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**Cover Story**

The restored Memorial Continental Hall and other parts of the President General’s Project, “A Legacy Preserved,” will welcome you to the 92nd Continental Congress. The gleaming marble “fire-proof” building envisioned by the Four Founders of the National Society, gives evidence of the thoughtful concern of the members of DAR as shown through their support of this important project. Look with pride on the largest complex of buildings in the world owned and maintained exclusively by women! You, as a member, have every right to be proud. Cover photos and design by Deborah Carr.
"Above all, enjoy every minute of representing over two hundred eight thousand dedicated women ... for ... time flies!"

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The Shelby Administration brought "A Legacy Preserved" (top right); the President General ever-present at her desk; Yorktown (left); a visit from former President of the United States Gerald R. Ford and the Postmaster General, William Bolger (below); a visit to a Boy Scout Convocation (right below).
DEAR DAUGHTERS,

"For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone; The flowers appear on the earth; the time of the singing of birds is coming, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land."

These ancient words from the Song of Solomon are a reminder, not only of the approaching welcome of spring, but a summons to Daughters of the American Revolution to visit the Nation's Capital for the 92nd meeting of the Continental Congress. The President General extends a special invitation to all DAR to participate and wishes that it were possible to have a personal visit with each member.

"A Legacy Preserved," the first stage in the restoration of our historic buildings at 1776 D Street, nears completion. During Congress, the President General will be privileged to present the special "Citation of Honor" to approximately 1500 Chapter Regents for a contribution of $4.00 per member to the Project. Words are inadequate to fully express the gratitude of the President General for your response to this challenge.

Your loyal support and cooperation have been of inestimable value during this administration. The recurring thought that we are united in service for the common good of NSDAR and the Nation will once again serve as an inspiration to the President General while presiding during Congress.

Each delegate will render a decision on important pending business during the Continental Congress. Let the members remember that they are the National Society; the voice of the chapters, spoken through their elected delegates assembled in Congress, is the governing voice of NSDAR. In meeting the challenges of the 1980s, DAR have a duty to stand on the bedrock of American traditions and NSDAR traditions, based on the objectives promulgated by the Founders. Right and truth, justice, liberty and faith lie at the foundation of these precepts.

Anticipate your visit to Washington City and your National Headquarters with joy and expectation. This is your Continental Congress. May it be a happy and enlightening experience, bringing renewed interest and inspiration as you review the past, report the present and plan for a bright future of historic, educational and patriotic endeavor.

In Congress assembled, may Daughters of the American Revolution see clearly, think calmly and dare to do their full duty in continuing service to these United States of America.

Faithfully,

Patricia W. Shelby
MRS. RICHARD D. SHELBY
PRESIDENT GENERAL, NSDAR
An Interview with

The President General

Question: Would you begin by giving us an overview of the past three years?

Mrs. Shelby: As an ‘‘overview,’’ three points immediately come to mind. First is the outstanding record of the Society’s patriotic activity and service to our country. Second, the physical restoration of “A Legacy Preserved” is a reality. Third, the economic stability of our Society has been significantly strengthened.

Question: When you assumed office what did you see as the major goals of your tenure? And, how close do you feel the Administration came to realizing those goals?

Mrs. Shelby: Quite frankly, I will admit there is not much gap between expectation and reality. The President General is not taking personal credit for these accomplishments for they are the result of the collective effort of scores of dedicated people.

The bottom line is all the major goals set forth were realized in some form or fashion. Despite difficult economic times, we have been diligent in our efforts to improve the NSDAR overall fiscal position. The internal operations of the Society have been dramatically streamlined; the net result being successive increases in the Current Fund Balance. Also we have good reason to expect further positive financial effects from the new computer operation and other service oriented contracts.

A goal of particular interest was realized with publication of the Chapter Regents’ Manual. This basic guide is the first ever compilation of essential nuts-and-bolts information for Regents and Chapter Officers. This effort should bear fruit almost immediately.

Concurrent with communication procedures to chapter officers, perhaps an even more important goal was achieved. Our Administration theme for three years was excerpted from the NSDAR Bylaws. Through such endeavors as the special Legacy Issue of the DAR Magazine, the Bylaws were specifically and interestingly itemized as to their effect and significance on us and our nation’s heritage.

The wisdom that the Founders exhibited in establishing our objectives and formulating our Bylaws still amazes me.

Question: You mentioned “fiscal and operational economies.” Would you comment please?

Mrs. Shelby: Simply stated, the National Society has more money to spend on our various service endeavors without an increase in dues. That’s no small feat.

Question: How did you manage this?

Mrs. Shelby: Fiscal studies were begun as soon as we assumed office. The highly successful Liquid Assets Management Program was one of the first plans actually placed into operation. This has resulted in the Society earning the highest rate of interest available on prescribed daily balances.

Then we reverted the Society’s Investment Trust Fund to its original state. The Fund’s thirty percent improvement has provided DAR with over a quarter million dollars in new capital.

Looking to the future, we approved Estate Planning and Charitable Giving Seminars to apprise our members of the opportunities available to them as pertains to NSDAR.

The DAR is justly proud of patriotic service.
Mrs. Shelby: This is a question that I am delighted to say that I hardly know where to begin to answer. There truly has been a tidal wave of activity.

The Yorktown Bicentennial... the President and the Cabinet in Constitution Hall... the events surrounding the anniversary of George Washington's 250th birthday including the Wakefield dedication and Mount Vernon tree plantings... the Treaty of Paris Bicentennial... the NSDAR School Bus Tour... the American Flag presentation to the Boy Scout Jamboree... the July 4th Star Spangled Spectacular at the 1982 World's Fair... the magnificent Museum exhibitions and related functions... the Webster Society activities... the pilot programs for young people pursuing historical research... the Pilgrimage of Remembrance to England and France... two First Day Issue stamp ceremonies in the DAR Library... the Vietnam Veterans Salute in Constitution Hall... as I said, the list seems endless.

Question: "A Legacy Preserved" was your personal theme and project. How has it progressed?

Mrs. Shelby: Permit me to play on words. The Legacy of the Legacy of Continental Hall, the Founders Monument and Constitution Hall steps has been preserved.

The generosity, response and dedication of members has been overwhelming. Citations of Honor will be presented to approximately 1500 Chapter Regents in April. Several states will receive special Citations. Financing this project proves that DAR is capable of accomplishing any goal.

There are not enough words in the English language to pay just tribute to the members for this achievement. However, may I offer a caveat: there is further restoration need at Headquarters.

Question: What are some of the highlights memorable for you?

Mrs. Shelby: The first memorable experience for any President General must be her official visit to State Conferences, for this is the direct link of communication with members. Of topical interest is the unique association with Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee DAR Schools as the National Society has a vested interest in each of the children attending.

The dedication of the Capitol Murals by the famed muralist, the late Allyn Cox, was a highlight because this was a Bicentennial Project of the Jones-Smith Administration. Serving on the Freedoms Foundation Awards Jury was a learning experience. The atmosphere of the physical surroundings coupled with three days of intensive reading revealed that patriotism is alive in America. This truly unforgettable experience led to the White House invitation for the posthumous presentation of the Anwar Sadat Freedoms Foundation medal.

On a personal note, the inaugural events and the return of the hostages held in Iran are indelibly printed in my memory.

Question: "Earlier you made reference to 'scores of dedicated people' who helped realize the goals of this Administration. Would you elaborate?"

Mrs. Shelby: Let me take this opportunity to pay due tribute to the Executive Committee. In my opinion, praise is richly deserved. These elected Officers have two distinct responsibilities. Individually, each enjoys a demanding "membership service" to oversee. Collectively, they are the pivotal key... their intellect, conscience and experience make them executors of the policies that shape our organization.

Critical to the success of any Administration are the National Chairmen who provide follow through and monitor the progress of states. Indeed, each National Chairman is the liaison with Headquarters and the states and chapters. Obviously, some National Officers and chairmen have more exposure, but each one is essential to the ongoing and ever expanding DAR program.

Question: Why do some have "greater exposure?"

Mrs. Shelby: Obviously, the DAR Library, Americana Collection and the DAR Museum have more opportunity to serve the public at large. The publication of the DAR Library's Volume I. Family Book Catalog containing Family Histories and Genealogies should benefit every genealogical enthusiast. The pilot program in the Washington metropolitan area for students to study segments of the Americana Collection is an extension of our educational service.

The DAR Museum has attracted the attention of the general public and the media through our first major loan exhibit. "The Jewish Community in Early America, 1654-1850." The Antiques Show, the Yorktown Exhibit in the Cannon Congressional Office Building, and other unique Museum exhibitions, several of which were initiated by foreign ambassadors, have distinguished the DAR Museum.

My old theory about the "DAR Museum—the best kept secret in Washington" has been disproved. DAR Museum has been discovered!

Question: You mentioned the computer system. How will this operation affect the membership?
Mrs. Shelby: Imperative to this organization is the timeliness of its records. For the first time since the early days our Membership Records are up to date. The computer operation enables us to "track" efficiently, provides a profile of the membership and greatly improves the service to the Magazine subscribers. Down the road, our computer has the fascinating potential of data storage for genealogical research.

Question: The DAR has a new General Counsel and Administrative Director. How does this affect the Society?

Mrs. Shelby: This Administration created the post with two objectives. First, we now have on staff much needed legal and administrative expertise. Secondly, the Executive Committee now has an implementer, a point of responsibility for the continuity of policy on a day-to-day basis.

Question: What do you feel your Administration is leaving behind?

Mrs. Shelby: I feel the profile for the future has been well established: our Legacy and economic stability.

Question: What are your personal plans after leaving office?

Mrs. Shelby: Well, first things first . . . I look forward to going home to Mississippi, being with my family and maybe playing a little bridge. However, I have a special project for which I would like to volunteer. There is a fantastic wealth of historical information and knowledge scattered throughout ninety-odd years of DAR Magazine issues. Indexing, cross referencing and subjectively cataloging the hundreds of articles our Society has published would be of great benefit to all researchers who are interested in our country's heritage. It would be fun.

Question: What has gone on at National Headquarters?

Mrs. Shelby: Plenty has been happening, but let's just touch the highlights.

We now have an accomplished Building Engineer who in conjunction with the Chairman of Buildings and Grounds is entrusted with the structural care of our facilities. A state-of-the-art security and fire alarm system has been installed in the entire three building complex. We have markedly upgraded our protection to an all-points 24-hour automatic alarm directly to police and fire authorities . . . and we save money over what we were spending. Much needed humidity and climate controls were installed in NSDAR Special Collection area in the Archives Section. Under the direction of Buildings and Grounds, a complete inventory of each office was compiled. Our insurance programs were renegotiated for the facilities and contents. We actually managed to increase coverage and decrease cost to the extent of net annual savings of tens of thousands of dollars. At this time, an energy audit is underway which should provide us a blueprint whereby we should save thousands of dollars in energy cost.

Question: Can you think of any new or "pet project" that you would like to see expanded?

Mrs. Shelby: Very definitely. NSDAR has made meaningful inroads into the important field of energy. The Energy Ethics Committee is relatively new and has not enjoyed yet the headlines of some of our other more visible projects. However, the work already begun has been substantial. With the theme "Energy Turns The World," NSDAR participation in the World's Fair provided additional educational opportunity for all Americans. The very informative Women's Energy Tool Kit has been sent to all State Chairmen and will be available at Continental Congress.

Even Headquarters has been positively affected by Energy Ethics. As an outgrowth of a 1980 study for "A Legacy Preserved," this committee picked up on the idea of conservation and has now effected an energy audit and analysis of our building complex. Not only should this procedure precipitate large reductions in our energy bills, but it establishes NSDAR as a prime example to the rest of the country of state-of-the-art energy efficiencies we all can implement.

Question: Do you have any observations or advice to the incoming President General?

Mrs. Shelby: Yes. I do have some observations.

Mrs. Matthews T. Scott's quote of sixty years ago strikes a sensitive chord. She said words to the effect that one of the highest honors an American woman could enjoy was to be President General of the DAR. Like Mrs. Scott, I am deeply honored to have had the privilege to serve. I offer one hundred percent support to my successor as she strives to enrich and preserve the objectives of the National Society.

For what it is worth, she should try to be an integral part of Headquarters in order to strengthen her perceptions and decisions . . . learn to prioritize her time . . . and cope with any situation by determining options . . . and cope with any situation by determining options and choosing the best solution. The philosophy that has been my guide is to answer the question "What is best for the National Society?" Once that simple question is addressed the answer is evident. Above all, enjoy every minute of representing over two hundred eighty thousand dedicated women . . . for she will find that time flies.
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The Only Way To Peace

BY WINSTON S. CHURCHILL, II

Dr. Roche: One of the most urgent questions facing mankind today is how to prevent worldwide nuclear war so that we can all live together in peace. For many months now, this issue has been heating up in America and Europe. But the discussion has produced more heat than light.

One figure who does help illumine this question is Winston S. Churchill II. Member of the British Parliament, author, journalist, and statesman, Mr. Churchill is carrying on a family tradition. As a news correspondent in the 1960s, he covered Africa, the Middle East, and the Vietnam War. His most recent book, Defending the West, documents the growing military imbalance between the Soviet Union and the free world.

On September 7, 1982, Mr. Churchill was a guest of the Shavano Institute at Hillsdale College (where I serve as president) to debate the nuclear disarmament issue with William Sloane Coffin on our “Counterpoint” television show. Several million people across the United States watched the encounter on the national cable-satellite superstation, WTBS Atlanta. The show is still being rebroadcast on outlets throughout the country, and videocassettes are in wide circulation. The following is adapted from Winston Churchill’s debate argument and his supporting film documentaries, on that program.

Mr. Churchill: For 37 years our generation has enjoyed peace, a period unprecedented in this century. It has been a peace that has been based above all on the strength of the Western Alliance—which has meant, in the initial years anyway, the strength of the United States. It has been based upon the strategy of deterrence, and deterrence has worked. We continue to this day to enjoy that peace.

Yet now there are many people on both sides of the Atlantic who are going about marching in favor of peace as if we haven’t got it, as if it is something that we need to look forward to. I think it would be very dangerous indeed if we were to forsake the basis of the peace we now enjoy in favor of another approach that has not been proven. Or indeed, an approach that has been proven the other way—because the peace activists of the 1930s led us directly into the Second World War by causing the Western democracies to disarm in the face of the Nazi build-up. To disarm today in the face of the growing Soviet build-up would be catastrophic.

In 1946 my grandfather Winston Churchill visited a small town in the American Midwest called Fulton, Missouri, where he delivered what has come to be known
as one of the most famous speeches of the postwar era, the so-called "Iron Curtain" speech. He warned that our former ally, the Soviet Union, had become a mortal danger to the peace and freedom of the world. It had swallowed up half of Europe and was threatening to swallow up the other half. That was, of course, before the Soviet Union had nuclear weapons. In the years that have intervened the Soviet threat has become far more mortal than it was even in those grim days of 1946.

His prime concern in the postwar years was to insure that the Soviets should never get nuclear weapons. There are many people now who not only think he was right about what he said in the thirties, but who feel that had his advice been heeded in the forties, we would not today be living under a balance of terror. I've yet to meet anybody who would dispute what we all know about the horror of nuclear war. It must be the prime objective of all of us to do all we can, as individuals and jointly, to see that we never have a world war in the nuclear age. But I believe it is vital that we should be ruled in these matters by our head and not by our heart, by our reason and not by our emotions.

I have been to Hiroshima. I don't believe anyone can go there without coming away with the most powerful feelings. I came away with a determination to do all in my power as an individual and as a member of the British Parliament to see that we never again have a world war. But I also came away with a very strong determination that never would the British people be naked in the face of a nuclear attacker in the way that the Japanese were in 1945.

That is why I disagree with those in Western Europe who advocate unilateral nuclear disarmament. This would leave the Soviets with their infancy intact while completely getting rid of our own nuclear weapons and requiring all U. S. nuclear weapons to be withdrawn from Western Europe. This could set the stage for World War III, and it would be catastrophic.

"The idiot child has the matches now." These were my grandfather's words when he heard of the successful testing of the first atom bomb. Today, we must eliminate any chance of nuclear war. But this can only be done through strength, not through weakness.

The American nuclear stockpile is less than half today than what it was in 1962. Since 1967 the United States has unilaterally reduced 8,000 nuclear weapons. The Soviets, however, have not reciprocated that restraint in any way, shape, or form.

Admiral Elmo Zumwalt, former Chief of U. S. Naval Operations, recently stated:

The Soviet goals are quite clear. They have enunciated them. They intend to achieve political, military, and economic hegemony over the globe. They intend to use their immense strategic nuclear superiority and their superiority of armies, navies, and air forces to force the West to accommodate to their expansionism in various parts of the globe. I think that as a country we have failed to recognize the Soviet aim to fight and survive a nuclear war.

The average peace protester may not realize the extent to which the peace movement serves Soviet aims. Vladimir Bukovsky understands the Soviet use of propaganda. He was the leading human rights activist in the Soviet Union, imprisoned there for 12 years for his beliefs. In preparation for this "Counterpoint" program, I asked Mr. Bukovsky about the recent antimilitary demonstrations in the United States and Europe. His reply:

Of course, there are some reasons for the anxiety of the people right now, because of the accumulation of nuclear weapons and some tension in international relations. But as a matter of fact, the upsurge of this movement, this huge campaign, was very much instrumented by the Soviet government. In some Soviet publications recently, they quite openly said that they do help peace movements, morally and materially, as they put it. They do help with financing the gatherings, the conferences, the discussions, and so on. They don't conceal the fact. It gives them more possibilities of manipulating world politics. It gives them a chance to increase their defenses while preventing the West from establishing once again a balance of forces. And above all, it creates hysteria in the world.

The peace movement is not something new. In the 1930s there was a very major peace movement that paved the way for the Second World War, by its insistence that the governments of France and of Britain should unilaterally reduce their armaments at a time when it was already known that the Nazi government was embarked on a massive rearmament campaign. We, in fact, sowed the seeds of the Second World War. How easily people forget the past. Norman Podhoretz, editor of the American magazine Commentary, told me during the filming of documentaries for this program:

Sir Winston Churchill said in the 1930s that every time the Nazis did something that began to wake up the Western democracies, they would wait and let the lesson be digested and forgotten before moving again. By the time the West really did wake up, it was too late and World War II, which Sir Winston called "an unnecessary war," broke out. I fear that we're engaged in a similar process now. In fact, the analogies between the 1930s in England and the situation in America today are frightening. Some of us are trying desperately to sound the Churchillian warning against arguments that were used by Neville Chamberlain and others in the 1930s in England, who said that Hitler was not, in fact, aggressive; was not, in fact, a real threat. The Soviet Union is a threat fully comparable to the threat that Nazi Germany posed to the West in the late thirties. And America has now become a nation which is vulnerable to the political blackmail that nuclear parity or superiority makes possible for the Soviet Union.

Podhoretz is not exaggerating. There is no doubt that the West, and the United States in particular, has become number two in military strength. William Van Cleave, professor of defense and strategic studies at the University of Southern California, cites a study done for the U. S. Department of Defense in 1978 which identified over 40 comparisons of nuclear strength and traced each one from 1962 ahead to 1982. In 1962, at the height of the Cuban missile crisis, all forty-some indices favored the United States. In 1978, at the time the study was done, only seven or eight of them favored the United States. And today in 1982, none of them do.

The only analysis one can give of the Soviet attitude is that it's naked, old-fashioned imperialism. We have documented evidence of the Soviet use of chemical and biological agents in their attack on Afghanistan. We have documented evidence of enormous Red Army violence in suppression of the resistance movement in Afghanistan. "Counterpoint" has obtained a dramatic filmed interview with members of the Afghan resistance. In it one of the freedom fighters asks: "Do you people in America really then honestly believe that the Russians want Afghanistan and Pakistan? The Russians want the oil of
the Middle East. They don’t need us; they need you!”

Tens of thousands of Afghans have died in their struggle against the Soviet invaders, while thousands in the West picket their own governments for peace. Here again is Vladimir Bukovsky’s view of those pickets:

Most of these people are very sincere, if somewhat naive. Most of them are quite naturally anxious, frightened by the prospect of war. This fear, this anxiety, is very skillfully exploited by the Soviet propaganda as well as by certain organizers connected to Moscow. Lenin described this phenomenon quite candidly back in the twenties when he said, “The people in the West most valuable to us are the so-called ‘useful idiots.’ They are better than the comrades in arms or the fellow travellers.” That was his phrase, very cynical. That concept continued to be developed after his death, and Soviet foreign policy today still relies heavily on the “useful idiots.”

Because this point is crucial, let’s hear two more respected American voices about it. First, writer and activist Midge Decter:

I do not believe that this movement is moving by what it claims it is moved by, namely, terror of nuclear destruction. This movement has far more to do with a desire to see the United States disarmed and disabled. The United States has been given the responsibility in the years since World War II to be the defender of something which is becoming a more rare and more precious commodity every year, namely, the principle of liberty and freedom. And the people who wish to see the United States cease and desist from an active role in the world are people who are being very careless of American freedom; in fact, who have very little love for it.

And finally, Admiral Zumwalt once again:

In my judgment, the peace movement is composed largely of well-meaning and idealistic people who simply have not had the relevant experience to realize that a freeze would permanently freeze Soviet strategic nuclear superiority and increase the likelihood of war. I believe that these well-meaning people tend to believe that the freeze is the first step toward disarmament. I am convinced that it is the last step. I’m an older man who spends more time worrying about what will happen to his children and grandchildren than I do about what will happen to me. I believe that my country has never been in greater danger than it is at the present time, as a result of the mistaken philosophy that led us to permit the Soviet Union to achieve immense military superiority. I believe that the only hope for those children and grandchildren to live their lives in a prosperous and democratic society is for us to regain the kind of military capability that will deter Soviet expansionism and motivate them to work with us to achieve sensible and balanced arms control agreements.

One of those well-intentioned American peace agitators, William Sloane Coffin, has gone so far as to quote my own grandfather out of context on this subject, as if Sir Winston were advocating hasty disarmament when he warned in the late 1940s: “The Stone Age may return on the gleaming wings of science. Time is short.”

