the supreme law of the land.

The United Nations Charter was ratified as a treaty, but do any of us know today how much sovereignty has already been surrendered to the United Nations and its subsidiaries through treaties and executive agreements? Eight years ago, the State Department of the United States listed more than 4,000 treaties and international agreements in force. There must be many more today.

Meanwhile, what of the spreading tentacles of UNESCO? What of the continuing reach for power by the International Monetary Fund? What of the fact that, when regulations of the International Health Organization or World Health Organization are enacted and sent to this Country, the Congress rarely hears about them nor does the President, but they are expected to become internal law.

We had a forceful reminder of the authority now claimed by the United Nations this very year (1973). United States Ambassador to the United Nations, Mr. John Scali, insisted that action taken by the United Nations Security Council "is legally binding on the United States."

Here was the American Ambassador to the United Nations insisting that the United States must comply with the dictates of the United Nations Security Council and, therefore, bow to the U.N. embargo against Rhodesian chrome. Sanctions against trade with Rhodesia had been imposed in late 1965, and the United States dutifully went along until 1971. At that time, Senator Byrd of Virginia successfully

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FROM THE PRESIDENT GENERAL'S CALENDAR FOR NOVEMBER: On the travel plans of Mrs. Donald Spicer, President General, a trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, to attend the marking of the grave of the Junior American Citizens Committee founder. A plaque was placed on the grave of Carolina Menzies Murphy (Mrs. John A.), who, in 1901, organized the Children of the Republic, as the JAC Committee was originally called. Mrs. Murphy was State Regent of Ohio, 1901-03, and Vice President General, 1903-06. The memorial to the first chairman was the joint project of the Cincinnati Chapter, the JAC Committee, and the Ohio State Society.

Also on the President General's schedule, her official visit to the Mexico Daughters on November 26th in Mexico City. While there, to share Thanksgiving with the Regent of the John Edwards Chapter, Mrs. Gabriel Saavedra, and her family on the Sunday preceding the meeting.

THE MEMORY LINGERS ON: The luncheon at Hillside School for Boys in Marlborough, Mass., a year-round school and home for boys between the ages of 8 and 14 that the DAR has supported since 1925, was a much appreciated opportunity for the NSDAR members on the Historic Bus Tour to become better acquainted with this Approved School. The older boys presided over the tables and very efficiently served the creamed chicken on toast and salad. The food had been raised, or grown, on the School farm and the boys were very proud of the chance to "show off" the results of some of their non-classroom activities in this very acceptable form.

NOTED SCULPTOR DIES: Anna Hyatt Huntington, famous for her equestrian statues and figures of small animals - on display in more than 200 museums and galleries all over the world - died recently at her home in Bethel, Conn., at age 97. She was a member of the New Netherland Chapter, N.Y. In 1961, Mrs. Huntington sculpted the statue of Sybil Ludington, the female Paul Revere, which stands beside Gleneida Lake in Carmel, N.Y. (Drawing at top of page.) A miniature replica of this statue, the gift of the sculptor to NSDAR, may be seen in Memorial Continental Hall below the painting by the contemporary artist, Herbert Bohnert, of the 85-year-old Mrs. Huntington at work on the larger than life-size statue.

FIRST WHITE HOUSE CHRISTMAS TREE: Caroline Scott Harrison, wife of President Benjamin Harrison, and first President General of the NSDAR, had the first Christmas tree set up in the Executive Mansion, in 1889. It was placed in the Oval Room on the second floor of the White House for the Harrison grandchildren.

INITIAL BICENTENNIAL OBSERVANCE: The first event that occurred in the Colonies relating to the American Revolutionary War took place in December 1773. The British Parliament passed the Tea Act that year to enable the East India Company, which was almost bankrupt, to sell tea directly to America, eliminating the middleman. This also reduced the price for the Americans, but it was still taxed. English ships riding at anchor in Boston Harbor on December 16, 1773 were boarded by 150 Bostonians disguised as Indians, and 342 chests of tea were dumped overboard. In history, the event is known as the Boston Tea Party.
REMINDER for Christmas Gifts: Hurry! There's still time to send a Bicentennial bonbon, silver or bronze Bicentennial medallion or either eagle or Bicentennial logo tile. (See November DAR Magazine Bicentennial page for order form and offer of gift card enclosure.) Get your order in NOW to avoid disappointment. The Bicentennial PIN is now available at J.E. Caldwell, Jewelers at $12.00 gold-filled. Remember, this lovely commemorative pin is for ALL DAR members.

December will be festive and merry in many Chapters where Bicentennial programs emphasize American Christmases, past and present. Often combining with American Heritage, there will be Christmas music, bell ringers, customs, celebrations and old-fashioned Tasting Parties to enjoy treasured recipes handed down through generations. Several Chapters will focus on historic churches by having Christmas Services at original sites with programs planned to recall Christmases past. Others are re-enacting Christmas in Colonial schools and Prairie Schools with a traditional "school program." Congratulations on this ACTION to "Make Local History Live."

Brand-new and ready-to-use Bicentennial programs just added to the file include: "The Origin and Customs of the Moravians" researched (and re-lived) by Mrs. Willard M. Hausman provides authentic and first-hand information in a most enjoyable manner; fine for Christmas or general use. A skit by Mrs. Charles A. Lewis, "Samuel Adams and the Boston Tea Party," is timely and adapts well to any size Chapter. A playlet by Mrs. A. John Kirby, "Grandmother's Chair," tells the delightful story with few characters needed. Secure from National Program Office at 50¢ each.

This Fall DAR members met the public at State and County Fairs with Bicentennial exhibits and enthusiasm. Mrs. Edythe Whitley reports on Tennessee Daughters successful State Fair project where hundreds of pounds of materials were distributed and emphasis on history and conservation were promoted. Long-range benefits, excellent publicity and goodwill were welcome "side benefits" from this splendid Bicentennial undertaking. Basking Ridge, N.J., participated in the Kiwanis Fair, reaping widespread interest and prominent recognition with their Bicentennial booth.

A "Bicentennial Living History Fair" made 1776 "come alive" when Jeptha Abbott Chapter staged in full colonial costume this event at Merion, Penna. Friends Meeting House (1695), School and General Wayne Inn (1704), colonial crafts, Colonial Fashion Show, music and dancing on the Village Green, floral demonstration, historical flag pageantry, and colonial meals were some of the Fair's tempting offerings. The living History Fair Closed with a "Fiddler's Finale on the Green" and dinner in the Benjamin Franklin/Post Office Room with music and frivolity of the Colonial Era. This splendid project was a Community Service of the Chapter to Make Local History Live. HATS OFF to Harrisburg Chapter, Mrs. W. G. Martin, Regent, and the Bicentennial Committee. (Compliments to this Chapter too for the Bicentennial Calendar pages in the Yearbook.

Arizona State Society, in cooperation with Coronado National Forest, dedicated a Monument and Plaque at Old Camp John A. Rucker as a Bicentennial State Project. Ceremonies held at the site located in what is known as "Apacheria" were marked by the unusual fact that for the first time in eighty-seven years, the Flag of the United States of America was raised at the historic site. An important Supply Post for troops in southeastern Arizona, Old Camp Rucker has a history of frontier warfare and establishment of reservations for Indians of the Southwest. Colonial A.V. Corley, Commanding Officer, Ft. Huachuca gave the Dedication address at which the 5th Cavalry Memorial Regiment and Band performed. Others assisting represented the Arizona Historical Association and Bicentennial Commission of Arizona. Mrs. Richard W. Enz, State Regent, and Mrs. John L. Quinn, Bicentennial State Chairman coordinated project plans which culminated in the impressive marking of this one-time vital Western outpost.
In the Banquet Hall, where refreshments were served, are pictured Mr. Cecil B. Wall, Director, Mount Vernon, Mrs. Malcolm Matheson, Jr., National Vice Chairman in Charge of Special Events, and Mrs. Clarence Kemper, Chaplain General.

Recently, the DAR Museum Special Events Committee sponsored a lecture on 18th Century Table Settings by Mrs. Louise Belden, Assistant Curator, Winterthur Museum, pictured left with Mrs. Elisabeth Garrett, Director-Curator, DAR Museum. At right, refreshments are enjoyed by Mrs. Nelson Downes, Museum Advisor, Ridley Park, Pa. who is served by Mrs. F. A. Paul Ziesmer, Treasurer General.

During the October Meeting of the National Board of Management a reception and special exhibit was held announcing the publication of a new book, "The White House Gardens." On hand to present a copy to the President General, Mrs. Donald Spicer (right), and to autograph copies of the book which is sponsored by the National Society, was the author, Mr. Frederick Kramer (far left). Shown with Mrs. Spicer and Mr. Kramer is Mr. Clement Conger, Curator of the White House. Below, the Curator General and Hostess for the afternoon reception, Mrs. Walter Hughey King (left), examines the book with Mrs. Kramer, Mrs. Spicer and Mrs. Helen Smith, Press Secretary for the First Lady, Mrs. Richard Nixon.
JOHN EDWARDS (Mexico City, Mexico). In Mexico City, on a big glorietta named Plaza del Jorge Washington, a magnificent bronze statue of George Washington stands high above the rush of traffic flowing along Londres Avenue. Commemorating the opening Bicentennial year, members of Mexico City’s American Legion, ladies of the AR Chapter there, and a representative of the American Embassy placed a kingsized wreath on the massive white marble base. The bronze, showing the General in cape and jabot, holding a tricorn hat in his left hand, was cast by an Italian sculptor, Pombeo Vorpin when the gift was made from the United States to Mexico City in 1911.

Two blocks beyond the extended right hand is another reminder of Mexico’s friendly neighbor; the Benjamin Franklin Library and several blocks to the left is the Mexicano-Americano Instituto where approximately 800 Mexicans learn English and 300 Americans and other nationalities learn Spanish.—Eileen Charbo.

KAN YUK SA (Jacksonville, Fla.). Mrs. Norman Doyle, Regent, presented a coveted DAR Americanism medal for naturalized citizens on April 5, 1973, to Mrs. G. W. (Ursula) Cone. Mrs. Cone was born in Germany and lived there until the close of World War II in 1945. She applied for entry to the United States and was one of the fortunate ones to be accepted. She became a citizen in 1954. Now a resident of Jacksonville, she is an active member of the Main Street Baptist Church, teaches in the Youth Department, and is alert to help others who are desirous of obtaining American Citizenship. She attended an American History class at the University of Florida in preparation for citizenship. Mrs. H. Wilton Thornton, past Regent and current Americanism Chairman made the nomination for this national recognition. The presentation was followed up with a feature story of Mrs. Cone in the Florida Times-Union of April 6, 1973.

Constitution Week, sponsored by Kan Yuk sa Chapter, of which Mrs. Archie Almand was chairman, was an active, informative and colorful week of involvement by the entire student body of Victory Christian Academy. Town Criers patrolled the halls, rang antique bells and chanted their “Hear Ye, Hear Ye” as they entered each classroom. Their scrolls were unrolled and bits of history about the Constitution, the Bill of Rights were read to all the students. Authentic costumes were worn by many of the students and faculty. Every classroom and the halls displayed patriotic art work, depicting the Constitution and life of that period.

Throughout the year, Mrs. Thornton “Told the DAR Story” by the use of slides and pictures to our chapter and many other chapters throughout the city and district.—Agnes Perritt Axson.

WOOSTER-WAYNE (Wooster, Ohio). Mrs. L. C. Knight, Ohio’s only Real Granddaughter, and Miss Harriet Knight were hostesses for a Washington’s Birthday meeting of the Wooster-Wayne Chapter DAR at College Hills Cuthbertson Center. Miss Knight presented the Program “250th Anniversary of Litchfield, Conn.” Mrs. John Fair Myers introduced Miss Margaret Gilmore, winner of the Good Citizen Contest. Ohio Juniors presented the doll, “Miss Jane,” named for the Ohio State Regent, as a part of their project for raising money for the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund. “Miss Jane” was at the meeting. Her array of costumes was increased by the gift of a gown made by Miss Knight. This gown is a replica of Mrs. Knight’s wedding gown.—Agnes E. Nesbitt.

CEDAR FALLS (Cedar Falls, Iowa). Delegates traveled by bus to Lincoln where their official hostess, Mrs. Charles Sayre, daughter of a Daughter from Cedar Falls, took them to the Capitol for the ceremony of induction honoring Bess Streeter Aldrich as the seventh member of the Nebraska Hall of Fame. Preceding her in such honor were Willa Cather, Father Flanigan, William Jennings Bryan, George Norris, John J. Pershing and Buffalo Bill. Mrs. Young, Regent, gave the Cedar Falls tribute which was written by Mrs. Black, past Regent, Of the seven novels and more than 160 short stories by Mrs. Aldrich, at least three (Lantern in Her Hand, Song of Years, and Miss Bishop) feature Cedar Falls pioneers and the setting for the first named was Cedar Falls as Cedar Town. The delegates attended open house in the home of the author’s daughter, Mrs. Milton Beechner. The chapter has presented a tape of the ceremony and news articles to the Cedar Falls public library.

Since 1968 the chapter has been at work on two Bicentennial objectives aimed at...
fruition in 1976. The first is a shelf of books by Bess Streeter Aldrich for display in the 1890 Period Room at the Cedar Falls Historical Society Museum.

The other project is the naming and marking of city-owned riverfront land near the new bridge over the Cedar on highway #20 in honor of Peter Melendy, Cedar Falls pioneer and former mayor.

The chapter has a Bicentennial program each year and chapter members are serving on local Bicentennial committees.

MAGNOLIA STATE (Jackson, Mississippi). Focusing on the coming Bicentennial of the United States of America, and in line with DAR objectives, Magnolia State DAR, held a Spirit of '76 luncheon in July featuring as guest speaker, Mrs. Herbert D. Forrest, Honorary State Regent and MSDAR Bicentennial Chairman, who stressed position of leadership maintained by DAR across the nation in promotion of plans and projects for observance of the 200th anniversary of the nation.

Mrs. Cecil Smith, Chapter Regent, welcomed guests to this second annual Spirit of '76 luncheon, commenting on the tea bag favors reminiscent of that famous "tea party"—"one held by those Boston radicals—including the two Adams boys—who dressed as Indians had a party in the Spirit of 1773!"

An Honor Roll Chapter of 220 members, Magnolia State has 22 Junior members, the youngest of whom is pictured. Members serving on State level are Mrs. Max Pharr, First Vice Regent; Mrs. John N. Bookhart, Public Relations; Mrs. Hooper Donald, Vice-Chairman, Public Relations; Mrs. Elbert F. Ward, State Chairman C.A.R. Miss Helen Paul is Vice President of South Central Region C.A.R.—Marvin R. Donald.

NATHANIEL BACON (Richmond, Va.). A recent project under the Heritage Program appears considerably overdue. Could there be a landmark in Virginia of greater historical significance than the birthplace of our FIRST FIRST Lady, Martha Dandridge Washington? Should not the site be a very special and noted shrine?

Upon first inquiry as to the location there was only rather vague direction given as "somewhere in New Kent County." In conducting some research, however, on the picturesque Pamunkey River an amazing fact was learned. The frame home built by Martha Dandridge’s father in about 1721 withstood fire and time for more than two hundred years, finally burning in 1926. Of the original group of buildings of Martha’s childhood, only the smokehouse survived the fire.

Still more surprising, however, than the long duration of her birthplace is the fact that "Poplar Grove" where she met George Washington is standing today and also famous St. Peter’s Church where it is believed they were married.

It is hoped that excavation can be renewed in the old family cemetery nearby that had begun some years ago. There are no grave markers above ground now, but according to English custom of long ago name-plates were often placed directly on the coffins themselves. How interesting it would be to find the graves of Martha’s mother and father and possibly other members of her family. What a project for these active, modern archaeologists!!

On the lawn of the Colonial-type present home is a standard bronze marker erected by the Martha Washington Chapter DAR, Washington, D. C.—Jacqueline Mallory Smith.

HANNAH CALDWELL (Davenport, Iowa). Granddaughter Mrs. Othel Kendall, left, and great-granddaughter, Hannah Caldwell Chapter Davenport, Iowa, Regent Mrs. Arthur Hostens, right, examine the marker to be placed on the grave of their ancestor Mary Louisa Dun- can Putnam who was Iowa’s first State Regent 1891-1893. Four generations have been active Iowa DARs. Present Iowa State Regent, Mrs. Flourney Corey, center, presided at the ceremony which took place on Flag Day.

LIBERTY BELL (Allentown, Pennsylvania). June 9 marked a four-way celebration for the Liberty Bell Chapter at its annual Flag Day luncheon held at the Lehigh Country Club. It commemorated the eightieth year of the chapter’s inception and observed the day set aside to honor our country’s flag; a date of special significance to us since it was through the efforts of Allentonian Joe H. Hart that our city has the only chartered Flag Day Association in the United States and only in Pennsylvania is June 14 a legal holiday. Liberty Bell was again joined by the Valley Forge Chapter SAR, a continuing leader in Zion’s UCC Church, in the Lehigh County Medical Society, the Exchange Club and several other civic and patriotic organizations.

A recipient with exceptional qualifications for this award, Dr. Person is a board member of the Valley Forge Chapter SAR, a continuing leader in Zion’s UCC Church, in the Lehigh County Medical Society, the Exchange Club and several other civic and patriotic organizations.

Chief among the latter is the Liberty Bell Shrine Association, which he served as president for its first ten years. The Shrine came into being after excavations revealed a portion of the original foundation wall of Zion’s Church of 1773 and a plan was conceived to construct a fitting shrine for the Liberty Bell there. The bell, hurried away from Philadelphia in September 1777 was brought, by wagon, to Northampton (now Allentown) and hidden beneath the floor of Zion’s Reformed Church where, along with the bell and chimes form Christ Church, it remained until late in 1778.

