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COVER STORY

On June 14, 1777, Congress adopted the following resolution: "Resolved That the Flag of the United States be 13 stripes alternate red and white, that the Union be 13 stars white in a blue field representing a new constellation." The journals of the Congress show this motion inscribed without discussion and without any illustration.

Although the law of 1777 became known very slowly, there is reason to believe that the flag was flown in Philadelphia on July 4, 1777, the first anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. Ezra Stiles, later president of Yale, mentioned the new flag in a July entry in his diary. A newspaper reported it for the first time the following month. However, it was six years after its adoption that the flag law was published in the Pennsylvania Gazette with a request that other newspapers copy it to familiarize people with the flag.

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Dear Friends,

Here we go again! Our buildings are in a turmoil with many electricians, plumbers, architects, engineers and contractors working hard to complete the "Pipes and Drum" project. Also, work has begun on the main elevator. We are faced with constant interruptions—water and electricity turned off for hours at a time plus a lot of noise.

Your summer packet is on the way. Tackle it immediately. Read it carefully, make plans to participate and successfully complete all projects.

Big excitement with plans for the DAR Room at Ellis Island. Read about the Wall of Honor. Your family names can be permanently recorded on this famous wall.

Enjoy the Fourth of July. Have a happy summer and make great plans for the celebration of Constitution Week.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

PRESIDENT GENERAL'S MESSAGE
The 97th Continental Congress featured greetings from Mrs. Marion Barry, First Lady of the District of Columbia, and address by the Honorable Ann McLaughlin, Secretary of Labor, and entertainment by the "Young Citizens of America."

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Opening Night featured the Outstanding Junior Member, greetings from the National Society, Children of the American Revolution as well as special recognition of Leaders of Premiere Service Bands, MDW. Tuesday Evening was highlighted by an address by the Honorable William J. Bennett, Secretary of Labor, and the presentation of the Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee Award, the Outstanding Veteran-Patient, the 1988 Outstanding Youth Volunteer and the Outstanding VAVS DAR Member.
I recently returned from the west coast, where I told Stanford University that it had no business abolishing the study of Western civilization. At Stanford University, the argument is that we shouldn’t study as much of Western civilization as before because Western civilization, they argue, is racist, sexist, and imperialist. I reminded the students and the faculty that there is much in the history of the West to be concerned about; that we have committed sins, errors and injustices. But it is the underlying principles of Western civilization that taught us about those things, and now Western civilization is teaching the rest of the world about the evils of those and other things.

At Stanford, I said we are all part of this culture and tradition. It is the great gift of the West to have discovered the idea of liberty, the greatest idea ever struck off by the mind of man. If we would preserve that liberty, our students must study it. So, the debate about teaching Western civilization will continue.

Earlier this evening Phyllis Schlafly mentioned George Washington; I know that the Daughters of the American Revolution honor George Washington as a great man. But if you go into some classrooms today and ask students to name a great revolutionary, they will most likely name Che Guevara or Fidel Castro. They are not apt to name the greatest revolutionary of all time, General George Washington.

LESSON FROM GEORGE WASHINGTON. I talk about George Washington when I visit schools. It was my wife’s idea to visit classrooms. She said, in addition to talking about education, as Secretary of Education, why don’t you go see if you can teach somebody something? She’s a former classroom teacher, as you might guess.

So, I have been around America, up and down and back and forth, to 98 elementary and secondary schools and to 40 colleges and universities. I’ve learned a lot on those visits, and I hope the students learned something, too. In every third-grade class I have taught, I’ve told the children a story about George Washington, as a way of giving a bit of history and a character lesson, too.

I tell them a story that I’m sure many of you know. When the Revolutionary War was over, General Washington’s men wanted to march on Philadelphia to get the money that was owed them. General Washington did not think it would be a good idea to start this new nation by holding the Congress at bayonet point. (There may be some sentiment for that view even today, but in our tradition we believe in civilian control of the military.) So, General Washington stood and made a speech. It wasn’t a great speech; he was not always an eloquent speaker. None of the soldiers seemed moved. It seemed to him, it seemed to everyone, that the army was about to march.

General Washington then remembered a piece of paper someone had given him. He pulled it out of his pocket and, with his other hand, pulled out a pair of spectacles and put them on. The audience fell silent. Only one or two of his aides had ever seen General Washington with his spectacles on. Seeing and hearing the silence, General Washington said, “Gentlemen, you will excuse me for wearing these spectacles. I have become not only gray, but I have become almost blind in the service of my country.”