The fact is that my grandfather, when he made that particular statement, was referring to the short time while the United States would still have a monopoly of nuclear weapons. He was looking ahead to the day when the Soviets would have not only acquired the nuclear technology, but would have built up a large inventory of nuclear weapons. He wanted to get us out of that situation. He wanted the Western allies, led by the United States, to bring matters to a head with the Soviet Union before they had nuclear weapons. It was the failure to do so that led ultimately to the present balance of terror, the unhappy condition under which mankind lives today.

There is one condition, however, even worse than a balance of terror, and that is an imbalance of terror. And there are those in Western Europe who form a major activist core of the peace movement who would, if their advice was heeded, lead us directly to such an imbalance. Basically, what is being said by the peace movement on both sides of the Atlantic is that the time has come for the West to show restraint, for the West to take an initiative in the hope that the Soviets will follow suit. But the fact is that is precisely what the West has been doing for the last 15 years under successive U. S. administrations, both Republican and Democrat. We have seen massive restraint.

Since 1968 the United States has not deployed a single strategic nuclear missile. You have been absolutely constant at 1,710 submarine and silo-launch missiles. Has that been reciprocated by the Soviets? Not a bit. The Soviets during the same 15-year period have been adding two nuclear missile launchers every week—100 per year—until they have managed to shift the balance of power, once massively in favor of NATO and the West, to the point where it stands today—heavily in favor of the Soviet Union.

It is the same in conventional weapons, which are far more powerful and deadly today than they were in the days of the Second World War. The Soviets can mobilize 30 million men in an emergency. The United States can mobilize not quite three million. That is the extent of the disparity.

Now my opponent, Mr. Coffin, has referred to the sentiments of the Soviet people, suggesting that they do not want war any more than we do in the West. I couldn’t agree more. The tragedy is, and the real difference between the Soviet Union and us in the Western democracies is, that nobody consults the Soviet people for their views. They do not control their country. One looks forward to the day when they will. But it is a narrow clique in the Kremlin that rules the Soviet Union and it is they who decide Soviet policy.

Mr. Coffin, like many of the peace activists on my side of the Atlantic, has put himself in the position, which I imagine to be quite an embarrassing one for him, of seeking to advance and defend the proposals of Mr. Brezhnev. One of these, specifically, is the so-called “first use” of nuclear weapons.

My reply is simply to point out that NATO goes one very large step further than this proposal. We say as an alliance that we will not make first use of any weapon when it comes to an East-West confrontation. NATO is solely a defensive alliance which has as its aim the maintenance of peace and of freedom, having seen half of Europe swallowed up already.

There remains the constant danger that Soviet ambitions, whether it be in Afghanistan, in the Middle East, or potentially against Western Europe could, given the chance, lead to a major confrontation. So we must never leave them in any doubt as to the strength of the Western alliance and our determination to insure the survival of freedom and democracy.

Yes, we have peace as our objective. But let us do it through strength, and let us have as our aim multilateral disarmament, not any unilateral freeze or unilateral...

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The President General returned to Washington, D. C., to participate in the black-tie, invitation-only gala in Constitution Hall saluting the Country Music Association's 25th anniversary, March 16. The celebrity-studded concert was taped by CBS for broadcast April 13. The first televised broadcast of a country music show originated in July 1948 from Constitution Hall, which was broadcast over the entire NBC-TV network which reached only Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. Several of the acts which appeared in 1948 returned for this anniversary show.

Mrs. Henry C. Warner, Honorary Vice President General from Dixon, Illinois, received the following congratulatory message from the President and Mrs. Reagan on the occasion of a special DAR program honoring her:

Nancy and I are pleased to send our heartfelt congratulations on this occasion. In selecting you as an outstanding member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, those who are aware of your many contributions are paying a richly deserved tribute to your good works. We are proud to add our appreciation for your spirited participation and your concern for your fellowman.

The Maryland State Regent, Mrs. Charles A. Bloedorn, received a signal honor when she was appointed as a member-at-large on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park Commission by James G. Watt, Secretary of the Interior. The purpose of the Commission is to advise the Secretary of the Interior on matters relating to the administration and development of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR 92nd CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

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Special Committee: The February 4, 1983. National Board of Management established a Special Committee to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Paris which will be known as The Treaty of Paris Bicentennial Committee.

Mrs. Bloedorn has also been appointed by the Governor of Maryland to the Maryland Heritage Committee which was set up by the Maryland General Assembly to commemorate the 250th birthday of Maryland and 1984 has been designated as the anniversary year. She is one of the distinguished 14-member committee to be appointed to plan and coordinate the Statewide events. The Ratification of the Treaty of Paris is the final cornerstone event to be celebrated. This Treaty ending hostilities between England and the United States was signed in Paris, September 1783, and ratified by Congress Assembled in Annapolis on January 14, 1784.

DAR Annual Banquet—Capital Hilton Hotel
Beauty and Utility: The American Thimble, Artwork in Miniature

BY ELIZABETH BURNLEY BENTLEY HAMILTON
Chairman, American Heritage Committee
Jack Jouett Chapter, Virginia

In a letter written to Chairmen of the American Heritage Committee by Mrs. James J. Reeves, National Chairman, the following sentences appear under the heading, THE FIELD OF ART: "Emphasis on recording the precious heirlooms handed down through generations, plus the collections we have acquired to become heirlooms of the future, hold unlimited possibilities for cultural preservation and research. . . . Add a heritage display to each meeting, or one whole program with members participating with their treasures."

One or more sewing baskets containing family thimbles may be found in the home of almost every member. The thimble, an object of utility, is in many instances a family heirloom of exquisite craftsmanship and rich in sentimental value. A serious collector of thimbles will record as much information as is available concerning each thimble acquired. To do so often requires research, which may result in an increased knowledge of one's ancestors and a sense of history as more is learned of the era in which they lived. Thus, a thimble collector and a genealogist can have a great deal in common as both collect facts which tie them to family and history through research.

Thimbles which belonged to members of one's own family have a special value all their own. Such a collection would have a great deal of meaning both historically and genealogically, especially if accompanied by an unbroken series of photographs of the mothers, grandmother, great-grandmother involved. The engraved thimble can supply the genealogist with information such as a wedding date because the custom of giving a thimble to a bride prevailed until recent times.

Thimble collecting has become increasingly popular in recent years. A good close-up lens attached to most cameras using 35-mm film, can supply excellent slides clearly showing detail and craftsmanship. A carousel containing eighty slides, accompanied with descriptive text, can provide an interesting and informative twenty-minute program in which the thimble collector can share her collection with the membership.

The American thimble has its roots in antiquity. Its heritage is European. In the South of France, bone nee-
dles have been found which are of paleolithic origin, circa 15,000 B.C. Cavemen needed protection from these piercing bone needles as they bound skins together; thus, a form of thimble, undoubtedly made of leather, came into existence. Thimbles made of leather were used in Europe for centuries, and are still in use in the Far East. About 3,000 B.C., man's first workable metal, bronze, was devised, followed by the introduction of iron and the later development of steel. With the advent of metal needles came the introduction of the bronze thimble, giving more protection than those made of leather. Early Roman bronze thimbles may be found in the Musée des Antiquités at Rouen, which has a collection of antique thimbles from the time of the Roman Conquest to the Merovingian dynasty. Beautiful silver and gold thimbles from the Middle Ages are on display in many museums throughout Europe. Thimbles made of mother-of-pearl, and those decorated with enamel, were in existence as early as the fourteenth century. Since the Elizabethan era, precious stones have adorned elegant thimbles made of gold. In the eighteenth century, minutely detailed scenic Meissen porcelain thimbles were meticulously hand-painted by skilled artists. Because of their fragile nature, they are rare and command an exceedingly high price. The Georgian, and especially the Victorian, eras brought the thimble, with its mottoes, souvenir, and commemorative designs, into great favor in England and in the United States. Perfectly scaled thimbles made for children, taught to sew at an early age, became special presents for little girls of age five and upwards.

The earliest thimbles in America were European. In 1556, thimbles were recorded as being among the possessions of the Spaniards who came to the New World in search of gold. Thimbles were part of a cargo sent from England for use in trading with the Indians in 1602; they were included with other necessities by the first settlers. The Department of Archaeology in Colonial Williamsburg, Virginia, contains some of the earliest thimbles found in the New Land, including several from the newly-excavated Wolstenholme Town, established in 1619 near Williamsburg. In the Colonies, silversmiths were producing thimbles in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. The earliest gold thimble on record was made by Jacob Hurd about 1730/40, and is preserved in the Mable Brady Garvan Collection of the Yale University Art Gallery. An inscribed gold thimble, made in 1805 by Paul Revere for his daughter, is in the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston.

The Colonial silversmith manufactured thimbles by hand, in two styles, both of which are in use today. The open-end thimble ("ring-type" or "tailor's thimble") was formed by rolling a strip of metal into a tube, a vertical seam of solder completing the cylinder. This type of thimble, worn over the first joint of the finger, left
the tip of the finger free—a convenience for holding fabric, picking up pins, and pulling thread. In the sewing of heavier fabrics, the side of the finger is used to push the needle; therefore, the fingertip need not be protected. The more familiar style, the domed thimble, was usually made in two sections. The crown, fashioned by hand using a concave die and convex tool, was soldered to the body of the thimble. Indentations ("pouncing") were made with a hand-punch. In the eighteenth century the American silversmith, by means of a thimble stamp, had the ability to make a thimble as a complete unit in one piece, wherein the dome was part of the body, not a separate piece to be attached. With the introduction of mechanical stamping machines in the nineteenth century, the hand-crafted thimble was soon relegated to the past.

The first thimble factory in America opened in Elizabeth Town, New Jersey, in 1766. During the nineteenth century, numerous thimble factories were in existence, producing their product in great quantities. Today, Simons Brothers of Philadelphia, founded in 1839, is the only company in the United States making silver and gold thimbles. A sterling thimble made by Simons Brothers, still available through J. E. Caldwell's of Philadelphia, depicts Constitution Hall on one side, Memorial Continental Hall on the other. The DAR emblem appears in the center.

The varying sizes, shapes, and materials used in making thimbles show man's aesthetic nature: a small utilitarian item has, in many instances, been turned into a miniature work of art. Landscapes, flowers, birds, scrollwork, panels, adorn the bands of metal thimbles from gold to brass. Sayings, such as "The Absent Ever Dear," in Gothic letters on a metal thimble excavated in Colonial Williamsburg, were a gentle reminder of loved-ones far away. Thimbles commemorating an event, such as the Chicago World's Columbian Exposition 1892-1892, or a period in time such as our American Bicentennial, capture moments in history. Customs of one people are recognized by another across the Pacific, as shown in the export from China for use in this country of hand-made ivory thimbles in 1790, and, in 1980, of cloisonné thimbles. For centuries, the Chinese people have used the open-end ring-style of thimble, not the closed dome thimble they make for our use. Thimbles in their original cases or boxes are of great interest. The varied styles of children's thimbles have a charm totally their own.

The thimble played its part in history, for a silver thimble was used as a successful means of generating an electric current to pass through the Atlantic Cable in 1866, conveying signals across the breadth of the Atlantic Ocean in a little more than a second.

The American thimble, rich in its European heritage, made by Colonial silversmiths, valued by our ancestors, treasured by descendants, is part of our heritage.

Bibliography

The National Society Regrets to Report the Death of:

ILDA N. PATRICK (MRS. MATTHEW) in March 1981 in White Oak, South Carolina. Mrs. Patrick served as State Regent of South Carolina 1955-58, and as Vice President General 1958-61. She was a member of the Thomas Woodward Chapter.
EMILY COLGATE ROBINSON (MRS. FLOYD) on January 2, 1983 in Malta, Montana. Mrs. Robinson was a charter member of Powder River Chapter, and served as Montana State Regent 1970-72.
HAZEL HOFFMAN BOND (MRS. BENJAMIN H.) in Honolulu, Hawaii, May 1982. Mrs. Bond was a member of the Aloha Chapter. She served as State Vice Regent 1955-57 and 1967-69. Mrs. Bond also served as State Regent from 1961-66.
REVA TAYLOR DIXON (MRS. HARRY E.) on December 10, 1982 in Roanoke, Virginia. A member of Colonel William Preston Chapter, she served as National Parliamentarian for two administrations, from 1968-71 and from 1974-77.
NEW ANCESTOR RECORDS

whose records during the Revolution have been established by the Registrar General showing state from which the soldier or patriot served.

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Adams, William: b 1746 d 6-11-1823 m Lydia Mahlin PS VA
Andrews, James Sr: b 11-2-1724 d 9-20-1790 m Penelope
Anspach, John: b 10-10-1749 d 9-23-1794 m Catharina Hawen
Bagby, Davis: b c 1750 d 10-10-1815 m Eliza LT NC
Barnett, John: b 7-4-1719 d 9-18-1786 m Sarah McCann PS VA
Barringer, Conrad: b 2-27-1742 d 9-24-1817 m Gertrude Over
Bender, John: b 1735 d 11-24-1832 m X PS NC
Bonawitz, John: b c 1758 d 9-22-1828 m Katherine Laubinger
Bonnett, Samuel: b 1739 d 11-24-1832 m Mary Elizabeth PS VA
Bounds (Bownds), Joseph: b 1757 d 11-13-1783 m Hannah Wells Pvt NY
Boyce, Abraham: b 9-27-1760 d 7-11-1832 m Hannah Wells Pvt NY
Boynton, Enoch: b 11-28-1727 d 1805 m Rachel Foster Pvt MA
Browning, Nathan: b 6-6-1763 d 1846 Sarah Welles Pvt CT
Busby (Buzbee), Jacob: b 1760 d 8-22-1839 m Jane
Carpenter, Benjamin: b c 1755 d 5-21-1832 m (1) Sarah (2) Mary Pvt SC
Chamberlain (Chamberlin), Joseph: b 1739 d 6-15-1789 m (1) X (2) Grace Randolph NJ
Cheney, Daniel: b 1-10-1728 d 1795 m Elizabeth Hadley PS NH
Christian, Allen: b 5-22-1754 d 9-17-1842 m Juda Pvt VA
Claffin (Claffen), Daniel: b 10-15-1755 d 12-10-1822 m Phebe Brown Pvt PA
Clark, Elias: b 1753 d 1800 m X Pvt Sgt NY
Clem (Clemm), William: b 1754 d 2-23-1807 m Catharine Schultz LT PA
Corlew, Edward: b 11-20-1765 d 5-12-1838 m Abigail Stevens Pvt VT
Covalt, Bethuel: b 10-26-1746 d 2-13-1822 m Sarah Hart Ens PA
Crouch, John: b 1750 d 1787 m X PS VA
Crown, Isaac: b 1750-60 d a 11-18-1846 m Elizabeth Stroud Sol GA
Curtis, Jonathan: b 1754 d 6-20-1818 m (1) Beulah Sherman (2) Mrs. Eunice Hinman Barnum Pvt CT
Daily (Dailey), Owen: b 1764 d 10-18-1822 m (1) X (2) Grace Randolph NJ
Demons, Sylvanus: b 6-12-1786 d 4-5-1836 m (1) Mrs. Mary "Mollie" Lincoln (2) Lydia Rogers Pvt MA
Darcey, Benjamin: b 1748 d 1728 m Maria Leedon Pvt GA
Davie (Davy), John: b 1739 d 10-27-1780 m Maria Sgt NY
Davis, William: b 6-8-1761 d 2-6-1838 m Anna Pvt NC
Dietrich, Leonard: b 1732 d 9-20-1803 m (1) (X) Catherine Ens PA
Dilley, Samuel: b 1752 d 2-1829 m Anna Bates Pvt PA
Dobbs, John: b 3-27-1758 d 9-6-1832 m Anna West Sol NY
Downs, William: b 1750 d 3-3-1834 m Elsey Sol GA
Ellis, Brazillai: b 6-23-1747 d 6-19-1826 m Sarah Tobey Pvt MA
Ellis, Joshua: b c 1755 d p 12-28-1828 m (1) Naomi Allen PS MD
Emery, Daniel: bpt 2-26-1764 d 8-29-1850 m Mary Jones Pvt NH
Ensminger, Joshua: b 3-8-1760 d p 1-4-1851 m X Pvt VA
Eyeman (Eymann), Peter: b 6-6-1762 d 2-19-1844 m Hannah Whetstone Pvt PA
Faber, John: b 2-7-1750 d a 9-2-1806 m Margaret Rudy Pvt PA
Ford, Jonathan: b 11-9-1733/4 d 7-12-1817 m Eunice Odell Pvt NY
Freeman, Jesse: b 5-29-1749 d p 4-1-1816 m Elizabeth Pvt NC
Fryer, Richard: b 2-7-1746 d 2-6-1821 m (1) Rachel Holland (2) Rachel Nickles PS SC
Galford, Thomas: b 1707 d p 2-1818 m Naomi Slaven Sgt VA
Gamble (Gambrell), John: b c 1750 d 5-10-1830 m Barbara PS SC
Gibbs, Williams: b 1725 d 5-7-1786 m Martha Wells Ens VA
Haley, James: b c 1720 d 1795 m X PS VA
Hall, John: b 1765 d 8-8-1822 m Polly Broadway Pvt NY
House, Levi: b 1754 d 10-8-1846 m Sarah Pressley Sol VA
Jefferson, Benjamin: b d a 8-16-1788 m Wood Pvt VA
Junkins, Paul: b 5-16-1739 d a 6-28-1787 m Sarah Jordan PS MA
Keys (Keys), William: b 4-10-1757 d 1-10-1833 m Elizabeth Pvt VA
Klare (Clair, Kleher), Frederick: b 12-8-1761 d 12-21-1836 m Elizabeth Laufersweiler Pvt PA
Lasley, John: b 5-5-1744 d 3-18-1822 m Frances Pvt VA
Le Blanc, Simon: b 1733 d 12-25-1815 m Marguerite Guilbeau PS LA
Le Forge, Abraham: b c 1745 d 8-31-1803 m Mrs. Joanna Ens PA
Leib (Leep), John: b 7-8-1745 d 9-16-1845 m (1) (2) Barbara Pvt PA
Leve, David: b 3-25-1763 d 4-8-1827 m Mary Draper Sol VA
Lowe (Lauer), John: b 1754 d 1778 m Anna Elizabeth Theiss Pvt PA
Macy, Nathaniel: b c 1739 d 9-9-1828 m Hepzabeth Macy PS NC
Magee, Jacob: b c 1760 d a 8-24-1816 m Mary Scott PS NC
Mann, Henry: b c 1740 d c 1804 m QM VA
Matthews (Mathis), Joseph: b a 1755 d a 12-4-1826 m Rachel Pvt SC

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McChesney, John: b 2-10-1764 d 11-15-1824 m Abigail Stevens Pvt NY Pnsr
McMinn, Robert: b c 1740 d p 4-14-1797 m Jane Kuykendall PS NC
Menard, Pierre: bpt 8-24-1748 d 12-23-1807 m Christine Dore PS LA
Milliken (Mulliken), Lewis: b 3-6-1757 d 3-3-1836 m Susana T Jarris Pvt MD Pnsr
Mitchell, Thomas: b c 1720 d p 7-17-1786 m Susannah PS VA
Moore, John: b 7-18-1750 d 9-11-1834 m Mildred Bell Ens QM NC
Morley, Ebenezer: bpt 1-20-1757 d a 10-19-1832 m Prudence Pvt MA Pnsr
Morris, William: b 1-14-1735 d 4-20-1804 m Elizabeth Foard (Ford) CS NC
Myers (Meyers), John: b 1755 d p 4-17-1836 m Mary PS VA
Neff, Daniel: b 7-1-1763 d p 1-13-1796 m Silence Bradley Pvt CT
Newton, Christopher: b 2-23-1738 d 2-19-1834 m Mary Giles Lt NH
Ogle, John: b c 1757 d p 7-27-1808 m Sarah Dennis Pvt VA
Overholtzer (Overholt), Martin: b 1745 d p 1815 m Elizabeth Nash Pvt PA
Parmenter (Palmontier), Isaac: b c 1737 d 2- 1832 m Eleanor/Neeltje Van de Bogart Pvt PS NY
Post, Cornelius H.: b 2-21-1761 d 10-29-1849 m Jane H. Pvt NJ Pnsr
Potts, Benjamin: b 1745 d p 1833 m X Pvt CT
Racine, Mrs. Marie Louise Catherine (Messager) (Gossiau): b 1741 d p 3-23-1804 m (1) Jacque Charles Gossiau (2) Athanase Racine Pvt PA
Riley (Raley), John Basil: b 1755 d p 2-3-1815 m Dorothy Hutchins PS MD
Rittenhouse, Garret: b 1754 d p 1818 m Catherine Pvt PA
Robbins, Samuel: b 8-22-1759 d 5-29-1839 m Hannah Pvt MA Pnsr
Root, Moses: b 11-3-1750 d 3-24-1829 m Lavina Alexander Pvt Cpl Sgt MA
Roose, Stephen: b 1729/34 d p 1785 m X Pvt VA
Ross, Charles: b 1759 d 3-13-1831 m Lucy Pvt VA Pnsr
Ross, James: b 1738 d p 2- 1778 m X Pvt NH
Russell, John: b 1756 d p 10-11-1833 m Anna Pvt NY Pnsr
Sanscrainte, Jean Baptist Romain dit: b c 1754 d 1838 m Margaret Solo Lt VA
Sayre, Reuel: b 7-4-1754 d p 5-19-1834 m Rachel Ludlam Pvt Lt NJ Pnsr
Seeley, Samuel: b 1759 d 6-22-1838 m Abigail Wyans Pvt Sgt NJ PA Wpns
Shultz, Dietrich: b c 1750 d a 2-11-1817 m (1) X (2) Anna PS PA
Simpson, John: b c 1755 d 7-4-1826 m Elizabeth Pvt VA Wpns
Smith, Hugh: b 1754 d 1839 m Mary Stump PS MD
Spalding, George: b c 1758 d 5-22-1842 m Catherine Pvt MD
Speden, Edward: b d a 2-22-1823 m Ann "Nancy" 2Lt MD
Starkweather, Elisha: b 1-15-1755 d p 1820 m Mary Rockwell Pvt VT
Stevenson, Charles: b 1-1-1759 d 4-13-1841 m Margaret Kean Pvt PA
Stockwell, Ichabod: b 4-6-1749 d 12-9-1812 m Mary Snow Pvt MA
Suggs, Allgood: b 1760 d p a 1820 m X Pvt NC
Tabor (Taber), Joel: b c 1749 d p 7-17-1820 m Mary Pvt Cpl RI Pnsr
Tarter, Peter: b 3-10-1759 d 1843 m Elizabeth Moore Sol NC Pvt PA
Tertile, John: b 1755 d p 4-17-1836 m Silence Bradley Pvt CT
Toubetcheque, Georges: b d a 1806 m Marie Magdelaine PS LA
Townsend, Hewlett: b c 1744 d 4-17-1828 m Ann Hewlett PS NY
Travis (Travers, Traverse), Matthias: b 12-23-1755 d 2-26-1838 m Letitia Aaron Pvt MD
Trice, George Jr.: b c 1860 d 1805/6 m X Pvt MD
Truss, Samuel Sr: b 1745 d p 6-25-1810 m Mary Forbes Lt NC
Truck, Elisha: b 9-15-1765 d 8-28-1838 m Elizabeth Keigwin Pvt CT
Tupper, Joseph: b 8-25-1739 d 7-14-1797 m (1) Joanne Cole (2) Lydia Tinkham Sqt Lt MA Pnsr
Vienne, Julien: bpt 11-20-1743 d 7-18-1799 m Marguerite Marianne Landreaux PS LA
Waldron, Philip: b 4-10-1763 d 1-18-1787 m (1) Anna Catherine Keller (2) X (3) Elizabeth Eutsler Pvt VA Pnsr
Wheeler, Micajah: b 10-2-1758 d p 1830 m Molly Emerson Pvt Sgt VA Pnsr
White, Samuel: b 1755 d p 3-19-1814 m Elizabeth Kirby Pvt MD
Whitlock, Robert: b 10-4-1747 d m Susannah Guire/ Gayer Pvt CT
Whitney, Joshua: b 11-23-1751 d 9-21-1796 m Lydia BuDay Pvt CT
Willard (Wilyard), Frederick: b a 1755 d p 1800 m Nancy Pvt PA
Williams, Ambrose: b 7-24-1757 d 8-13-1832 m Keturah Pvt MA
Winfield, Daniel: bpt 5-17-1753 d p 2-15-1795 m Antie Van Garden PS NY

Corrections—92nd Continental Congress Events

North Carolina: State Delegation Meeting: Tuesday, April 19, 2:30-3:30 pm, Connecticut National Board Room, Second Floor, Memorial Continental Hall.