Spurred by Dr. Person’s enthusiastic promotion and support the beautiful, nationally known shrine was dedicated May 30, 1962. Marked by several DAR tablets, the shrine has been enjoyed by more than 139,000 world-wide visitors. It features an exact replica of the Liberty Bell, flags of the thirteen original colonies and a 48 foot long palette-knife oil mural depicting the journey of the bell to that spot.

Attorney Donald V. Hock, twice mayor of Allentown, speaking on "Aladdin Had a Lamp," pointed out the need to renew faith in ourselves, our fellow men, our country and its future. He emphasized strongly the priceless heritage of American citizenship.—Caroline H. Miller.

UNAKA (Erwin, Tennessee) observed its fiftieth anniversary by honoring Mrs. W. L. Cook who was Organizing Regent on January 7, 1923. Mrs. Cook, fifty years later, is again Regent. The Chapter’s name, derived from the Indian word "Unaka" means White Mountain.
When Greene County was created on February 9, 1796, the Board of Commissioners sought a tract of land for a County seat. A part of "Eden" was selected.

So for the sum of $2,376, on October 28, 1796, Thomas Slater and his wife Eleanor conveyed to the commissioners a tract of land containing 158½ acres "in trust for the County of Greene for a Court House, a Gaol and other public buildings and town lots."

The memorial tree was planted in Monument Park, a part of the land set aside as the "Commons."

Highlights of the dedication on June 23, 1973 were a prayer offered by Mrs. J. H. Orndoff, Conservation Chairman, and a brief biography of Thomas Slater by Miss Eleanor Huffman, Bicentennial Chairman and member of the Conservation Committee.

Attending the dedication which followed a luncheon honoring the Pennsylvania State Regent, Mrs. Harold A. Russell, were members of the John Corbly Chapter of Waynesburg, members of the Mason and Dixon Chapter of Mt. Morris, and Mrs. Logan E. Soles, Southwestern Director of Pennsylvania.

WILLIAMSBURG (Williamsburg, Virginia). One of the largest flags in the state of Virginia now flies in the newly completed indoor coliseum at the College of William and Mary. On May 23, 1972, the Williamsburg Chapter presented a garrison-size United States Flag to the College at a private ceremony held in this new facility: William and Mary Hall. The invited guests included members of the Chapter who had contributed to the Flag's purchase, faculty members and administration officials from the College, representatives from the local SAR, American Legion, and VFW groups, and an Honor Guard provided by the ROTC department of the College.

The Flag was officially dedicated during the first regular season basketball game, December 6, 1972. In a short ceremony prior to the game, the Williamsburg Chapter was thanked for its gift and the 7,500 people in attendance stood to sing the Star Spangled Banner.

The President of the College arranged a special tour of the Hall for the Williamsburg Chapter on January 16, 1973.

The group was taken first to the dress circle entrance where the Flag can be seen to its best advantage. It was exciting to notice that although the Flag is suspended from the ceiling of this immense indoor amphitheatre, it flutters and waves constantly as if in a Spring breeze. The effect is created by the climate control system of the building.

After viewing the Flag, those attending were allowed to visit the administrative offices, the ancillary gymnasiums for track, gymnastics, and football, the dressing rooms for visiting concert stars, and the VIP Lounge. The guided tour ended in the office of the Director of the Hall. To mark the occasion, a souvenir ashtray was presented to each member.

In monetary terms, the "Flag for the College" was one of the largest projects ever undertaken by the Williamsburg Chapter. The members are very proud of this enormous United States Flag which will be seen, admired, and saluted by over a quarter of a million people each year.

ROBERT GRAY (Hoquiam, Washington) celebrated the 70th anniversary of the organization in March at a luncheon and meeting in the parlors of the First Baptist Church of Hoquiam, with the Regent, Mrs. Elton Griffin, presiding.

Guests from out of town included National and State Officers: NSDAR Vice President General Mrs. Ned L. Hiatt, Jr. of Anacortes, State First Vice Regent Mrs. Carolyn A. Fisher of Everett, State Second Vice Regent Mrs. Richard T. Gillen of Seattle, State Corresponding Secretary Mrs. Joseph A. Wikberg of Bellingham and Mrs. M. Millen of Bellevue, Cascade Chapter, Daughter of Mrs. Ferrier, a former member of Robert Gray Chapter.

Nineteen members have been in DAR for over 25 years—Miss Annie Morse who now lives in Seattle has a total of 53 years. Mrs. E. E. Prichard of Hoquiam has 49 years and Mrs. Bertha Dietrich joined Liberty Bell Chapter in Allentown, Penn., 47 years ago.

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Questions and Answers

Question: May non-members attend chapter meetings?
Answer: Yes, non-members may attend chapter meetings, especially "Guest Day," unless this is prohibited by the Chapter Bylaws. Non-members, however, SHOULD NOT attend business meetings when vote on membership, etc., is the stated order of business.

Question: If the first vice regent is nominated for regent should she be required to resign as vice regent in order to be a candidate, or may she remain in that office until elected regent?
Answer: The first vice regent remains in the office until she is elected regent. (P.L. p. 475, Q. 179). This would necessarily apply to officers being nominated previous to the meeting at which the election took place. There would be no question where the nomination and election took place at the same meeting.

Question: Would it be in order for a new chapter to adopt standing rules in addition to its original bylaws?
Answer: This could be done, but it is better to follow the usual custom and adopt only bylaws, and adopt standing rules later as these rules should be adopted from time to time as the need arises. (R.O.R. p. 269).

Question: Do charter officers of a new chapter hold office for a regular term or until the first election under the new bylaws?
Answer: Charter officers are the temporary officers appointed by the original group forming the new chapter in accord with the National Bylaws. They serve until the first election provided for in the newly adopted bylaws. Usually the charter or temporary officers are elected as the first permanent officers, if they are willing and able to serve. (R.O.R. pp. 286-289. See National Bylaws, Article XIII, Sections (a) and (b)).

Question: (a) Is it correct for the recording secretary to move the adoption of the board recommendations, or should someone one else do it?
(b) Is a second required or necessary?
Answer: (a) Yes, it is entirely proper and correct for the secretary to move the adoption of the board recommendations. This method is used to expedite business, and should be used whenever possible, or practicable.
(b) No. A second is not necessary or required, as the recommendation has been seconded by as many members of the board as voted in favor of it. This does not mean that it is incorrect, but it is not at all necessary. Seconds may be allowed.

The same rule applies to motions to adopt resolutions that originate in committees, in that they do not require a second. (R.O.R. pp. 36, 227 lines 31-32; p. 228 lines 1-3)

Question: Do nominations for an office or for a committee require a second?
Answer: No. "A nomination differs from an ordinary motion in that it does not require a second": P.L. p. 204, lines 13:15. Although a second is not required for nominations, sometimes a member will second the nomination thereby giving it their endorsement. (P.L. p. 20, lines 9-18; p. 207; R.O.R. p. 37).

Question: What can an organization do when money is spent that is not authorized, or without action of the organization?
Answer: The action could be presented at the next, or next business meeting of the organization for ratification. (R.O.R. p. 173).

Question: May an executive board or a committee be called on the telephone for a vote on an item of business?
Answer: No. "An agreement outside of a meeting is not a legal act of the board, or the committee. A board or an executive committee can act only when it is in session with a quorum present at a properly called meeting." (P.L. p. 248, lines 34-37). If an emergency occurs that requires immediate action when it is impossible to have a meeting of the board or committee, the members may be consulted by telephone and then the facts reported at the next or first meeting and have the informal acts ratified. A record of all acts must be kept. (P.L. p. 248, lines 29-34; R.O.R. p. 173).

Question: Should a board meet and transact business during a convention?
Answer: This depends upon the bylaws. If the bylaws delegate specific duties to the board which must be handled during the convention, the board should meet, otherwise the board has nothing to do and would not meet. The work of the board takes place between conventions.

Question: May alternates and delegates that have been elected to attend an annual meeting be appointed to serve on the teller's committee or the registration committee?
Answer: Unless the bylaws state that tellers shall be elected delegates, the elected alternates may serve on the tellers committee, and also on the credentials committee. According to Robert, "There is no reason why the credentials committee should not be appointed from those not delegates to the convention." (P.L. p. 282, lines 22-23). The same could apply to the tellers committee. It is generally agreed that delegates should not be appointed to the tellers committee, the credentials committee or the registration committee, as the delegates should be free to attend the meetings.

Question: Is it proper and in good form to make a speech or to discuss a subject and close it with a motion?
Answer: No. No one has the right to discuss a question before it has been stated by the chair and is before the assembly for consideration and action. (R.O.R. pp. 38-39). Robert says before a motion is before the assembly, no one has the authority to discuss it. Also, the maker of a motion has the first right to the floor to discuss it after the question is stated by the chair, that is by the presiding officer.
MINUTES
NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
Regular Meeting October 11, 1973

The regular meeting of the National Board of Management of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution convened in the Board Room of Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D.C., at 9:30 a.m., Mrs. Donald Spicer, President General, presiding.

The invocation was given by the Chaplain General, Mrs. Clarence Whitfield Kemper, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., called the roll. The following members were recorded present: National Officers: Mrs. Spicer, Mrs. Howland, Mrs. Kemper, Mrs. Griswold, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Heiser, Mrs. Ziesmner, Mrs. Westbrooke, Mrs. Morriss, Mrs. Lempenua, Mrs. King, Mrs. Jenkins. Vice Presidents General: Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Ruddy, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. Hiatt, Miss Cooper, Mrs. O'Brien, Mrs. Meyer, Mrs. Singleton, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Privett, Mrs. Vorous, Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Chambers. State Regents: Mrs. Woodyerd, Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. La Cauza, Mrs. Moseley, Mrs. Sasportas, Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Waite, Mrs. Leaman, Mrs. Egan, Mrs. Corey, Miss Dickerson, Mrs. Luster, Mrs. Helmbreck, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. House, Mrs. Eastin, Mrs. Wolf, Mrs. Peaster, Mrs. Boney, Miss Stevenson, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Fricke, Mrs. Baylies, Mrs. MacLeod, Mrs. DeMent, Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Howieson, Mrs. Burgdorf, Mrs. Mundell, Mrs. Mettetal, Mrs. Durgin, Mrs. Biscoe, Mrs. Janikowsky.

The First Vice President General, Mrs. Howland, took the chair and the President General, Mrs. Spicer, read her report, which was received with a rising vote of appreciation.

Report of President General

One of the pleasures and privileges a President General enjoys is attending the annual Banquet of the National Society, Children of the American Revolution after the Congress. It is a relaxing yet exhilarating change of pace and this year the Congress was held in Washington, D.C. It was a pleasure to welcome Mrs. Ashmead White, Honorary President General, when she visited National Headquarters, May 24.

June 4 the President General presented the DAR award at the United States Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colorado, accompanied by Mrs. Walter Dana Carroll, Vice President General.

June 6-8 meetings of the Executive Committee and the National Board of Management were held.

June 12 she traveled by car with Mrs. John Samuel Biscoe, State Regent, Virginia DAR, Mrs. Eloise T. Jenkins, Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution, and Mrs. Donald J. Gonchar, Chairman, Junior Membership Committee, to Tampa to attend the meetings of the Executive Committee and Board at that school. Mrs. Biscoe and Mrs. Jenkins joined the President General on the way home in attending the unveiling of a monument in memory of the Revolutionary Soldiers and Patriots buried in the Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Fincastle, Virginia, placed by Botetourt County and General James Breckinridge Chapters.

June 23-26 she attended the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution 83rd Annual Congress in Palm Beach, Florida.

July 13 accompanied by the State Regent of Virginia, she...
traveled to the Quantico Marine Corps Base where she presented the first of two annual DAR awards to the Honor Graduate in the Platoon Leaders Course (Senior). That afternoon she and Mrs. Biscoe were given a tour of the archaeological diggings taking place at the site of the old Fairfax Mansion “Belvoir,” now a part of Fort Belvoir.

August 3 it was her unhappy duty to attend the funeral of Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Honorary President General, in Athens, Georgia.

August 5-8 she participated in the activities of the American Heritage Camp in West Virginia, another inspiring and gratifying experience.

August 24 she was presented with the Dickey Chapelle award by the Marine Corps League during their annual meeting in Miami Beach, Florida. This was on her birthday, making that a most exciting and memorable one, blotting out the less agreeable facts of the years commemorated.

September 17 the President General emplaned for Kansas to attend the Shawnee Mission Constitution Day Pilgrimage on the 18th, Mrs. Ralph M. Casey, State Regent. After that she was guest speaker at the luncheon at the Old Mission United Methodist Church. This was a unique and delightful experience.

She returned to Washington, Wednesday, the 19th, and on September 21, she attended the first performance of the American Revolution Part I at Ford’s Theatre with the Treasurer General, Mrs. F. A. Paul Ziesmer. The drama was very different. A new type of presentation, alternating narrative and impersonation.

Tuesday, September 25, she emplaned for New York City to attend the New York State Conference at the Waldorf Astoria, Mrs. George U. Baylies, State Regent.

Upon her arrival she was interviewed in her suite by Ms. Gail Pauley, Women’s Page Editor for the United Press International. That evening she brought greetings to the New York State Officers Club Dinner.

Wednesday morning, September 26, the President General had a taped interview at CBS-TV with Hughes Rudd and Sally Quinn to be shown at a later date on the morning news, and that afternoon she was interviewed by Arlene Francis on her WOR radio program.

Friday, September 28, she was a member of the panel on Lee Leonard’s mid-day program, over WNEW-TV.

In between these carefully arranged and valued experiences, the various events of the Conference were enjoyed with the highlight being the presentation of one hundred percent participation certificates for “A Gift to the Nation” to 84 chapters.

She returned to Washington in time to attend the annual Banquet of the Defense Orientation Conference Association at the Statler Hilton Hotel. The President General was invited to join this group because of her participation in the J.C.O.C. trip.

October 1 the President General and Buildings and Grounds Committee gave the retirement party for Mr. Eugene Cuppett, Superintendent of DAR Buildings and Grounds for 37 years. He was presented with a handsome wristwatch from the National Society, as well as other gifts from the National Geographic Society and the staff.

The following members represented the National Society when it was not possible for the President General to attend personally:

Mrs. Ralph Allen Killey, Chairman, Conservation Committee, at the Arbor Day National Awards Program, April 27-29;

Mrs. F. A. Paul Ziesmer, Treasurer General, American Film Institute, Kennedy Center, May 7;

Mrs. Walter Dana Carroll, Vice President General from Colorado, 100th Anniversary, St. Mary’s School for Indian Girls, May 18-19;

Mrs. Carl Arthur Chase, State Regent, New Hampshire DAR, Memorial Day Observance at the Altar of the Nation, Cathedral of the Pines, Rindge, New Hampshire, May 28;

Mrs. John Asher Luster, State Regent, Louisiana DAR, American National Red Cross National Convention, New Orleans, Louisiana, June 4;

Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., Recording Secretary General, Individual Proficiency Awards Ceremony, United States Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut, June 5;

Mrs. Lyle Johnston Howland, First Vice President General, Annual Awards Convocation, United States Military Academy, West Point, New York, June 5; at twenty-ninth annual Vesper Service, Cathedral of the Pines, Rindge, New Hampshire, August 25;

Mrs. Wallace B. Heiser, Organizing Secretary General, Prizes and Awards Ceremony, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland, June 5;

Mrs. John Victor Buffington, Honorary State Regent, Virginia DAR, Graduation of Officer Candidate/Officer Indoctrination School, United States Coast Guard Reserve Training Center, Yorktown, Virginia, June 8;

Mrs. Martin A. Mason, State Regent District of Columbia DAR, at Arlington National Cemetery, American War Mothers, May 13; at 45th Annual Massing of the Colors, the Military Order of the World Wars, June 10; at Department of State, Foreign Policy Conference for leaders of non-governmental organizations, September 18-19;

Mrs. Arthur E. Brown, District of Columbia State Chairman, USA Bicentennial Committee, at the meeting of the Heritage and Cultural Committees, D.C. Bicentennial Commission and Assembly, June 16;

Mrs. Clarence Whitfield Kemper, Chaplain General, at marking of grave of Mrs. John W. Foster, Honorary President General, Indiana, June 17;

Mrs. Eloise T. Jenkins, Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution, at Briefing Conference on Drugs and Pharmaceuticals sponsored by the Bureau of Drugs and the Public Affairs Office of the Food and Drug Administration, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Lichtefeld, Chairman, House Committee, May 31; Awards Convocation Ceremony, the United States Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, New York, June 22; Council of Presidents, Women’s National Organizations, Mayflower Hotel, August 23-25; presentation of Tactual Flag and patriotic literature, to the Visually Impaired at the Jackson School, September 11; State Department, Foreign Policy Conference for leaders of non-governmental organizations, September 18-19; sixth Seminar for Leaders of non-governmental organizations, October 5;

Mrs. Dorothy Triplett, at special briefing by the Environmental Protection Agency, July 25;

Mrs. John Blevins Privett, Vice President General from Alabama, at Sixtieth National Convention of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States of America, New Orleans, Louisiana, August 22;

Mrs. John Samuel Biscoe, State Regent Virginia DAR, Officer Candidates School, Marine Corps Base to Honor Graduate, Platoon Leaders Course (Senior), Quantico, Virginia, August 23;

Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, Honorary President General, meeting of American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, September 17;

The National Society is indebted to Mrs. Reuben Mindemann through the Wisconsin State Society for the beautiful gift of the volume of sterling silver medals depicting the Signers of the Declaration of Independence.

The NSDAR Hospital Benefit Plan has been re-opened to all members who did not join initially and the first mailing has already been sent. In order to prepare a program for this, many, many hours were spent by the staff in the offices of the President General and the Magazine Office before it was ever turned over to the Computer Center to be processed.

Two buses will leave tomorrow morning for the first DAR Historic Tour, which will take us through Pennsylvania, New York and most of the New England States. A good percentage of the National Board will be among those participating in addition to other interested members.

It is not possible to express my sincere and deep appreciation...
and gratitude for the loyalty and devotion extended this President General during the last 2½ years. When difficult decisions have had to be made on behalf of the membership, your loyalty has given me the courage and strength needed.