With that, all opposition collapsed because, in that simple and spontaneous comment, General Washington’s troops were reminded of the man they had followed, of who he was, of his character, and of his sacrifice.

Today’s students understand that story. It is a lesson about character. I haven’t found a student yet who doesn’t understand it. It certainly isn’t value-neutral. It certainly isn’t a “values clarification” exercise. It is, instead, the kind of instruction that I believe adults have a responsibility to give the young.

I have to tell you a related story. In Raleigh, North Carolina, at an elementary school, I retold this story and then asked the students, as I always do, “Do you have any questions of me?” A little boy raised his hand and he said, “Mr.
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Secretary, when you and the other Secretaries get together at meetings of the Cupboard. . . ." He was promptly corrected by a little girl who said, "You mean the Cabinet, the Cabinet." The boy then continued, "Do you all really eat jelly belllys?"

I replied, "Well, you've heard about the President and his jelly beans. I just told you about George Washington and I, too, cannot tell a lie. The President has a big bowl of jelly beans in front of him. He passes them around and people take some, and I've had a few." As we were walking out, the little boy came up to me and said, "Mr. Secretary, I think you've had more than a few jelly beans."

Now that's the beginning of a good dialogue. We have a free country. The wind of freedom blows in Raleigh, North Carolina. Can you imagine that cute bit of sass from an eight-year-old occurring in a totalitarian state where the Minister of Education had walked in? I doubt it. That little boy understands that it is okay to make a joke, even with the Secretary of Education.

I've also talked about equality in America. When I was in Shreveport, Louisiana, I asked the children, "Are we equal?" They said, "Yes, sir, we're all equal." So I had three students come up to the front of the room and I asked, "Who's equal?" The students answered, "We're all equal." I asked, "Who is the biggest?" They answered, "You are."

"Who is the strongest?" They answered, "You are." I asked, "Who's the smartest?" They answered, "You are." I then asked them, "Who's equal?" And they answered, "You all are, because we're all equal. This is America."

I had another stop on that trip. Being a teacher I thought that, since it worked in Shreveport, I'll use it again. All you former teachers understand that. If it works one year, you'll try it again. So I went to Osburn, Idaho, to the Silver Hills Junior High School. I was introduced by the principal at Silver Hills as the highest ranking federal official to visit Osburn since Theodore Roosevelt was there in 1903.

I came back to Washington and I told this story at a meeting of the Cabinet. "Mr. President," I said, "they introduced me as the highest ranking federal official since Teddy Roosevelt was there in 1903." Without a pause, Ronald Reagan said, "Oh, yes, I remember that visit by Roosevelt."

DEFENSE OF THE WEST. On your National Defense Evening, I want to talk about the defense of the West and the defense of our children. What is the West? The West is the idea of freedom. The West comprises certain ideas and ideals—a belief in human dignity, a belief in God-given rights, a belief in the inviolability of conscience. It is for the sake of these things—so that our children may live under these principles—we must work for other things, for the Strategic Defense Initiative, for aid to the Nicaraguan Freedom Fighters, and for the Afghan rebels.

We work for these things because we believe what Thomas Jefferson believed—because we believe in human dignity, in the inviolability of conscience, and in liberty. We do not believe, and we will never believe, that man is simply a cog in the machine of state. In the long story of inhumanity and misery that is history, the American achievement ranks high. It is rare. And it is great.

Last September, on the 200th anniversary of our Constitution, I was not in the United States. The President sent me to Managua, Nicaragua to speak about the meaning of the American Revolution.

I told the people who came to hear my talk—1,000 courageous people, all of whose names were written down for coming to hear my talk—about the way we do it here in the United States. I told them about freedom and equality and our Constitution, and I said, "I hope you can become a sovereign people. When you do, I hope you do it the way we have done it. But I wouldn't presume to tell you how to do it. You should decide for yourself. This is how we've done it. You may want to learn from this example."

It was most interesting the way the Nicaraguan people came up to me after-
wards and said, "You were too modest, Mr. Secretary. There is nothing we could do to improve it. Your Constitution, your Declaration, is what human rights means. Those two documents constitute the meaning of freedom and liberty in our world. We wouldn't change a thing."