DAR Banquet: Price of tickets: $23.00 per person.
Perhaps the reason that the events which took place at Newburgh and New Windsor on 19 April 1783 have been largely ignored by historians was the long tedious period of waiting for the final documents implementing a true peace after the eight long years of struggle for American Independence.

Before peace negotiations could begin, news of the Surrender at Yorktown, Virginia on 19 October 1781 had to be spread. A land courier traveling by fast horse was first dispatched to inform the Continental Congress in Philadelphia. A sailing vessel then took many weeks to cross the Atlantic to bring the word to the King of England. Following his acknowledgement of the defeat, America's allies such as France and Holland had to be informed. Vast amounts of "red tape" had to be dealt with in both England and France. Then all documents concerning the final peace had to be returned to America. A slowly acting Continental Congress met to ratify the initial documents before a joint committee of British and Americans could work out the final details of the agreement.

Until the final agreement was reached, General Washington could not proclaim final victory. It is little wonder that the period between the military victory and the official declaration of peace extended many months.

Following the British surrender at Yorktown, General Washington removed the main portion of his army to an encampment in New Windsor, New York. Winter quarters were established in the same huts that had housed his troops in 1779. Washington, himself, occupied Hasbrouck House in Newburgh from March 1782 until August 1785. As long as the British occupied New York City and their formidable ships of way lay off shore, a threat to West Point and the consequent control of the Hudson River still existed; therefore, Washington dared not dismiss the troops.

Many events occurred during the long encampment. Colonel Nicola addressed a letter to General Washington in May of 1782, the purport of which was the offer to Washington of the title of King. In reply, General Washington rebuked Nicola:

"Be assured, sir, no occurrence in the course of this war has given me more painful sensations than your information of there being such ideas existing in the army as you have expressed, and which I must view with abhorrence and reprehend with severity—banish these thoughts from your mind and never communicate as from yourself, or any one else, a sentiment of like nature."

The Purple Heart, a military award of merit to acknowledge "singularly meritorious actions" by a private soldier or non-commissioned officer in the American Army, was initiated by General Washington in his orders of 7 August 1782 at Newburgh. Three men received this prestigious award and one of the original badges is on display at the Cantonment in New Windsor.

Due to the procrastination of Congress, payment for military services had not been determined nor received. The troops were eager to return to their homes, but General Washington wanted the payment issue settled before leaving the New Windsor encampment. The restless army came to a point where mutiny was being considered.

On Saturday, 15 March 1783, General Washington ordered his officers to assemble in the hall called the Temple at New Windsor. By his eloquence and powers of persuasion, General Washington turned rebellion into loyalty and support:

"... let me entreat you, gentlemen, on your part, not to take any measures which, viewed in the calm light of reason, will lessen the dignity and sully the glory you have hitherto maintained; let me request you to reply on the plighted faith of your country, and place a full confidence in the purity of the intentions of Congress..."

Two or three minutes more of his speech led to a resounding climax:

"... you will, by the dignity of your conduct, afford occasion for posterity to say, when speaking of the glorious example you have exhibited to mankind, 'had this day been wanting, the world had never seen the last stage of perfection to which human nature is capable of attaining.'"

This was indeed the finest phrase with which he ever had exhorted disgruntled, sullen or resentful men.

At long last the awaited document arrived at Washington's headquarters in Newburgh on 18 April 1783. At once, "The (continued on page 409)"
Minutes

National Board of Management

Regular Meeting, February 4, 1983

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. Richard Denny Shelby, President General, presiding.

The invocation was given by the Chaplain General, Mrs. Thomas Martin Egan, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, led by Mrs. Coray Henry Miller, First Vice President General.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. James Andrew Williams, called the roll. The following members were recorded present: National Officers—Executive Officers: Mrs. Shelby, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Egan, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Tapp, Mrs. Yochim, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Boone, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Jeffries, Mrs. Tiberio, Mrs. Hoopes. Vice Presidents General: Mrs. Thigpen, Mrs. Saavedra, Miss Brown, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Wolf, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Delaney, Mrs. Monroe, Mrs. Beineke, Mrs. Burdick, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. Niebell. State Regents: Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Pfahler, Mrs. Merkel, Mrs. Alderman, Mrs. Triebel, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Gauthier, Mrs. Atwood, Mrs. Bloedorn, Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Stimpson, Mrs. Schenk, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Towle, Miss Bedell, Mrs. Maybe, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Theobald, Mrs. Kitzmiller, Mrs. DeVan, Mrs. Hartnett, Mrs. Crawley, Dr. Woodfin, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Spearman, Mrs. Bush. State Vice Regent: Mrs. Gary, Tennessee.

The First Vice President General, Mrs. Miller, took the chair and the President General, Mrs. Shelby, read her report.

Report of President General

The physical portion of the restoration of our buildings is completed and it is expected the monetary portion will be accomplished prior to Continental Congress. As of December 31, 1982, contributions of $642,463.15 had been received for "A Legacy Preserved." Citations of Honor will be presented of the Chapters which received their Citation of Honor last year; they will receive a second award with a gold seal during the 1983 Continental Congress.

In December, The DAR Diary, a 1983 appointment calendar, was printed and copies sold in the Museum gift shop and by mail. Also in December, the Museum Cookbook, A DAR Sampler, and the orchid plates designed for DAR by Haviland became available. Profits from the sale of these items are for "A Legacy Preserved."

Printouts of the December 1 dues paid and the January 1 credentials are available for the Honor Roll Chairman and Credentials Chairman with all pertinent information concerning members. The total number of members in Chapters including the new members admitted at February Board is available for State Regents and the Membership Chairman. This significant accomplishment is due to the installation of the Burroughs computer, necessary software and diligent efforts of every department involved with the on line system.

A concerted effort was made to help process the large volume of renewals for the DAR Magazine in early December. The new policy of back issue mailing was necessary for many reasons—mainly economic with a recent increase in postage and another predicted in the near future. The Executive Committee, with concurrence of the Magazine Chairman, determined to sell back issues stored in the basement of the Administration Building. All members attending Continental Congress will have the opportunity to purchase these treasured issues. An ample supply has been retained for future needs of the Magazine Office.

The day following October Board, 1982, the Founders Monument was Rededicated with an impressive ceremony at 11:15 a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, whose generous contribution restored the Monument, participated in the ceremony. Mr. Whitney’s mother, Gertrude Vanderbilt Whitney, sculptured the Monument for the National Society in 1927-28, and it was erected in 1929. Following the rededication, a formal luncheon was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Whitney in the Banquet Hall.

Also on October 8th was the preview of the first DAR Museum Antiques Show together with the "Dutch and English Delftware" loan exhibit under the Patronage of His Excellency, the Ambassador of the Netherlands and Mrs. Lubbers in celebration of 200 years of American and Dutch amity and commerce. The first of the connected events was a Tea in the Museum Gallery honoring lenders from the Smithsonian and Mr. Narganis for the Dolz Collection. That evening a champagne buffet reception was held in the corridors of Constitution Hall in connection with the opening of the Delftware Exhibit by the Netherlands Embassy representative, Mr. Harald Barfve, The Antiques Show was featured from October 9th to the 11th.

It is always a pleasure to attend Founders Day at Tamassee DAR School and Dedication Day at Kate Duncan Smith DAR School and this past October was no exception. The President General’s visit to KDS was limited due to her returning to Washington to participate, representing the National Society, in the Memorial Service for Allyn Cox, muralist, at the Cosmos Club on Tuesday, October 12th.

At the invitation of Mrs. Ronald Reagan, the President Gen-
eral attended the presentation of the Freedoms Foundation American Friendship Medal posthumously to President Anwar Sadat at the White House on October 13th. Mrs. Sadat accepted the medal presented by Dr. Robert W. Miller, President, Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge and a Reception followed the ceremony.

The second annual program of the United States Department of Agriculture in observance of World Food Day was attended by the President General on October 15th at the Department of Agriculture followed by an informal reception.

In the afternoon the President General attended the Memorial Service sponsored by the John Alexander Chapter Virginia DAR. A special service was held for those who lost their lives in Vietnam. This service was held in the Red Cross Memorial Garden and was followed by a special reception.

*Glamour* Magazine was given permission to use the exterior of the DAR Buildings as background for their spring fashions. The pictures taken on October 29th appear in their February issue.

The President General attended the West Virginia State Conference in Charleston October 28th through the 30th, accompanied by Mrs. James G. Harrison, Chairman, Congress Program Committee. The President General is grateful to Mrs. Walter L. Spearman, State Regent, and the West Virginia members for the many courtesies extended to her during this visit. Presley Wagoner and Karen Kave served as the President General's Personal Pages during the Conference.

The President General served as an Honorary Patron of the 34th Annual Alexandria Antique Show, November 5-7, 1982, sponsored by the John Alexander Chapter Virginia DAR.

The National Society hosted a reception in the DAR Museum Gallery for the Vietnam Veterans Choir on November 10th. DAR Docents were Hostesses/Guides. To express their appreciation to the National Society, the choir sang the National Anthem before leaving—a moving experience!

On November 8th the President General, accompanied by the Curator General and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Tiberio, and Miss Jane Gray Sowell, National Chairman, Energy Ethics Committee, departed for her official visit to the chapters in England and France. A detailed article of this "Pilgrimage of Remembrance" appears in the February DAR Magazine. Deep appreciation is expressed to the State and Chapter Regents for their many courtesies and gracious hospitality extended during this tour. The President General returned from Europe for Thanksgiving in Mississippi with her family.

The President General returned to Washington on November 29th to attend an evening reception in the Diplomatic Reception Rooms, Department of State, sponsored by Clement E. Conger and the National Committee for the Bicentennial of the Treaty of Paris. Dr. Joan Challinor, Chairman, the National Committee for the Bicentennial of the Treaty of Paris, was hostess for the Reception. As a result of this event, the President General met with Dr. Challinor on December 13th and was briefed on the Committee's plans for celebration of this important historic event.

On December 2nd the President General met with Mrs. Betsy Luessenhop and Mrs. Woodside to discuss a new program on "Children of Alcoholics." The Air Force Band performed in Constitution Hall on December 5 presenting "An American Christmas" which the President General enjoyed.

On December 6th the President General and the Curator General met with Mr. Uffe Himmelstup, Counselor for Cultural Affairs for the Embassy of Denmark, to discuss plans for a Museum Exhibit.

December 7-9 were the days of Informal Executive and the Special December Board which admitted 1,729 new members.

On Friday morning, December 10th, the President General held Open House in her suite of offices to enable her to personally thank the employees for their support and efforts this past year. That afternoon the staff Christmas party was held in the Banquet Hall and the small children of staff members were invited. The President General was aided at the piano by several of the children while Christmas carols were sung. A festive Buffet was planned and prepared by Mrs. Charles H. Curtis, Chairman, Buildings and Grounds, and her committee members: Mrs. Paul Clevenger, Mrs. Harry H. Black, Mrs. John Littley and Mrs. Frank Webb.

The evening of December 9th the President General and the First Vice President General were honored to attend the Dedication of the American Flag, "Old Glory," at the Smithsonian Institution. During the ceremony, Old Glory Chapter of Tennessee was given recognition for its part in restoring this treasure.

Sunday evening, December 12th, the U. S. Army Band "Pershings Own" with Col. Eugene W. Allen, Leader and Commander, gave their outstanding Christmas concert in Constitution Hall—"An American Holiday Celebration."

The President General spent the Christmas Holidays at her home in Mississippi and returned to Washington on January 4th.

On January 6th the President General attended a luncheon given by William N. Hulett, President of the Stouffer Hotels, and the General Managers of Stouffer Hotels at the Mayflower Hotel in the East Room. James J. Kilpatrick, Commentator and Author, was the guest speaker.

On Friday, January 7th, the President General and her husband were house guests of friends, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Person, Jr.; in Port Gibson, MS. Saturday, January 8th, Pathfinder Chapter of Port Gibson hosted a delightful tea at "Oak Square" the restored home of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Lum in honor of the President General.

As a measure of good will and appreciation, the National Society provided coffee and dessert in the basement of the Administration Building for the D. C. Police during the Washington Monument crisis on December 8th. DAR Headquarters is also offered to the D. C. Police on July 4th or in any emergency, as a rest area.

Seminars on Family Financial Planning and Charitable Gifting were conducted by the Weedman Company in West Palm Beach and St. Petersburg, Florida on January 10th and 11th. The President General was met by Mrs. Joseph K. Gilligan, National Chairman, Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee, and Mrs. Leslie Weiss, Regent, Palm Beach Chapter, and was present for one of the seminars in West Palm Beach. The President General was the overnight guest of the Treasurer General and her husband, Mr. Richard Thompson, while in St. Petersburg and attended two seminars held at Bayfront Concourse.

The President General was back in her office on January 12th and the next eight days were spent in a series of meetings regarding the DAR Magazine, Computer, and making final plans and preparations for the 1983 Continental Congress (reviewing House Committee and Page appointment list and various Congress scheduling).

On January 20th the Second Anniversary Program of the Reagan Inauguration entitled "The Executive Forum" was held in Constitution Hall. The President General was honored to greet first, Vice President Bush and have several minutes to visit personally with him while he was awaiting his turn to speak. While the Vice President was speaking the President arrived. The President General greeted President Reagan and they then stood quietly in the P. G. Reception Room and listened to the Vice President's speech. There was a five minute musical interlude between speeches and the President General had this opportunity to visit personally with the President. While the President was being taken to the podium, the President General returned to her box. As the Marine Band played
"Stars and Stripes Forever" and President Reagan was at the podium, the large American Flag dropped from the ceiling. The audience was thrilled and burst into applause. As the President began his address he said, "I have just learned how to become an anticlimax in one easy lesson." He, too, had been most impressed with our American Flag.

On Friday, January 28th, David Siegel and Rob King of Paramount Pictures toured the DAR Buildings and met with the President General to discuss the possibility of using our facilities in the remake of the film "The Invisible Man."

Also on Friday, a Buffet luncheon was held for the DAR Staff in the Banquet Hall in connection with the presentation of years of service pins to the employees. The President General presented a 20-Year pin to Mrs. Mollie Sommerville and the First Vice President General presented the 5- and 10-year pins. Following the ceremony, the President General donned her "Redskins" T-shirt to join with the employees in showing support for the Washington Redskins football team in the upcoming Super Bowl game on Sunday.

Informal meetings of the Executive Committee were held on January 29th, 30th and 31st. The Chaplain General held an inspirational service in the Kansas Chapel for the Executive Committee and National Parliamenterian on Sunday preceding Executive Committee and National Board Meetings. Formal Executive Committee meetings were held January 31, February 1, 2, and 3.

The District of Columbia hosted a tea at the D. C. Chapter House in celebration of the President General's Project, "A Legacy Preserved," from 3 to 5 p.m. on February 1. The President General and National Officers were honored guests. The President General deeply appreciates the dedicated efforts of Mrs. May Day Taylor, State Chairman of the Project. As of mid-January, D. C. had acquired $4 per member from every Chapter.

February 2nd, the Danish Exhibit, "Freedom's Inner Light," opened in the Museum Gallery under the gracious patronage of His Excellency, the Ambassador of Denmark and Mrs. Borch. The costumes in the Exhibit are all recent gifts to the DAR Museum from Mr. and Mrs. Erwin L. Broecker and their generous gift is deeply appreciated. These costumes are of particular importance because each piece is documented as to origin and owner. American-made short gowns are extremely rare, one is included in the exhibit, as well as five silk dresses of Philadelphia origin, worn ca. 1800-1830.

February 3rd was filled with interesting events. At 9 a.m. the Maryland Society presented a Period dinner for the Maryland Room. It was presented by Mrs. Roger Wren Carroll in assembly Room; at 3:30 p.m. the Needlepoint Guild presented a rug depicting the Seals of the States and territories. Mrs. Susan Strause, President of the Needlepoint Guild, and Mrs. Susan Strause, Project Chairman, participated in the ceremony. Mrs. Henry H. Lawler, a member of Mississippi Delta Chapter DAR, stitched the Mississippi Seal. Last evening it was indeed a pleasure to attend the lovely Board Dinner at the Mayflower Hotel planned by Mrs. Deece V. Hensley, Chairman, and her Committee. We are indebted to Mrs. Frances Holland and Dr. Joan Challinor for the entertaining and informative program.

Representatives:

October 22, 1982, Mrs. Eldred M. Yochim, Organizing Secretary General, attended the annual D. C. DAR dinner honoring DAR and C.A.R.; on October 25, she attended a Briefing on U. S. Intelligence Activities at the Old Executive Office Building; November 1, she attended the Outstanding Young Women of America Luncheon at the Capital Hilton and presented a silver bowl to Debra Louise Woodward of Bessemer, Alabama.

November 8, 1982, Mrs. Ralph E. Rhodes, State Regent, Virginia DAR, attended the 89th Annual General Convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in Richmond, Virginia.

December 15th, Mrs. Vincent M. Mahoney, D. C. State Chairman, American Heritage Committee, attended a forum sponsored by the Department of Agriculture relating to Agriculture and the Forest Service at the Department of Agriculture.

January 9, 1983, Dr. Carol M. Woodfin, State Regent, Texas DAR, attended the Vesper Service of the American Farm Bureau Women's Committee, and the Women's Conference on the 10th in Dallas, Texas.

The President General resumed the chair. The First Vice President General, Mrs. Coray Henry Miller, read her report.

Report of First Vice President General

It is a pleasure to give this report which covers the period from the October National Board Meeting to date. Following the October Board the First Vice President General attended the unveiling of the Restored Founders Memorial Statue and a luncheon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney. Mr. Whitney, son of the sculptress, Gertrude Vanderbilt Whitney, was the generous donor for the restoration. This officer also attended the Dutch and English Delftware Exhibit, and the DAR Museum Antiques Show in Constitution Hall. Prior to the opening of the Exhibit in the Museum, a tea was given for the lenders. A reception in the President General's Reception Room and a buffet supper were held for special guests attending the Antiques Show, among them Mr. Harald Barfoed, Press and Cultural Attaché, Embassy of The Netherlands.

It was a privilege for this officer to give the Benediction at the unveiling of a plaque in the DAR Museum honoring the Yorktown Bicentennial Committee of '81.

Upon returning home, this officer attended the semiannual meeting of the DAR Regents' Club of Northeastern Pennsylvania at the Berwick Hotel, Mrs. James W. Stitt, President. She also attended the National Defense Meeting of Wyoming Valley Chapter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley R. Weiss with Mrs. Harold Tippett, Regent, presiding. Captain Kenneth Johnson was the guest speaker.

On October 22 this officer was a guest at the 86th Anniversary Luncheon of Dial Rock Chapter, Mrs. Jeannette Repp Norris, Regent, at the Fox Hill Country Club, West Pittston. Mrs. William Todd DeVon, State Regent, was guest speaker.

Returning to Washington, D. C., on December 5, this officer attended all Informal and Formal Meetings of the Executive Committee and the Special Meeting of the National Board of Management. In her capacity as Personnel Chairman, she presided at the meetings of the Personnel Committee. A luncheon in the Banquet Hall, prepared and hosted by the Museum Staff, was enjoyed. The President General, Mrs. Richard Denny Shelby, was hostess to the employees at an Open House in her suite of offices, which was followed by the Staff Christmas Party in the Banquet Hall. A Christmas bonus was given to each employee.

On December 9 it was a pleasure to accompany the President General to a ceremony and reception at the Smithsonian Institution's National Museum of American History for the Rededication of the American Flag known as "Old Glory."

It is a pleasure for this officer, as First Vice President General, to carry out the various duties and responsibilities assigned to her by the President General. It is also a most enjoyable experience to be the official escort of the President General.