Eleanor W. Spicer,
President General.

The First Vice President General, Mrs. Lyle Johnston Howland, read her report.

**Report of First Vice President General**

This officer has had a busy and happy spring, summer and fall. On May 10th she was the guest of Holland Patent Chapter, celebrating its 60th anniversary.

On May 22d she attended the annual New York State Officers Club’s observance of Margaret Corbin Day at West Point and on the 25th the Rededication of Lasell Hall at Schoharie. This home is the property of Schoharie Chapter and was completely restored and refurnished by them with a bequest left for that purpose.

The first day of May she attended a workshop meeting of District III and IV at Glens Falls and the last day of May one of District VI at Cortland. All were well attended and generated much enthusiasm among the members.

It was her pleasure to attend the Convocation Services at West Point when she represented the National Society. Cadet Jay Willis, head man in his class, was the recipient of the National Society’s award for the highest rating in Mechanics of Fluids. Cadet Willis received five other awards.

On June 18th she and Mr. Howland were the guests of the Historic Rome Development Authority for the launching of the Packet Boat, the Independence, on a 4-mile section of the old Erie Canal.

June 19th found her at a delightful and exciting first meeting of the newly formed Betsy Baldwin Chapter. This is a fine group of women from whom you will hear much in accomplishments in the future.

June 20th she journeyed to Romulus, New York for the marking of the grave of Captain Abel Frisbie. The service was planned by New York State Chaplain, Mrs. Robert Sloan, and 7th District Director. Mrs. Arnold Barben, for Miss Nora Frisbie of Temple City, California, a great-great-granddaughter. Captain Frisbie’s great-great-great-grandson, Machinist Mate 3d class Jeffrey Frisbie, was honor guard and carried a Colonial Flag.

On the 30th of June she attended the marking of the grave of another Revolutionary soldier, John Babbitt, in McConnells-ville Cemetery. Eighteen of his descendents were present.

On July 7th the Oswego County Chapters held their annual picnic at Selkirk Shores on Lake Ontario which was largely attended.

August 6th, which is Fort Stanwix Day, in observance of the first flying of the American Flag in the face of an enemy, was chosen by Fort Stanwix Chapter for the Rededication of the De-o-wain-sta Plaque which translated means “The Great Carry.” This plaque has had many homes, having first been placed on the Post Office Building in 1905. When the Post Office was razed, it was moved to the Y.M.C.A. also located on the “Oneida Carry.” When that building was razed, making room for the restoration of Fort Stanwix, it was taken to Fort Stanwix Museum for safe keeping. So as its Bicentennial Project, Fort Stanwix Chapter placed a large boulder on which the plaque is mounted, in a lovely spot of land donated by the Rome Sentinel Company.

On August 25th it was her pleasure to attend the lovely service at the Cathedral of the Pines where she had the privilege of bringing the National Society’s greetings.

On August 30th she met with Dr. Lewis Tucker, New York State Historian, regarding plans for the celebration of the Bicentennial in Rome.

She was the guest speaker at La Ray de Chaumont and General James Clinton Chapters for their Constitution Day Celebration when she spoke on the “Constitution and the Two-party System.”

She was the guest of the Tri-Chapters in Syracuse for their annual luncheon.

It is always a pleasure to be an honor guest at one’s own State Conference. This was our “Redletter” Conference, as it was the visit of our President General. It was a star-studded Conference beautifully presided over by our gracious State Regent, Mrs. George U. Baylies. We kept our President General very busy. She appeared on TV three times and was interviewed by Arlene Francis on radio. It was my pleasure to see her once on TV, the “Midday” program on Friday noon. She was simply superb. She looked so pretty and was so clever and we were so proud of her.

MARJORIE S. HOWLAND,
First Vice President General.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Clarence Whitfield Kemper, read her report.

**Report of Chaplain General**

I prepared the dedicatory prayer for ceremonies immediately following Congress for Joseph Harper, Revolutionary War soldier, buried at Dover, Delaware, whose descendant, Adele H. Stine, Webster Groves Chapter, gave the marker.

In June I was the guest of Mrs. Egan, lovely Indiana State Regent, representing our President General, Mrs. Spicer, at the expertly arranged two-day Marker placement ceremonies, Evansville, Indiana, honoring Mary Parke McFerson Foster, third President General, NSDAR. Also in June I gave the prayer and accepted the marker for Amasa Jones, pioneer preacher, teacher, doctor, who came to Missouri at the request of the Osage Indians. The observances at Montrose Cemetery were arranged by Harmony Mission Chapter. The history of the area Centennial, given me, I brought to our DAR Library here in Washington.

The presentation of eight Certificates of Honor to wives and husbands of servicemen and women, lost in Vietnam, by the Udolph Miller Dormon Chapter brought to 15 the number given this year in Henry County, Missouri. Two Flag Day talks and three other DAR addresses, plus preparing a booklet of prayers for winter publication were among other summer duties of your Chaplain General.

This fall it was an honor to present two 50-year pins at Warrensburg Chapter and to pay the 50-year tribute to Mrs. Henry Clay Chiles at the District Meeting, Lexington. Mrs. Chiles, distinguished Honorary Regent and Past Vice President General, secured for her State and home town the famous “Madonna of the Trail” statue that stands on the curve of the road over the Missouri River. A radio interview was recorded with the State Regent. Mrs. Boney.

I urge all Regents to remind chapters of the Chaplain General’s Program Contest. Please see that each has a copy of my packet letter. Rules are simple. Copies must reach me in Clinton, Missouri by January 15, 1974.

LORNA OWEN KEMPER,
Chaplain General.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., read her report.

**Report of Recording Secretary General**

The resolutions adopted by the 82d Continental Congress were prepared and printed in pamphlet form for distribution.

Amendments adopted by the 82d Continental Congress were prepared in leaflet form for insertion in the 1972 Bylaws of the National Society, DAR.

The printing of the Proceedings of the 82d Continental Congress was completed in October.

Minutes of Regular and Special Board meetings were prepared for publication in the DAR Magazine and proofread. Verbatim transcripts and minutes have been indexed and recorded.
Motions and resolutions of the Continental Congress and the National Board have been typed and copies delivered or mailed to each National Officer, also copied for the statute book and indexed.

The minutes of the Executive Committee meetings have been written and copies sent to all members of the committee, copied for binding in book form and indexed. Motions affecting the work of each office were typed separately and delivered.

Since April 14, 1973, 3,482 membership certificates have been prepared and mailed, also 33 commissions to a National Officer, Vice Presidents General, State Regents and State Vice Regents.

Notices of meetings of the National Board of Management and Executive Committee were mailed to the members.

On June fifth it was an honor to represent the National Society, DAR at the Awards Ceremony of the United States Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut and present the annual DAR awards to an outstanding cadet of the graduating class.

During the late spring and summer months it was most enjoyable to be an honored guest at several chapter Guest Days in my own State and elsewhere. The cordiality and hospitality of the Regents and members were very much appreciated.

In mid-September the Recording Secretary General joined the Massachusetts State Society, the Mercy Warren Chapter and the Historian General, Mrs. Morriss, at the ceremony held in Holyoke, Massachusetts. A marker placed by the Massachusetts State Society and the Mercy Warren Chapter, DAR on the grave of our late Honorary President General, Mrs. Russell William Magna, was dedicated. This was an impressive and memorable occasion in which it was a privilege to participate. The courtesies and hospitality extended by the officers of the Massachusetts State Society and the Mercy Warren Chapter to their guests added to the pleasure of attending this important ceremony.

ENID HALL GRISWOLD, Recording Secretary General.

The Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. Wakelee Rawson Smith, read her report.

**Report of Corresponding Secretary General**

This report covers the period from March 1 to October 1.

The following mailings were sent during this period:

- **July Packets**: 3,082
- **Amendments to Bylaws**: 3,084
- **Resolutions**: 3,122
- **Directory of Committees**: 3,125

The July Packets were mailed on July 3rd to the National Board, eight days earlier than last year. And, to the Chapter Regents on July 5th, seven days earlier than last year. The typing of the Packet Letters was done by the Chief Clerk of this office, Mrs. Marie Yochim. This officer appreciates the help of many staff members in assisting with the assembling and mailing. Extra Packets were made up to sell for $1—486 were sold.

The Amendments to the Bylaws and Resolutions were sent in the same mailing, thus saving postage. The following were sent with the Directory of Committees: American History Month Spot Announcements, list of Bicentennial items for sale, and the Constitution Hall Statement.

A total of 5,242 orders was processed. Office sales during this seven-month span totaled $2,502.63. The sales at our literature table during Congress totaled $4,396.19.

A total of 315 letters requesting information relative to membership were answered, and 443 pertaining to scholarships.

As always, a big job was typing both certificates and envelopes for Honor Roll Awards. Ribbons were attached, indicating the type of award and then the certificates were arranged by chapters in states for distribution. A total of 2,271 chapters received Honor Roll status. Immediately following Congress all Honor Roll certificates not picked up during Congress were mailed. Lists were typed and sent to State Regents, Vice Chairmen and State Chairmen of the Honor Roll Committee showing the Honor Roll Chapters. The final Honor Roll Report was prepared for publication in the October DAR Magazine.

It was the sad duty of this office to notify the members of the National Board of the death of our beloved Honorary President General, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, on August 2nd.

The Committee Office has been disbanded and the committees formerly in that office have been placed in the office of the Corresponding Secretary General—14 in all. The Public Relations Office is still in existence, however, the work is at the present time being handled by this office. There are now 19 committees housed in this office.

Your Corresponding Secretary General attended April, June and October Executive and National Board Meetings. She also attended the Illinois Ex-Regents club meeting and Second Division luncheon. She attended five receptions for new State Officers in various parts of her State and the reception for the Vice President General from Illinois. She was present for the dedication of the marker at the grave of Mrs. John W. Foster, our third President General at Evansville, Indiana. She was a guest at a dinner preceding the dedication and of Mrs. Thomas M. Egan, State Regent, at luncheon. She attended the tea honoring Mrs. Egan given by the Vandenburgh Chapter.

In September she went on the "DAR Days" which is a week's tour of the Divisions in Illinois. She dedicated the marker at the grave of Mrs. John W. Foster, our third President General at Evansville, Indiana. She was a guest of Mrs. Egan and State Regent, at luncheon. She attended the tea honoring Mrs. Egan given by the Vandenburgh Chapter.

The Treasurer General, Mrs. F. A. Paul Ziesmer, presented her report.

**Report of Treasurer General**

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

I hereby submit the Summary Statement of Current and Special Funds for the Six Months ended August 31, 1973, and the supporting schedules thereto.

RUTH W. D. ZIESMER, Treasurer General.
TRUSTEES, NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION PENSION TRUST FUND

Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements
Six Months Ended August 31, 1973

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**SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CURRENT AND UNRESTRICTED SPECIAL FUNDS**
Six Months Ended August 31, 1973

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Note:
- Restricted Special Funds listed above are derived from bequests, gifts, etc., and are restricted to school contributions, scholarships, library books, museum purchases and other special purposes.
- These Restricted Special Funds are merely held as an accommodation.

DECEMBER 1973
## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
### August 31, 1973

### SPECIAL FUNDS

#### National Defense Committee
Eastern Savings and Loan Association—Savings Account

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### Total Investments

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*Securities in the Combined Investment Fund owned on December 31, 1957 are recorded in the accounts at the closing market price on that date. Subsequent purchases as well as securities of the other funds are carried at cost.*
Mrs. Ziesmer moved that 161 former members be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Fricke. Adopted.

Mrs. Ziesmer gave the following membership report:

Deceased 1,274
Resolved 1,152
Dropped for nonpayment of dues 1,104

The report of the Finance Committee, Mrs. Joseph B. Paul, Chairman, was filed.

Report of Finance Committee

As Chairman of the Finance Committee I have the honor to submit the report for the six months ending August 31, 1973. Vouchers have been signed in the amount of $715,421.85. These accounts have been audited. Included are the following items that give some indications of the costs of operating the National Society.

Postage 15,653.47
Printing 117,307.98
Insurance 24,155.00
Congress expense 37,569.29
Taxes on Constitution Hall 8,471.06
Gas, Electric, Heat & Water Services 24,736.59
Data processing rental fee 30,737.70
Data processing contract 4,500.00

For a detailed statement you are referred to the report of the Treasurer General.

JEAN B. PAUL, Chairman.

Mrs. Frank L. Harris, Chairman of the Auditing Committee, read the report of the Auditor.

BURNS AND BUCHANAN
Certified Public Accountants
1000 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005

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

We have examined the financial statements of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution listed below:

Statement of current and special funds (Pages 1 to 3) for the six months ended August 31, 1973
Supporting statements of current fund cash receipts and disbursements (Pages 4 to 6) for the six months ended August 31, 1973
Schedule of investments (Pages 7 and 8) as of August 31, 1973
Statement of cash receipts and disbursements of the Trustees, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution Pension Trust Fund (Page 9) for the six months ended August 31, 1973

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included confirmations from depositaries and custodians of cash and investments held at August 31, 1973, and such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The financial statements have been prepared generally on the cash receipts and disbursements basis and therefore do not purport to present the results of operations as they would appear had generally accepted accrual basis accounting principles been applied. Cash receipts and disbursements do not include dispositions and acquisitions of securities, respectively, except for gains or losses thereon.

In our opinion, the aforementioned statements and supporting schedules present fairly the cash balances and investments at August 31, 1973 and the information set forth therein for the six months then ended on the basis indicated which is consistent with that of the preceding year.

BURNS AND BUCHANAN,
Certified Public Accountants.

Washington, D.C.
September 30, 1973

The Registrar General, Mrs. Edward Lynn Westbrooke, read her report.

Report of Registrar General

Your Registrar General has attended meetings of the Executive Committee in April, June and October and the June meeting of the National Board. The weeks spent in the office following Congress and June Board were satisfying and productive.

Mrs. Retha Mehan has been appointed Chief Clerk of the Clerical Division. She directs and performs the many and diverse duties of that office in a most capable manner, in spite of a severe shortage of personnel. Members and prospective members are continuously assisted.

Record Copy is being kept current. State Regents are asked to remind their members that due to mail service and time needed to record funds and process request, four weeks should be allowed for delivery. Forms for this department have been updated. Chapter Regents should keep a supply on hand.

Mrs. Marian Gooding, Chief Clerk, Genealogical Division, ably attends to the duties of that division, which also assists members and prospective members. Your Registrar General receives copies of letters written by our genealogists and is aware of the excellent suggestions offered.

The work of our Corrections Genealogists, directed by Mrs. Nancy P. Gardner, is particularly gratifying when old lines can be reopened. The Supplemental Staff has worked on applications prior to Board Meetings. This is appreciated.

In April the Post Congress Session, composed of dedicated DAR gave their time, money and talents to examine supplemental papers; 122 papers were verified. We are grateful to these members and to Mrs. Rosalie Williams and Mrs. Dorothy Whitcomb who supervised the session. At Congress, the new Pin for Volunteer Genealogists became available. Volunteers who have given a week's work in the office of the Registrar General or who have verified ten long-form supplementals in that office, are eligible to purchase the beautiful pin.

In May your Registrar General prepared copy for the 1973 Edition of the pamphlet: "General Information and Requirements for and Preparation of Application Papers," which may be obtained, free, from the office of the Corresponding Secretary General.

In June I attended the Samford Institute of Genealogical Research at Birmingham, Alabama, a valuable experience. July brought a trip to courthouses in Tennessee and Kentucky, and August a Seminar on Kentucky with Charles Hinds, State Librarian, and one on Georgia and South Carolina with Mary Bondurant Warren. Your Registrar General has been pleased to speak at Chapter meetings and welcomes communications from State and Chapter Registrars.

State Regents are asked to make the following announcements in their respective states:

The Office of the Registrar General has the list of new admissions only. Any questions pertaining to total membership or any changes in membership should be directed to the Membership Room of the Treasurer General’s Office. Our office does not record deaths, resignations or transfers.

To insure examination of an application to qualify for Honor Roll, it must be in this office EXACTLY FOUR WEEKS prior to the Board Meeting. If an application is needed for Honor Roll credit, write IN PENCIL on the left front margin of the application: "Needed for Honor Roll." We make every effort to grant priority to applications needed for Honor Roll but can assume no responsibility for examination unless the deadline is met.
The above statements are included in the Packet Letter of the Registrar General, also prepared in May. They cannot be repeated too often. Applications must be processed in two other offices before reaching the office of the Registrar General. All applications submitted prior to September 10, 1973 have been examined. All supplementals submitted prior to August 1, 1972 have been examined. With great pride and sincere thanks to my entire staff, I present the following report: Number of Applications received, 2836; Number of Applications verified, 2820; Number of Supplementals received, 643; Number of Supplementals verified, 447; Papers returned unverified: Originals, 12; Supplementals, 15; New Records verified, 271; Permits issued, 671; Letters written, 4605; Postals written, 731; Photocopies: Papers, 5726; Data, 212.

GILBERTA WOOD WESTBROOKE, Registrar General.

Mrs. Westbrooke moved that the 2,820 applicants whose records have been verified by the Registrar General be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. Carroll. Adopted.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Wallace Bryan Heiser, read her report.

Report of Organizing Secretary General

Your Organizing Secretary General herewith submits the following report from June 8th to October 11th:

Through their respective State Regents the following members at large are presented for confirmation as Organizing Regents: Mrs. Ruth English Kingsbury, Huntington Beach, California; Mrs. Sandra Ethel Ahart, Mendocino, California; Mrs. Fern Brigham Hart, English, Indiana; Mrs. Velma Hollis Scheffler, Pascagoula, Mississippi; Mrs. Patricia Ann Palmer McRoberts, North Kansas City, Missouri; Mrs. Dorothy Reynolds Edwards, Port Jervis, New York; Mrs. Martha Albright Webster, Fayetteville, North Carolina; Mrs. Alice Clements Kellogg, Manteo, North Carolina; Mrs. Dorothea Hayden Meyers, North Canton, Ohio; Mrs. Fredrea Hermann Cook, Miami, Oklahoma; Mrs. Mary Nelle Smith Abney, Henderson, Tennessee; Mrs. Nena Kate Ramsey Lewis, Abilene, Texas; Mrs. Helen Wilhelmina Huling Dawson, Big Spring, Texas; Mrs. Mary Christine Chilton Sanders, Dallas, Texas; Mrs. Marjorie Gray Long, Kerrville, Texas.