I talked to a man who had recently been arrested, released, and arrested again. I think today he is released. We don't know what will happen to him tomorrow. He is a leader of the Bar Association in Nicaragua. He told me a story about a boy in school, and as I tell it to you I want you to think of the difference between this story and the story I just told you about Osburn, Idaho.

The students in Managua, Nicaragua were asked to write an essay about three great human beings. One student wrote an essay about Einstein, Pasteur and Jesus Christ. He flunked the assignment! The teacher wrote on the bottom: "You should start with Marx, Engels and Lenin. You may then talk about other people." The Nicaraguan Sandinistas understand what the struggle is about. I hope more Americans will understand what the struggle is about.

VISIT TO THE BERLIN WALL. Although 95 percent of the traveling I have done in this job has been in the United States, last summer my wife and I went to West Berlin, and I saw the Berlin Wall for the first time. If I forget everything else, I will never forget the Wall.

Here are three brief impressions of the Berlin Wall. First, the white stripes. There are white stripes spaced at intervals along the Wall, like median lines on a highway. The stripes are there for only one purpose. No matter what the darkness of night or how overcast the sky, if a human body stands before those white stripes, it will be silhouetted. The stripes are there in order to identify a human body so it can be killed. That is their only purpose.

My second impression is the guard towers spaced at intervals of a couple of hundred yards. In each of the guard towers sit two guards—not one, but two. Why not one? Because one guard might make a break for freedom. They need two guards, with one always looking at the other. I wonder if they ever look into each other's eyes and try to get something across without saying it. "Shall we go for it together?" But that doesn't happen very often. So, they sit there guarding each other, as well as the Wall, with guns on their laps.

My third impression was on our way back from our visit. The driver hired by the American Embassy in Berlin gave me a book, which he bought with his own money. The book is called It Happened at the Wall. He said, "Mr. Secretary, when you go back, please read this book to your children in America so they will know what happened here." I promised him that I would. Many Americans don't know what happened at the Berlin Wall. It is time they do.

I've also been to many high schools in the United States. I went to San Jose, California, to teach a class on the Federalist Papers (and found that the students hadn't ever heard of the Federalist Papers.) We talked about the arguments for free government. During the course of the discussion I made many comparisons between James Madison's thought and Karl Marx's thought.

THE GATES TEST. Toward the end of the discussion a young lady raised her hand and she said, "Mr. Secretary, you really love this country, don't you?" I said, "Yes, I do." "You really think it is better than the Soviet Union, don't you?" I said, "Yes, I do." She said, "But how can I know? How can I believe you?" I said, "Well, you need to read, you need to study, you need to learn some history." I recounted a few things.

Then I said, "But look, I'm sure you watch TV and read some newspapers. It is really a simple test for countries. It is not the only test, but it is one. It is called the Gates Test. It works like this. Assume every country has gates. When a country raises its gates, which way do people run? Do they run in, or do they run out? I think you'll admit that in America, when we raise our gates, people run in. Even when we don't raise our gates, people run in. And they will do almost anything to get in.

"The Soviets have gates and walls and, when they raise those gates—when the Soviet Union raises its Iron Curtain (which it doesn't do very often)—people run out. Even if they don't raise their gates, people will risk life and limb to get out."

The young lady came up to me after class and said, "Thank you very much for the Gates Test. No one ever said anything like that to me before." Seventeen years on our planet, in our country, in our schools, and no one had ever said anything like that to her before. That information isn't transmitted in our genes. Somebody has to say it. Somebody has to teach it. We have to make efforts to teach our children if we would defend our society and our country.

DEFENSE OF OUR CHILDREN. We must not only defend Western civilization, but also our children who will inherit it. As all of you know, the 1960s and 1970s saw the advent of the Great Society programs. We promised that spending by Congress on new programs would improve the condition of American children and the poor. Now, after most of those programs have been in place a long time and we can look back, we see that while some good has been done, in general—after many hundreds of billions of dollars have been spent and many hundreds of programs have been put in place—the condition of our children 10 or 20 years into the Great Society is worse than when we started.