Upon her return home for the holidays, this officer attended Wyoming Valley Chapter's Christmas Tea and meeting at the
The First Vice President General arrived in Washington, D. C., on January 27 and attended the Informal and Formal Meetings of the Executive Committee and the National Board of Management Meeting. She presided at the Personnel Committee meetings, attended the State Regents' Meeting and the Finance Committee Meeting. Other activities attended during the past week include the National Board Luncheon and Dinner, a luncheon for the Executive Committee hosted by Mrs. U. Amel Rothermel, National Parliamentarian; a tea honoring the President General given by the State Regent and District of Columbia Daughters at their Chapter House, a presentation to the DAR Museum by the Maryland State Society in the Museum Gallery, and the presentation and dedication of the State Seals Tapestry to the Museum by The American Needlepoint Guild. On Sunday, this officer participated in an inspiring Church Service in the Kansas Chapel conducted by the Chaplain General, Mrs. Thomas M. Egan. It was a pleasure to bring greetings to the Library Volunteers at their meeting with Mrs. Frederick O. Jeffries, Jr., Librarian General. A highlight of the week was the reception held in the DAR Museum on the occasion of the opening of the exhibition “Freedom’s Inner Light” under the gracious patronage of His Excellency The Ambassador of Denmark and Mrs. Borch.

This officer, as Chairman of Personnel, conducted meetings of the Personnel Committee for two days prior to the Executive Committee Meetings. Special recognition and appreciation is expressed at this time to the members of the Personnel Committee for their time, efforts and dedication in once again coming to Washington, D. C. early for these meetings. The Chairman announced the resignation of Mrs. Marian Krell, Personnel Director, that had been received with regret. Of major importance was the revision of the Personnel Rules which was recommended to the Executive Committee for consideration. The Committee was assisted in this endeavor by Mr. John Bell, Administrative Director, and Mrs. Deborah Pawlak, Personnel Assistant. Letters of appreciation were received from the respective organizations thanking the employees for their continued participation in the Red Cross Blood Bank Program and for their generous donations of food to the 9th Annual Food for Christmas Drive.

A staff meeting was held for the purpose of presenting tenure pins to those employees who had given twenty, ten and five years of service. The President General presented a twenty-year pin to Mrs. Mollie Somerville, and this Chairman, who presided at the meeting, presented the ten and five year pins, assisted by the Personnel Committee members: the Chaplain General, Mrs. Thomas M. Egan; Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. Robert H. Tapp; Historian General, Mrs. John R. Williams; and Curator General, Mrs. Joseph W. Tiberio. A buffet lunch was served to the entire staff following the presentation. Appreciation is expressed to Mrs. Paul Cleveenger, Vice Chairman of National Board Luncheons, and Mrs. Charles H. Curtis, Chairman of Buildings and Grounds, and their Committee for making the lovely arrangements.

Special appreciation is expressed to Mrs. Pawlak, Personnel Assistant, for so ably conducting the affairs of the Personnel Office, assisted by Mr. Bell, Administrative Director. A sincere thank you goes to Mrs. Mollie Somerville, Historical Researcher, and the Staff of the President General’s Office for their assistance and cooperation.

BETTY B. MILLER,  
First Vice President General.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Thomas Martin Egan, read her report.

Report of Chaplain General

With pleasure, the Chaplain General reports her service beginning with her arrival in Washington, D. C., on Tuesday, September 28, 1982, which began eleven days of DAR activities.

These days were busy and precious with many hours devoted to Informal and Formal Executive Committee meetings, ever striving to reach conclusions in the best interest of employees and the National Society. Under the expert leadership of the President General, Mrs. Richard Denny Shelby, great strides were made in all areas with recommendations for consideration by the National Board of Management on the 7th of October.

In addition, there were pleasurable occasions due to the unusual accomplishments of the National Society and its leaders. Three such occasions which were of special interest to your Chaplain General were when she offered the Invocations and Benedictions:

The dedication in the United States Capitol of the colorful, artistic and historic murals depicting America’s Heritage by the late Allyn Cox, a Bicentennial Project for the Nation during the administration of Mrs. Wakelee Rawson Smith, Honorary President General. Honorable Fred Schwengel, President of the United States Capitol Historical Society, presided at the Dedication, and the evening closed with the National Board of Management dinner in the dining hall of the United States House of Representatives.

The second dedication was for the restoration of the beautiful Statue of the Four Founders of the National Society, and the Gala Luncheon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney.

The third occasion was the Dedication of the plaque honoring the Committee of ’81.

Other unusually pleasurable occasions were attending the formal opening of the Dutch and English Delftware Exhibition and the festive supper preceding the DAR Museum Antique Show. Also enjoyed was the beautifully appointed luncheon of the Reporter General, Mrs. Rae S. Hoopes, when the Executive Committee dined on fresh Alaskan salmon.

The time between the October National Board of Management and the December 9, 1982 meeting was spent in Evansville answering voluminous correspondence and attending and speaking at DAR Meetings. The Christmas message from the Executive Committee to the membership of the National Society was prepared for the December issue of the DAR Magazine. This Officer is grateful to Deborah Carr and to Rose Hall of the Magazine Office for their helpfulness.

Another pleasant highlight was the Annual Christmas Party for employees and their children with luncheon hosted by the Executive Committee in the DAR Banquet Hall. In true Christmas spirit, the President General played the piano and led the group in singing carols.

This Officer also reviewed preparations for the 1983 Memorial Service with her Committee Chairmen, Mrs. Frederick Webb, Mrs. James Robertson, Mrs. Richard Creedon and Mrs. Marion H. Miller. The Memorial Service, the Call to Remembrance of Deceased Daughters for 1982, will be Monday, April 18, 1983, at 2:00 p.m. at DAR Constitution Hall. The Prayer Breakfast, Tuesday, April 19, honoring the Heroes of the Battle of Lexington, will be at 7:00 a.m. at the Capital Hilton Presidential Room. This will be followed by the annual
wreath laying at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and placing wreaths with appropriate ceremony at the tombs of George and Martha Washington, Mount Vernon, Virginia. The Pilgrimage buses will return to the Hilton Hotel in time for the National Defense Luncheon, 12:30 p.m. The January issue of the DAR Magazine carries the full schedule.

During the week of the February National Board of Management, Devotions were offered by this Officer.

Two days before the Executive Committee meetings were spent unpacking the beautiful sacred needlework samplers for hanging on the walls of the Chaplain General’s Office where they are exhibited and judged by a panel of judges. The documentation is by Mrs. Frederick Webb, who assists the Chaplain General, and Mr. Ted Holliday, who hangs the samplers. As they have been for the past two years, these samplers are beautiful and unusual. The Chaplain General can never express in words her gratitude to those who created these works of art, but she can seek God’s blessings for them.

At the suggestion of the President General, your Chaplain General prepared a “Special Worship Service” for the Executive Committee and the National Parliamentarian, for Sunday, January 30, 1983, 1:00 p.m. in the lovely Kansas Chapel in the Administration Building. This Service was dedicated to the Glory of God for His wonderful blessings on the National Society, using the Administration’s Theme from I Corinthians 13:13, “So faith, hope, love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.” Each Executive Committee member and the National Parliamentarian offered a short devotional on “Love.” The Worship Service opened with the “Doxology,” sung in unison, Mrs. Rae S. Hoopes at the piano, followed by “Love Divine” and closing with the “Hallelujah Chorus” and the Benediction. Praises were offered to God for His wonderful blessings to the National Society.

Daughters of the American Revolution, the devoted Cabinet Officers have the good of your National Society at heart and are building for its future.

God bless you one and all, and may your 1983 be filled with the joy of good health.

Ethel E. S. Egan, Chaplain General.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. James Andrew Williams, read her report.

Report of Recording Secretary General

It is a pleasure to report the work of the office of the Recording Secretary General since the October meeting of the National Board of Management.

The office has responded to requests for research; answered correspondence pertaining to Certificates of Membership and other office work; prepared minutes of the October and December meetings of the Executive Committee, mailed them to the Executive Officers, and prepared and issued adopted motions to National Committee Chairmen and pertinent officers; prepared minutes of the October and December meetings of the National Board of Management for publication in the DAR Magazine, filed and indexed them, issued the National Board rulings to all offices; and typed and indexed the permanent record.

Notices of the December and February meetings of the Executive Committee and of the National Board of Management were prepared and mailed. The total number of Certificates of Membership that have been issued since the October Board is 4341. One State Regent Commission was issued.

The Recording Secretary General’s special project of reissuing past Executive rulings is nearing completion. All pertinent rulings back to 1929 have been distributed to the 26 offices in the buildings.

To better serve the new member, the office has instituted and is implementing a new procedure so that Membership Certificates can be prepared and mailed to the new members shortly after their admittance. The office is indebted to Mrs. Kathleen Clines and Miss Tam Phu for their help in the initial stage of this project.

The Recording Secretary General attended all October meetings of the Executive Committee, National Board of Management, Finance Committee and Trustees of the Investment Trust Fund.

In October, she was present at the unveiling and rededication of the Founders Monument and was the guest of the Curator General, Mrs. Tiberio, at the luncheon in the Banquet Hall honoring Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, who underwrote the cost of restoring the monument that was sculpted by Mr. Whitney’s mother. She was present at the opening of the Dutch and English Delftware Exhibit in the DAR Museum, and at the Antique Show Preview in Constitution Hall.

This officer attended the Founders Day activities at Tamassee DAR School. At the Dedication Day Program at Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, it was her pleasure to accept for the National Society the gift of the Helen Keller costume from the Alabama Daughters of the American Revolution.

November 9, this officer attended a tea given by chapters in northwestern Georgia in the home of Mrs. Reubin Augustus Garland in Atlanta, Georgia.

She was a guest in the home of Mrs. Wayne D. Tiner, College Station, Vice Regent of the Texas Society, and spoke at the La Villita Chapter meeting November 11. She attended a tea in the home of Mrs. Richard Mason, given by San Antonio De Bexar Chapter, San Antonio; a coffee and a tea given by Lady Washington Chapter, Houston, in the home of Mrs. Audrey Tynes Sparks; and a tea at the Rockwall Yacht Club, Rockwall, Texas, given by Divisions I, II, III and VII, Texas Society.

On November 23, the Recording Secretary General participated in the Naturalization Ceremony for seventy-two new citizens at the United States District Court, Fayetteville, Arkansas, and the reception which followed the ceremony given by Marion Chapter, Fayetteville.

All December meetings of the Executive Committee, National Board of Management and the Trustees of the Investment Trust Fund were attended.

During the December Board, she enjoyed the Christmas Luncheon given by Mrs. Federico and the DAR Museum Staff; the United States Air Force Band Christmas Concert, “An American Christmas,” Colonel Gabriel, Conductor; and the Christmas Party for the Staff in the Banquet Hall.

In January this officer attended the Chaplain General’s Special Worship Service in the Kansas Chapel; enjoyed the Executive Committee Luncheon given by Mrs. Rothermel in the Banquet Hall; and was a guest of the District of Columbia State Society, Mrs. Robert D. Pfahler, State Regent, at a tea honoring the President General.

On February 2, she attended the opening of the DAR Museum Exhibit, “Freedom’s Inner Light,” under the patronage of his Excellency, the Ambassador of Denmark, and Mrs. Borch. She attended the luncheon for the employees and the presentation of tenure pins, the presentation and dedication of the State Seal Tapestry given to DAR Museum by the American Needlepoint Guild, and the presentation by the Maryland Daughters of a child’s dress to the DAR Museum.

This officer expresses deep gratitude to Mrs. Frances Holland, Administrative Assistant, and to Mrs. Erma Kirkman, Mrs. Helen Ball, Miss Isabel Allmond and Mrs. Floy Swanson, who ably, conscientiously and harmoniously staff the office of the Recording Secretary General.

Dorothy T. Williams, Recording Secretary General.

The Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. Robert H. Tapp, read her report.

Report of Corresponding Secretary General

This report covers the three month period, October 1, 1982 to January 1, 1983.
Since the last report of this officer, there have been three official mailings. The Annual Proceedings and the 1982-1983 Directory of Committees were available at March 1, 1980, the beginning of this administration. We have also made every effort to keep surplus cash funds invested to the maximum and even though interest rates for investments have declined this year, we have earned approximately $425,000 for the ten-month period. This has been brought about by this administration negotiating a Liquid Asset Management Program for the surplus cash with the American Security Bank.

Now that the substantial expenditures for repair of our beautiful buildings have almost been completed, due to the generosity of our members, it will be our effort to retain substantial funds in the Property Maintenance Fund to accomplish future necessary repairs. The only source of income for the Fund is the Investment Trust Fund whose principal is invested and the income each year transferred to the Property Maintenance Fund for building repairs.

Therefore, it will be our earnest effort to substantially increase the principal of our Investment Trust Fund. At December 31, 1982 this principal sum was $2,793.02. It is extremely important that chapters complete and return to the Internal Revenue Service any Form 990 from her local International Revenue Office and file it. This figure of $25,000 has been changed from $10,000. It is extremely important that chapters sent them by the IRS whether or not they feel they owe taxes. I hope that those attending the Board luncheons like the new system of being able to walk and sit down at the table without having to wait in line and present a ticket. Our new method of payment in advance and the sign-in sheet has worked very well and has simplified taking the count and balancing the money. If you are in favor of this system of no tickets for the Board luncheons, we will make this recommendation to continue it to the personnel who will be handling this in the future.

Dues payments are considerably ahead of last year, which will mean fewer members on the Drop List in June, and we feel this is a good indication of our members' interest in their membership in the DAR. Over 90% of the chapters have now sent in their print-outs, and most chapters followed the instructions and returned the print-outs in good order. In addition to those chapters already reported as receiving certificates for earliest receipt of print outs, the following larger chapters will also receive certificates on the basis of earliest receipt date:

For chapters of 100-200 members:
First—John Bell, Wisconsin
Second—Long Leaf Pine, Louisiana
Third—Cahokia Mount, Illinois

For chapters of 200-300 members:
First—Orlando, Florida
Second—Cherokee, Georgia
Third—Eunice Sterling, Kansas

For chapters of 300-400 members:
First—San Antonio de Bexer, Texas
Second—Rockford, Illinois
Third—Joseph Habersham, Georgia
Dewalt Mechlin, Illinois

For chapters over 400:
First—Lady Washington, Texas

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for the holidays. She attended and participated in the Executive Committee Worship Service conducted by the Chaplain General. She flew from Washington, D. C. to St. Petersburg, Florida, where she attended the Estate Planning Seminar with the President General. It was the pleasure of this officer and her husband, Richard Thompson, to have Mrs. Shelby as their overnight guest at their winter home in Florida. She attended the Distaff Tea of the Constitution Chapter, NSDAR in Washington, D. C. and was a guest of the Daughters of the District of Columbia at a Tea given in honor of the President General, Mrs. Shelby. She attended the opening of the exhibition “Freedom’s Inner Light” and the NSDAR Museum Antique Show. Following the ceremony for the restoration of the Founders Monument, it was her pleasure to attend the luncheon by the Curator General, Mrs. Tiberio, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney.

The Treasurer General’s Office is more current now, and with the new computer we were able to have our totals more current than ever before. Coding sheets have been discontinued as the clerks are able to enter action entries directly from the correspondence into the terminal.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management: I hereby submit the Summary Statement of Current and Special Funds for the Ten Month Period Ended December 31, 1982 and the supporting schedules thereto.

NEL WHITE THOMPSON,
Treasurer General.

Mrs. Thompson moved to amend the December 9, 1982 motion to read: “That 247 members be reinstated.” Seconded by Mrs. Todd. Adopted.

Mrs. Thompson presented the following membership report for the period November 16, 1982 through January 21, 1983:

Deaths 1,703
Transfers 428
Resignations 1,272

Mrs. Thompson moved that 83 members be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Merkel. Adopted.

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**SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CURRENT AND UNRESTRICTED SPECIAL FUNDS**

**Ten Months Ended December 31, 1982**

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<th>Total Balance 3/1/82</th>
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Report of Registrar General

The Genealogical and Clerical Division staffs have been very diligent in keeping the work load as current as possible. The Record Copy Department is honoring requests within several days of receipt.

In October 1981 we started putting our new member applications and Supplementals on microfiche. At present we have over 40,000 applications and 2600 Supplementals available for viewing in the Seimens Microfilm Center as well as in the Genealogical Division for use by the genealogists in verifying papers. We have filed all applications verified from December 1977 through December 1982 and all Supplementals since March 1981. It is an ongoing project that makes our applications available on a modern system while at the same time preserving these valuable original documents from excessive handling.

Many of the supporting documents which are submitted with a member's application are retained at National Headquarters. Since 1958 they have been kept in the Genealogical Division's room. These files have become so voluminous that we moved much of this data into a newly furnished room on the lower floor of Continental Hall, thus giving the genealogists a less congested and safer room in which to review applications. We are currently in the process of reorganizing these data files for easier retrieval as they are used extensively by the genealogists. Because of space limitations, we began this past summer to put our data on microfiche. We are beginning with New Record (ancestor) application and Supplemental data. This data is then being returned with the duplicate papers. We are using a very satisfactory updatable system which allows us to store a great deal of information in a small space and permits adding pertinent new material to our file as it is received. We presently have over 600 microfiche of this data.

Because of the steady increase in the number of new member applications it has been necessary to have all of the genealogy staff review these papers during an extended period of time before the February Honor Roll Board. The understanding of the membership in regard to new member application priority is greatly appreciated. Review of Supplemental applications will be resumed after the February 4, 1983 Board.

To help insure that application papers are accurately completed, it is recommended that the Chapter Registrar carefully examine volumes I and II of the Patriot Index and the recent Supplemental volume for any changes or corrections on the patriot or his service. Please be advised that a list of children of an established ancestor cannot be accepted as proof of parentage when an applicant/member submits a paper through a different child from one accepted on a verified paper. This key generation must be documented through photocopies of the original records, such as wills, probate records, deeds, etc., or through references to reliable printed sources available in our library.

It is the responsibility of the Chapter Registrar to see that the application papers are filled out properly and give only the applicant's direct blood line. The names of the natural parents of each generation listed are to be used as part of the lineal descent of the applicant. If a step or adoptive parent is involved, indicate this on page three of the application or on a separate sheet of paper. A new booklet, APPLICATION PAPERS. Information for their Preparation has been prepared by the Office of the Registrar General and will serve as a valuable guide for the Chapter Registrar. It is available FREE from the Office of the Corresponding Secretary General.

It has come to the attention of the Registrar General that completed application and supplemental papers are being held by some chapter officers. It is the responsibility of the Chapter Registrar to see that all papers submitted to her are properly readied for submitting to National and to forward them promptly. To do otherwise is to deny a prospective member the opportunity of possible membership and would be against the principles of the Society.

This officer would like to remind the Chapters that all members admitted at the February Board are counted for the Honor Roll membership count for the 1982-83 year. The next National Board of Management meeting to admit new members will be April 16, 1983. This will be the first National Board for DAR fiscal year 1983-84.

The Genealogical Division has lost three fine genealogists during the past few months. We are fortunate to have Mrs. Carolyn Shearer assume the position of Head Genealogist and Miss Rita Souther, the position of Genealogist in Charge of Supplementals.

After attending the October Board meeting, Mrs. Eldred Yochim, Organizing Secretary General, and your Registrar General were present at the dinner and Board meeting of Tamsasee School in Greenville, South Carolina on October 9, 1982, followed by Founders Day activities the next day. Arriving in Huntsville, Alabama, on October 11, 1982, we were in attendance at the dinner and Board meeting of Kate Duncan Smith DAR School. On October 12, 1982, we participated in the KDS Dedication in Grant, Alabama. We were proud to have donated seven hundred pounds of clothing to the school during our visit. This officer was honored to be the speaker in Alabama at the Nehemiah Howard Chapter, Tuskegee, the Reuben Long Chapter, Huntsboro, the Light Horse Harry Lee Chapter in Auburn and the Captain William Bibbs Chapter in Montgomery.

It is my pleasure to submit the following report of the work of the Registrar General's Office since the December 9, 1982 National Board.

All application papers received in the Registrar General's Office prior to February 3, 1983 marked Honor Roll have been examined.

All Short Form application papers received through January 27, 1983 have been examined.

All application papers received in the Registrar General's Office prior to February 3, 1983 marked Honor Roll have been examined.

All Supplemental application papers received in the Registrar General's Office prior to October 7, 1980 have been examined.

The last National Number is: 671,899;
Number of applications received: 1,504;
Number of applications verified: 2,379;
Number of application papers pending for which additional proof has been requested: 2,252;
Number of Supplementals received: 326;
Number of Supplementals verified: 73;
Number of Supplemental papers pending for which additional proof has been requested: 723;
Papers returned unverified:
Applications: 34;
Supplementals: 3;
Duplicates returned: 1,929;
New Records verified: 113;
Permits issued for Insignia: 989;
Letters written: 4,111;
Postals written: 78;
Photocopies:
Papers: 3,711;
Data: 41;

YVONNE S. BOONE,
Registrar General.

Mrs. Boone moved that the 2379 applicants whose records have been verified by the Registrar General be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Miss Brown. Adopted.
The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Eldred M. Yochim, read her report.

Report of Organizing Secretary General

Since my report to the October National Board, permits have been issued authorizing the purchase of two hundred fifty-nine (259) Ex-Regent's Pins, forty-five (45) Chapter Charter Pins, five hundred twenty (520) Chapter Bars, fifteen (15) Chapter Regents' Bars, sixty (60) Twenty-five Year Pins, fifty-nine (59) Fifty Year Pins and one hundred eighty-five (185) Miscellaneous Pins.

A total of one (1) Seventy-five Year Certificate, one hundred twenty-one (121) Fifty-Year Certificates and four thousand three hundred twenty-one (3,212) applications/supplementals have been checked as to signatures of chapter officers and endorsers, if done in black ink, notary seals, applicant's signature, full address and if done in duplicate as required. Four hundred ten thousand one hundred fifty-two (3,152) letters have been written concerning applications submitted improperly.

As of this date the total number of chapters is three thousand one hundred fifty-two (3,152).

Immediately following the October Board meeting this officer accompanied the Registrar General, Mrs. Alex Boone, on a trip to the DAR Schools, arriving at the Hyatt Regency in Greenville, South Carolina, on October 8th.