The State Regent of California requests the authorization of a chapter in Pittsburg.

The authorization for a chapter in El Reno, Oklahoma, has expired by time limitation and an extension of one year is requested by the State Regent.

The following Organizing Regent has reached the end of one year and reappointment is requested by her State Regent: Mrs. Mary Austin Cooper, Mauldin, South Carolina.

The following Organizing Regencies have expired by time limitation: Mrs. Janet L. Volgelgesang, North Canton, Ohio; Mrs. Annie Laurie Kennerly George, Cayce, South Carolina.

Through the State Regent of Missouri, O’Fallon Chapter requests permission to change its location from O’Fallon to St. Louis.

The following chapter has been automatically disbanded: Submit Wheatley, Lebanon, New Hampshire.

The following chapters are presented for official disbandment: Federal City, Washington, District of Columbia; Baxter Springs, Baxter Springs, Kansas; Willapa, Raymond, Washington.

The following chapters have met all the requirements according to the Bylaws and are now presented for confirmation: Charlotte Bay, Punta Gorda, Florida; Estero Island, Fort Myers Beach, Florida.

On August 25th this officer attended the services sponsored by the New Hampshire State Society at the Cathedral of the Pines. She was also a guest at the fall meeting of the Connecticut State Society held in Windsor on September 20th.

On September 22nd she was the guest speaker at the Constitution Day Luncheon given by the Past and Present Regents Club of Orange County, California. It was also her pleasure to be a guest of the South Dakota State Conference held in Deadwood, South Dakota, September 27th–28th. On October 5th she attended the fall meeting of the Rhode Island State Society in Pawtucket.

MARIAN ROWE HEISER, Organizing Secretary General.

Mrs. Heiser moved confirmation of 15 organizing regents, authorization of one chapter, extension of time for one chapter authorization, reappointment of one organizing regent, change of location of one chapter, disbandment of three chapters, confirmation of two chapters. Seconded by Mrs. Jones. Adopted.

The Historian General, Mrs. George Albert Morriss, read her report.

Report of Historian General

The work in this office has been extensive this past summer. Mrs. Frederick Daum has attempted to update our files containing the records of markers placed by sending out 1,748 letters of inquiry. We were notified of 840 markers as having been placed, 463 of these were in answer to her letter; 252 letters of permission were sent.

The graves of two of our Honorary Presidents General were marked: Mrs. John W. Foster, marker placed by Indiana State Organization and Mrs. Russell William Magna, marker placed by Massachusetts State Society and Mercy Warren Chapter. Wisconsin marked the grave of their First State Regent, Mrs. James Sidney Peck.

We are grateful to Mrs. John B. MacLeod, State Regent of North Carolina, for presenting the original signature of William Hooper and to Mrs. C. G. Royster, also from North Carolina for the signature of John Penn. Please check all sources possible in your State for the remaining sixteen signatures needed to complete this collection of Signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Mrs. Mollie Somerville has devoted many hours toward the completion of the publication Women and the American Revolution. It is thanks to her many contacts that the book is being listed in a Bibliographical Guide being published by the United States Bicentennial Commission dealing with Women of the American Revolution. An artist has been engaged and is working on original drawings.

This officer is always pleased with the response of the chapters to American History Month Essay Contest. A total of 11,836 pieces of material and medals have been mailed to the chapters.

Your Historian General attended the DAR Vesper Service at the Cathedral of the Pines in New Hampshire and was honored to participate in the service dedicating a plaque to Mrs. Edith Scott Magna by invitation of the Massachusetts State Society and Mercy Warren Chapter. She spoke at Elizabeth Wadsworth Chapter in Portland, Maine and was royally entertained by the State Regent, Mrs. Earl J. Helmibreck.

ACCESSIONS:


FLORIDA—Collection of 14 items, invitation and visiting cards, 18th century, connected with Jacob Broom, Member of
Installation of fluorescent lighting in the section of the basement forward to the DAR Library a list of newly published genealogical books may be inspected with reasonable ease. Sorting and burden makes it possible for all states to qualify for the DAR Library would be pleased to receive all three if donors come to the attention of the DAR Library. Accordingly, but one book would be required to be forwarded, although the packet letter mailed in July asked all State Librarians to request volumes. Further, State Librarians were informed that local publications could be included on the list of three excellent genealogical material is compiled and published over the country, some on lines previously unresearched. State Librarians can learn of them through local reviews long before the book stacks. Work on binding of periodicals has been commenced, some of which can be taken care of in the Library. There is a never-ceasing cycle of work to be done, all of which requires training. Books not capable of rebinding because of poor condition are sent to the Eastman Kodak Company, to be microfilmed, with the cost borne by the Library. However, where the Library learns of microfilmed genealogical material which would be desirable and suggests that it be purchased, the expense is paid from funds donated for that purpose by the members of the Society. All film, of course, becomes part of the Seimes Microfilm Center collection, regardless of the manner of its acquisition. A gift of $100 from the Idaho State Society is gratefully acknowledged. Because this is a small state society, the gift is particularly generous, and it enabled the purchase of valuable genealogical material ordinarily not within the financial scope of the Library. We also acknowledge with thanks a $15 memorial gift from the Pennsylvania State Society.

A gift of $100 from the Idaho State Society is gratefully acknowledged. Because this is a small state society, the gift is particularly generous, and it enabled the purchase of valuable genealogical material ordinarily not within the financial scope of the Library. We also acknowledge with thanks a $15 memorial gift from the Pennsylvania State Society. Since the April report of the Librarian General, the Library has received as gifts 173 books, 66 pamphlets, 31 manuscripts and 3 charts. From funds available to the Library for that purpose, 1 book has been purchased. * Through the generosity of Mr. L. Harvey Poe, Jr., the Library has received the genealogical collection of the late Miss Ann Waller Reddy, a fifty-year member of Old Dominion Chapter, in Richmond, Virginia, as a memorial gift. Research data involved is now being studied by the Lineage Research Committee for addition to Library records. Also gratefully acknowledged are genealogical books from the collection of Mrs. James H. Stansfield, former Registrar General. They were brought to the Library by Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, Honorary President General. While some of the books or research genealogical data may already be possessed by the Library, the new acquisitions furnish additional valuable sources of material for researchers, and all such gifts are deeply appreciated. Following the current Board Meeting, this administration starts on the last lap of the three-year term. The Librarian General expresses heartfelt appreciation of the excellent and willing cooperation received during the past two and a half years. She looks forward to its continuance and to stimulating and rewarding reports for the Swan Song at Continental Congress in April of 1974.

MARY CARSWELL LEMPENAU, Librarian General.

INDIANA


The Conner Family. From Mrs. Carl Allen Barnett.

IOWA

History of the Town of Hawleyville and Nebraska Township—Page County, Iowa. Betty and Henry Ansky. From Mrs. Marie Rogers through Waukon Chapter.

KANSAS

The following four books, compiled and published by Wayne V. and Olive M. Parker through Eunice Sterling Chapter:

The Parker Book. 1968. From Mrs. Melvin Stack.
Oliver Wetherbee Family Records. 1967. From Lola Roquemore Williams through Encinitas Chapter.

KENTUCKY

Family of John and Margaret Lowland Snyder. Vanita Thomas and Levi Jackson Hordchar. 1972. From the authors in honor of their daughters, Helen Heeter Hordchar Evans and Frances Thomas Hordchar Saindon and their families through Captain John Waller Chapter.


MAINE


MARYLAND

The following five books from Mrs. Eugene E. Clark through Janet Montgomery Congregation:


The Bratons of New England. Morton Lawson. From the author in memory of Ruby Windrow through Fort Mason Chapter.

MICHIGAN


Mississippi


MISSOURI


NEW JERSEY


FRANKLINS FARMINGTON, JR., HIS ANCESTORS AND DESCENDANTS. Dorothy Farrington Parker. 1972. From the author through Eagle Rock Chapter.

NEW YORK


North Carolina


Our Family Annals. A. M. Shotwell, compiler. 1895. From Mrs. Enola Thompson through Daniel H. Brush Chapter.

OHIO

Descendants of Thomas Skaggs, Earl N. Skaggs. From Cincinnati Chapter.

Descendants of Thomas Skaggs, Earl N. Skaggs. From Cincinnati Chapter.


SOUTH CAROLINA

The following two books from Mrs. Harry Wilkin through Susannah French Putney Chapter.

MONTANA


The Early Bibles and Graveyard Records. Kathryn H. Campbell, compiler. From the compiler through Nancy Robbins Chapter.

NEBRASKA

The following two books from Mrs. Mitchell Linn Jr. through Elizabeth Maxwell Chapter.

New Hampshire


NEW JERSEY


Franklin James Farrington, Jr. His Ancestors and Descendants. Dorothy Farrington Parker. 1972. From the author through Eagle Rock Chapter.

NEW YORK


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Our Family Annals. A. M. Shotwell, compiler. 1895. From Mrs. Enola Thompson through Daniel H. Brush Chapter.
The Olden Days. LaVerne Hutchens Bish. 1973. From the author through Hobart Chapter.

OREGON

Our Children's Ancestors. Robert W. and Evelyn Cross Young. 1966. From Oregon State DAR.

Some Ohio and Iowa Pioneers. Their Friends and Descendants. Elizabeth Potts Kaledo. 1967. From the compiler through Pennsylvania DAR.

Pennsylvania Three Centuries of Custom House Keepers. Written by members of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America. From Mrs. Marie A. Martin through Jephthah Abbott Chapter.


New York North Country for the Counties of Beaufort and Johnson. Dorothy W. Potter. From John Corbly Chapter in memory of Sallie Cook Sayers and Mary Denny Weaver.

RHODE ISLAND
The Early Records of the Town of Warwick. Howard M. Chapin. 1966. From Rhode Island DAR.

SOUTH CAROLINA


TENNESSEE


The following two books from Mrs. William N. Green of Watauga County: Land Records, Dandridge County, Virginia. 1752-1820. Compiled and indexed by Thomas P. Hughes and Jewel B. Standerfer. 1972. From the compiler.

The following two pamphlets in memory of Sherwood LeFevre, M. D. and Ada Becker LeFevre by their daughter Helen Elizabeth LeFevre Ritchie through Cobbs Hall Chapter.


The following three books from Mrs. Herbert F. May through Jackson-Madison Chapter.

The Benson Family: Descendants of Isaac Benson and Mary Bampus. Grace Hilda Croft, compiler. 1972. From the compiler through Princess Timpanogos Chapter.


The following two books from New River Pioneer Chapter.

The First Virginia Nuckolls and Kindred. Bertha Nuckolls. 1970. From Miss Mary E. Bower through Captain John W. Bower Chapter.


The following two books from New River Pioneer Chapter.


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The following two pamphlets from New River Pioneer Chapter.


THE FOLLOWING TWO BOOKS FROM MRS. WILLIAM N. GREEN THROUGH WATAUGA COUNTY:


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THE FOLLOWING TWO BOOKS FROM MRS. WILLIAM N. GREEN THROUGH WATAUGA COUNTY:


The Following two pamphlets from New River Pioneer Chapter.


The following manuscript from Mrs. Elmo A. Elder through John Marshall Chapter:

Dillon, Randal and Raper Bible and Family Records
Gilliland-Randolph and Allied Families of Dillon, Reed, Kennedy, Cole, McKinney and Offar

MAINE

ILLINOIS
Assassin
Record of the Pope Family. Miss Lea F. Boyd. From Icene S. Lentz, Member at Large.

KENTUCKY
The following two manuscripts from Mrs. Arthur H. Vollertsen through Williamsburg Chapter:

The Will of Millard Redfern. From Mrs. William Templeton and Mrs. Meek Dickson. 1969.

Other Sources
DeHoff Family Data. Prepared by James B. McCurley. From James B. McCurley. The following two manuscripts from Mrs. Elmo A. Elder:

Family Bible Records of Calvin and Sarah (Lewis) Johnson.
Family Bible Records of George C. Prescott of La Grange, Monroe County, Wisconsin.

WASHINGTON
The following four manuscripts from Mrs. Elmo A. Elder through John Marshall Chapter:


CHARTS


The following two manuscripts from Mrs. Elmo A. Elder through the John Marshall Chapter:

Large.

The following two manuscripts from Hugh A. Johnson:

Bible Records of Calvin and Sarah (Lewis) Johnson.
Bible Records of George C. Prescott of La Grange. Monroe County.

The following two manuscripts from Mrs. Arthur H. Vollertsen through Williamsburg Chapter:

The Will of Thomas Turner. From Mrs. Vernon L. Frederick.

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The Will of Thomas Turner. From Mrs. Vernon L. Frederick.

The following two manuscripts from Mrs. Arthur H. Vollertsen through Williamsburg Chapter:

Genealogy of the Mabie and Tucker Family. Mildred Tucker Mabie, compiler and publisher. 1972. From the compiler and publisher.

The following two manuscripts from Mrs. Arthur H. Vollertsen through Williamsburg Chapter:

The Will of John Lesher son probated October 11, 1811.

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For those of you who will be unable to visit this Exhibit, we have a wonderfully attractive new slide set on the DAR Museum Sampler Collection which will be available for rental by December 1st. Next month some of our samplers will be highlighted on the cover of the Decorator, a magazine published by the Historical Society of Early American Decoration, and in the cover article, "A Century of Samplers from the DAR Museum Collections." In February other examples will be illustrated in Antiques Magazine for the article, "Samplers and Needlework Pictures in the DAR Museum Collections."

A good many of the quilts and coverlets were cleaned this summer and we hope that you will once again notice the displays in the library cases. We are hoping that you will contribute towards the restoration of some of our samplers as several are in poor condition and, unless restored in the very near future, will deteriorate completely and be lost forever. Let us work hard to maintain this early American needlework collection, the finest in the District of Columbia and one of the finest in the East.

In addition to the publications mentioned above, several other articles are scheduled for publication this winter and spring. This month Antiques Magazine published our portraits of Lucas and Chloe Cushing which Mrs. James A. Vaughan so generously donated to us. In May, Antiques Magazine will publish our furniture collection. An article on the Museum is in preparation for that handsome magazine, Connoisseur. American Heritage’s new magazine, Americana, is interested in an article on the DAR Museum, and we have begun negotiations for a book on the DAR Museum collections. Several of our quilts were photographed this summer for a new book on quilts to be published this winter. Time-Life Films has used four of our slides from the new slide set, now completed, “America’s First Seven Presidents as Represented in the DAR Museum Collections,” for their educational filmstrip on the history of America.

After accrediting the DAR Museum last year, the American Association of Museums has made several recommendations. In their letter to us they wrote: “Even more important, the Director, Curator General, and the Board should develop at once a written plan for the future interpretation of the Museum. What audiences do they wish to attract and how can they best be served? The collection has many strengths and can be used to attract the general public, school groups, and research scholars. What themes can be developed through excellent and eloquent exhibits on the Revolutionary generation? And what pamphlets, book, slides, sound tapes, and other audiovisual productions will provide more varied interpretation within the Museum and carry its story to audiences outside its walls? Obviously, the Museum should work with the schools to enrich classroom teaching of American history and related subjects; an education director should be an early addition to the staff.” We have moved forward with this recommendation and Patricia Hogan has been named Director of Educational Programs. We feel that this Program will fulfill the educational goals of the Founding Daughters with the educational responsibilities of a museum and serve also as wonderful public relations. The Educational Program will be developed for all age groups, members and nonmembers. We will be equipped to send out materials on the Museum to Chapters, individuals, and schools. A great deal of emphasis will be placed on slide programs, a most attractive way to present our collection. We will also develop new exhibits within our own walls.

In September Mrs. Garrett gave our docents, a two-week training course on the State Period Rooms. During these two weeks Mrs. Alison MacTavish, our Registrar, addressed the docents on the silver, glass, and porcelain which she has catalogued in the Period Rooms. Patricia Hogan, who has catalogued much of the New Hampshire Attic toy collection, delighted the docents with a lecture on this toy collection, and Mr. Wendell Garrett, Editor of Antiques Magazine, closed the course with a discourse on “American Furniture 1650-1850.” In November the Docents will visit the marvelous eighteenth-century home moved to the District of Columbia from Massachusetts, the Lindens. In December they will take a trip to the Henry Francis du Pont Winterthur Museum in Winterthur, Delaware. On April 29, the Docents welcomed six hundred Questers, a national antiques study group, to a reception where the Docents had prepared cakes and cookies from early American recipes. The Docents escorted Questers on tours of the Period Rooms and the Gallery and the Questers were given printed brochures containing some of the cake and cookie recipes which they had enjoyed. The event was fun, beautiful and much enjoyed by everyone. In appreciation of this evening the Questers have donated $300 to the Museum General Fund for use by our docents. In their summer newsletter the Questers wrote, “Upon arriving in Washington on Sunday afternoon, we were extremely excited and looking forward to attending the President’s Reception which was to be held in the DAR Museum. It proved an awe-inspiring experience. Strawberry punch was served from beautifully decorated tables with silver candelabras and an assortment (an unbelievable assortment) of delicious home made cakes, cookies, and candies from authentic “antique” recipes. For those of you who have never had the opportunity to visit the museum, it is a must on your next visit to D.C.” We heartily thank the Questers and the docents for making this evening such an overwhelming success.