Today, approximately 1,000,000 young women in America become pregnant before marriage, and about 400,000 of those pregnancies end in abortion. We have seen an increase in the use of drugs. Today, 17 percent of our high school seniors have used cocaine. Almost 50 percent of our high school seniors have used illegal drugs. A survey showed that one-third of our 5th graders—9-year-old children—have felt pressure to use drugs. This is one of the reasons I call this a "war" on drugs. This is a war we must win and, in waging this war, we should use everything at our disposal.

We also saw a dramatic increase in teenage alcoholism. We saw almost a doubling of spending in real terms on education from 1963 to 1978, and we witnessed the worst decline in American history in education. Now we have AIDS to worry about. What should we
Mrs. Gorbachev’s Ph.D. dissertation in philosophy. It is about the socialization of peasants. In one passage she talks about the “research” she did for her dissertation. She said, in effect, “In addition to the books I read and the manuscripts I studied, I carried on many propaganda sessions.” That’s an interesting notion of “research” in the Soviet Union. I reminded them of this at Stanford.

In another part of her dissertation, Mrs. Gorbachev wrote about the need to get young people more loyal to the Soviet society. How do we get them more loyal to the right memory of Marx and Lenin, and the changes that take place every few years, depending on who’s in power? Raisa Gorbachev said that it is very important that there be more time for the State to work with the children, and that the bonds between children and their parents—and particularly with their grandparents—must be broken and qualified in the interest of enhancing loyalty to the State.

Grandparents come in for particular criticism in her dissertation because grandparents have memory, they even have memory, some of them, of what things were like before this repressive regime. Grandparents remember large public celebrations of things like Easter and Christmas. If one wants the next generation to be loyal to the new holidays, one has to break the connection with the old holidays. That means, break the connection with grandparents and parents. It really does make a difference, then, who raises children, whether it’s the state or their parents.

The bond between parent and child in our country is more than a way of talking about what the child needs to develop and to mature. It is emblematic of our freedom—the defense of the West, of our society, and the defense of our children. There will be many matters on the Presidential candidates’ agenda during the next few months. But I submit that there are no more important issues than these two.

WHAT MATTERS MOST. Since you are in Washington, let me end with a little bit of history. The late Clare Boothe Luce, an important woman in American history, used to tell a story of going to the White House and, in her intelligent and straightforward manner, she sat down with the President of the United States, John F. Kennedy. He said, “Yes, Clare, what may I do for you?” She said, “Mr. President, you must drive the Soviets out of the Western Hemisphere. You must at least keep them from further extending their hold in this Hemisphere.” Doesn’t that sound like Phyllis Schlafly?

President Kennedy discussed the issue with her for a few minutes. The President then received a phone call, excused himself, came back and said, “Clare, what were we talking about?” She said, “Driving the Soviets out of the Western Hemisphere. Mr. President, you remember when you said that we must bear any burden and pay any price in the long twilight struggle for freedom against Communism.” President Kennedy said, “I’m sorry, Clare, I was distracted. I just received word that my textile bill passed.”

Clare Boothe Luce, without a pause, said, “Mr. President, of some few men in history, words have been said that will last forever. Some great men get a sentence in the history books. Of one man, it is said He died on the cross so other men might be saved from their sins. Of another man, it is said he went in search of a new route to the old world, and found a New World. Of another man, it is said he took up arms against the greatest military power on earth and, with an army of boys and farmers, defeated that power and established a new nation. Of another man, it is said that he had to hide in the dark of night as he came into Washington, worrying and grieving that his nation might remain half slave and half free. Mr. President,” Clare Boothe Luce continued, “of no man was it ever written he got his textile bill passed.”

Now, textile bills matter. Trade bills matter. And yes, higher education reauthorization bills matter. In Washington, it seems that there is an advocate and an interest group for everything. But what matters most is what matters most. And what matters most still matters most: the defense of the West and the defense of our children. For your devotion to them, I thank you and I salute you.
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COX-FRY: Seek info. re Maria Fry m. ____ Cox; lived Maysville, KY. Had dau. Angeline (m. John Riggs 1848), Melisse (m. Allen Hooper), and Nancy (m. Silvers and went to CA).—Mrs. Wm. E. Stuart, 130 Keats Pl., Cherry Hill, NJ 08003.

KEMP: Kemp Family Archives. Records of Kemps worldwide. Happy to exchange information.—Thomas J. Kemp, P.O. Box 4050, Stamford, CT 06907.