Attended Dinner and Board meeting of Tamassee DAR School on October 9th.

On October 10th attended Founders Day at Tamassee and dedicated gifts given by Virginia DAR. Left in afternoon for Kate Duncan Smith DAR School.

Attended KDS Dinner and Board meeting on October 11th, at Sheraton Inn, Huntsville.

On October 12th attended Dedication Day at KDS and dedicated gifts given by Virginia DAR. Left after the delicious Basket Dinner, drove to the Boone Tavern in Berea, Kentucky and was a guest for dinner at the home of Mrs. Wilson Evans.

Attended a "Coffee" at the Alumni House of Berea College on October 13th, was a guest of Mrs. Wilburn Walker for lunch at Boone Tavern, and left in afternoon to spend the night in Charleston, West Virginia.

On October 18th spoke to the Virginia Frontier Chapter in Lexington, Virginia.

Left by Amtrak on October 20th for Rye, New York. Was the dinner guest of Mrs. Rudolph Schaefer and overnight guest of Mrs. Edwin Michaelian, Regent, White Plains Chapter.

On October 21st visited Tarrytown New York Historical Society Museum. Was a guest at a Tea at Scarsdale Women's Club and dinner guest of Mrs. John Morgan, President, New York State Officers Club, at the Manor Club in Pelham.

On October 22nd attended District of Columbia S.A.R.-C.A.R. Dinner at Fort McNair and extended greetings from the National Society.

On October 23rd attended the 25th Anniversary Luncheon meeting of the Thomas Lee Chapter at Stratford Hall Plantation.

Attended a DAR Tea at the home of Mrs. Hollis Muller in Potomac, Maryland.

October 25th represented the National Society at a Briefing on U. S. Intelligence Activities at the Old Executive Office Building.

On October 28th attended a workshop meeting for District V, Alexandria.

Attended a DAR Tea at the Ramada Inn, Alexandria.

Represented the National Society at the Awards Presentation Luncheon at the Capital Hilton on November 1st for the Ten Outstanding Young Women of America for 1982. Presented a Silver Bowl to Debra Louise Woodward of Bessay, Alabama.

On November 4th attended the Preview Showing of the Alexandria Antique Show which is sponsored annually by the John Alexander Chapter.

Was a guest at the 30th Anniversary Luncheon meeting of Captain John Smith Chapter, Gave a Memorial Tribute for Mrs. Samuel Vanderslice, Organizing Regent.

Attended National Defense meeting of Mary Washington Chapter, District of Columbia at DAR Headquarters.

On November 10th welcomed sixty (60) Vietnam Veterans to DAR Museum for a Reception. This was a Choral group from Menlo Park, California who had come to Washington to be in the parade for the Vietnam Veterans. Many of these men are still suffering effects of the war.

Attended on November 12th the National Defense meeting of the four chapters in Charlottesville, Virginia: Albemarle, Jack Jouett, Shadwell and Point of Fork. Following this meeting attended the ceremony when Albemarle Chapter marked the grave of Laura Bailey, Honorary State Regent.

Was a guest of Henricopolis Chapter in Richmond on November 13th and spoke on the National Society.

On November 18th was a guest of William Byrd Chapter at DAR Headquarters for lunch and meeting.

Was a guest at the 25th Anniversary meeting of the Falls Church Society, C.A.R.

On December 2nd attended the Falls Church Chapter meeting.

Was guest speaker on December 4th for the Fauquier Court House Chapter in Warrenton.

Attended Constitution Chapter Distaff Day Tea at DAR Museum on January 9th.

Spoke to Mount Vernon Chapter at their luncheon at The Old Club in Alexandria on January 13th.

Attended the Reagan Administration Executive Forum in Constitution Hall on January 20th at the invitation of the President General. It was a real privilege to attend this Forum when President Reagan, his Cabinet and members of various government departments were present. A Color Guard and Marine Band added to this occasion.

All meetings of the October and December Executive Committee and National Board of Management were attended, as well as the meeting of the Finance Committee.

On January 27th attended the Falls Church Chapter meeting when five DAR Good Citizens spoke.

Participated in the Chaplain General's Worship Service in the Kansas Chapel on January 30th.

My appreciation goes to the Personnel of this office for their cooperation and invaluable help in carrying out the duties of this busy office: Mrs. Pierce Acord, Administrative Assistant; Mrs. Elba Rivera, Assistant to the Administrative Assistant; Misses Cecelia Jenifer and Brenda Mills, Clerk Typists.

Through their respective State Regents the following Members At Large are presented for confirmation as Organizing Regents:

Mrs. Josephine Funk Sivesind, Bakersfield, California;
Mrs. Emma Bessire Blakley, Cortez, Colorado;
Mrs. Charlcie Pauline Carlton Fletcher, Bethany, Oklahoma;
 Mrs. Virginia McDade Manner, McKenzie, Tennessee;
Mrs. Martha Bidwell Robinson, Ottawa, Canada;
Mrs. Evelyene Fullerton Lewis, Sarcoxie, Missouri.

Through the State Regent the following Member At Large is reappointed as an Organizing Regent:

Mrs. Evelyene Fullerton Lewis, Sarcoxie, Missouri.

The State Regent of Kansas has requested the location change of the Courtney-Spalding Chapter from Russell to Hays.

The following chapter is now presented for official disbandment:

Egyptian, Cairo, Illinois.

The following chapters have met all the requirements ac-
According to the National Bylaws and are now presented for confirmation:
John Guill, Owenton, Kentucky: Oklahoma Prairies, Bethany, Oklahoma.

MARIE H. YOCHIM
Organizing Secretary General.

Mrs. Yochim moved the confirmation of six Organizing Regents: reappointment of one Organizing Regent; location change of one chapter; official disbandment of one chapter; confirmation of two chapters provided messages of organization are received by 4:00 p.m. Seconded by Mrs. Rhodes. Adopted.

The Historian General, Mrs. John R. Williams, read her report.

Report of Historian General

Following the October National Board of Management meeting, this officer attended the dedication and unveiling ceremony at the Founders Monument on the “C” Street side of the building, which had recently been cleaned and repaired. Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney (whose mother, Gertrude Vanderbilt Whitney, was the sculptor of the monument) and his wife participated in the ceremony. After the dedication this officer attended the reception and luncheon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Whitney. The luncheon was lovely, and the banquet hall on the third floor was beautifully decorated.

On October 8 this officer attended the preview dinner for the DAR Museum Antique Show and the opening of the Dutch Exhibit in the DAR Museum. This was a lovely occasion, and I would like to add that the corridors of Constitution Hall made a beautiful setting for an Antique Show, because the antiques were displayed with ample space and could be viewed so well.

Your Historian General attended the December Personnel and Executive Committee meetings, as well as the Special National Board of Management meeting. She had the pleasure of attending the U.S. Army Band Christmas Concert in Constitution Hall, and the DAR Staff Christmas Party.

This officer attended all Personnel meetings, Executive Committee meetings, and the National Board meeting in January and February. She also attended the lovely luncheon given by Mrs. Rothermel for the Executive Committee; the National Board Dinner; the lovely tea given by the D.C. Daughters at their chapter house in honor of Mrs. Richard Denny Shelby, President General; the presentation and dedication of the State Seal Tapestry given to the DAR Museum by the American Needlepoint Guild; and the opening of the exhibition “Freedom’s Inner Light,” under the gracious patronage of His Excellency, the Ambassador of Denmark and Mrs. Borch. She also attended the luncheon for employees and the presentation of tenure pins.

The Fraktur Workshops had to be cancelled for a period of time, but plans are well underway for the workshops to start again in March. These have been very popular this year.

Following is a list of gifts received by the Historian General’s office between June 1982 and January 14, 1983:

**Americana Collection:**

Land records-suponea in partition 1815. From Margaret Hickman, of Washington, D.C., Carrollton Manor Chapter, Buckeystown, Maryland.

1768 warrant for grand jury service, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, from Ethel Kell Sinclair of Fallbrook, California, Monserate Chapter, Fallbrook, California.

Letter signed by President Woodrow Wilson addressed to Mrs. Richard D. Shelby, Beulah, Mississippi, Mississippi Delta Chapter, Rosedale, Mississippi.


Three land deeds, Ohio 1834, 1835, and 1837, from Mrs. John R. Williams, Powell, Ohio, Whetstone Chapter, Columbus, Ohio.

NSDAR Archives and Special Collection:

Membership certificate, NSDAR, May 1, 1931, from Mrs. Richard D. Shelby, Beulah, Mississippi, Mississippi Delta Chapter, Rosedale, Mississippi.

Program (Constitution Hall) from Meeting in Commemoration of the Susquecentennial of the Formation of the Constitution of the United States, 1937. From Marie C. Bruning (Mrs. Henry) of McLean, Virginia. (NSDAR records include nothing on her, so it is presumed that she was not a member).


Material for the Archives continues to come in from various offices throughout the NSDAR building.

Requests for permission to place markers on graves and historical sites continue. During the period September 1 to December 31, 1982, requests were received for 188 members’ graves; 24 Revolutionary Soldiers’ graves; and eight Historic Sites.

Graves reported marked during this same period of time included those of 187 members, 41 Revolutionary Soldiers, two Real Daughters, and one Daughter. Twenty-five historic sites were marked, and one historic site was remarked.

American History Month supplies are in great demand at this time of the year as reflected in the sales of supplies. More have been sold this year than during the same period a year ago. Supplies sold from September 1 to December 1, 1982 were as follows: 2,474 Certificates of Award; 17,085 Certificates of Appreciation; 14,950 American History Month Stickers; 482 American History Month posters; 289 Spot Announcements; 39 State Essay Winner Certificates; 1,613 bronze medals; 302 silver medals; two bronze Madonna of the Trail statuettes and one composition Madonna statuette; 63 acid free boxes and 113 acid free folders.

I would like to say at this time that the State Regents should make sure that their State Treasurers order only four State Essay Winner Certificates, as each state has only four winners—one each for 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grades. If more than four (4) are ordered, they will not be sent, so please make sure that you order the correct number and send the correct amount of money—$1.00 for each one.

As National Chairman for American History Month, it is with pleasure that I announce that Senator Barry Goldwater has been successful in having the week before George Washington’s birthday proclaimed “National Patriotism Week.” S. J. Res. 34 reads in Section 3—The title of such joint resolution is amended to read as follows: “Joint resolution to designate the week commencing with the third Monday in February of each year as “National Patriotism Week.”

State Regents, please continue to urge your members to continue writing their Congressmen to co-sponsor a bill to have February proclaimed permanently as American History Month. American History Month should be for all Americans. If 208,000 DAR members were to write their Congressmen and Senators, as individuals, urging passage of such a bill, this would be possible to achieve in the next two to three years.

It is a pleasure to welcome to the staff of the Historian General’s office Mrs. Elva Crawford, Archivist, and Miss Vir...
ginia Austin, clerk-typist, who will also be in charge of the Fraktur Workshops. Much appreciation to Betty Stickles for assisting Elva and Virginia in getting acclimated to this office.

MARY D. WILLIAMS, Historian General.

The Librarian General, Mrs. Fredrick O. Jeffries, Jr., read her report.

Report of Librarian General

Since the resignation of the Staff Librarian, Mrs. Carolyn Leopold Michaels, in December, 1982, Mr. Reginald May has been serving in the capacity of Library Administrator until a replacement is secured.

Mrs. Mary McCampbell Bell, C.G.R.S., Genealogical Consultant, has been appointed to the position of Assistant Librarian vacated by Mrs. Mary McCracken several months ago. She brings a great deal of enthusiasm and genealogical expertise to the position.

The “Book Worms,” our Library volunteers, have, to date, processed many titles from the stacks in the basement area. Additional volunteers serve the Library in various capacities, and we extend a most cordial welcome to them.

An attractive pin design for the “Book Worms” has been submitted to J. E. Caldwell and will be available for purchase after a volunteer has submitted evidence of 60 or more hours of service.

The Librarian General entertained the volunteers at a coffee January 28 in the Assembly Room, at which time the President General brought enthusiastic greetings and a fine message.

The Henry Clay Chapter of Virginia has supplied the Library with six hard-working, enthusiastic “Book Worms,” who spend one day each week assisting in many phases of the work.

The Western Reserve Chapter of Cleveland, Ohio, contributed over 500 analytical cards for their Genealogical Records Materials to our card catalog! Congratulations!

A nonmember, who is a retired librarian, contributes one day a week of her time to the DAR Library. She is Mrs. Marion Starrett. We are indeed grateful to her for giving us the benefit of her experience and expertise.

The Mary Isham Keith Chapter, Fort Worth, Texas, suggested a Life Membership in the DAR Library in October and proposed a pin design for the persons contributing $200 or more to the Library. This membership was approved by the National Board of Management, and J. E. Caldwell has adapted the design to an attractive pin. Since making the original suggestion, Mary Isham Keith members have raised a considerable sum of money toward these memberships. We congratulate them for their marvelous support!

An exciting new plan is in the offing in connection with the Reclassification Project, whereby members throughout the United States will be able to earn volunteer hours toward the “Book Worm” Pin by creating analytical cards for their state’s Genealogical Records Materials, County records, and periodicals. These cards, when forwarded to the Library, would become part of the Card Catalog and a basis for a cumulative index of these confusing materials. Information will be forthcoming.

This Officer has attended all National Board Meetings, and in January addressed the Arapahoe Chapter, Boulder, Colorado, on “The DAR Library—A Living Legacy.” She will address the Foothills Genealogical Society the first week in March. Several trips were made to the Genealogical Section of the Denver Public Library to observe and learn about its excellent volunteer program. Many cataloging problems were referred to the two Reclassification advisors: Miss Frances Flanders and Mrs. James A. Marmouget. This Officer is indeed grateful to them for their splendid counsel.

Statistics for the period, November, 1982, through January, 1983, are as follows: Nonmember Fees received: $3,030; Gifts: $191; Binding contributions: $10; in-house photocopy: $2,054.09; Mail Order photocopy: $399.36; Miscellaneous: $196.87.

Receipts from the sale of Book Catalog I for this period totaled $9,790.50. Nonmembers using the facilities totaled 1,281, with members attending, 978. Three groups were entertained and given tours.

Sincere appreciation goes to the entire Library Staff for their loyal support during this reporting period.

JANE A. JEFFRIES, Librarian General.

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The Curator General, Mrs. Joseph W. Tiberio, presented her report.

**Report of Curator General**

The early fall was an especially busy period for the staff at the DAR Museum. Jean Taylor Federico presented a lecture on collecting ceramics at the Maryland State DAR Antiques Show in Towson. The following week included all of the many special activities of our own and first DAR Museum Antiques Show. Forty-five dealers participated in the Show and Sale in the lobby of the Museum. This proved to be a successful venture for the Museum and the dealers. The Museum is grateful for the support of many sponsors and patrons who contributed to the catalogue and who attended the black-tie preview dinner.

Following the Annual Show, the staff began a series of lectures for the annual docent seminar. In addition, we participated with the Resident Associate Program of the Smithsonian Institution in presenting an 8-week course in American Decorative Arts. Additional lectures were given to graduate museum education students at George Washington University concerning the role of objects with historic settings; to quilt groups, to two Questers Clubs on ceramics, to graduate decorative arts students on ceramics, and to members of a special course at the Smithsonian on "behind the scenes at the DAR Museum." Mrs. Federico attended the meeting of the American Ceramic Circle at Winterthur in November. As a member of the Advisory Board, Department of Textiles and Consumer Economics, University of Maryland, Mrs. Federico attended annual meetings at the College Park campus. Members of the Docent Program toured Custon Hall and Mount Vernon.

Special lectures were given to members of the Evanston (Illinois) Historical Society and Kent County Historical Society. Both groups arranged to have catered box lunches in the Banquet Hall. Further lecture presentations about the Museum's holdings were given to audiences organized by the Alexandria Bicentennial Association and the Fort Ward Museum in Alexandria.

During this period, the Curator of Collections, Mr. Berry, worked on a variety of research projects dealing with important recent acquisitions.

The acquisition of two miniature portraits of prominent South Carolinians, Alice Delancey Izard and her son, Ralph Izard, Jr., caused Mr. Berry to research the lives of both the sitters and the artists. The DAR Museum has recently acquired two needlework pictures, designed by the Philadelphia artist, Samuel Fowlell. A great deal of research went into documenting these important pieces of early 19th century schoolgirl art.

Mr. Berry's genealogical research played an important role in documenting two pieces of silver which have recently entered the Museum collection. A Friends of the Museum Purchase, a silver creampot made by the Philadelphia silversmith, Richard Humphreys, engraved with the monogram, "E. W.," has been shown to have belonged to Elizabeth Washington, a niece of the first President. A gift of Mrs. George Upham Baylies, a magnificent silver pitcher, retailed by the New York firm of John and Joseph Cox, bore a presentation inscription, "Robert Ray from his Grandmother Prime, Decr. 1835." After extensive genealogical research in the library, Mr. Berry discovered that the pitcher was commissioned by Mrs. Nathaniel Prime of New York City, wife of the founder of that city's first major bank. Research of this nature helps to place an object with its proper social and historical framework.

In addition, to these particularly interesting projects, Mr. Berry has continued to catalogue objects as they come into the Museum's collection.

In December, Mr. Berry gave several slide presentations to DAR Chapters in the Washington area, highlighting interesting objects from the collection.

The Associate Curator, Gloria Seaman Allen, has given a series of lectures to various groups including the Smithsonian Associates, the DAR Museum docents, the Kent County Historical Society, the Hillwood Museum docents and a group of quilters from Montgomery County.

The exhibition of Dutch and English Delftware was well received by the public and generated a great deal of publicity in the form of articles and photographs in *The Magazine Antiques, Colonial Homes, Antiques and the Arts Weekly, Antique Monthly* and the Washington Post.
Mrs. Allen is currently preparing two articles on New York and Pennsylvania coverlets from the DAR Museum collection. The articles will appear in future issues of The Magazine Antiques.

Jean Martin, our Registrar, attended an all day seminar at the International Fabricare Institute on Saturday, November 13, 1982. The topic presented and discussed was “The Dry Cleaning of Historic Textiles.” Museum professionals from New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Virginia and the District of Columbia observed and questioned the methods and research presented. Mrs. Martin’s conclusion regarding our textiles is to maintain as clean and perfect environment for our textiles as possible but to use dry cleaning, or any cleaning for that matter, very sparingly and then mostly on a spot cleaning basis.

The school programs for school groups have become very popular. Mrs. Martin and Mr. Berry have been presenting “The Colonial Kid,” “The Colonial Kitchen,” and “A Journal of a Revolutionary Soldier” to groups of first through eighth graders since September with very good success. A large share of the credit should go to our wonderful corps of docents who volunteer extra time to help with the children’s programs in addition to their regular service hours.

Two interns have returned this semester: they are Barbara Martin, a Ph.D. candidate, and Katherine Bolton, an undergraduate, both at George Washington University. Laurie Wirth-Melliand completed her internship in December. Our furniture files are much richer for her meticulous cataloguing.

Museum Gifts:


Wing chair, American, ca. 1800. Gift of the Alabama State Society honoring Mrs. Hollis E. Woodyerd.


Painting, oil on canvas, “The Surgeon’s Quarters at Portage, Wisconsin.” Gift of the artist, Mrs. James A. Drummy, Jr., Waupun Chapter.


Crazy quilt, silk and velvet with embroidery, commemorative ribbons, one of which is from “The World’s Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893.” Gift of Mrs. Julius Castigliola, Richard Arnold Chapter.

Christening dress, white cotton with cut work embroidery. Mid 19th century. Gift of Mrs. Philip L. Rea, Jr., Morristown Chapter.

Campaign bandanna, blue and brown print on white cotton, made for President Benjamin Harrison and Vice President Levi P. Morton, United States, ca. 1888. Gift of Mrs. Thomas W. Simons, Ruth Brewster Chapter.


Pitcher, Parian ware, raised figures in historical battle scene, ca. 1890. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. John Chadwick in memory of Janie Parkinson Ballenger, Kate Waller Barrett Chapter.


Tablecover, semi-circular, white cotton stuffed work, ca. 1830. Gift of Mrs. Ernest Hendry, Eleanor Wilson Chapter.

Purse, silk, beaded in long cylindrical shape with beaded tassels at each end and silver ring closers. Silver thimble inside. Gift of Mrs. N. Ruth Price, Chico Chapter.

Coverlet, Jacquard tapestry, navy blue and red wool on natural ground. Unknown weaver probably from Pennsylvania, possibly Greene County, ca. 1840-50. Gift of Virginia Vannatta Larson, Sauk Trail Chapter; Jane L. Lockwood, Marie Therese Cadillac Chapter; and Mrs. Ruth M. Chapek, Sarah’s Grove Chapter.

Jelly glass, cut flint glass in strawberry diamond and fan patterns, unknown maker, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, ca. 1810-1830. Friends of the Museum Purchase.

Ewer (large pitcher), silver, with the inscription “Robert Ray from his Grandmother Prime, December, 1835” and a stag crest, John and James Cox, retailers, New York City. Gift of Mrs. George A. Baylies, Harvey Birch Chapter.

Quilt, album from Maryland and Virginia with floral and fruit designs and scripture verses, names and dates are written in ink, ca. 1840-1850. Gift of Mrs. Minna S. Golden.

Candlestick, Georgian style, brass with bulbous shaft and square base. Early 19th century, probably English. Gift of Miss Elizabeth Lyles and Mrs. Gladys Fleming Lyles, The Battle of Cowpens Chapter.

Brooch, gold with woven hair insert and beveled glass cover, ca. 1850. Gift of Mrs. Grace C. McFadden, Lakeland Chapter.

Book, The Rise and Progress of Religion in the Soul Illustrated in a Course of Serious and Practical Addresses Suited to Persons of Every Character and Circumstance with a Devout Meditation and Prayer Added to each Chapter to all which are Subjoined a Funeral Sermon on the One Thing Needful, by Phillip Doddridge, D. D. Published in Boston, 1795, printed by William Greenough. Gift of Mrs. Grace McFadden, Lakeland Chapter.