The Special Events Committee began a new year on Monday with a reception and exhibition heralding the publication of the book, The White House Gardens: A History and Pictorial Record. Our own DAR Museum Collection boasts several fine examples of floral watercolors by the former First Lady and First President General of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Caroline Scott Harrison. In November, Mrs. Louise Belden, an assistant curator at Winterthur Museum, will address our guests on “Eighteenth Century Table Settings.” In December, Mrs. Garrett will talk on our sampler and needlework collection in conjunction with the special exhibit, and in January, Mr. Garrett will give a lecture for our Special Events guests.

The Friends of the Museum have purchased a handsome oil on canvas portrait of George Washington in uniform with his blue officer’s sash. It is a very early depiction of the General, probably dating from the 1780’s.

I would like to extend my thanks to the entire Museum staff who have worked so hard this summer. Particular thanks go to Mr. Robert Cato, our Curator, who spent another hard-working and hot summer in our un-airconditioned Museum Gallery. In July, Mr. Garrett, the Director-General, enthusiastically welcomed Wendell Garrett. Mr. Garrett is the editor of Antiques Magazine. The couple met when Betsy was working on an article published in Antiques Magazine last March, “Paintings at the Daughters of the American Revolution Museum,” proving that among all its other attributes the DAR Museum can claim to be romantic. Mrs. Garrett was selected by the Smithsonian to participate in a week-long seminar on Exhibit Design at the Museum of Natural History. In July she addressed the Smithsonian Associates on the DAR Museum. Two young college students, Nancy Ferguson and Markie Peter, spent the summer with us helping with the cataloguing project and mounting slides for the new slide sets. We loved having these girls who were a terrific help to us and hated to see them leave at the end of the summer. We are sorry to have lost two members of our staff, Jane Byrne and Helen Hood, but we are extremely lucky to have added three wonderful people to the Museum staff. Mary Lee Berger-Hughes has assumed the position of Secretary to the Museum. Mary Lee is a Fine Arts graduate of Jackson College. Meg Fitzpatrick has joined the staff to help with cataloguing our extensive silver collection. Meg is a graduate of Boston University and has worked with the Boston Museum of Fine Arts and Plimoth Plantation. Mrs. Marge Noel has become our new Receptionist and Docent coordinator. We consider ourselves very, very lucky to have Mrs. Noel in this position as she has been a docent herself and shows a tremendous vitality.
This has been a busy summer for this National Officer. She addressed the Robert Cooke Chapter in Nashville on June 2nd and flew to Washington the following day for the June Board Meeting. It was her pleasure to accompany the Museum Docents on their visit to the White House June 5th. She addressed the Old Glory and Colonel Jethro Sumner Chapters on Flag Day and was the guest of the Regents Council of Nashville for their celebration at the Old City Cemetery.

On June 16th, accompanied by Mr. King, this officer attended the Dedication of a Marker honoring Mary Parke McFerson Foster, Honorary President General, NSDAR, in Evansville, Indiana. We were the guests of the State Regent, Mrs. Thomas Martin Egan, and Mr. Egan at a most enjoyable dinner at the Petroleum Club on Saturday evening. On Sunday morning it was our privilege to accompany our beloved Chaplain General, Mrs. Clarence Whitfield Kemper, and her son Mr. Clarence W. Kemper, Jr., to the dedication. Mrs. Kemper, as the official representative of our President General, gave a beautiful memorial to Mrs. Foster. Following the ceremony the entire assemblage attended a delicious brunch at the Evansville Country Club. That afternoon, the Vanderburgh Chapter and its Regent, Mrs. Edwin A. Doward, honored Mrs. Egan with a lovely tea where we were happy to meet many Indiana Daughters.

On June 23rd she accompanied Mr. King to Palm Beach, Florida to attend the Annual Congress of the Sons of the American Revolution. Our President General, Mrs. Donald Spicer, was the honored guest of the assemblage and this officer was privileged to accompany her to the opening of an Independence Day display featuring Boehm’s limited edition of the Young American Eagles, 1776, sponsored by the Palm Beach Chapter. This event was covered by the press, and radio and was followed by a most enjoyable luncheon hosted by Mrs. Randolph Osborn, Regent of the Chapter. The Seminole Chapter honored our President General with a beautiful tea at the Flagler Museum and the gracious hospitality of its Regent, Mrs. William G. Wallace, and the officers and members present was most appreciated.

On July 4th it was her pleasure to address the Stones River Chapter in Smyrna and on July 30th, accompanied by Mrs. Wallace Bryan Heiser, Organizing Secretary General, Miss Eunice Haden, National Chairman of Lineage Research, and Mrs. Robert Hugh Reid, National Chairman of Honor Roll, she attended the Dedication of a Marker in Nashville. On August 10th this officer was the guest of Kentucky Daughters at the first District Meeting at Barkley Lake and she expressed gratitude to Miss Laura Dickerson, the State Regent, for all the courtesies extended to her there. On August 23rd she flew to Cleveland, Ohio where she was met by Mrs. Heiser and Mrs. Leslie O. Carlin for the drive to Peterborough, New Hampshire to attend the annual dedication service at the Cathedral of the Pines, where Mrs. Lyle Johnston Howland served as the official representative of our President General. We enjoyed the hospitality of the State Regent, Mrs. Carl Arthur Chase, at a dinner on the evening before. Following the ceremony we attended a delightful dinner arranged by Mrs. Harry Parr, Vice President General, and hosted by Mrs. E. H. Snow, State Chaplain, and her distinguished husband due to the illness of Mrs. Parr. This officer attended the District Meetings across her state and on Saturday, September 15th, accompanied by Mr. King, she drove to Virginia where she was the guest of the William Byrd Chapter and its Regent, Miss Elizabeth Smith, at the President Madison Inn at Orange, Virginia. Following the luncheon she gave the official Constitution Week Address at the grave of President James Madison at Monticello.

On September 20th she addressed the Robert Cartwright Chapter in Nashville and on September 22nd, she and Mr. King drove to Memphis where she addressed the Annual Constitution Week Meeting of the Memphis and Shelby County Regents Council. She is grateful for the hospitality of Mrs. Robert Warno, Mrs. J. Ralston Gragg, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Curtis Matthews. On September 26th she was the honored guest at the meeting of the Shelby Chapter, accompanying Mrs. Harry Hoopes, National Chairman of Friends of the Museum.

On October 8th she assisted our President General in a Museum Event featuring the new publication “The White House Gardens” and its author, Mr. Frederick L. Kramer. This book has been endorsed by the National Society.

This National Officer is grateful to her staff and to the dedicated members of the Society whose continuing cooperation and service have made our progress in the DAR Museum possible.

SARAH M. KING, Curator General,

MUSEUM GIFTS

ALABAMA: AC $5.00; Cat. $6.50
ARIZONA: Friends $107.50; Cat. $3.00
CALIFORNIA: Cat. $1.00

Textile, possibly coverlet, Chinese Silk, circa 1830-1850. Donor: George W. King in memory of his wife, Mrs. Effie Tilghman Wallis King, Luisenos Chapter. 73.34

Music Book, circa 1813-1838, belonged to James Tooker, Sag Harbor and Patchogue, New York. Donor: Mrs. John Williams Woodruff, Rancho San Jose de Buenos Aires Chapter. 73.62

COLORADO: Cat. $1.50

CONNECTICUT: Cat. $4.00

DELAWARE: Teaspoons, silver, six, Philadelphia, Isaac Reed and Son, circa 1840. Donor: Mrs. D. H. Loomis, Caesar Rodney Chapter. 73.27.1,2,3,4,5,6

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: $38.50; Friends $111.00; Cat. $52.00

FLORIDA: $9.00; Friends $210.00; AC $5.00; Cat. $6.00

Music Book for Voice and Piano, 1830’s, originally owned by Mary Tiffany of Utica, New York. Donor: Manatee Chapter in memory of Mrs. Mary Dowling Vincent. 73.132

Small painted ivory oval, painted with sprig of roses by Anna Maria Eccleston Byus, circa 1813. Donor: Lucy Eccleston Campbell, Allapattah Chapter. 73.123

Celluloid baby doll, maker: Rheinische Gummi und Celluloid Fabrik Co., circa 1915. Donor: Mrs. Blanche W. Henrickson, Manatee Chapter. 73.131

Casters, pewter, marked “Salem Pewter” circa 1900. Donor: Mrs. Charles J. Nordquist, Abigail Bartholomew Chapter. 73.52.1,2

GEORGIA: $4.00; Friends $20.00; AC $1.00; Cat. $1.00

ILLINOIS: $16.00; Friends $25.50; AC $6.00; Cat. $24.50

Dish Cross, silver, London, 1789, John Moore, history of ownership by Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Maryland. Purchased by Illinois State Society. ILL.73.61

INDIANA: Friends $1.00

KENTUCKY: Friends $1.00; AC $2.00; Cat. $8.50

LOUISIANA: Friends $100.00

MAINE: Friends $100.00; Cat. $1.00

MASSACHUSETTS: Friends $100.00; Cat. $1.50


Woven Linen tablecloth by Lucy Dole of Shelburne, Massachusetts (?), circa 1826; embroidered initials L.D. Donor: Miss Alice D. Serrell, General Richardson Chapter. MICH.73.143.1,2,3

Book: “When Michigan Was Young,” by Ethel Rowan Fasquelle. Donor: Louisa St. Clair Chapter. MICH.73.144

Book: “Chronicle of the Van Hoosen Centenary Farm,” by Sarah Van Hoosen Jones. Donor: Miss Alice D. Serrell, General Richardson Chapter. MICH.73.145


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MISSISSIPPI: Cat. $3.00
MISSOURI: Cat. $3.00
NEW JERSEY: $10.00; Friends $5.00; AC $5.00
Teapot, Britannia metal, maker: Josiah Danforth (1803-1872), Millcreek, Connecticut, circa 1825-1837. Donor: Mrs. Walter S. Edgar, Basking Ridge Chapter. 73.53
NEW MEXICO: Cat. $1.00
NEW YORK: $8.00; Friends $66.00
Miniature portrait, oil on ivory, circa 1810, artist unknown, sitter believed to be Brigadier-General John Brooks of Massachusetts. Donor: Dr. Russell C. Johnson in memory of his mother, Helen C. Johnson, through the White Plains Chapter. 73.57
Teaspoon, silver, maker: Andrew Hanford, Peekskill, New York, circa 1820-1830. Donor: Miss Sarah T. Baker, Pierre Van Cortlandt Chapter. N.Y.73.50
NORTH CAROLINA: Friends $19.00; Cat. $10.50
Two wine coolers, Sheffield plate, English, circa 1810. Donor: North Carolina State Society. N.C.73.31.1,2,3,4
Coasters, set of four, Sheffield plate, English, circa 1805. Donor: North Carolina State Society. N.C.73.32.1,2,3,4
OKLAHOMA: $1.00; Friends $1.00; Cat. $2.00
OREGON: AC $9.00
PENNSYLVANIA: $224.50; Friends $113.00; AC $10.00; Cat. $18.00
Embroidered cap worn by Phoebe Allen Beers, daughter of Ethan Allen. Donor: Mrs. John A. McCann, Pittsburgh Chapter. 73.140
Handkerchief, linen, white, 1920's, history of ownership by Mrs. Herbert Hoover. Donor: Mrs. Richard Miller, Liberty Hall Chapter. 73.137
Pattern molded salt, deep sapphire blue flint glass, Stiegel type, Pennsylvania-Maryland region, late eighteenth century. Donor: Mrs. William C. Emigh in memory of her daughter, Sara Jane Pennegar Foster, Chester County Chapter. 73.56
RHODE ISLAND: Cat. $1.00
SOUTH CAROLINA: Cat. $1.00
TENNESSEE: $1.00; Friends $201.13; Cat. $7.00
Steel and glass eye glasses, eighteenth century. Donor: James D. Hoskins, President Emeritus, University of Tennessee, through the Bonny Kate Chapter. 73.142
Book: "M.T. Ciceronis Orationes," Dublin 1812. Donor: Mrs. William A. Starritt, Sarah Hawkins Chapter. TE.73.150
TEXAS: Cat. $15.00
VERMONT: Cat. $4.00
VIRGINIA: Cat. $2.00
WASHINGTON: Friends $10.00; Cat. $5.00
Plate, Child's earthenware, "Aesop's Fables" series entitled "The Wolf and Crane," probably Staffordshire (English) circa 1830. Donor: Mrs. J. W. Wilson, Michael Trebet Chapter. 73.33
Woven coverlet, Jacobean weave, blue wool, white linen, Declaration of Independence pattern, 1831. Donor: Mrs. Adele Watkins Beal, Rainier Chapter. 73.36
WEST VIRGINIA: Friends $5.00; Cat. $3.50
YOving: Friends $7.50; AC $7.50
FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM
Purchase: Oil painting on canvas, portrait of General George Washington in uniform with his blue Officer's Sash, artist unknown, circa 1780. 73.139

MUSEUM REFERENCE LIBRARY GIFTS
"Executive Mansions and Capitols of America"—Mr. and Mrs. George H. Aull, Jr., Dr. Elisha Dick Chapter, Virginia, in memory of Mr. Paul W. Allman.
"Pennsylvania Arts and Crafts"—Mrs. Marge Noel, Colonel John Donaldson Chapter, D.C., honoring Elisabeth Garrett, Director-Curator, 1971-73.

The Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution, Mrs. Eloise T. Jenkins, read her report.

Report of Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution

The 75th Report of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution to the Smithsonian has not been returned for final proofing. The 76th Report covering March 1, 1972—March 1, 1973 is being prepared as material is available. Part III which contains the records of graves of soldiers of the American Revolution located from March 1, 1972—February 28, 1973 is complete. It contains:

Newly Reported Graves .................. 338
Previously Reported Graves ................ 103
Not printed because of insufficient data .... 18
Duplicates .................................. 5
Total number received ..................... 464

The Newly Reported Graves were located in 24 states.

It was a privilege to accompany the President General and the State Regent of Virginia to Culpeper, Virginia on May 18 as the guest of Culpeper Minute Men Chapter for the Rededication Service of the Grave of Betty Washington Lewis at "Western View." On May 20 she attended the Ceremony marking the grave of Revolutionary Soldier Colonel Thomas Blackburn at Rippon Lodge Cemetery, Woodbridge, Virginia by the Army and Navy Chapter of the District of Columbia. On June 17 she attended the Bicentennial Memorial Grave Marking Service for Revolutionary Soldiers and Patriots buried in Finchville Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Finchville, Virginia, sponsored by Botetourt County and General James Breckinridge Chapters. An Historical Monument was presented.

On June 12-14 she attended the Board Meeting of Tamassie. It has been an honor and a pleasure to represent the President General at the following:

May 31—Briefing Conference on Drugs and Pharmaceuticals sponsored by the Bureau of Drugs and Public Affairs Office of The Food and Drug Administration, Twin Bridges Marriott, Arlington, Virginia.

June 22—Awards Convocation, The United States Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, New York.

July 12—Council of Presidents, Women's National Organizations, Mayflower Hotel.

September 11—Presentation of Tactual Flag and patriotic literature including copies of the Constitution, Flag Code, the Declaration of Independence to the Visually Impaired at the Food and Drug Administration, Twin Bridges Marriott, Arlington, Virginia.

September 19—Accompanied by the State Regent of the District of Columbia attended the Foreign Policy Conference for NGO Leaders at the U.S. Department of State.

October 5—Sixth Seminar for Leaders of NGO at the...
Department of Defense, the Pentagon Building.

Other activities include:

On August 23 this Officer accompanied the State Regent of Virginia to Quantico who presented the NSDAR Award to the Honorman of the Senior Platoon Leaders Class; and on September 15 to Orange County, Virginia to the James Madison Cemetery for the Constitution Day Program sponsored by the William Byrd Chapter of Richmond.

She has also had a very busy schedule participating in many of her own State activities.

ELOISE T. JENKINS,  
Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Griswold, read the report of the DAR Magazine Committee, in the absence of the Chairman, Mrs. James Andrew Williams.

Report of DAR Magazine Committee

The DAR Magazine continues to receive praise from a wide variety of readers for our excellent editorial material and our beautiful, significant covers. Many have expressed appreciation for the May Magazine which featured St. Marys handiwork on the color cover and for Miss MacPeek's challenging article. You liked the color covers that pictured the Assembly Committee Room at Independence Hall; the tinted drawing of Naval Action on Lake Ontario, 11 September 1813, by Master's Mate Peter W. Spicer; and the Caroline Scott Harrison Case from the DAR Museum. We believe that we are producing a periodical geared to DAR objectives, one that typifies the DAR image.

Employees in the Magazine Office are doing their usual splendid job and there is really little unusual to report. All Magazine cataloguing has been completed. Miss Hall and Mrs. Checchia participated in the extensive basement clean-up. We are two employees short and will lose another key-punch operator on October 12. Mrs. Checchia, Circulation Manager, is to be commended for running the office in a most efficient manner. The shortage of help comes during our busiest months and it is difficult to function effectively without an adequate staff.

Xerox University Microfilms has begun reproducing the DAR Magazine in miniature form. Beginning with the 1892 issues, they have gone through 1927 and are now working on the second group of volumes. The microfilm will be available for purchase to libraries or individuals. When reproduction is completed, information concerning purchase will be announced in the Magazine.

At this time the November mailing tape is being run on the computer and it is not possible to give you an accurate subscription count. We ask that you continue to encourage participation in the Magazine Contest. All changes of address should be reported to the Magazine Office immediately.

Please stress the importance of prompt renewals. When a subscriber renews from the first notice, she should not miss an issue. However, if she waits until receiving the final notice, it is possible that her name will have been removed from the active mailing list. This name must then be returned to the active file and it is possible that she will miss an issue. During the busy season (October through April) we often receive more than 1,000 subscriptions per day.

Subscription Gift Cards and Christmas Gift Cards are mailed from the Magazine Office at your request. Watch for the Christmas Gift Card that will be pictured in the November Magazine.

A new directory of subscriptions will be sent FIRST CLASS MAIL to each Chapter Regent in March. These lists should be given to your Magazine Chairman. Recently your National Chairman has received many requests for additional subscription lists. You can understand how much research, work and time such compilation would require. However, when possible, these requests are honored. Your Chairman suggests that Chapter Regents make an additional Xerox copy when the list is received.