WORKS: Need parents of Ann Works, b. 1771, m. 1791 at CT to Asa Phillips, moved to Marcellus, NY. Ann d. 24 Aug. 1848. They had ten children. Her great great granddaughter.—Lois Bozant, 1812 B Chinquapin Court, Concord, CA 94519.

LUMPKIN-HOUSTON: Need parents of William Russell Rice Lumpkin, b. 1812 SC, m. 1843 De Kalb Co., AL, Catherine Houston, b. 1818 TN, located 1850 Talladega Co., AL, with children: Margaret L., John H., Rhanda C., William Baldwin, and Margaret Houston, moved to Izard Co., AR, ca 1860.—W. Bryan Lumpkin, 3220 Second Avenue, Lake Charles, LA 70601.

JENKINS: Seeking parents and siblings of Phoebe Jenkins, b. 1783 at Warren Co., GA, d. 1864 at GA. Married Anson Ball of Wilkinson Co., GA (son of John Ball) on 2 Aug. 1801. —Mrs. W. D. Cassidy, 9355 Sibelius Drive, Vienna, VA 22180.

GASKILL: I am trying to locate a minister who contacted my great-aunt, Miss Nan Johnston of Montpelier, OH, in or about 1980 or 1981. This minister was interested in the Joseph Gaskill family of early Superior Township, Williams Co., OH. —Mrs. Margaret L. Beck, Rt. #1, Box 42, Chumbusco, IN 46723.

RAWLINGS: Need information regarding Elijah Rawlings who was enrolled in Captain Magruder’s Company July 4, 1776, Prince Georges Co., MD. Married Elizabeth Macgill 6 Aug 1778, same county.—Virginia Rollins Moore, 501 Vista Real #45, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

KRAFFT: Seeking info. on ancestry of Krafft family from early 1700s to present.—Rosemary Kraft, P.O. Box 43, New Washington, OH 44854.


KEEGER: Seek parents and birthplace for Edward Keeeler, b. 9 Nov 1761, was Revolutionary War veteran, enlisted at Fort Montgomery on the Hudson, NY, in 1777, m. Elizabeth Grey (Gar) 1785, lived Sussex Co., NJ, until his death in 1826.—Ann Chesney, 6500 SW 46th Street, Miami, FL 33155.

OLIVER-NICHOLS: Matthew Franklin Oliver, b. 2 Apr 1843(45) in GA, m. Mary Jane Nichols, b. 10 Jan 1844(49) in MS. Need parents of both.—Diana Oliver, P.O. Box 725, Yorktown, TX 78164.

COOKE-SHOFFNER: Christine Cooke, b. 10 Aug. 1769, m. Fredrick Shofner; her sister Catherine Cooke, b. 27 May 1762, m. Martin Shofner. Shofners were from NC, need parents of Cooke sisters, supposed to descend from Francis Cooke of Mayflower.—Diana Oliver, P.O. Box 725, Yorktown, TX 78164.

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KEPNER-CADE: Seeking info. on Benjamin Kepner. Came to Preble Co., OH, with wife Nancy Cade, b. 8 Mar 1803, and William Cade and wife to Fountain Co., IN, before 1830. They used the same wagon.—Martha L. Thomas, P.O. Box 2, Kingman, IN 47952.

RHODES: Seeking info. on Peter Rhodes, b. ca 1710 in NY, d. 1785 or 1790 in Cumberland, Co., PA (near Shanksville in Pine Valley of Stoney Creek). Samuel, his son, was b. 1755 and d. 7 July 1814. Samuel lost his life in an accident at a grist mill on Miami River. He had built one of the first dams across the river, at Franklin, OH.—Martha L. Thomas, P.O. Box 2,
GROSS: Samuel Gross, b. 1833 IN, possibly son of Abraham Gross and Isabel Troxel married 1832 Morgan Co., IN, from southwest Pennsylvania. Will exchange.—Miss June B. Bareckman. Had a daughter Agnes Barrickman after William Wayne Co., KY. Isabel dau. of Daniel Troxel who served in liam Fulton. There was a very early Barrickman family in PA, Pvt. in Lt. Baker’s company (under command Col. Co., PA, d. Greene Co., PA. Married Mary Beeson (dau. of Westmoreland Co., PA. These families moved all over Ohio River, and William Barrickman. William b. Fayette Co., PA, d. Greene Co., PA. Married Mary Beeson (dau. of Jacob). Had a daughter Agnes Barrickman after William Barrickman’s death 1811. Mary Beeson Barrickman m. William Fulton. There was a very early Barrickman family in Westmoreland Co., PA. These families moved all over southwest Pennsylvania. Will exchange.—Miss June B. Bareckman, 2905 N. Kilbourn Avenue, Chicago, IL 60641.