Purse, silk, with black transfer print of kneeling slave on one side, abolitionist poem on reverse, circular shape. Purse, silk, with black transfer print of seated slave and child on one side, poem to Negro woman on reserve, square shape. Pin holder, circular silk, with black transfer print on one side and quotation from Royal Jamaica Gazette of August 1, 1827 on reverse side. Gift of Mrs. Erwin L. Broecker, Lucy Wolcott Barnum Chapter.

flat soles, square toes, linen lining, ca. 1819-1835. Shortgown, printed cotton in shades of brown and tan, lining is reddish brown with cream colored dots. Front opening has ties at neck and high waistline. ca. 1790-1820. Shortgown, white cotton with woven self stripes. ca. 1800-1820. Pelisse (coat or dress), brown silk, worn by Sarah Taylor Chandler on her wedding day, March 18, 1829. High waist, rounded collar bodice with long gathered and pleated skirt opening down the front. Lawn cap, white cotton with cotton ruffles and fine stitching, ca. 1820-1830. Pockets. 2 pair, white cotton with woven self stripes, initials “ME” and “J” and ‘14” embroidered with cross stitch. Petticoat, quilted silk of blue backed with a darker blue glazed wool, ca. 1740-1760. Shoes, pale blue kid, flat soles, pointed toes, linen lining, ca. 1800. Shoes, tan silk, flat soles, rounded toes, linen lining, ca. 1820-1835. Purse or slipper bag, brown printed cotton with beige wavy stripes, drawstring in casing at top, leather support of bottom of bag, ca. 1830-1850. Dress, tan silk, made for Elizabeth Margaret Chandler, high waist with full upper sleeves, ca. 1830. Dress, brownish-green silk, pleated sleeves and skirt, high waist and full upper sleeves, two belts, ca. 1827-1830. Shawl, cream silk, woven with a small figured motif, edged by a 6” fringe, ca. 1835-1850. Capelet, lavender silk in "V" shape edged by a 2½" fringe, ca. 1840-1850. Handkerchief or collar, gauze, early 19th century, has four narrow strips bordering all four edges. Gift of Mrs. Erwin L. Broecker, Lucy Wolcott Barnum Chapter.


The Program Office has had many requests for Slide Programs and Manuscripts. The President General’s Project, “A Legacy Preserved,” has been in great demand and over 100 reservations have been made. This officer recently visited Hawaii and she fully intended to visit the Chapter House in Honolulu, but circumstances prevented it. While on Oahu she talked to Mrs. Archie Camp, Past Vice President General.

This officer has attended the February meetings of the Executive Committee and National Board of Management.

On Sunday January 30, 1983 she attended the inspiring devotional service conducted by the Chaplain General, Mrs. Thomas Martin Egan, in the Kansas Chapel. In February this officer attended the District of Columbia State Society Tea, honoring Mrs. Richard Denny Shelby, President General.

On February 2, she attended the opening of the DAR Museum Exhibit, “Freedom’s Inner Light,” under the patronage of his Excellency, the Ambassador of Denmark and Mrs. Borch.

She also attended the presentation of the Needlepoint Tapestry of State Seals by the American Needlepoint Guild, in the DAR Museum.

Sincere appreciation is given to Florence Krenkel, Administrative Assistant and to her staff for their help and cooperation.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Williams, read the report of the Executive Committee.

The members of the Executive Committee met informally on Saturday, January 29; on Sunday, January 30; and on Monday, January 31.

Formal meetings of the Executive Committee were held in the office of the President General on Monday, January 29; on Tuesday, February 1; on Wednesday, February 2; and on Thursday, February 3.

Mrs. Joseph C. Matthews, Chairman, read the report of the Finanne Committee.

The Finance Committee met February 3, 1983 to review the condition of, and to prepare, a budget for the National Society. It is good to be able to report again that the Society is in very good financial condition. The decision was made to prepare the budget for 1983-1984 in April.

Although interest rates have dropped drastically, the investment income is $425,000.00 as of December 31, 1982. The Investment Trust Fund shows a gain of $100,000.00. An ultimate goal of five million dollars for the Investment Trust would ensure the maintenance of our beautiful buildings.

The cost of “A Legacy Preserved” to date is $662,000.00. The contributions received for the fund total $642,463.00 as of December 31st. The generosity of the Daughters has been overwhelming.

The Committee recommends that:

(1) The Society initiate a simplified and more condensed Treasurer General’s Report. This will cut the cost of the printed report distributed at Congress.

(2) The Program Committee be included in the Office of the Committees.

The Committee will meet in April prior to Congress and will present a budget to the Executive Committee for recommendation to the National Board of Management.

REBECCA B. MATTHEWS, Chairman.

In the absence of the Chairman of the Auditing Committee, the report of the Auditor was filed.
National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution
Washington, DC

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 ten months ended December 31, 1982

Supporting statements of current fund cash receipts and disbursements (Pages 4 to 6) for the ten months ended December 31, 1982

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included confirmations from depositories and custodians of cash and investments held at December 31, 1982, 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 December 31, 1982 and the information set forth therein for the ten 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.

February 3, 1983

Mrs. Donald J. Gonchar, Chairman, read the report of the DAR Magazine Committee.

Report of DAR Magazine Committee

In spite of inflationary times, the DAR Magazine reports an increase income. From March 1, 1982 through December 31, 1982, total Magazine income was $570,086, an increase of $97,790 over the same period a year ago.

As of the February 1983 mailing, Magazine subscriptions totalled 52,365. In September 1982, 56,000 copies of the special DAR Legacy issue were mailed. The Legacy issue is still available at $4.00 per copy, which includes mailing cost. The Legacy makes a perfect gift for new DAR members. It is also a sacred duty but also a privilege to preserve this dream.

The subscriber list printout will be sent to each Chapter Regent as quickly as possible following the March 1st closing date of the DAR Magazine Contest. Please emphasize that this subscriber list is to be passed on to the Chapter Magazine Chairman. Be sure that all Magazine subscriptions are in the DAR Magazine Office by March 1, 1983 to be counted for 1982-1983 Honor Roll credit.

Please note and publicize the following information which appeared in the February 1983 Magazine:

"Due to the increase in postal rates for nonprofit publications effective January 9, 1983, the back issue policy for DAR Magazine must be changed. Effective immediately, only ONE back issue can be sent as a part of your regular subscription. To ensure continuous and timely delivery of each of your issues, please take care to return your renewal form and payment promptly to the Magazine Office..."
The bird-proofing of this building has been completed by the contractor. This procedure prevents deterioration of the marble and assures a more healthy and sanitary environment for all.

A double black wrought iron bannister with bronze hand rails has been installed at the "D" Street entrance. This should provide greater safety and convenience for all our guests particularly during icy weather.

In Constitution Hall, the marble steps leading from the floor of the hall to the stage were repaired. Many of the leather doors leading to the hall were repaired and rehung. Eight new folding screens to be used in the hall were constructed. Floor lights were installed along the steps at the rear of the stage to avoid further accidents.

Painting and repairing of many areas in the Administration Building are now in process. In particular, the Seimes Microfilm Room, the Registrar General’s Suite, the third floor ladies room, the outer offices of the President General’s Suite, a corner of the Assembly Room, certain areas of hallways and stairways and one area of the Membership Office were patched and painted. The large medallion over the stone stairway was repaired by an artisan expert in ornamental plaster work and is now being painted.

In October, much time and attention was given to the DAR Museum Antiques Show. It proved to be a most successful venture and well worth the efforts of those concerned.

Several changes were made for the storage of books and magazines that required some moving about. Storage space continues to be a problem. The Facilities Engineer’s Office was assigned to Mr. Paul Wright who represents Fisher-Harrison Co., the printers of the DAR Magazine. A dressing room of Constitution Hall was assigned to the new Facilities Engineer, Dr. Arthur Gilbert.

All National Board Luncheons, the Staff Christmas Party, and a Staff Awards Luncheon were catered by this committee. As usual, decorations of Christmas wreaths, evergreens and Poinsettias welcomed our guests over the holiday season.

Many DAR Chapters and other groups enjoyed the use of the Banquet Hall. So many, that twenty-one chair seats have been cleaned and scotch guarded.

During the past months the Museum Attendants have been following an outline of general cleaning for the President General’s Reception Room, the Banquet Hall and the kitchen.

Recently we were honored by a visit from President Reagan and his entire Cabinet plus many high placed officials who attended a White House Forum in Constitution Hall. This prestigious assembly necessitated immediate painting of the Lafayette Suite which was used as a holding room for the Cabinet Members. More dignified furnishings were provided and the Curator’s Department graciously lent pictures and needlework art for the occasion. Coffee was served to the Cabinet Members, as well as the Secret Service and police officers. It was extremely appreciated, especially by the police force.

Wiring and rewiring is a constant and ongoing project. Most recently, the outside flood lights were repaired.

To celebrate the 200th Anniversary of our alliance with the Netherlands, approximately 400 tulip bulbs were planted on the North and South sides of the terraces. Pansies were again planted behind the Founders Statue to add spring color.

Ever vigilant and committed to our task we strive to preserve our legacy.

JANE M. CURTIS, Chairman.

For the next two years in my summer packet letter I asked each chapter to send me information on its Life Members.

Having heard from only a few, in October we (the Membership Office, Laura Patton and Linda Hatfield) read 273,165 member cards to arrive at a total of 362 Life Members.

Now we need your help. We must check the addresses to know where they now reside. Please come by the Membership Office today to check on the Life Members in your state.

Thank you.

ELIZABETH C. BALL, Chairman.

In the absence of the Chairman of the DAR School Committee, Mrs. Robert Lacy Jackson, the President General reported that Mrs. Jackson continues to work with the DAR School Survey Team. A report will be presented at the April National Board of Management meeting.

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Report of Membership Committee

At the end of the first year of the Shelby Administration, we in the Membership Office realized there could not be an official count of the membership until we knew the status of the Life Members.

Mrs. Alex D. Ball, Chairman of the Membership Committee, presented an informal report.

Miss Nannie A. L’Anson, Chairman, presented the report of the Bylaws Committee in the form of the following recommendation: To amend Article XII, Section 5 by adding at the end of the paragraph the following sentence: ‘‘A chapter hav-
Mrs. DeVan moved to rescind the December 9 motion: “A chapter having no communication with a Life Member for 7 years or longer may transfer that member to membership at large in accordance with (a) in the previous sentence.” Seconded by Mrs. Morton. Adopted.

Mrs. Morton moved to recommend to Continental Congress to amend Article XI, Section 5 to read: “Having no communication with a life member in a chapter for seven (7) years or longer, the chapter may transfer that member to membership at large and shall not be required to pay the National Society the fifty dollar ($50.00) transfer fee in accordance with (a) in the previous sentence.” Seconded by Mrs. Kitzmiller.

Mrs. Kitzmiller moved to amend the proposed amendment to Article XI, Section 5 by striking the word “transfer” following “fifty dollar ($50.00) and inserting ‘portion of the life membership.’” The motion would then read: To recommend to Continental Congress to amend Article XI, Section 5 to read: “Having no communication with a life member in a Chapter for 7 years or longer, the chapter may transfer that member to membership at large and shall not be required to pay the National Society the fifty dollar ($50.00) portion of the life membership fee in accordance with (a) in the previous sentence.” Seconded by Mrs. Morton.

The amendment was adopted and the motion was adopted as amended.

Under unfinished Business, the Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Williams, made the following statement: In the December 1982 issue of the DAR Magazine, the following motion, properly passed and recorded in the approved minutes of the October 1982 meeting of the National Board of Management, was not included in the printing.

The following motion—“That a $200 Life Membership in the DAR Library be established and that the interest from the said membership be used for specific Library projects at the discretion of the Librarian General, with approval of the President General and the Executive Committee, and that a Membership Pin be designed by J. E. Caldwell Company to be worn on the official ribbon.”—should be printed as an addendum to the minutes of the October 1982 minutes of the National Board of Management meeting.

Mrs. Williams read the following recommendations of the Executive Committee and moved their adoption:

That the request of the Utah State Society for a Utah State Officers Club Pin, to be designed by J. E. Caldwell Company, be approved. Adopted.

That a request be approved for the reissuance of the Louisa St. Clair Chapter Pin by the J. E. Caldwell Company. Adopted.

To rescind the following October 7, 1982 National Board motion: “That a $200 Life Membership in the DAR Library be established and that the interest from the said membership be used for specific Library projects at the discretion of the Librarian General, with approval of the President General and the Executive Committee, and that a Membership Pin be designed by J. E. Caldwell Company, to be worn on the official ribbon.” Adopted.

That a life membership in the DAR Library be established in recognition of a contribution of no less than $200, and that a DAR Library Life Membership Pin be designed by J. E. Caldwell as an official pin. Adopted.

That the DAR Library Volunteer Pin, designed by J. E. Caldwell Company, recognizing 60 or more hours of volunteer work, be authorized as an official pin. Adopted.

That a Correspondent Docent Official Pin, made by J. E. Caldwell Company, be authorized for those members meeting the requirements set forth in the Correspondent Docent Training Program. Adopted.

That an official pin designed and produced by J. E. Caldwell Company be authorized for members giving $200 or more to the Museum General Fund. The design is a pineare on blue ground within a red circle, white surround, bearing the words “DAR Museum General Fund.” Adopted.

That the Curator General be authorized to market the catalog/cookbook DAR Sampler, Dining with the Decorative Arts, at full purchase price plus mark-up basis. Adopted.

That a Special Committee be appointed by the President General for the purpose of observing the celebration of the 200th Anniversary of the September 1783 Treaty of Paris (Peace of Paris) by the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution; said committee to be known as The Treaty of Paris Bicentennial Committee. Adopted.

The meeting recessed at 11:45 a.m.

The meeting reconvened at 1:10 p.m., the President General, Mrs. Shelby, presiding.

Mrs. Williams moved that the 1983-1984 National Honor Roll Questionnaire be adopted. The motion was adopted, and the Honor Roll Questionnaire was adopted as amended.

Mrs. Williams moved that the Program Committee and the Program Reviewing Committee, removed on October 12, 1978 by National Board action, be moved to the Office of the Committees with no change of Administrative Assistant or location in the building. Adopted.

Mrs. Thompson moved that 4 additional members be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Tapp. Adopted.

Mrs. Miller moved that the President General appoint a committee to approve the minutes of this meeting. Seconded by Mrs. Egan. Adopted.

The President General appointed Mrs. Niebell and Mrs. Pfahler to approve the minutes.

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

DOROTHY T. WILLIAMS,
Recording Secretary General.

Addendum
Minutes
National Board of Management
October 7, 1982

That a $200 Life Membership in the DAR Library be established and that the interest from the said membership be used for specific Library projects at the discretion of the Librarian General with approval of the President General and the Executive Committee, and that a Membership Pin be designed by J. E. Caldwell Company to be worn on the official ribbon. Adopted.

DOROTHY T. WILLIAMS,
Recording Secretary General.
From The Desk of The National Chairman...

My three years as National Chairman of Genealogical Records has just flown and all members, Chapter and State Chairmen should receive all credit for a most rewarding and fruitful term of chairmanship. As with all work in DAR, we are indebted to its members. All work contributed through this committee is what makes our Library unique. State chairmen are asked to please hand all your files over to the next State Chairman. She should also receive booklet “Instructions for Copying Unpublished Source Records.” If you do not want to part with your copy, please let your successor know how to purchase her own copy. If you are continuing on as State chairman start now to help your chapter chairmen. They too should own a copy of our Booklet. We can be proud of our part of “A LEGACY PRESERVED.”—Betty Vail.

STONEBRAKER: Who were parents of Adam Stonebraker b. ca 1783 PA, d. Wayne Co., IN 1869, m. Catherine Herald, Martha Smith.—Mrs. W. R. Larson, 644 A Maple Ave., Columbus, OH 43205.


HICKOX-WILLIAMS-SICKLES: Reuben Hickox b. 15 Dec 1760 Waterbury, Ct., d. 1850?, m. Elizabeth Sickles (Sickels) child: Reuben b. 11 Nov 1793 New Haven, CT, m. Elizabeth, also name of children, where & when Reuben m. Elizabeth, her birth date and her parents names.—Mrs. W. Atwood, 511 Santa Maria Rd., Arcadia, CA 91006.

WHITE: Need parents & siblings of John White who m. Esther E. Tincher in Jun 1797 Madison Co., KY. John White may have moved to KY from NC. Would appreciate any help.—Mrs. W. Atwood, 511 Santa Maria Rd., Arcadia, CA 91006.

FHUCK-FLOOK: Seek parents and other data on Christian Flook, 1793, son of F. Flook, and son of Thomas Flook. From where in VA did the Wilkersons, Thatchers, Youngs and Berrys come and who were their children, where & when Reuben m. Elizabeth, her birth date and her parents names.—Mrs. Betsy Wagner, 8501 Sepulveda Blvd. #114, Los Angeles, CA 90045.

RISLEY-WRISLEY-RIZLEY: Compiling complete genealogy desc. of Richard Risley 1610-1648 of Hartford, CT, all of the name in America. Will share data and assist you to establish your DAR/SAR credential. Publishing quarterly newsletter for Assoc. members; 350th Annual Reunion at E. Hartford, CT Aug 1983, advance reservations required all cousins welcome to attend. Write for more info.—Risley Family Assoc., P. O. Box 552, Clarkson, NY 14430-0552.

FLUCK-FLOCK: Seek parents and other data on Christian Zimmerman, b. 27 Aug 1764, Shendoah Co., VA. d. 1830, Washington Co., TN who m. Elizabeth Miller, b. 1774, d. 1842, whose dau., Mary (Polly) Zimmerman, b. 30 Dec 1795, d. 11 Apr 1853, Rockingham Co., VA, m. David Flook, 1793, son of Henry Flook, b. 2 Nov 1759, d. 26 Sept 1841.—Mrs. G. H. Breen, 525 Audubon Dr., Evansville, IN 47715.

WHYSE-WISE: Any date on John Wyse b. Germany Feb 1767, d. 22 May 1847, m. Hannah—who had son, Gruber, b. Rockingham Co., VA 24 Feb 1809, d. 19 Mar 1879, m. Elizabeth Smith, b. 12 May 1812, d. 4 Feb 1879 and grandson, Cyrus S. Wise, b. Rockingham Co., VA 18 Jan 1832, d. 26 Dec 1896, m. Delilah Grubbs.—Mrs. G. H. Breen, 525 Audubon Dr., Evansville, IN 47715.

GRAHAM: Seek ancestors, siblings & desc. of John Graham b. ca 1784 PA, m. Nancy Rogers b. ca 1787 VA. Lived in KY,

Mariah sisters. Lived in Bear Valley, Richland Co., WI 1850-60.—Marjorie C. Caywood, 526 Bird Key Dr., Sarasota, FL 33577.


BATCHelder-CRAWLEY: Need info. of Siddie Jane Batchelder, b. 21 Mar 1862 MS and info. on her 1st cousin Allen Crawley, b. Aug 1861 MS, m. 1st William Mitchell, 2nd Amos Dillo. Last heard she d. in CO.—Linda P. Davidson, 2508 East Main, Murfreesboro, TN 37130.


KELSEY-KELSO: Request info. for compiling genealogy on the fam. of Samuel Kelsey (Kelslo) 1720-1796 Chester Co., SC, had George (1750-1803), m. Elizabeth Carr; Janet (1751-1796) m. Robert Gill; Isabella (1755-1825) m. William Wylie; Samuel (1757-1819) m. Hannah Vermillion, Jane Lowe, Elisa and Jennett. Son, Thompson Allison, b. 1808.—Dr. Estella R. Pomroy, Box 205, Elizabeth, WV 26143.

HUTCHINSON: Charles Albert b. 1795, d. 10 Dec 1868, bur. Pittsburgh, PA. Had two sons from first wife. Charles Gardiner b. 16 Feb 1825 (1826?) Pittsburgh, PA, d. 15 Mar 1907 in Silverton, Ham. Co., OH, and David. A son Frank R. b. 1844, Pittsburgh, PA, and possibly a dau. Jennie, from second wife whose name may be Mary J.? Need info. on Charles Albert’s parents, his first wife’s name, when and where they were m., and where she may be bur.—Helen Hutchinson Miller, 212 Sunrise Dr., Loveland, OH 45140.
eral disarmament, which could only be catastrophic.

Dr. Roche: The issue examined here is vital to all of us. It’s a matter of life and death for ourselves, for our children, and for their children. I know you and I will do whatever is necessary to see that they should keep us from protecting the future for our children.

I personally believe that we have to be militarily strong to protect that future. Only strength and courage, yours and mine, can insure a lasting peace. We can’t settle for anything less. You may disagree with my prescription for peace, but you should agree that peace is too important to be left to the usual politicians and the usual media. President Eisenhower was right when he said, as we saw on an old film, in one of the documentaries prepared for this show, that peace will only be achieved by the active involvement of people like you and me.

That’s what Hillsdale and Shavano are all about, and that’s why we’re bringing you “Counterpoint.” So how about it? Are you willing to get involved?

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Commander-in-Chief orders the cessation of hostilities be- tween the United States of America and the King of Great Britain to be publicly proclaimed at the New Building [the Temple] tomorrow at twelve o’clock and the proclamation which will be communicated here will be read tomorrow evening at the head of every regiment and corps of the army.”

Following the reading of the proclamation, the general re- joicing at Newburgh, New Windsor and other points of encampment on the 19th of April 1783, was conducted with the most imposing military and civil ceremonies. The army lined the banks on both sides of the Hudson River, thunder from 13 West Point cannon reverberated through the hills and moun- tains. At a given signal the guns of the army answered the salute.

Fife and drum called the troops to assemble at the New Windsor encampment. Prayers were led by Chaplain Gano, after which the Peace Proclamation was read. Appropriate speeches followed, and the services ended in jubilant music provided by the bands and the troops singing Billings’ anthem “Independence.”

At quarters, festivities suited to the occasion continued throughout the day.

As evening fell, once again the troops were called to arms at the banks of the river. Again the West Point cannon sounded their salute the gunfire of the troops answered in reply. Three times this fire was repeated. Then bonfires were lit all along the mountain tops to pass the good tidings along to the New England states. General Washington granted furlough to all the troops, and the War of the Revolution was organized at Washington’s Headquarters (known as the Hasbrouck House) on September 4, 1893, making it the sixth oldest Chapter in New York State.