Although the expenses of producing the DAR Magazine are being held to a minimum, we must seriously consider increasing the price of a DAR Magazine subscription to bring it more in line with the actual cost of production. Production includes printing, paper, postage, office salaries and supplies. Our Magazine is not subsidized by the National Society; it is supposed to be self-supporting, meeting expenses from income derived from subscriptions and advertisements.

From 1921 until 1964 the subscription price was $2.00; since 1964 it has been $3.00. All of us are living with increased costs. During the last year the cost of living increased 5.9%. It takes $1.49 today to purchase what $1.00 bought in 1960. It is obvious that publication expenses have not remained fixed.

As a non-profit publication we have a special second class postal rate. According to the Postmaster General, the cost of second class mail will increase 38% on January 4, 1974. Printing will be up 5%; paper, 40%; and the Magazine employees deserve regular salary increases.

During the 82nd Continental Congress, under the courageous leadership of the President General and of you on the National Board of Management, the National Society demonstrated VISION, COURAGE and STRENGTH by raising the National dues. Again, reality must be faced. Keeping the Magazine financially self-supporting will require a price increase. Your National Chairman is confident that you will wish the DAR Magazine to remain the leader in its unique field, as it is today—and that you will vote for a price increase if and when asked to do so.

It is impossible to close this report without expressing gratitude to our President General; to the National Chairman of DAR Magazine Advertising; to you National Officers and State Regents who stimulate interest in the DAR Magazine; and to our loyal, dedicated and most capable staff, especially to Rose Hall and Florence Checchia.

DOROTHY WILLIAMS,  
Chairman.

Mrs. James E. Clyde, Chairman, read the report of the DAR Magazine Advertising Committee.

Report of DAR Magazine Advertising Committee

This report covers the issues of June-July through November, and includes 2 "firsts." One, a full-color center spread, this in the October issue. The other a first commercial ad from a 46-year-old chapter.

The advertising grows increasingly beautiful, with more emphasis being placed on America's history, thus adding to the dignity and value of the magazine. The growing need for more advertising is exemplified by the increased cost of printing. For instance, the August-September issue of 60,000 copies cost us $4.25 per copy just to print and mail. This does not include the overhead of two offices. It is thus obvious that the $3.00 per year subscription is a mere pittance toward the full cost. Chapters are discovering that they can secure commercial sponsors for their historic ads, thereby keeping their own funds intact; 863 chapters from 14 states and 28 states for October contribute the following amount of revenue for this period;

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The winner for the most revenue is Tennessee with $900.00.

Florida 1.00
Pennsylvania 1,245.00

Illinois $ 2,881.00
Virginia 740.50

Kentucky 11.50
Virginia 425.00

Louisiana 220.00
Virginia 19.50

Maryland 1.00
Wisconsin 110.00

Massachusetts .50
France 10.00

Michigan 6.00

Minnesota 125.00
Total $9,558.25

We are at present without a clerk in our office and Mrs. Sisk is attempting to do advertising page paste-ups, plus the other office work. We are grateful for your understanding of this situation.

RUTH THORNE CLYDE,
Chairman.

Miss Amanda A. Thomas, Chairman of the DAR School Committee, read her report.

Report of DAR School Committee

Contributions to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith DAR Schools from March 1, 1973 through August 31, 1973 totaled $40,272.86. This amount includes the contributions of $5,000 to each from the National Society, $5,728.98 for the Spicer ABC Fund, and $27.00 for the Seimes-Thomas Classroom expenses. Kate Duncan Smith DAR School received from State contributions $9,558.25 and Tamassee DAR School $14,958.63.

TAMASSEE DAR SCHOOL

Alabama $ 84.00
Arizona 7.00
California 662.06
Colorado .50
Connecticut 10.00

District of Columbia 550.00
Florida 21.00
Georgia 21.00
Illinois 2,881.00
Indiana 740.50

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Michigan 6.00

Minnesota 125.00
Total $14,958.63

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Total $14,958.63

Many additions and betterments have come to Tamassee through the Spicer ABC Fund. Mr. Jones, Business Manager, reports that all buildings have been checked and many repairs have been made. Eight of the school personnel resigned and were replaced by others, who Mr. Jones feels are working out very well.

Some improvements made to date are: The much needed Sewage System has been installed; three sewing machines were purchased, one each for Groves, Michigan Mooney-Goddard and Illinois Cottages; steps were built for Texas Friendship Cottage; new washing machine was purchased for All-States Hall; inside of Illinois Cottage was painted; guttering was replaced on the front roof of the school building. The window frames were decaying and plaster was falling off due to water escaping from the old gutters; seventy-five fluorescent lights have been installed in the classrooms; one Ohio Cottage had extensive foundation and wall repairs. In this cottage the bathroom was in need of much work; New York Cottage has been receiving needed attention.

While the Spicer ABC Fund has brought many needed repairs and additions to Tamassee much more money is needed in this fund to complete this work.

This school year finds 30 fewer students in the boarding department. Several reasons have been advanced for the decline in enrollment. One is the desire of older students, 18 years of age and older, to have part-time work after school hours. Even with fewer students, food costs have doubled and general expenses have reached an all-time high.

At Kate Duncan Smith there are 412 children in the elementary grades and 455 in high school, the total being 867.

Enrollment has shifted so that for the first time three first-grade teachers and three third-grade teachers are employed. The increase in faculty is two, making a total of 43 teachers and two aides.

Construction of the Jamison Faculty Cottage is nearing completion; the Helen Pouch Lunchroom has been air conditioned; several classrooms in the primary and old main building have been repainted. By Dedication Day it is planned to have the interior of the primary and Home Economics Department repainted.

Only one faculty member resigned this year and has been replaced.

What I have mentioned as improvements have cost money but the physical plant of each school must be kept in order lest much more expensive repairs are needed.

Your valuable assistance working for young people who attend DAR Schools is really needed.

AMANDA A. THOMAS,
Chairman

The report of Buildings and Grounds Committee was filed.
Report of Buildings and Grounds Committee

In the six-month period since this Chairman’s report to the 82nd Continental Congress in April, continued progress has been effected toward improvements and repairs of the buildings and grounds.

On October 1, 1973, the President General, Mrs. Donald Spicer, this Chairman, and members of the Buildings and Grounds Committee had the great pleasure of honoring Mr. Eugene Cuppert at a party in the Banquet Hall upon the occasion of his retirement as Superintendent of NSDAR Buildings and Grounds. Former Chairman of this Committee, representatives from the National Geographic Society, and DAR Staff members, gathered to wish Mr. Cuppert “Happy Retirement Years.” Mr. Cuppert, who will continue with us as Grounds Keeper, has served the National Society for 38 years and merits the gratitude and sincere good wishes of every member. Mr. Hubert Rock has assumed the position of Superintendent.

In June, Senior Girl Scout Troop 336 of Vidalia, Georgia arrived for a tour of the DAR Museum and Period Rooms. Upon completion of their tour, a box luncheon was set for them in the Banquet Hall. The group of 20 young ladies and 6 adults were delighted with all arrangements and found their trip to our Buildings and Museum delightful.

A new “Billy Goat” (sweeper) was purchased, replacing the one in use for some time. We continue removal and cleaning of basement areas of the three buildings.

Memorial Continental Hall
All repairs to the exterior of Memorial Continental Hall, including work on column volutes, flutes, and leaking balustrades have been completed.

New fluorescent lights were installed in the Library Book Repository located in the basement.

Repairs were completed to the Library ceiling where falling plaster caused considerable concern.

The Banquet Hall, located on the third floor, has undergone a complete repainting; the floors, rugs, and draperies have been cleaned.

As one of its National Projects, the National Society, Children of the American Revolution has completed renovation of their Board Room also located on the third floor of Memorial Continental Hall. You will find this newly decorated room worth a visit.

Administration Building
A new two and a half ton air conditioner was purchased and installed in the Mail Room.

Four iron bar guards were erected on the second floor at the windows with balconies. The first floor corridors have received a fresh coat of paint.

In the Treasurer General’s Membership Department, linoleum counter tops were replaced.

A new desk was purchased for the Chief of Guides at the 1776 D Street Entrance.

Constitution Hall

The master panel for Constitution Hall Lobby lights, located in the 18th Street North Box Office, vintage 1929, was replaced with a breaker panel. This is also true for the old code type open buss panel located near the C.A.R. offices on the second floor.

The Stone Hall has undergone repairs to damaged plaster and repainting of the entire rail, cornice, base, walls and ceiling. It has been vacuumed and washed; the marble base and the marble floor have been cleaned and refinished; staircase bannisters wiped down; the chandelier fixture cleaned and candle-shaped bulbs installed; and the drapes vacuumed and sealed in a plastic to protect them from water splashes and the like.

With the cooperation of the Buildings and Grounds Committee, N.S.C.A.R. Headquarters, on the second floor, have undergone a thorough cleaning and renovation.

Forty-seven State Flags used during Continental Congress have been cleaned.

All boxes in Constitution Hall have new carpet that is kept in storage except for special performances.

The Ticketron machine was relocated to the C Street Box Office to facilitate quicker entry to the Hall by separating those who are purchasing tickets from ticket holders. An electrical circuit has been installed for the machine. A steel lattice gate has been erected in the C Street Lobby, damaged seats repaired, and broken windows have been replaced.

Since March 1, 1973 there have been 50 events in Constitution Hall, realizing a gross income of $77,443.35.

FRANCES GOFF SWAN,
Chairman.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Griswold, read the following recommendations from the Executive Committee and moved their adoption:

- That the official DAR Banners ordered by the States or Chapters must have the appropriate designation of the State or Chapter. Seconded by Mrs. Biscoe. Adopted.

The meeting recessed at 12:25 p.m.

The meeting reconvened at 2 p.m., the President General, Mrs. Spicer, presiding.

Recommendations from the Executive Committee were continued:

To recommend to Continental Congress: That a television section be added to the duties of the Motion Picture Committee. Adopted.

That a nursing scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Donna Jean May of Waterloo, Illinois, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Leaman. Adopted.

That a medical scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Patrice K. Rehm of De Soto, Missouri, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Boney. Adopted.

That a medical scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Janet Louise Horton of Ann Arbor, Michigan, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Eastin. Adopted.

That a nursing scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Paula E. Kline of Indiana, Pennsylvania, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Russell. Adopted.

That a nursing scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Toni Lynn McCoy of Auburn, Indiana, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Egan. Adopted.

That a medical scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Philip E. Newman of Brooklyn, New York, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Baylies. Adopted.

That a physical therapy scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Pamela D. Sipes of Detroit, Michigan, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Eastin. Adopted.

That a nursing scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Barbara Ann Volsko of Farrell, Pennsylvania, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Russell. Adopted.

That a medical scholarship in the amount of $100 be granted Diane Behan of Hoffman Estates, Illinois, to be appropriated from the Caroline E. Holt Educational Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Meyer. Adopted.

That the new design for the Junior American Citizens Committee Thatcher Award pin be accepted. Seconded by Mrs. Carroll of Colorado. Adopted.

The Treasurer General, Mrs. Ziesmer, moved that 1 former member be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Rudy. Adopted.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Heiser, read her supplemental report.

Supplemental Report of Organizing Secretary General
The following chapter has met all requirements according to
the Bylaws and is now presented for confirmation:
Old Mine Road, Port Jervis, New York.

MARIAN ROWE HEISER,
Organizing Secretary General.

Mrs. Heiser moved the confirmation of one chapter, provided the necessary message of organization is sent by 4:30 p.m. from place of origin. Seconded by Mrs. Baylies. Adopted.

Mrs. Jones moved that the 1974 Continental Congress be five days in length. Seconded by Mrs. Biscoe. Adopted.

The Proposed Standing Rules for the Eighty-third Continental Congress were circulated and corrected to conform with the above motion.

Proposed Standing Rules for the Eighty-third Continental Congress of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution

RULE I.

a. Recommendations submitted by the National Board of Management shall be presented direct to the Congress.

b. Recommendations in the reports of Executive Officers and National Chairmen submitted to the Continental Congress shall be referred without debate to the Resolutions Committee.

RULE II.

Each motion offered during Continental Congress shall be in writing, signed by the maker and the seconder, and sent immediately to the Recording Secretary General. The maker of the motion shall rise, state her name and that of her Chapter and State.

RULE III.

No member shall speak in debate more than once to the same question on the same day, or longer than two minutes at one time, without leave of the Assembly, granted by a two-thirds vote without debate.

RULE IV.

A copy of all reports and other material for the printed Proceedings of the Continental Congress shall be typed, ready for printing, and sent to the Recording Secretary General before the report is read to the Congress.

RULE V.

Reports of State Regents shall be limited to two minutes each. If both State Regent and State Vice Regent are absent, the report shall be filed without being read. The Chairman of Units Overseas will read the report of the chapter in England, in France and in Mexico if the Regent or Vice Regent respectively is not present to read the report of her chapter, and of the State Organizations of Hawaii and Alaska if the State Regent or Vice Regent respectively is not present to read the report.

RULE VI.

a. The Resolutions Committee shall recommend to the Continental Congress not more than 14 resolutions, including Rededication and collective Reaffirmation, excluding the courtesy resolutions.

b. All resolutions recommended shall be approved by a two-thirds vote at a meeting of the Resolutions Committee.

c. At its discretion, the Resolutions Committee may report to the Continental Congress without recommendation any resolution approved at a meeting of the Committee by a majority vote.

d. By a two-thirds vote, the Resolutions Committee may decide not to report a resolution submitted for its consideration.

e. The Continental Congress may, by a majority vote, order the Resolutions Committee to report at a specified time a resolution which the Committee has voted not to report.

f. The Resolutions Committee may give the proposer of a resolution an opportunity to explain its purpose and import to the Committee, if so requested by the proposer.

g. Resolutions presented by the Committee shall be read to the Continental Congress one day and voted upon the following day, with the exception of the Courtesy Resolutions which may be voted upon immediately after presentation to Congress.

h. Resolutions shall become official after adoption by the Continental Congress.

RULE VII.

Any business unfinished at the time of recess shall be resumed at the next business meeting.

RULE VIII.

There shall be no public presentation of gifts during Continental Congress other than those provided for in the official program.

RULE IX.

Nominating speeches for the candidates for the office of President General shall be limited to one nominator's speech of four minutes for each candidate. Nominating speeches for candidates for all other national offices shall be limited to one nominator's speech of two minutes for each candidate.

RULE X.

Delegates to the Congress are requested to be in their seats promptly for all meetings. To expedite the Congress Program, doors shall be closed except as indicated on printed program or when opened by direction of the Presiding Officer. For emergency entrance or departure, exits on the 18th Street side at the rear of the Hall, with exception of the center one, shall be left open at all times.

RULE XI.

a. Registration shall close at 3 o'clock of the afternoon of the day preceding the election of officers.

b. An alternate registered before the official closing of registration, upon compliance with announced requirements of the Credentials Committee, may be transferred from alternate to delegate at any time during the business meetings of the Congress.

RULE XII.

Election of Officers shall take place on Thursday, April 18.

a. Polls shall open at 8:00 a.m.

b. Polls shall close at 2:00 p.m.

Mrs. Griswold moved that the Standing Rules for the Eighty-third Continental Congress of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution be accepted as corrected. Seconded by Mrs. O'Brien. Adopted.

The President General expressed to Miss Adaline Thornton the National Society's appreciation of her service, her dedication and her efficiency, and announced that Miss Thornton was retiring after forty-six years of service to the Society. A very warm round of applause was given. Mrs. Helen Ball, who will succeed Miss Thornton as Chief Clerk in the Office of the Recording Secretary General, was presented.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Griswold, read the minutes, which were approved as read.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Kemper, gave the benediction, and the meeting adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

ENID HALL GRISWOLD,
Recording Secretary General.
Cost per line—Cost of one 6½ in. type line is 75¢. Make check payable to Treasurer General NSDAR and mail with Query to Genealogical Records Office, 1776 D St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20006. All copy must be received at least two months prior to publication date desired.


Christopher Pope: Rev. Sldr. from New Jersey and cousin of Geo. Washington. Family legend says his wife was Mary Shuffle (Polly Earl her pseudonym). His pension papers list his wid. as Mary Ladue. Could she be one and same woman? Had dau. Maria Pope m. Gideon Drake.—Mrs. W. Vernon Syring, 116 Welch Blvd., Flint, Mi. 48503.

Deford, William b. 5-17-1825 d. 6-17-1887 m. Jerusha Anna Cantwell b. 11-24-1827 d. 3-25-1866. Need parents and ancestors of either or both.—F. T. Louk, Star Rt. C - Bx 931, Camden Co., Mo. 65020.

Louk (Louchk) (Loucks), David b. 4-19-1789 d. 6-20-1845, in War of 1812, m. Claridy Scott b. 6-4-1796 d. 2-15-1869, in Genesee Co. N. Y. 1820. d. Fulton Co., Illinois. Need parents and ancestors of either or both.—Frank T. Louk Star Rt. C - Bx 931, Camden Co., Mo. 65020.

Harbin: James, Iredell Co., N. C. 1820-45. Want names of parents, relatives. Married Mary McDonald 1820; Frances Martin 1842. Moved to Greene Co., Ind., 1845. Children by first wife were: Wm. Alexander, Louisa, Adeline, Elizabeth, Amanda and Mary all born in Iredell Co., N. C.—Dr. Calvin E. Harbin, Fort Hays KSC, Hays, Kansas 67601.

Redmond: Need ances of John Redmond d. 1806, Lexington Co., S. C.; wife, Mary; 6 ch including twin sons, Simon & Peter. Also info on any Redmond, Dychies & Cartee.—Robert Lafayette Redmond, 539 E. 60th St., Savannah, Ga. 31405.