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MOORE: Stephen Moore, b. 1759 Trenton, NJ, d. 1813 Mooresburg, PA, m. Parthenia Young. Need info. about both parents and grandparents.—Marjorie Coffman, 1524 Sheridan Street, North Bend, OR 97459.

ANDREWS: Need name of mother of Umatilla Andrews, b. 21 Jul 1855, d. 24 Apr 1882 in Cedar Rapids, IA. Wife of Phillip Stiles. Her mother was 1st wife of James E. Andrews, b. 1817, of South Bend, IN. James E. and 1st wife b. NY. His 2nd wife Jane (Manuel?). Her dau. Mary and their sons James S., Ava, George L., Walter S. Send b. and d. of James E. and 1st wife to—G. C. Buck, 134 Stewart Street, Manchester, NH 03102.

DARLING-MASON-PRESCHOOL-WARDWELL-DUNN-MUIR: Family names circa 1800s. Any info. connecting any two or more? Possibly Massachusetts.—Helen King, 11 Pierce Street, Orono, ME 04473.

WHEELER: Anyone descended from Samuel Wheeler (1758-1808), b. in England and fought in the American Revolution in the Albany County Militia and the Continental Army, and Elizabeth Daniels (????-1808), who were married in Livingston Manor, NY, in 1779, please contact descendant Leslie B. Freeman, 2205 Marion Ave., North Bend, OR 97459.

CROCKETT: Need info. and or contact with any descendants of Ann Crockett, sister of Col. Davey Crockett, b. TN ca 1786, m. John Gardner (Gartner) ca 1810, d. WI ca 1880, lived 97 yrs. Children: David, b. 1816 NY, Darius, Ambrose.—Laurel Traversaro, 112 Grover Lane, Walnut Creek, CA 94596.

MCNEAL-MCNIEL: All spellings. Will check our files. No charge for a connection.—Cora Beggs, Genealogist, Clan Macneal, 4221 Flora, St. Louis, MO 63110.

HANCOCK-WILSON: Isaiah Hancock, b. ca 1816 KY. Need info. on parents. Lucindia Wilson, b. Nov 1794 in PA. Need info. on parents.—Barbara Dalton, 2301 Washington Ave., Evansville, IN 47714.


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BLUNT/BLOUNT: Need info. on Alexander Blunt/Blount, b. 1805 MS, d. 27 Dec 1875, buried Avoyelles Parish, LA, m. Mary _____ before 1835.—Linda B. Allie, 7201 Post Oak Dr., Ft. Worth, TX 76180.

BAKER: Seek info. on family of Milton Baker, b. 24 Nov 1816 GA, d. 1 Dec 1862 Pike Co., AL, m. Mary Lucinda Sheppard ca 1842, AL.—Linda B. Allie, 7201 Post Oak Dr., Ft. Worth, TX 76180.

COOPER-CURLE: Seek info. on parents of Archibald Hunter Cooper who was b. ca 1803 TN, m. (2) Elizabeth Frazer ca 1849, d. 1853 Tyler Co., TX. They had son Samuel Bronson Cooper, b. 30 May 1850 KY, m. Phebe Young 15 Oct 1873 Tyler Co., TX. Family tradition is that A. H. Cooper's parents were Vincent and Lurane (Curle) Cooper. Especially interested in Curle ances.—Linda B. Allie, 7201 Post Oak Dr., Ft. Worth, TX 76180.