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Mary Mott Green (Shelbyville, IN) dedicated a Bradford Pear tree in the well-cared for campus of the William F. Loper School in Shelbyville.

Pictured near the fourteen-foot tree are Mrs. W. D. Inlow, a 56 year member; Mrs. Carl Walton, mother of Dale Walton, landscape architect who planted the tree; Mrs. James Gardner who received the tree for the school; Mrs. James Vogler, Regent of the Chapter; and Mrs. Herbert Secor, Chairman of the Conservation Committee.

Mrs. Vogler first welcomed one and all to the ceremony which “offered reverence to our Lord by planting a tree that the beauty of nature He planned for the world may continue on this universe and to honor George Washington. Conservation is the official care of natural resources, the protection from loss, from waste and for its preservation. It is fitting for the National Society to observe conservation because our heritage stems from what the good earth and the creatures on it through the Grace of God offered to our forebears as sustenance for life as they struggled to form a new nation. At this time, it is with pleasure that this Bradford Pear tree is dedicated to our benevolent Lord, our God, the Architect of Heaven and Earth, as we honor George Washington on the occasion of the 250th anniversary of his birth.”

Mary Mott Green Chapter also supports the national and state projects. Of special interest, our budget permits us to pay the travel and lodging expenses of our Regent and two other members to attend Continental Congress. Also, it permits a gift of $200.00 to Bacone College, $200.00 to St. Mary’s School for Indian Girls, $500.00 to Kate Duncan Smith DAR School and $500.00 to Tamassee DAR School. These gifts are in memory of our deceased members, Miriam Eberhart Herthel and Flora Askren Ruschhaupt, who were teachers and the two “Golden Rules” are to be presented to their families.

Arkansas Post (Dewitt, AR) was organized June, 1979, under the leadership of Organizing Regent, Adah Steele Sanders. From thirteen organizing members we have grown to twenty-nine members, of whom are junior members. We have been a Gold Honor Roll chapter for each of our three years and have met the requirements for another.

The name of our chapter was selected because of our location being near Arkansas Post, the site of the only Revolutionary War battle in what is Arkansas today. This was one of only two battles fought west of the Mississippi River. Our State Society placed a memorial to this battle during the Bicentennial. Our Regent for 1980-1982, Jean Sanders Pollard, was State Chairman for that project.

A program entitled “The Bible, A Legacy Preserved,” was presented by Dr. Charles Campbell, First Presbyterian Church, Stuttgart. This program was sent to National Headquarters Old family Bibles were displayed after the program and all genealogical records from these Bibles have been recorded. Our program chairman, Elsie Marie Hargrove, has worked genealogy into the majority of our programs.

Pictured L-R: Barbara Shull Stone, Registrar; Dr. Charles Campbell, Margaret Dintelman, Press Book Chairman,
looking through Family Bibles. Our current Regent, Bennie Frownette Burkett, has served as Registrar in both chapters she has belonged to; so she knows the importance of genealogy. Arkansas Post will continue to stress genealogy—and grow.

JULIA WATKINS BRASS (Crown Point, IN) recently celebrated its 60th Anniversary.

Indiana State Regent, Mrs. Thomas J. Fitzgerald, and Northern District Director, Mrs. Joseph W. Burrell, joined 50 chapter members and guests for a special anniversary dinner-meeting at the home of Mrs. Jack Hill.

Mrs. Fitzgerald acquainted members with NSDAR state and national goals and policies. Mrs. Waldron McBride presented an historical overview of the chapter’s accomplishments over the past 60 years.

The Julia Watkins Brass Chapter has been a Gold Honor Roll Chapter for 27 consecutive years. It was founded by Mrs. Loretta Black on January 29, 1923 and was the 71st chapter to be organized in this state. It was named in tribute to Julia Watkins Brass who was a “Real Daughter” of NSDAR. Not only was Mrs. Brass the daughter of an American Revolution soldier, but was a member of NSDAR as well.

She and her husband lived in Crown Point on South Main Street during the mid-1800s before establishing the Brass Tavern and Inn on what is now U. S. 6 in Munster. She is buried in Crown Point’s Maplewood Cemetery.

Since its inception, the Julia Watkins Brass Chapter has been served by 23 rectors, of whom 13 are still living. Mrs. Black’s daughter, Mrs. John Gunder, is one of two surviving charter members, the other being Mrs. A. J. Verplank, both of Crown Point. Mrs. Gunder is still active in the chapter and serves as honorary chairman of the board of directors.

The chapter, with 129 members, has helped establish chapters in Lowell, Hebron, Hammond and Merrillville. Four of the chapter’s members have served as state officers and others have held state and national committee positions.

COL. THEUNIS DEY (Midland, TX). The hillside of Hatch Hill cemetery, Granville, NY, site of Isaac Gibbs’ grave, was the scene of a ceremony dedicating a Revolutionary marker.

Descendants, Mrs. James F. Ormond, Col. Theunis Dey Chapter, Midland, Texas, Dr. Newman Arnold Hall, New Hartford, CT, Dr. Homer James Hall, Cranford, NJ, and Mr. Charles Lansing Bacon, Amherst, NH, were joined by Ethel Connors, Regent, Dr. Ruth Douglass, Laura Smith, and Margaret McNelley, Capt. Israel Harris Chapter, Granville, NY, for the ceremony. Mr. Ormond and Mrs. Bacon were also present.

Isaac Gibbs, son of John and Sarah Cushman Gibbs, was born 26 April, 1752, in Lebanon, CT and died 12 October 1796, in Granville, NY. He was a fifth generation Mayflower descendant and served under Capt. James Clark, Lebanon, CT.

Following the dedication, attendees enjoyed a luncheon in Granville, NY. Pictured, left to right: Smith, Douglass, Hall, Ormond, McNelley, Connors and Bacon.—June Ormond.

LAWRENCE KEARNY (Cape Coral, FL). In honor of the 250th anniversary of the birth of General George Washington, the Florida Society, Children of the American Revolution sponsored the planting of a tree at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, site of the winter encampment of General Washington and his Continental Army. The tree was dedicated last October by a delegation of DAR members, several members of the C.A.R., and one member of the National Society SAR.

The Florida Society C.A.R. was motivated to plant the tree after viewing a film entitled “Valley Forge—A Winter Encampment.” The hillside on which the sapling was planted is the site of the encampment of the Pennsylvania Brigade under the command of General Anthony Wayne. A similar tree planted earlier in honor of President Reagan stands nearby.

SHAWNEE MISSION (Kansas) is very proud of our member, Radah Price Cox, due to her part in the CBS Special, “A Dream Come True,” narrated by Charles Kuralt. The program was on enclosed Shopping Malls and the Oak Park Mall, Overland Park, Kansas was chosen as the ideal Mall in the United States. Radah worked with CBS representatives from both New York and San Francisco, providing historical data of the area.

Radah Price Cox (Mrs. George) is a native of Johnson County Kansas. Born in Stilwell, KS, graduated from Paola KS High School, then attended Teachers College in Emporia, KS, majoring in Primary Education. She taught school in Johnson County. She is always happy to share her historical research with school groups and organizations. She had a historical book published in November 1981, “The Community of Aubry-Stilwell.” Radah is a founding member of the Johnson County Historical Museum and continues to serve on the Board. She is a member of many historical and genealogical societies.—Leiva D. Bell.

PRUDENCE WRIGHT (Pepperell, MA) was founded in 1898 and named for Prudence Wright, who with a group of patriot women guarding a bridge over the Nansha River one night in April 1775, captured a Tory carrying reasonable papers to a British general in Boston.
The chapter has recently been the beneficiary of a generous bequest from the estate of Barbara Bancroft Libby, a 53-year member of DAR. With this gift, the chapter members decided to honor Mrs. Libby’s memory with a memorial gift to the town of a hand carved, gold leafed eagle to top the cupola of the newly renovated Town Hall. An eagle, wings spread, was an original feature of the building until it disappeared sometime before the onset of WWII. The new eagle, a replica of the original, has a wingspan of eight feet and is more than three feet from tail to beak. The bird was officially presented to the town by Chapter Regent, Mrs. Maxine Gage (a descendant of Prudence Wright), at a reception in the Town Hall.

The Libby bequest has also made possible improvements in the Chapter House. In 1901, the town voted to lease (without charge) the abandoned District farmer’s homestead built in 1740 and located two very important events in its busy schedule. The first one took place at the crowded Town Hall. Regent Jean Macdonald spoke briefly, recalling the 50th anniversary of the building when the British flag flew over the site. A patriotic music followed.

A local merchant, Mr. David Knepfer of Hastings, Ruth Lyon Bush of Port Chester and Keskeskick. A regular DAR meeting was held in the Guild Room of St. John’s Episcopal Church, Yonkers with Keskeskick as the host chapter and Regents, Mrs. Clarence Gursky of General Jacob Odell and Mrs. Hugh Brady Jr. of Ruth Lyon Bush seated with Mrs. Theobald. Miss Linda Cooper and Miss Dorothy Happle of Hastings presented violin and piano duets and General Jacob Odell Chapter celebrated its 50th anniversary by decorating the tea table with gold and silver ornaments. Among those at the meeting were Mrs. Thomas C. Betts, Regent of Anne Hutchinson Chapter, Bronxville, New York State Membership Director Mrs. Monroe Kastrud and Mrs. Arthur Brown of the New York State Olive and Marcus Whitman Fund.

After the meeting members and guests walked over to Philipse Manor Hall where Mrs. Theobald was greeted by New York State Senator John Flynn and Yonkers mayor Angelo Martinelli.

Our chapter takes pride in its heritage as displayed in Philipse Manor Hall and in Sherwood House.—Jean Macdonald.

HAW PATCH (Albion, IN). Jeanne Moore, accepts the coveted Martha Washington medal from James Halberstadt, founder and past president of the Anthony Halberstadt Chapter, SAR. She has helped in planning and presenting programs, informing the media of SAR activities and other projects to encourage membership in SAR.

Being past State Chairman of Public Relations for Indiana and past Regent of a chapter, she is now Organizing Regent of the Haw Patch DAR Chapter.

The new chapter chose its name at the organization meeting in September 1982.

RICHARD ARNOLD (Washington, DC) is extremely proud of its accomplishments this year under the leadership of its capable Regent, Mrs. Virginia B. Jackson. It is also the proud home chapter of the Vice President General from the District of Columbia, Eleanor Smallwood Beasley Niebell (Mrs. Paul M., Sr.)

In keeping with the District of Columbia DAR State Society’s Naturalization program, Richard Arnold at their September meeting, had the pleasure of having as honored guests prospective naturalized citizens Dr. and Mrs. Soli Choksi and their eldest daughter, Natasha.

The chapter chairs small American Flags, and the DAR Manual for Citizenship by Mrs. Gordon Calvert, a former Regent of the chapter and presently Chapter Chairman for Americanism and DAR Manual for citizenship.

Mrs. James E. Hamner, III, Richard Arnold’s Vice Regent described the family’s background. For the past six years Dr. Choksi has been an Assistant Professor of Oral Diagnosis and Radiology at the Howard University College of Dentistry in Washington, DC.

Since a reception for new citizens and their relatives is held monthly following the Naturalization Court by the Women’s Bar Association in conjunction with other women’s organizations including DAR, Mrs. Hamner distributed the DAR Manual for Citizenship to each member.—Dorothy S. Castiglione.

WARRENSBURG (Missouri) honors Mary Miller Smiser (Mrs. A. Lee Smiser), a member for 61 years, who has been active as a leader on the state as well as chapter level. In addition to her years of dedicated service to DAR, she contributed educational, historical and patriotic work throughout her home and community. On the eve of her 90th birthday she cut the ribbon officially opening the Mary Miller Smiser Library and Museum of the Johnson County (Missouri) Historical Society, named in her honor.

The building was a gift of her son, Sam Smiser and wife of South Gate, California. Dr. R. S. Brownlee, State Historical Society of Missouri, gave the dedicatory address. Her daughters, Elizabeth Smiser Schwensen, Warrensburg, Missouri, and Mildred Smiser Vyverberg, Gainesville, Florida, both DAR members, also participated in the ceremonies.

During the past year, Warrensburg Chapter received the Gold Honor Roll, two honors on the yearbook, and certificates for prompt payment of dues. They presented Good Citizens pins to two graduating high school girls, and the gold ROTC medal to a graduating cadet at Central Missouri State University. They (Continued on Page 496)
Never has our Capitol looked so beautiful except upon its original completion in 1874. Recently, after six years of work by Californians, the State Capitol re-opened its doors in January 1982. Its doors were first opened in 1869 and reflected the changes in our growing state through frequent remodeling which obscured much of the early beauty of the building. Some floors had false walls and offices cut in half. Many of the carvings and stairways were dispensed with to make room for more offices. The safety of the building was of concern and a survey in 1972 led to the realization that it might collapse were we to have an earthquake. Upon looking deeper, it was discovered that there were many beautiful things under the quasi-modern interior of the building which could be used in restoration to make it one of the loveliest buildings in the United States. Artisans, engineers, architects, contractors and historians have banded together to turn this tired old building into a magnificent work of art and architecture, complete with much of the original interior designs, inlaid mosaics, beautifully decorated upper walls and ceilings and elegantly appointed legislative chambers, offices and committee rooms. Our State Capitol is open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with tours hourly from 9 to 4. 

DISTRICT II DIRECTOR: MRS. JAMES T. O'BRIEN

CHAPTER
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El Toyon
Emigrant Trail
General John A. Sutter
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Sacramento
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Presently, PG&E has 15 units generating about 910,000 kilowatts of electricity at the Geysers, a complex of geothermal power plants located in Sonoma County. Three more 110,000 kilowatt units, now under construction, will bring the total electrical output to 1,239,000 kilowatts by the end of 1985. The project is the largest of its type in the world.

Acknowledgement gratefully made to the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Francisco, California.
Mount Diablo is one of California’s most conspicuous landmarks, located in Contra Costa County. From its double summit can be seen more land area than from any other spot in California, with an incomparable view of thirty-five of the state’s fifty-eight counties, the valleys of two great rivers, the Sacramento and the San Joaquin, the Sierra Nevada Mountains and the Pacific Ocean. It was named by the Spaniards when an expedition against an Indian tribe, by whom the mountain was called “Woo Koom” (laughing mountain), was driven back by the sight of a fantastic figure—hence “Mountain Diablo” meaning Devil’s Mountain. Mount Diablo State Park, of 2168 acres, abounds in wildlife and wild flowers. California poppies lay a carpet of gold over the slopes in the spring, and winter’s chill turns the toyon berries a vivid red.

District Director—Mrs. Clyde E. Brown, Mount Diablo Chapter

Acalanes Chapter—Mrs. Arthur C. White, Regent
Ann Loucks Chapter—Miss Ingrid Evoy, Regent
Berkeley Hills Chapter—Mrs. Winfield Hyde, Regent
Campanile Chapter—Mrs. L. Conner, Regent
Charter Oak Chapter—Mrs. Wayne Merrick, Regent
Copa de Oro Chapter—Mrs. John Bullis, Regent
Edmund Randolph Chapter—Mrs. David L. Stevenson, Regent
Esperanza Chapter—Mrs. John A. Becker, Regent
John Rutledge Chapter—Mrs. James P. McCollum, Regent
Jose Maria Amador Chapter—Mrs. Harry W. Wolstenholme, Regent
Mount Diablo Chapter—Mrs. Frank J. Molique, Regent
Oakland Chapter—Mrs. Phyllis Meidlinger, Regent
Peralta Chapter—Mrs. Kenneth Thomas, Regent
Piedmont Chapter—Mrs. Kent G. Kimball, Regent
San Joaquin Chapter—Mrs. George Shaw, Regent
Sierra Chapter—Mrs. Hattie Ruth Merrill, Regent
The giant sequoia escaped the last ice age and stands as a survivor of an ancient lineage of huge trees which once mantled much of the earth millions of years ago. Today these trees grow nowhere else except in the scattered groves on the western slope of the Sierra Nevada Range.

Grant Grove, in Kings Canyon National Park, is the home of our Nation's Christmas tree named after "General Grant". The General Sherman tree may be found in Giant Forest in Sequoia National Park. The Sherman Tree is 36.5 feet in diameter, 272 feet high and its trunk contains 52,000 cubic feet of lumber, enough to build forty five-room houses. The tree is estimated at 2,200 years. Coring devices used to date trees do not reach the big sequoia's heart. There is no record of a sequoia ever having lived more than 3,200 years.

The towns which make up District V are the gateways to these beloved trees.

Regents:

ALTA MIRA—MRS. GORDON CONE
BAKERSFIELD—MRS. LARRY W. WEEKS
FRESNO—MRS. ANSELMO J. PRECIADO
KAWEAH—MRS. JOHN M. McCLAIN
MAJOR HUGH MOSS—MISS SUSAN JEAN MONTGOMERY
MARIPOSA—MRS. SIDNEY C. SIDEBOOTHAM
YOSEMITE—MRS. BLANCHE S. SIMMONS
This pyramid represents the number of creatures necessary to feed a single red-tail hawk during one year. Each mouse, bird, rabbit, squirrel, snake, rat, and weasel represents a part of the total energy needs of a hawk's diet. It may seem like a lot for a moderate size animal to eat, but hawks, like other predators, expend a great deal of energy in the chase. They must compete with other predators for space and food, and with members of their own species for shelter and mates. Although the hawk eats all the animals depicted here its victims must also feed themselves to keep their population stable. Thus the pyramid is made up of many smaller pyramids. All food pyramids depend upon green plants, the only living thing capable of trapping the light of the sun and producing the basic food energy of life. As this energy passes upward toward the hawk, much is lost in the life-activities of each creature. Due to this loss of energy at each level, one hawk needs a large area to fill its food needs.

"From the Mountains to the Sea"

Man, which also is a predator at the level of the hawk has sought to enhance his food energy situation by improving the production of green plants in his fields, and by stimulating the growth of domesticated animals which also feed on plants.

Acknowledgement gratefully given to The Coyote Point Museum
San Mateo, California

The permanent exhibit at The Coyote Point Museum takes a visitor on a walk across the Peninsula from the Bay to the chaparral, through the broadleaf forest, coniferous forest, grasslands and down to the open coast. Although the concepts presented utilize ecological zones which exist in the San Francisco Bay Area, the message is universal.

District VI Director, Mrs. Joyce H. Schneider

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DISTRICT VIII
CALIFORNIA STATE SOCIETY NSDAR
THE PIONEER CHURCH IN CHATSWORTH

The Church was originally erected in 1903 by volunteer labor and was named the Chatsworth Community Church. In 1958 the name was changed to the Chatsworth First Methodist Church. The building was donated to the Chatsworth Historical Society in 1964. A Memory Service was held and the Church moved from its original site on Topanga Canyon Blvd. to its present location, on a knoll behind the Oakwood Cemetery in Chatsworth, in 1965.

Rehabilitation was started in 1967 and was completed in 1974. The Church was rededicated on April 25, 1976 and is presently used as The Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin (Anglican) Church.

The Church building was declared Los Angeles Cultural Historical Monument #14 in 1963.

Mrs. F. Gage Biren, District Director

Pictured l to r: Mrs. Tom Ed Grice, Mrs. F. Gage Biren, Mrs. Evelyn Stephenson, Mrs. Gertrude Blum, Mrs. Elmer Leppert, Jr., Mrs. Eric Roug, Mrs. Grady Warwick, Mrs. Ruby Wilkins, Mrs. Sally Schneider, Mrs. Julian Thompson, Mrs. Harold Warden, Mrs. Russell Marshall, Miss Elizabeth Noble and Mrs. Lorin Stowers. The photos are courtesy of Anne Alicia Hilling, Photography with Heart, a member of Achois Comihavit Chapter.

Mrs. F. Gage Biren, District Director

Achois Comihavit Chapter
Mrs. Evelyn Stephenson, Regent
Alliklik Chapter
Mrs. Eric Roug, Regent
Antelope Valley Chapter
Mrs. Julian Thompson, Regent
Conejo Valley Chapter
Mrs. Sally Schneider, Regent
Don Jose de Ortega Chapter
Mrs. Lee Hall, Regent
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Born on a farm near Pleasanton, Kansas, Mr. Mills came to Colorado and homesteaded in the beautiful mountain meadow near Longs Peak. His fascination with nature led him to become a top-notch scientific observer and lecturer. Although writing was difficult for him, he became a reporter for newspapers and magazines. He was an outstanding photographer and nature guide. Using his own resources, he constructed the present trail to the top of Longs Peak. He founded a trail school and taught thousands to love the forests and protect nature and wildlife.

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November 11, 1982.............28 American Flags were unfurled and dedicated at Newport Center, Newport Beach, California. These large, beautiful flags will grace the entrance July 4th, Constitution Week, November 11th and other important national holidays.

A permanent bronze memorial plaque to the Harbor Area service men and women was also dedicated at this Veteran’s Day Ceremony.

The flags and plaque were a gift to the Harbor Area by the Colonel William Cabell Chapter of Newport Beach.

Mrs. Henry Crawford, Regent was assisted at the ceremony by Mrs. Richard C. Bradford and Mrs. William W. Jones, co-chairmen of the project: Speaker of the Veteran’s Day event was Major General Clayton Comfort, Commanding Officer of the 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, El Toro. Honored guests were California State Regent, Mrs. Donald Douglas Duncan and State Vice Regent, Mrs. Charles Kell Kemper. Other local dignitaries attended including Newport Beach Mayor Jackie Heather.

We wish to acknowledge and express our appreciation to the following:

The Irvine Company for their gracious cooperation in making the ceremony a success;

Boy Scouts of the Scout Honor Society Order of the Arrow, headed by Kurt Shirley, who were and will be responsible for the raising of the flags on holidays;

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Ida Soule, born in Dundee, Ill. in 1869, married Albert H. Kuhn in 1900. She was graduated from the University of Washington with BS and MS degrees and from New York Normal School in Oneonta, N. Y.

Her Revolutionary Ancestor was Daniel Currier of Mass. Other ancestors were John and Priscilla Alden and George Soule of the Mayflower, Constant Southworth, a deputy governor of Plymouth and Rev. John Wheelwright, a founder of Essex, N. H.