Moore: Wish parents of John Usra Moore b. in Alabama or Georgia, married Elizabeth Price Halley born March 1, 1808.—Mrs. Chester A. Hardy, 1902 Hervie, Ft. Worth, Texas 76107.

Clapp: Anyone by the name of Clapp or maiden name of Clapp or those having information on the Clapp family please communicate with me. A genealogy from 1876 to 1976 is anticipated.—Mrs. Martha Clapp Barner, 573 South Boyle Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. 90033.

Fooshee, Foushee, Forshee, Fouche: Do you have genealogy information you can send me on the Fooshee, Foushee, Forshee, Fouche family which all four spellings mean the same name?—Mrs. J. R. Williamson, 651 N.W. Sanford Lane, Topeka, Kansas 66617.

Claiborne, Cliburne etc.; Chesterfield Co. Va.: Want info on parents & family of John; tax levy paid by Wm. Robertson in 1736 (Henrico Co. Va.) called “son-in-law” in Robertson’s Will 1757. In own Will 1765 names seven ch., Jonas, John, Thomas, George, Frances, Phoebe & Jean who m. John Mardice. Who did Frances & Phoebe marry? Need maiden names of Louise w. of Geo.; Jemima w. of Tho. Who did Jonas m. first? John m. Elizabeth dau. of another Wm. Robertson, Will 1764. Their son John Rev. Sol of Bedford Co. Va., m. his cousin Mary dau of Uncle Jonas. This family moved from Franklin Co. Va., to Claiborne Co. Tenn. in 1805. Son of the Patriot John Claiborne Jr., m. Elizabeth Smith, mistakenly named as w. of Patriot in one DAR file. Wish to share data on this Claiborne line & learn how related to several Robertson families of Dale Parish, Chesterfield Co. Va.—Mrs. Charles O. Bissell, 4221 Farrar Ave., Nashville, Tenn. 37215.


Townsend: Need proof that Avery Townsend was son of Silas Townsend. Avery b. July 26, 1784, Middleboro, Mass. d. Jan. 2, 1849, Somonauk, Ill. m. (1st) Betsey Crapo, (2nd) Nancy

Scott-Haskett-St. Clair: Need proof that Mary A. (Ann?) (St. Clair) Scott, widow, who married Anthony Haskett (Hesket) was daughter of Gen. Arthur St. Clair and (1) Pheobe Bayard or (2) Margaret (Hall) Wilson. Anthony and Mary A. had 8 children, two dying in infancy. According to family history, Mary A. was born in Md. and was a practicing physician in Baltimore, but lived with Anthony in Perquimom Co., N. C. after marriage. He died there at age 52. Mary A. came to Wayne Co., Ind. with son Daniel in late 1820’s or early 1830’s. She died in 1835. Have been unable to find Mary A. listed as daughter of Gen. St. Clair. Can anyone help?—Mrs. Paul Stines, 105 Bridgitt St., Westville, Ill. 61883.

Gibbens (Gibbons): Thomas Gibbens, b. Md., was in Jefferson County, Ky., with first wife and 5 chil. in 1820 Census. (He m. his 2nd wife Nancy Jane Farley, 1827, Henry Co. Ky.) Want name of first wife and data on their 3 chil. (Lavinia, Mary, and Thos., Jr.) who did not come to Louisiana.—Mrs. J. C. Cole, Route 1, Box 55, Lettsworth, La. 70753.

Leshier or Lashier: Need info concerning parents of Jacob born 11-22-1796 died 3-23-1845 married Elizabeth Comstuck, lived in Perry Co., Indiana.—Ann Rademaker, 308 Washington St., Huntingburg, Indiana 47542.

Allen: Wish parents of Peter Allen b. 8-31-1794 Luzerne Co. Pa. d. 4-9-1866 Ogle Co. Ill. m. Sarah Shaw b. 4-4-1804 Pa. d. 11-8-1884 Ogle Co. Ill.—Eleanor Klinger, 946 Cleveland Av., Beloit, Wis. 53511.

Randle, Randol, Randolph: All Montgomery Co. N. C. parents, grandparents and information on James Randle, b. 1782, married Anne Callaway; Beneter Randle, b. 1807 married David McSwain; William Henderson Randle, b. 10-14-1813, married Mary Ann Parker; Lucinda Randle married Lewis Jones McSwain; Elizabeth Randle, b. 8-11-1811, married William Adney McSwain.—Mrs. Horace L. McSwain, 1164 South Jackson Springs Rd., Macon, Ga. 31201.


McCoy (Mckoy), Neil: Rev. War soldier. Seek burial place, dates. Lived Utica, Oneida Co., N. Y., Minden Turnpike, 1820-29. Son was Baker McCoy; grandson, Valorous McCoy.—G. Unsel, P. O. Box 23, Elmwood Park, N. J. 07407.

Boone(e): Need names and information on parents of Needham Boone(e); was in Jackson Co. Ga. 1805, m. Elizabeth Robertson Nov. 1806; bought land in Ouachita Parish, La. 1818, on tax list for 1820; wife Elizabeth and children. 1830 census for said Parish. Baron de Bastrop’s Land Index, p 603, lists heirs Elizabeth Boone, wife, sons Jacob Hickman, John R., James W., Needham (Jr), Peter Jefferson Erwin, Sarah Boone Stallings, and Nancy E. Boone Collier. 1880 Census for Hamilton Co., Tx. lists Jacob Hickman Boone & wife Elizabeth LaGrone. Jacob’s mother b. in Ga., father b. in N. C. Elizabeth’s father and mother b. in Newberry, S. C.—Contact Mrs. Otto N. Rea, 3515 22 nd St., Lubbock, Tx. 79410.

Pence: Need parents of James Franklin Pence b. 1832 d. 1862 Stanley Co., N. C. m. Harriett Whitlock b. 1840 d. 1911 Montgomery Co., N. C. They had two sons Robert Jerome and Giles.—Mrs. L. E. Pence, Rt. 1, Box 28, Bennettsville, S. C. 29512.

Collier-Jennings-Payne: Need places and dates of birth and death for Benjamin Collier, his wife (Elizabeth or Eliza Jennings), Ollie Jennings, and his wife (Miss — Payne). Need marriage dates. All were of Garrard County, Kentucky. Want to buy a copy of a genealogical study of William Jennings Bryan by a Virginia genealogist.—Mrs. Rosine F. Jenkins, 546 North Brand Boulevard, San Fernando, CA 91340.

Calif: A Ship Load of California Pioneers. Presented by the Sacramento Chapter. This is a roster of the officers crew, passengers and company of the ship “Crescent” that sailed from Salem, Massachusetts on December 6, 1849 and arrived in the Bay of San Francisco May 26, 1850.

This voyage was an enterprise of a company that styled itself: “The Salem Mechanic’s and Trading and Mining Association.” This company purchased the ship and major part of a cargo, consisting of building materials and provisions, the remainder of its cargo space was filled with mixed freight, which included a knock down steam boat intended for use on the Sacramento River.

The prime intent was to secure a passage to California, and at the same time to make the enterprise pay its way by the profitable sale of the vessel and cargo on arrival. This Roster is exceptional in that it gives the place of birth, the name, the occupation, the then place of residence, the age and if married or single of all the members of the Association. It is extracted from the diary of William Berry Cross one of the members of the Association. Mr. Cross was for many years a resident engineer of Sacramento for the California Steam Navigation Company, operating on the interior waters of California. He died in San Francisco May 7, 1891 and is buried in the family plot at Sacramento. There are a number of volumes of his diary and it contains very much of interest as being the record taken at the time, day by day of current events. These extracts have been taken by the courtesy of Mrs. Arthur Dudley Cross, daughter-in-law of William Berry Cross directly from the Diary, following the spelling of the text.

Officers on board ship “Crescent:
John Madison—Captain
Robert J. Perce—First Mate
Robert Pratt—2nd Mate

Stuards on board ship Crescent:
Benjamin Barber—1d
James Daugherty—2nd

Seaman on board ship Crescent:
George Williams
Henry Alstin
John Williams

Nicholes Simonds
James Lynch
James Kelley
Nathaniel Holmes
Daniel Fields
Thomas Ashly
Thomas Pray

Passengers on board Ship Crescent:
Mrs. Lackey, wife of Albert A. Lackey
Waldo Lackey, son of Albert A. Lackey
Mary A. Lackey, daughter of Albert A. Lackey
J. W. Kimball—Boat Builder, Salem Mass

The Names, Birth places, Ages and Places of residence of the Salem Mechanick Trading and Mining Association:

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Sherwood House, Yonkers, New York  
An Ancient Tenant Farmhouse of the Philipse Manor

Sherwood House, one of relatively few pre-Revolutionary houses still standing in the New York metropolitan area, was built about 1740 by Thomas Sherwood, farmer, constable and collector of the town of Yonkers, on land leased from Frederick Philipse whose vast estate extended from Manhattan Island to Croton River. Owned after the Revolution by Thomas Sherwood's son, Stephen, it became, in 1801, the home of Dr. John Ingersoll, Yonkers' first physician.

This fine example of Hudson Valley colonial architecture stands close to the road over which Washington's troops marched to the Battle of White Plains. The native stone basement, the wide, beaded clapboards, the huge kitchen fireplace with “beehive” oven, the hand-hewn beams, the wrought iron hinges and latches all testify to the great age of the house. Restored by the Yonkers Historical Society, it is furnished with antiques reflecting the periods and tastes of its various occupants through two centuries.

SHERWOOD HOUSE  
Yonkers, N.Y.  
1740  
Yonkers Historical Society

Westchester Regents Roundtable  
Mrs. George F. Brätt, Director

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State Regent of New York 1971-1974
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Regent of Harvey Birch Chapter 1953-1955

Presented with pride, appreciation and affection
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Many of the 20 Chapter Houses owned articles and advertisements in the

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Jamestown, N. Y.

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Schoharie, N. Y.

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Johnstown, N. Y.

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Southampton, N. Y.
in New York State have been shown in DAR Magazine at various times.

Pictures Of 12 Of These Chapter Houses.

Suffolk Chapter House
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Wiltwyck Chapter House
Kingston, N. Y.
The following Chapters, who have attained in this year 1973 their respective years of organization and Anniversaries.

80 Anniversaries—1893
Oneida #1-119, Quassaick #1-132, Seneca #1-142

75th Anniversaries—1898
Manhattan #1-098, Mohawk Valley #1-108, Patterson #1-129,
Philip Schuyler #1-130, Willards' Mountain #1-168

70th Anniversaries—1903
Gen. William Floyd #1-062, Ontario #1-121, St. Johnsville #1-140

65th Anniversaries—1908
Caughnawaga #1-026, Ft. Rensselaer #1-050, Gan-e-o-di-ya #1-052,
Ketewamoke #1-085, Mary Murray #1-100, Ska-hase-ga-o #1-153,
Staten Island #1-156

60th Anniversaries—1913
Holland Patent #1-071, Iroquois #1-074

55th Anniversaries—1918
Abigail Harper #1-002, Ellicott #1-043, Rufus King #1-135

50th Anniversary—1923
Go-won-go #1-066

45th Anniversaries—1928
Knapp #1-087, Lord Sterling #1-092, Seawanka #1-147

40th Anniversary—1933
Ft. Crailo #1-046

35th Anniversary—1938
Maj. Jonathan Wickes #1-097

15th Anniversary—1958
Chappaqua #1-025
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PROUDLY presents these photographs, taken by a member of the Glens Falls Historical Association, of which the New York State Chairman of Magazine Advertising is honored to be a member. At my request he secured these copies of old photographs which he had taken.

The first office of the Glens Falls Insurance Company was in a house on Glen Street about where the First National Bank stands. The Company was founded in 1849. The reason for buying the house was because the founders felt that if the business was not a success they could sell a house whereas a business building might not sell so readily.

This photograph shows the second office built by the Company at Monument Square. It was built in 1891 and used until 1912. The photograph was taken February 28, 1912. It can be seen that part of the tower was already removed. There was a bell in the tower which rang out the box number for every fire.

The Company agreed to give the building to the Masonic Organization if they would have the building moved across the street. The Masons agreed. The building was built of brick and called for special handling to get it on to its new foundation across the street. The job was done by a Pittsburgh concern. Not even a crack appeared when it reached its final destination.
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presents another historical site, taken by the same photographer. There have been several bridges at this location. It is particularly famous for Cooper's Cave, underneath it, written up in "The Last of the Mohicans" by James Fenimore Cooper.

This bridge between Glens Falls and South Glens Falls was built in the 1890's. This picture was taken in November 1912. During the spring of 1913 a week of rain brought flood conditions to the Hudson River and the bridge was washed out. Logs coming down the river caught the steel frame under the roadway and helped carry away the whole structure.

The Grandmother of the photographer who took this picture was the last person to cross the bridge. About 10 P.M. she was walking from South Glens Falls to Glens Falls and just as she reached the safety of the Glens Falls side the bridge went into the river with a great roar.
The third office building of the Glens Falls Insurance Company is shown in this photograph which was taken September 14, 1913. It is located at the site occupied by the previous brick building.

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On September 11, 1609, Henry Hudson, representing the Dutch East India Co., sailed past The Narrows to investigate its upper reaches. He landed and named the Island "Staten Eylandt", in honor of the Dutch governing body, States General. In 1626, he purchased the Island from the Aquehounga Indians. David Pietersen de Fries built the first block fort and attempted to establish a community. However, in 1655 this was destroyed in a bloody massacre by the Raritan Indians.

Another Fort was erected in 1663. This was the beginning of the uninterrupted use of what is now Fort Wadsworth. It was only 20 feet square and was unable to stave off an attack by the Duke of York's huge fleet. Control fell to the British in 1664.

In July 1776, General Howe landed with an army of 9,000 men. Lord Howe came later with 20,000 additional. One month later, Lord Howe crossed The Narrows and took fortifications as a prelude to the Battle of Long Island. They held the island all during the Revolution.

The island's defenses were bolstered for the War of 1812, and they were able to keep British ships out of The Narrows, thereby saving New York from assault. During World War II, Fort Wadsworth's strategic location made it a key coastal defense site. It has served continuously for 300 years.

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His son, Francis Granger, had a long and colorful political career. He was a member of William Henry Harrison’s cabinet, a candidate for Vice-President, and served in Congress for six years.

In 1876, after the death of Gideon Granger II, the Mansion was sold and used as a girls' school for thirty years. The Misses Antoinette and Isaphine Granger then returned to live in their old home.

In 1945 the Granger Homestead Society was formed. Funds were raised by public subscription to buy the property and preserve it as a historic home. The Society, now with a membership of 300, has maintained it ever since.

Much of the original furniture remains in the house, complemented by accessories of the Federal and Regency periods. The detailed woodwork is especially worthy of note, as is the massive front door and the unusually high mantel in the South Parlor. The dining-room contains the "Dolly Madison" table. It was part of the original White House furnishings, purchased by Gideon Granger after the War of 1812.

Granger Homestead is open to the public year-round except Mondays and holidays. During July and August the barns, housing a collection of forty-five carriages and sleighs, are also open. The Homestead's operation is unique in that it is not merely on display as a museum, but is also used for social functions. It answers the need of a small community and its surrounding area for a gracious meeting place. Kiandaga Chapter is one of the groups that greatly appreciate this privilege.

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To Mrs. Irvin R. Pinckney goes the honor of having the longest, continuous, active membership in Robert Gray Chapter, becoming a member in October of 1930—nearly 43 years ago. Two months later, in December 1930, Mrs. Frank R. Anderson of Hoquiam was accepted into membership.

In 1892, the President General of DAR, Mrs. Adlai Stevenson, appointed a State Regent for Washington State, Mrs. Edwin Crabbe of Tacoma. In 1895, Rainier Chapter was organized in Seattle and in 1902, three ladies from Hoquiam, who were sisters, became members of Rainier Chapter. They were Ida Soule Kuhn, Sarah Soule McMillan who became Mrs. H. W. Patton and Frances Soule Stearns.

On March 7, 1903, Mrs. Kuhn succeeded in organizing Robert Gray Chapter—the 6th in the state—and the three sisters became charter members with three other Hoquiam women, at the first meeting in the old Hoquiam Hotel.

Mrs. Merritt H. Nevers, Chapter Registrar, read the history of the Chapter's first 21 years from the State of Washington 1924 History Book of DAR—which was written by Mrs. Kuhn.

Captain Robert Gray was a descendant of one of the early settlers of Plymouth and was an officer in the American Navy during the Revolution. Captain Gray, as master of the Lady Washington and Captain Kendrick of the Columbia sailed from Boston around the Horn on a trading expedition, reaching the Northeast in 1788. Capt. Gray discovered the Columbia River, also Grays Harbor, and through his discoveries enabled the United States to lay claim to the Oregon Country. He was the first American to circumnavigate the globe, carrying the Stars and Stripes around the world, sailing 50,000 miles as he disposed of skins obtained by trading among the NW Indians, reaching his homeport in 1790.

A notable event in the life of the Chapter was when a bronze tablet commemorating the discovery of Grays Harbor by Capt. Robert Gray, for whom the Chapter was named, was unveiled at Damon's Point under the historic “Lone Tree” at the entrance of the Harbor on May 9th, 1911. The plot of ground around it was deeded to the Chapter by Mr. A. O. Damon, himself of Revolutionary descent. The marker is now in a stabilized location at Ocean Shores not far from its original site.—Daisy Brown.

Members and guests at the Robert Gray anniversary celebration included Mrs. Ned Hiatt, Vice President General (center).

CRATER LAKE (Medford, Oregon). A year of achievement was one of satisfaction for Crater Lake Chapter members. Three awards were received: the State Regent's award for the most new members went to former Regent Hazel Walwyn. Registrar Marie Hogle accepted awards for the most new lines established, and the State Registrar's award for the greatest net gain in membership in Oregon.