MASON-LEWIS-EVANS-SOMERSALL-MORGAN-TANNER-GUTHRIE-BRADBERRY: Seek info.: John Mason (d. 1782-3 Laurens Dist., SC) and Eleanor Lewis (dau. of David Lewis, 2nd husb. ? Ford), both probably b. in VA, r. in Laurens Dist., SC 1760s-1780s; Samuel Hiram Evans and Elizabeth Somersall, m. 1799 Shenandoah Co., VA, grandparents of Adm. Robley D. Evans; John William Somersall (b. ca 1753 England and Mary Morgan (b. ca 1753 VA, d. 1840 Madison Co., VA), clockmaker, r. Richmond, Frederick, Cuipeper Co., VA; Thomas Tanner (b. ca 1796 SC, d. 1862 Newton Co., TX) and Charlotte Guthrie (b. ca 1804 KY, d. 1875 Newton Co., TX), m. 1820 Amite Co., MS; William Guthrie (Guthery) (b. ca 1774 VA, d. 1837 Newton Co., TX) and Nancy Bradberry (b. ca 1775 NC, d. 1859 Newton Co., TX), m. 1804 Madison Co., KY, r. 1820 Amite Co., MS, emigrated to Texas ca 1830.—Mrs. G. M. Mason, Rt. 2, Box 122-A, Temple, TX 76502.

SPARR/SPAHR-KAUFFMAN-VALENTINE: Johann George Sparr/Spahr, b. 1699 Altenburg, Wurttemburg, Germany, and wife Maria Catharina Kauffman died York Co., PA. Their son, Johann Georg Sparr/Spahr, married 1768 Lancaster Co., PA, Margaretha Valentine. Need her parents.—Ellen Byrne, Rt. 1, Box 69-1A, Julietta, ID 83535.


THRASHER-FORD-BRIGGS: Seeking parents of Joseph Thrasher, b. 1773 Taunton, MA, m. Susan Ford 1795 Providence, RI, d. 12 July 1857 Trenton Falls, Herkimer Co., NY. Susan's parents were Abijah Ford of MA and Anne Donnison of RI. Need parents for Abijah Ford, b. 22 Oct 1744 Bridgewater, Plymouth Co., MA, m. 8 Dec 1765 Providence, RI, to Anne Donnison, d. 22 Feb 1809 Trenton Falls, NY. Anne's parents were William Donnison of RI and Susannah Knowlton of RI. Also seek parents of Jemima Briggs, b. 1784, d. 26 May 1840 S. Hammond, NY, m. 1806 Manheim, NY, Peter Pickert, son of Bartholomew Pickert and Maria Catherine, both of NY.—Lucy Jacoby, 6204 Frisco Rd., Brookeville, FL 34602.


SEATON: Need info. James Seaton, b. 1723 VA, d. ca 1787 PA, m. 1st Frances, m. 2nd Elizabeth Kenner, m. 3rd (Elizabeth's sister). Wish to correspond with others researching other Seaton and Seton families.—Scott M. Seaton, 2027 Village Wood Rd., Encinitas, CA 92024.

MINUTES

National Board of Management, April 16, 1988

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. Raymond Franklin Fleck, President General, presiding.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Ralph E. Rhodes, read from Scripture and gave the opening prayer.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the First Vice President General, Mrs. Richard O. Creedon.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Charles K. Kemper, called the roll and recorded the following members present:

National Officers. Executive Officers: Mrs. Fleck, Mrs. Creedon, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Kemper, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Boone, Mrs. Klie, Mrs. Zimmerman, Mrs. Weir, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Towle, Mrs. Batts. Vice Presidents General: Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Crane, Mrs. Stimpson, Mrs. Tiner, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Bloedorn, Mrs. Crawley, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Capps, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Neal, Mrs. Compton, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Niedling, Mrs. Lamson, Mrs. Leaigten, Mrs. Bills, Mrs. Doffing. State Regents: Mrs. Byars, Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Strayer, Mrs. Golden, Mrs. Hemstreet, Mrs. Homan, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Dobrzanski, Mrs. Leitch, Mrs. Kleinkopf, Mrs. Hinton, Mrs. Mordhorst, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Ebert, Mrs. Riden, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Bois, Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. Hook, Mrs. Weaver, Mrs. Egert, Mrs. Love, Mrs. Froman, Mrs. Smithson, Mrs. Thornton, Mrs. Partington, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Goldsmith, Mrs. Rohrs, Mrs. Showfety, Mrs. Jensen, Mrs. King, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Egle, Miss Flounders, Mrs. Causey, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Small, Mrs. Brigance, Mrs. Lovett, Mrs. Urie, Mrs. Hayden, Mrs. Haugh, Mrs. Waterbury, Mrs. Gess, Dr. Baxter, Mrs. Jones, Miss Mas. State Vice Regent: Mrs. Barnes, Alaska.