Mrs. Kuhn held every office in her Chapter and served as State Regent of Washington in 1908-1909. She was also a member of the Order of Americans of Armorial Descent, Americans of Royal Descent, AAUW, of which she was Founder and President of the Grays Harbor Branch and a Charter Member of the Washington Society of Mayflower Descendants.

IDA SOULE KUHN 1869-1952

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ROBERT GRAY CHAPTER DAR 1903-1983

Robert Gray Chapter DAR was organized on March 7, 1903, in Hoquiam, Washington, with Mrs. Ida Soule Kuhn as Organizing Regent. This first Chapter in southwestern Washington (6th in the State) was rather a family Chapter. Of the first twelve members Mrs. Kuhn was one of three sisters. The others being Mrs. Frances Soule Stearns and Mrs. Sarah Soule McMillan, later Mrs. Patton. Others were Mrs. Hannah Drum and two daughters, Mrs. Edna Harper Price and Mrs. Grace Bancroft Pettit and Mrs. Ella May Rowell Smith and her daughter, Mrs. Mary Bridges.

The remaining members were Mrs. Caroline W. McKinlay and three daughters, Mrs. Harriet Chapin Willey (later Holcomb), Mrs. Mabel McKinlay Hopkins and Mrs. Mary McKinlay (Smits) Walker.

It was noteworthy that all the organizers of Robert Gray Chapter were eligible to the Society of Mayflower Descendants and that Mrs. Kuhn, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Stearns, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Hopkins were members of the Washington Chapter.

(Chapter History—circa 1928)

The Sarah Soule Patton Scholarship, a college level History Scholarship, given by the Washington State Society DAR, was named to honor Mrs. Patton in recognition of her outstanding service to DAR.
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MRS. RICHARD HENRY THOMPSON, JR.

Ninety-Second Continental Congress April—1983

Mrs. Thigpen photographed at Rosalie showing one of her projects as State Regent. The treasured Belter furniture was re-upholstered and matching draperies were hung in the double parlors of the Mississippi Society DAR antebellum home.
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When Columbus discovered America,
He did not know that he had found
A land to be populated with free men,
Where peace and justice would abound.
A seed of truth was planted in the new land
That Columbus could not have known
Would be cultivated and nurtured in love
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Men like Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln
Helped the seedling grow straight and tall.
And patriotic men have given their lives
So our nation would never fall.

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Keep it tightly within our clasp.
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Contributed by members in these six Southwest states.
Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson, Jr.
Candidate for
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Continental Congress, April, 1983

Pictured with a sampler, circa 1780-1810, presented to the NSDAR Museum, Washington, D. C. in her honor.

The sampler, credited by Mrs. Jean Federico, Museum Curator, as a "very important gift" is a genealogical history of the Childs Family of Deerfield, Massachusetts.

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Mrs. James Andrew Williams
Recording Secretary General, NSDAR

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—Dorothy T. Williams
March 1980 Address
Arkansas State Society

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Result: Reissued all current and past rulings. For the first time in the history of the National Society, every office at National Headquarters has every relevant Ruling.

Result: Recognized and met the need for state-of-the-art office equipment with the purchase of a word processor that has effected efficiency, economy and service with no increase in staff allotment.

Result: Instituted and implemented a new procedure so that Membership Certificates will be received by the new members shortly after their admittance.

Result: Served as Trustee of the Investment Trust Fund that grew from $786,711.81 on March 1, 1980, to $1,016,835.68 through December 1982.

During her thirty years of membership, she has given over eighty years of cumulative service to the National Society. Dorothy will bring to the office of First Vice President General an exceptional organizational ability, a trained background in writing and public speaking, invaluable experience in institutional finance and investments, and a rare blend of talents and qualities which have inspired members throughout the National Society.

VOTE THE THOMPSON SLATE
ARREDONDO CHAPTER, NSDAR
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HONORARY STATE REGENT OF TEXAS

MRS. ERNEST SCOTT BRAINARD
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MISS MARION DAY MULLINS
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Honorary State Regent of Texas

JAYNE DAWSON BRAINARD
Honorary State Regent of Texas

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April, 1983
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MRS. RICHARD HENRY THOMPSON, JR.

Candidate for President General, NSDAR

and the

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For Election — April, 1983

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Photographed in the recently restored court room of the Old Courthouse Museum Mrs. Homer Lane Ford is calling attention to her interesting medal which NSDAR minted for her because her report on Television and Movies was the most outstanding in the National Society in 1978. Hers is the only family of four sisters brought into the chapter at one time, each on a different line. She accomplished the research on these ancestors in the 1976 Bicentennial: Mrs. Vincent Canizaro on Joseph Francis, Mrs. Orley M. Hood on Robert Allison, Esq., Mrs. John Ryan on George Jacob DeCell, and herself on Alexander Berryhill. The first three ancestors served in the Revolution from South Carolina, and the latter from Mecklenburg, North Carolina.

Mrs. Ford is flanked by Mrs. W. P. McMurchie, Jr. Chapter secretary, right, and Mrs. G. W. Leese, Chairman of Rosalie, left, the lovely ante-bellum home of the Mississippi Daughters, in Natchez where members receive guests during the spring and fall pilgramages. This year Natchez inaugurated a Christmas pilgrimage, and these ladies are in the costumes which they wore to receive during this period.

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L to R third row: Mrs. Dorthy Tomlinson, Mrs. Law Valleau, Mrs. Janet Winter, Mrs. Dwight Yntema, Mrs. Albert Nutile, Mrs. Evelyn Bremer, Mrs. William Hakken, Mrs. Alex Valdo, Mrs. Henry Hopper, Vice Regent

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ON
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WE ASK YOUR THOUGHTFUL CONSIDERATION FOR OUR NATIONAL SOCIETY AND SINCERELY SOLICIT YOUR VOTE ON FRIDAY, APRIL 22 FOR THE THOMPSON SLATE
PLEASE VOTE THE STRAIGHT THOMPSON SLATE
Ninety-Second Continental Congress
April 22, 1983

THE THOMPSON SLATE
FOR PRESIDENT GENERAL, NSDAR
MRS. RICHARD HENRY THOMPSON, JR.

For
First Vice President General, NSDAR
Mrs. James Andrew Williams

For
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Mrs. Ralph E. Theobald

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For
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Mrs. Joseph C. Matthews

For
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A CANDIDATE WHO IS TENDER, KIND AND HELPFUL
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My wife, our mother, our grandmother

MRS. RICHARD H. THOMPSON, JR.
CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT GENERAL, NSDAR

With all our love,
The family of
Nel White Thompson

Nel and Dick Thompson

Lavell and Richard, IV

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FRIENDS OF THE THOMPSON ASSOCIATES IN KENTUCKY
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Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson, Jr.
(Nel White Thompson)
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CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT GENERAL, NSDAR

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION MAGAZINE
Dear Daughters,

As we approach the date for the election of your new National Officers I would like to tell you of my hopes and plans for the future. The campaign, which started for the Thompson Associates, in accordance with the rules, immediately following the National Banquet, April, 1982 has been an experience I shall always cherish. The opportunity to meet so many of you, and to renew old acquaintances, has been a delight.

I want to thank, publicly and for the record, all of my Associate Candidates, our campaign managers and workers for the responsible and reliable manner in which they have worked together to further the interests of the campaign of the Thompson Associates for the ultimate benefit of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. At the outset we promised that our efforts would be on a high level, ethical, honest and in keeping with the policies, principles and protocol of our wonderful organization. We have kept that promise, scrupulously. I am proud, pleased and grateful to all friends of the Thompson Associates for the dignified and decent manner in which we have campaigned.

Now for the future: As your President General I would continue the efforts of the current administration to streamline the administration of the National Society. Report forms would be simplified for Chapter Regents, officers and chairmen. As the Treasurer General I simplified some of the reporting forms previously required, including the State Treasurers' reports from 17 pages to one page. Reporting dates would be coordinated to avoid confusion.

I have prepared details for the elimination of the voting lines at Congress. Not only will voting lines be eliminated but the entire voting procedure would be expedited.

Every effort will be made to conserve membership, reduce resignations and drops and increase interest in attendance at all DAR events. Supplemental applications often lead to new members and special attention will be given to expediting those papers. Continued Genealogical Research is vital to our growth.

During this administration the Treasurer General's office has been able to record and send your monies on to the recipients more quickly due to streamlining procedures in the accounting and data processing departments. This will continue as a top priority as our schools often need their donations quickly to meet current obligations. Emphasis will continue on the welfare of the schools and education interests such as scholarships. The effectiveness of our National Defense committees will be enhanced through added materials for the chapters and the communities.

Emphasis will be placed on increasing the Investment Trust Fund. Chapters and members will be encouraged to initiate innovative ideas to further this project and would be recognized without having to meet a suggested quota. The income from the Investment Trust Fund is essential to the National Society. We must increase this fund for the future welfare of our National Society. We must be in a position to finance our projects and maintain our complex of buildings in Washington, D.C. without requesting additional monies from our membership.

As we approach the 200th Anniversary of our Constitution, I would like to place special emphasis on this remarkable document. No other country has survived for so long as we have, under such a document as our Constitution. Certainly it is worthy of our concentrated study and respect.

We sincerely promise you, our members, the dedication and devotion you deserve. We ask for your thoughtful consideration and humbly request your vote for the Thompson slate at Continental Congress, April, 1988. We ask for your vote in order that we may continue to serve you and the National Society.

Sincerely yours,

Nel White Thompson
Candidate for President General, NSDAR
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The Rosalie Board of
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honors

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State Regent

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Vice President General

at the
92nd Continental Congress
April 1983
Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson, Jr.
Treasurer General, NSDAR 1980-1983
Candidate for
President General, NSDAR
Compliments of Indiana Friends of the Thompson Associates
The Thompson Associates have developed what is certainly one of the most important improvements within NSDAR in the past fifty years.

Never before has each Chapter had an automatic procedure of communicating its opinions, ideas and goals directly to the National Administration.

The Thompson Associates proudly announce the creation of such a system.

The following pages outline the Thompson System...
Dear Friends,

As I began to seriously consider what my goals and contributions to NSDAR as President General would be, a recurring question stayed at the forefront of my thoughts. "If I am to lead and serve all Daughters of the Society," I pondered, "then it will be crucial to maintain continuing contact with their opinions and aspirations."

This concern for staying in touch was addressed by all candidates of Thompson Associates. The collective genius of this truly exceptional team came up with the solution. With enormous pride and excitement, I wish to announce the Thompson System which will be a permanent, ongoing procedure of your Society if you elect the Thompson Associates.

At regularly scheduled intervals a questionnaire will be channeled to every Chapter. The questions will pertain to issues and programs currently affecting the Society. Each Daughter will have the opportunity to have her voice heard by National Headquarters.

Below and on the next page is an outline and a sample of what will be part of the first Thompson System questionnaire. This questionnaire will be distributed in time for your voice to be heard by the Thompson Associates before the April election.

It is accurate to say that this system will be one of the most progressive improvements to NSDAR in the past half century. Help us implement this positive step by electing the Thompson Associates in April.

We all will "STAY IN TOUCH."

Faithfully,

Mrs. Richard H. Thompson, Jr.

THE THOMPSON SYSTEM

1. Every ninety days National Headquarters will prepare and distribute to all Chapters a very brief questionnaire pertaining to some of the issues and considerations of the Society at large.

2. Each Regent will poll members present, tabulate the Chapter's opinion and return the results to Washington.

3. In addition to the printed questions, Chapters will be provided space to speak its mind on any other relevant issues.

4. The questionnaires will be totalled and analyzed by NSDAR's computers.

5. These ultimate findings will be published in a timely manner in our DAR Magazine and also read into the official minutes of the National Boards.
THOMPSON STAYS IN TOUCH

Listed below are sample items of the first Thompson System questionnaire now being forwarded to all Chapters. Please insure your Chapter's prompt response so we will have heard all the voices across our Nation before the April Elections.

All results will be published and available for your review at Thompson Associates Headquarters during our Congress session.

1. Are you interested in the reduction of the number of reports of information requested of you?
2. Should the National Defense Committee be expended?
3. What more can NSDAR do to help Approved Schools?
4. Would concentrating on fewer committees appeal to you?
5. What existing programs do you prefer?
6. Should added emphasis be placed on the DAR Good Citizens Committee?
7. Do you favor additional scholarships?
8. Does the DAR Magazine need improving?
9. In what areas should NSDAR concentrate its public relations efforts?
10. Are you aware of the impact of our Investment Trust Fund?
11. What would you add to or delete from the Honor Roll Questionnaire?

THE THOMPSON ASSOCIATES
MRS. MONROE TATE THIGPEN  
CANDIDATE FOR  
OFFICE OF ORGANIZING SECRETARY GENERAL  

On the Slate of  
MRS. RICHARD HENRY THOMPSON, JR.  
Ninety-Second Continental Congress, April 1983

Janet Chrestman Thigpen  
Proudly Endorsed and Honored  
by Chapters of  
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MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

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Candidate for
PRESIDENT GENERAL NSDAR
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Vice President General

Candidate for the OFFICE of
Corresponding SECRETARY GENERAL

On the SLATE of
MRS. RICHARD HENRY THOMPSON, JR.
Ninety-Second Continental Congress
April 1983
GEORGIA FRIENDS OF THE THOMPSON ASSOCIATES
FOR ELECTION TO Executive Office, April, 1983, appreciate
“A TOUCH OF CLASS”

Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson, Jr.
Candidate for President General NSDAR

The members of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution deserve to be represented at all times by

ETHICAL Executive Officers,
CURRENT Executive Officers with
ABILITY to Administer wisely the Finances

Promote the Programs and Enhance the Prestige of NSDAR. Mrs. Richard H. Thompson, and her Associate Candidates, are capable, qualified and dedicated to serve the members of NSDAR.

PLEASE VOTE THE THOMPSON SLATE AND SEE YOUR DREAMS COME TRUE IN ’83!
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with the
THOMPSON ASSOCIATES
South Carolina Friends of the Thompson Slate
honors
Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson, Jr.
candidate for
President General, NSDAR

Nel White Thompson
FOR HER DEDICATION TO THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

Cumulative years of elected and appointed service:

National Positions = 55 years
State Positions = 57 years
Chapter Positions = 103 years
Total representative service to DAR = 204 years

Nel Thompson brings with her more than 15 years of experience in the business world and personnel management. Her qualified leadership will assure a successful future for the National Society.
invited five neighboring chapters to attend a luncheon honoring the State Regent, Mrs. Michael Zuk. Flags are presented to appropriate groups each year, and a large quantity of materials gathered for Veteran Patients at Kansas City VA Hospital. Outstanding guest speakers give programs, and trips to historical spots in the state are planned. The 81 members of the chapter are looking forward to its 75th birthday next year, and a celebration is planned. Mrs. Billy P. Mudd is the Chapter Regent.—Lucy Miller Mudd.

RACHEL DONELSON (Springfield, MO) honored 31 Good Citizens and their mothers at a reception. Mrs. Terry Palmer, Regent, welcomed the Seniors from the area high schools and gave a short history of DAR.

Following a program of Christmas music by Mrs. Rosemary Jackson, voice teacher from Drury College, and one of her students, the Good Citizen Chairman, Mrs. Raymond Hoecker, awarded the Good Citizen pins and showed a diagram explaining their significance. Certificates were presented by Mrs. John Matthews, Vice Regent.

A group picture and story of these Good Citizens was featured in the "Springfield! Magazine" and used as a lead article for the beginning of the celebration of Greene County's Sesquicentennial.

SAINT LOUIS (Missouri). In honor of George Washington's two hundred and fiftieth birthday, the Chapter gave an oil portrait of George Washington to the Tammassee DAR School in South Carolina.

The painting was done by Mary Louise Church Barret, a member of the Saint Louis Chapter from 1923 until 1966. It was hung in the Jefferson Memorial through the many years that the chapter met there.

Junior member, Miss Liza George, Aiden Bird, poses with the portrait in farewell to its being forwarded to its new home.

JOHN MARSHALL (Louisville, KY) dedicated a bronze plaque in historic Long Run Cemetery in honor of Benjamin Bridges for his service in the American Revolution and a similar one in Middletown Cemetery to Martin Brengman for his service in the American Revolution.

Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson Jr., Treasurer General and candidate for President General, was the honored guest and speaker for our Constitution Day luncheon.

John Marshall Chapter's Charter "numbered 4" signed by Mrs. Caroline Scott Harrison, first President General, was presented by our Regent, Mrs. Harry Neal, to Mrs. John Williams, Historian General, for the Americana Collection in anticipation of the 100th anniversary of NSDAR.


NANCY GREEN (Sapulpa, OK) celebrated the 75th Anniversary of Oklahoma Statehood and the 70th Year of its organization, by dedicating a DAR marker at the gravesite of the Organizing Regent: Georjiana Butler Mattoon #20442. Mrs. Mattoon was admitted to the NSDAR the 2nd of June 1897.

In addition to the Regent, Mary D. Robinson, and the Chaplain, Mrs. C. W. Briggs, the services were conducted by the Rev. DeWitt Boyce, Vicar of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd. The Creek Nation Society of the C.A.R. planted tulips around the head stones. Patriotic Music was played during the afternoon from the Bell Tower at the cemetery.

LONG LEAF PINE (Rustin, LA) celebrated Arbor Day by planting a Crape Myrtle tree on the grounds of the Civic Center. It was placed in memory of George Washington, our first President. Crape Myrtle was named the official flower of Ruston several years ago.

Among those braving the cold damp weather were, Mrs. Gladys M. Haley, LSDAR State Conservation Chairman, and winner of the NSDAR National Grand Sweepstakes in Conservation; Mrs. Scriven W. Thompson, Chapter Conservation Chairman; Mrs. Mary Belle Holstead, Chapter Regent; and Miss Marjorie Leigh, Chapter Treasurer. Also present were Elton Pody, Mayor of Ruston; Aubrey Simmons, Superintendent of Grounds for the Civic Center; Charles Tannehill, President of the Louisiana Forestry Association; and Mrs. Ruth Alexander, recipient of the DAR Americanism Medal in Louisiana in 1975, who represented the local newspaper.

In making the presentation Mrs. Haley spoke at Washington's interest in forestry and agriculture, stressing how very appropriate it is to plant a tree in his memory. Mrs. Thompson introduced the State and Chapter officers, the city officials, and the guests who were attending the event. She said that a special project of LSDAR is the planting of Crape Myrtles throughout the State to make Louisiana more beautiful for the 1984 World's Fair in New Orleans.

Mayor Pody and Superintendent Simmons both thanked the Chapter for the tree. During his remarks Mayor Pody pointed out that this is the second tree which Long Leaf Pine has placed on the grounds.

CHEROKEE TRACE (Gladeater, TX) sponsored a Silver Tea in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oder. Proceeds from the affair went to the DAR Museum and the President General's project, "A Legacy Preserved."

In an effort to raise money for the DAR Museum in Washington, D. C. and to repair buildings at National Headquarters a "Fifty State Historical Style Show" is being created. Each state society of the DAR has been asked to donate to the National Society a replica of a dress worn by a historically significant woman of the state. Lady Bird Johnson was chosen to represent Texas. Mrs. Johnson graciously consented to have her dress copied and shown.

MRS. CAROLINE SCOTT HARRISON (Waynesboro, VA) presented the Good Citizen pin to Mrs. Terry Palmer, Regent, of the Tammassee DAR School. Mrs. Harrison served as DAR Regent General from 1952-1956. Among those attending the presentation were Mrs. Scriven W. Thompson, Chapter Conservation Chairman, Mrs. Mary Belle Holstead, Chapter Regent, Miss Marjorie Leigh, Chapter Treasurer, and Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson Jr., Treasurer General and candidate for President General.
Honoring

Mrs. Joseph Curtis Matthews
Devoted Mother, Grandmother, DAR Member, and C.A.R. Senior Leader,
On the Occasion of Her Candidacy
for Treasurer General, NSDAR
On the Slate of Mrs. Richard Henry Thompson, Jr.

Mrs. Matthews' qualifications for the office of Treasurer General are demonstrated by her distinguished record of service not only in DAR but in the Children of the American Revolution, as well. In C.A.R., Mrs. Matthews has served in the following positions:

- Senior National Corresponding Secretary
- Senior National Vice-President for the Mid-Southern Region
- Honorary Senior National Vice-President
- Senior National Chairman of the Endowment Fund Committee
- Senior Chairman of numerous committees for C.A.R. National Conventions
- Member, National Finance Committee
- Member, Senior National Officers Club
- N.S.C.A.R. Life Promoter
- Member, "300 Club"
- Tennessee State Society, C.A.R. Promoter
- Recipient, Endowment Fund Pin
- Honoree of the Tennessee State Society, C.A.R. Bicentennial Project (science laboratory equipment at Kate Duncan Smith DAR School was dedicated in her honor)
- Senior President, Old Stage Road Society, C.A.R. of Brunswick, Tennessee

(Given lovingly by her children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Matthews)
MRS. RALPH EDWARD THEOBALD
(Jane Carfer Theobald)
STATE REGENT OF NEW YORK
presented with
PRIDE AND AFFECTION
by

DAR FRIENDS IN NEW YORK STATE
CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF
CHAPLAIN GENERAL
on the slate of
Mrs. Richard H. Thompson, Jr.
Endorsed by the 86th New York State Conference
92nd Continental Congress, April, 1983
New York Friends Request your support for the Thompson Associates
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First Row-left to right — Mrs. Ernest S. Brainard, candidate for Recording Secretary General; Mrs. James A. Williams, candidate for First Vice President General; Mrs. Richard H. Thompson, Jr., candidate for President General; Mrs. Ralph E. Theobald, candidate for Chaplain General; Mrs. Homer P. Martin, candidate for Corresponding Secretary General. Second Row-left to right — Mrs. Robert S. Hudgins, IV, candidate for Curator General; Mrs. Charles J. Robinson, Jr., candidate for Historian General; Mrs. Joseph C. Matthews, candidate for Treasurer General; Mrs. Monroe T. Thigpen, candidate for Organizing Secretary General; Mrs. E. Donald Dietrich, candidate for Registrar General; Mrs. Kenneth G. Maybe, candidate for Librarian General; Mrs. Robert O. Bower, candidate for Reporter General.

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