Constitution Week, in September, was observed with a talk on law enforcement and how it coincides with the Constitution of the United States. The speaker was Vincent E. Ruehl, Dr. of Jurisprudence, assistant special agent in charge of the Portland Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Our chapter participated in a naturalization ceremony where 22 people became United States citizens. Due to the efforts of Regent Catherine Lynch and former Regent Hazel Walwyn, American flags

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and packets of historical and educational material were distributed to the new citizens by Regent Lynch and Secretary Elmerine Upp.

Early-day handiwork was exhibited at the American Heritage meeting. A 125-year-old quilt, made by the great grandmother of the Chapter's Regent, was presented to one of the Oregon D.A.R. Museums. The Chapter's Museum Chairman, Liberta Lenox, displayed a quilt which was made 109 years ago by her grandmother.

The Southern Oregon Lions' Club Blind Center was the recipient of an American flag made with Braille dots. Flag Chairman, Katharyn Farr, made and presented this flag.

The American History month meeting was observed by hosting High School students who participated in the Good Citizenship Contest. Their mothers were present to see certificates and pins given to the girls. Also, American History Month participants and their mothers were special guests. The essay that won the state prize, "A Portrait of 1773—Samuel Adams," was submitted by Julie Alene

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State Historian’s Office, Albany, N.Y.
HERKIMER HOMESTEAD

On the south side of the Mohawk River stands the home of Gen. Nicholas Herkimer, hero of the Battle of Oriskany, Aug. 6, 1777. This handsome brick house with gambrel roof was built in 1764. The architect was Samuel Fuller, builder of Guy Park and Johnson Hall. The home is located on the trade route between the Hudson River and Oswego, 3 miles east of Little Falls, N.Y. In the 1820's it was used as a canal tavern. Daniel Connor modernized the house in 1848 and added the fine Greek Revival cornice. For years it was used as a farm. In 1913 the State acquired the property for preservation. In the 1960's it was restored and furnished through the efforts of the State, a Board of Commissioners and local DAR Chapters.

GEN. NICHOLAS HERKIMER

The statue of General Herkimer, located in Myers Park, Herkimer, N.Y., depicts the General, although wounded, directing his troops. The statue was a gift of U.S. Senator Warner Miller on August 6, 1907. (Boulder marker, not shown, was a gift of the D.A.R.) The sculptor was Burr Churchill Miller.

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On the left of the road near the top of the Green Hill in Washington, Connecticut, above the traffic and shaded by trees, is a bronze memorial to William Hamilton Gibson. The boulder it is set upon is far enough off the highway that it does not readily catch one’s eye. By and large the reason it was placed there seems forgotten; newcomers may even be unaware it is there and most young folks have accepted its presence without questioning who this man was.

The story is fascinating. William Hamilton Gibson was an artist-naturalist and author, linked by critics in greatness to Henry Thoreau, Gilbert White and John Burroughs. You can read in detail a glowing biography by John Coleman Adams, published in 1901, William Hamilton Gibson which tells the indelible mark the Gunnery School* left on the boy, and the gentle influence the town of Washington itself had on the man as an artist. Gibson conferred an unusual distinction on the town of Washington as his sense of poetry in art made him a national figure.

It was four years after his death that alumni and friends of “The Gunnery” completed the memorial. The likeness was made from a photograph, showing him in a typical moment of native study. Mr. E. K. Rossiter who reported to the Alumni Association mentioned the butterfly hovering over the convolvulus vine. How accurately it embraced the life Gibson had led! For the Greeks, the butterfly was an emblem of immortality and Gibson had shown much of the Greek spirit in his love of nature, form and color.

If you wish to discover more of his works you might check with your local library for John Adams biography, William Hamilton Gibson.

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Helen Lee Gilbert was a fluent and gifted speaker. She was the main speaker at many Chapter meetings throughout the state. Some of her topics were: National Defense, Putting the "I" in Americanism and many historical subjects. Mrs. Gilbert served the State Organization as State Chairman of National Defense, State Vice-Regent, and then as State Regent from 1956-1959.

Nationally, she was an organizer and Life Member of the National Vice-Regents Club. She was a recent past president of the Connecticut State Officers and Regents Club.

At the time of her death, Mrs. Gilbert was an Honorary State Regent, a member of the State Resolutions Committee, a member of the Board of Directors of her Chapter, a member of the Governor Jonathan Trumbull House Committee and Chairman of its Gifts Committee.

Mrs. Gilbert's loyalty, patriotism and dedication to DAR principles and ideals were outstanding, and have left a void in her Chapter and the State Society. Her friendly smile, her graciousness and ability to handle any situation will make her absence keenly felt by everyone. She was truly one of the most outstanding members of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.
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Paulsen, a fifth grader from Ashland,
Oregon.

Crater Lake Chapter replaced a historical plaque on a historical marker at Fort Lane.

MATINECOCK (Flushing, N.Y.) has presented a slide program with recording and written commentary of Bowne House, Shrine of Religious Freedom, built in 1661 to our National Society. The program was presented at one of our Chapter meetings by the Historian of the Bowne House Historical Society and the members and guests so enjoyed it that it was decided to purchase the slides etc. as a Bicentennial gift.

The slides include pictures of two Junior Hostesses, attired as Quakers, who are a granddaughter and niece of two of our members, explaining the history of Bowne House and its priceless heirlooms. One of our members is a descendant of John Bowne and another of Hannah Feake, his first wife, a Quaker for whom the house was built.

The House is open Tuesdays, Saturdays and Sundays from 2:30 pm. to 4:30 pm. The program is now available in Washington for chapter use.—Gertrude L. Jones.

CAPT. WILLIAM McKENNAN (Hockessin, Delaware) learned many additional facts about the chapters' name, why chosen, and the important role this young man played in the Revolutionary War at its 25th anniversary on May 14, 1973.

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The chapter’s history was written and read by Mrs. Sara P. Evans, an organizing member, also the present and first secretary. The greatest emphasis was placed on the life of McKennan and his family.

Born in Christiana Hundred, he was the eldest son of the Rev. William McKennan, the first pastor of Red Clay Creek Presbyterian Church, who served this church and White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church for 54 years—34 of which he was also pastor of First Pres. Church in Wilmington, Delaware. The Rev. McKennan came from the north of Ireland in 1755 and his son William was born three years later.

Capt. McKennan’s army record was exceptional as he served with the Delaware regiment reckoned as the most efficient in the Continental Army. He was commissioned at 18 years, a second lieutenant in June or July, 1776, with Capt. Thomas McKean’s Company and Col. Samuel Patterson’s Delaware Battalion of the Flying Camp. He became a First Lieutenant with Captain Learmonth and Patton’s Companies on April 5, 1777 and earned his captaincy in 1781 and served in that capacity until war ended.

He was shot at the Battle of Germantown and severely wounded in the arm. His life was really saved by his blanket and the way it was fastened around his neck. This blanket became a family relic. Shortly afterwards late at night, he arrived at his father’s home and knocked on the door. His sister awakened, ran to the door, and instead of opening it, cried, “As sure as there is a God in Heaven, William McKennan is alive. I heard his voice at the door.” His recovery was rapid and then he returned to camp near Yorktown.

After the surrender at Yorktown, he was in command of the Delaware Regiment on its return to its native state being ordered back to New Castle on Nov. 16, 1782. The men and officers remained there until Oct. 1783, when they were dis-

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Massachusetts DAR State Regent, Mrs. George C. Houser, endorsed by State Conference, March, 1973, for nomination to office of Vice President General, is now in her fourth year as state regent. Starting top right, and continuing counter-clockwise, pictures show her on recent trips around the state on behalf of DAR projects. 1) At Fall State Meeting, Cape Cod, she welcomes the luncheon speaker, Rear Admiral Lee Harrington, president of Massachusetts Maritime Academy. 2) Tours the Academy with Commander Thomas Lee and Cadet William Ghelli, left, winner of State Regent's Special Award. 3) Attends dedication of tablet in memory of Edith Scott Magna, President General, 1932-35. Others, l. to r., are Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., Recording Secretary General; Mrs. Arvin French, Regent of Eunice Day Chapter; Mrs. Edith Scott Ul1ring, grandniece; Mrs. Edith Magna Dudley, niece; and Mrs. Mary Magna Maletskos, niece. 4) Inspects DAR State Forest, Goshen, given to state in 1929; currently State DAR Bi-Centennial project—a picnic shelter. 5) Forest's lake view. 6) Visits new kitchen at DAR-approved Hillside School, Marlborough, with Headmaster Whittemore, and presents $4000 donated by regent and 37 DAR members of "100 Club." 7) Celebrates issuance of Boston Tea Party Stamp, Faneuil Hall, July 4th, with Mrs. John A. Sweet, regent Boston Tea Party Chapter, DAR, her husband, John A., and their son, Peter A., latter two being descendants of Francis Akeley, member of original 1773 Boston Tea Party.
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It is to be hoped that this gesture of independence is only a beginning. Let it be hoped that the American people will ask themselves whether they are willing to see the will of their elected representatives subordinated to the dictates of the United Nations Security Council.

With this in mind, the constitutional Amendment proposed by Congressmen Symms and Ashbrook assumes great importance. The Amendment provides the means whereby national sovereignty and the constitutional rights of the American people may be safeguarded from the dangers of treaty law, from the dangers inherent in either treaties or executive agreements. It also provides that no treaty can become effective as internal law in the United States without appropriate legislation. This, incidentally, is a safeguard enjoyed by most of the nations of the civilized world. In most countries, treaties do not become domestic law except by legislation, but under our Constitution treaties become “the supreme law of the land.”

Whether or not the Ashbrook and Symms Amendment is the final version to be accepted, it has opened the door again to a great constitutional debate. Here is a golden opportunity for the American people to make their wishes known, to protect themselves from treaty law, and at the same time protect national sovereignty. They can expect to be opposed by those who favor the Genocide Convention, by those who would welcome an Atlantic Union, by the one-worlders, and the international socialists. The task will not be easy, but what task worth doing ever was easy?

This proposed amendment is a reminder that freedom is still the responsibility of the American people, now and in the future. Until we plug the constitutional loophole represented by the treaty clause, constitutional government, national sovereignty and our freedoms will be in continuing jeopardy. This is the challenge we face today. May it be our constant endeavor to keep the Constitution supreme and America—American, sovereign and free. With God’s help, we can.

CORRECTION

The Honor Roll Committee regrets that two Chapters were inadvertently omitted from the list of Honor Roll Chapters for 1972-1973 as published in the October issue of the Magazine. We are happy to include Mohegan Chapter, New York, with a Silver recognition and Jacob Ferree Chapter, Pennsylvania, Western Reserve Chapter, Ohio, with Honorable Mention.
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named prothonotary of said county in 1801 by Governor McKean and moved to Washington, Pa. where on Jan. 14, 1810, he died.

National, State and other guests attended the celebration including Mrs. Erwin F. Selmes, Honorary President General, Miss Anna Gallaher, Honorary Vice President General, Mrs. William Money, State Regent, Mrs. Glenn S. Skinner, past State Regent who organized this chapter on Jan. 14, 1948 while in office, Miss Anna Fraser, President of the Delaware State Officer's Club.

SAMUEL SORRELL (Houston, Texas). Miss Helen Monroe, Sixth Grade teacher at Gary L. Herod Elementary School, proudly displays the Teachers Medal Award which she was presented by Freedoms Foundation of Valley Forge, Pa.

Miss Monroe won the coveted award by submitting a scrapbook which documented with pictures, programs, letters of recommendation, newspaper clippings, etc., the outstanding work she does in her school to "Maintain the American Way of Life and to Pass It Intact to Succeeding Generations."

She uses the Junior American Citizens Clubs as the vehicle for disseminating knowledge and fostering pride in our American Heritage.

Under her inspiring leadership Herod School wins consistently in JAC Contests at State and National levels. In the 1972-73 contests the school won 35 State Awards and 29 National Awards. Twelve of the National Awards were for First Place.

Shown with Miss Monroe is Mrs. J. E. Reynolds, Regent of Samuel Sorrell Chapter, who nominated Miss Monroe for the Award.

CHEMUNG (Elmira, N.Y.). The Seven-Chapter joint meeting and luncheon, sponsored by Chemung, and participated in by Baron Steuben, Carantouan, Cayuga, Chief Taughannock, Corning, and She-Qua-Gah on May 26, 1973, honored our State Regent, Mrs. George U. Baylies. She spoke on "DAR Current Events" and her description of the dedication of the New York State flagpoles at Constitution Hall in April was enjoyed especially by those members who could not be present there. Representatives of twelve New York and two Pennsylvania Chapters attended, including Mrs. Charles M. Eddy, New York State Vice-Regent; Mrs. William Fitzgerald, National Vice-Chairman DAR Magazine; Mrs. Nathaniel Chadwick, National Chairman Registration Line; Mrs. George Read, New York State Chairman American Heritage; Mrs. H. Warner Waid, State Chairman American Indians; Mrs. William L. Shipman, State Chairman DAR Magazine; and the seven Chapter Regents.

Another outstanding activity for Chemung Chapter was the presentation of a Betsy Ross Flag to the Village of Horseheads, N.Y. on August 15, 1973. The flag now flies below Old Glory in front of the village Hall—a reminder to all who see it—as the Regent, Mrs. John E. Bacon, said in her presentation address, "not only of the approaching Bicentennial of the United States of America, but also of the sacrifices of all their forefathers who gave us the form of government we now enjoy."

NATURAL BRIDGE (Glasgow, Va.) has the privilege of presenting a five-generation picture of one family with Revolutionary ancestors. They are seated, Mrs. John Gibson (Mary Adams) holding great-grandson Jeffrey Sowers; standing left to right, Mrs. E. L. Campbell, II (Mary Louise Sterrett), Mrs. Charles Thomas Sowers (Rebecca Campbell), Mrs. W. R. Sterrett (Louise Gibson). Their Revolutionary ancestors were John Grigsby, Archibald Alexander, and Gen. Andrew Moore who was a close friend of Gen. George Washington and who persuaded Gen. Washington to give the endowment to Liberty Hall Academy which became Washington College, now Washington and Lee University.

The Natural Bridge Chapter was organized in March 1918 with the late Mrs. W. M. Peak as Organizing Regent. It was named for the famous Natural Bridge which was surveyed by George Washington about 1750, and on July 5, 1774, was granted to Thomas Jefferson by King George III of England. These two historical events were commemorated by the unveiling of a bronze tablet near "The Bridge" in 1926 by the Natural Bridge Chapter.

On September 20, 1973, Natural Bridge, Rainbow Ridge (Covington), and (Continued on page 996)
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Virginia Frontier (Lexington) Chapters were hostesses to the Central District meeting at Natural Bridge Hotel and honored Mrs. John Samuel Biscoe, State Regent, at dinner on September 19, 1973 at Natural Bridge Hotel.

In the Spring of 1973, Natural Bridge Chapter presented Certificates of Honor to four families whose sons or husbands gave their lives in Vietnam. A framed copy of the U.S. Constitution was presented to the Natural Bridge Elementary School. DAR markers have been placed on all graves deceased members.—Anna Johnston Hedges.

AKRON (Akron, Ohio). Mrs. Isabelle Ensworth, a long-time member of the Akron Chapter and a delegate to Continental Congress two years ago, had two reasons for going to Washington, D.C. this year. On April 18th her son, John A. Ensworth, a 46-year-old 6th grade teacher in Bend, Oregon, was selected from 49 nominees as “America Teacher of the Year.” He received the award at the White House. In the picture John is conversing with his mother, while his wife, Chrissie, and First Lady Pat Nixon look on.

Mrs. Ensworth was honored on May 12th by the Akron Chapter at the Hartville Pantry, Hartville, Ohio.

DOLLEY MADISON (Washington, D.C.). Mr. Robert Martin, the new Director of Crossnore School, drove 430 miles to speak before the Dolley Madison Chapter at its February meeting. Crossnore, one of our DAR-approved schools, is a boarding school for boys and girls in grades 1 through 12, located in the Blue Ridge Mountains of western North Carolina. The school was founded in 1911 by Dr. Mary T. Martin Sloop and her husband, Dr. E. H. Sloop, both physicians, who were interested in promoting education in the mountain community. What began as a one-room school in 1911 is today a campus with 25 buildings and with from 100 to 200 pupils enrolled. There are classrooms, dormitories, chapel, administration building, gymnasium and athletic field, infirmary, laundry, woodworking shop, dining hall, weaving room and a fabric shop and store where fabrics and used clothing are sold, with income derived going to Crossnore School. Mr. Martin said that many of the children come from families of limited means and from broken homes but no child is turned away because of inability to pay. At Crossnore they are given not only a well-rounded education but a loving Christian home atmosphere. He said that local crafts such as woodworking and weaving were stressed. Tutorial service is given, when needed, to prepare the children for further academic work. Crossnore receives about 40% of its support from the DAR. Hundreds of scholarships are given by friends of the school each year. At the conclusion of his talk, Mr. Martin presented members of the Dolley Madison Chapter the delightful book by Dr. Mary T. Martin Sloop, “Miracle in the Hills,” which tells of her forty years in the mountains of North Carolina.

An enthusiastic question and answer session then followed. Mrs. Martin accompanied her husband to Washington. Mrs. Louis H. Renfrow, State Vice Regent of the District of Columbia DAR, and Mrs. James McCormack, past State Chairman for the DAR School Committee, were also guests at the meeting.

CHUCALISSA (Memphis, Tenn.) presented two ROTC Bronze Medal Awards to the outstanding graduating senior cadets from Hillcrest and from Whitehaven High Schools.

During impressive ceremonies at the annual Honor Awards Day programs at the respective schools, the medals were presented to Cadet Major Montgomery (Continued on page 997)

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Ricardo "Rick" Breneman, and to Cadet Colonel Jack W. Pickard. Cadet Breneman, 16th in his class of 383 seniors, was the Executive Officer of the Hillcrest ROTC Battalion and the recipient of the Achievement Wreath for three years. He was selected the Superior Cadet, served as president of the Cadet Officers Club and was a member of the National Honor Society. He has received an appointment to the Coast Guard Academy and was the recipient of a full ROTC Scholarship.

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