The President General introduced Mr. Maurice Barboza and Mrs. Lena Ferguson. Mrs. Fleck presented them with the first copy in a series entitled, Minority Military Service-Rhode Island-1775-1783.

The President General, Mrs. Fleck gave her report.

Report of President General

Shortly after the February National Board of Management Meeting, the plambers moved into the building. New pipes are now installed in the Administration Building and Memorial Continental Hall. In addition to replacing the old pipes, pipes abandoned years ago have been capped off which will greatly diminish further leaks.

The cables have been replaced in the main elevator. Next project—gears and controls.

February 6, the President General attended a meeting of the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution Commission at the Hotel Washington.

February 17, in New York she met with representatives of Ellis Island Foundation and traveled by boat to the Island where she located the proposed DAR Room.

February 19, she met with representatives from Andromeda concerning the Centennial book, including the Chairman, author and researchers.

February 21, she went to Annapolis, Maryland, Hall of Records, for dedication of a case to hold Maryland's copy of the United States Constitution, given by Maryland State Society, Mrs. David S. Hawkins, State Regent, to Maryland State Archives.

Since February Board Meeting, she has held meetings with representatives from the architectural firm which is overseeing the President General's Project; with the representative of the card company regarding note card mailing; with Byrd Press; the General Maintenance; the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution Commission and others who have business with the National Society.

During the months of February and March, she made her official visits to 15 States:

February 13—Mexico in Mexico City, Miss Clara Ann Mas, State Regent
February 24—California in Torrance, Mrs. Jerry J. Strayer, State Regent
March 3—Arkansas in Fort Smith, Mrs. Jerry J. Strayer, State Regent
March 5—Ohio in Cincinnati, Mrs. John T. Berry, State Regent
March 11—Virginia in Norfolk, Mrs. Robert R. Haugh, State Regent
March 12—Nevada in Las Vegas, Mrs. Victor A. Thornton, State Regent
March 14—Oklahoma in Oklahoma City, Mrs. Cecil R. Lee, State Regent
March 15—Kansas in Wichita, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., State Regent
March 16—Montana in Missoula, Mrs. Ramon J. Eatinger, State Regent
March 18—Idaho in Pocatello, Mrs. Roger W. Hinton, State Regent
March 19—Oregon in Salem, Mrs. Charles R. Egle, State Regent
March 21—Washington in Wenatchee, Mrs. Irving D. Waterbury, State Regent
March 23—Missouri in St. Louis, Mrs. Charles R. Egle, State Regent
March 25—Nebraska in Kearney, Mrs. Richard C. Smithson, State Regent
March 28—Minnesota in Minneapolis/St. Paul, Mrs. Donald P. Egert, State Regent

The President General deeply appreciates the gracious hospitality and many kindnesses extended to her during this tour, also the warmth and friendship, support and encouragement.

She returned to Washington on April 2nd and immediately began the task of going through the stacks of mail which had been held for her attention. She constantly checks the building progress with the superintendent for Corning Construction Company.

April 13, she placed the National Society's wreath at the Jefferson Memorial in commemoration of the 243rd anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson.

April 10–14, she chaired the meetings of the Executive Committee.

The following represented the National Society when it was not possible for the President General to do so:

February 12, Mrs. James H. Cox, Vice President General, District of Columbia, placed the National Society's wreath at the Lincoln Memorial during ceremonies commemorating the birthday-anniversary of President Abraham Lincoln.

March 24, Major General Willis D. Crittenberger, Jr., Public Relations Director, attended a briefing at the Department of Defense on the Changing Role of Military Women.

April 6, Mrs. Richard O. Creedon, First Vice President General, accepted an award presented by the Mary Washington Colonial Chapter DAR to the NSDAR for "Portrait of a Daughter".

April 15, Mrs. Alex W. Boone, Organizing Secretary General,
attended a brief ceremony and press conference given by the American Committee on the French Revolution, to announce the official logo of the French Revolution Bicentennial, in the “French Room”, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.

The President General appreciates their willingness to represent the National Society.

To Velma Musick—hats off. She has overseen preparations for Congress: removal of old carpeting in the Lounges in Constitution Room”, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.

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The South Carolina State Conference was attended March 15-17 where this officer presented the banquet program. Mrs. Langdon Dunn, State Regent, Mrs. Richard E. Lipscomb and Mrs. Fred W. Ellis are to be thanked for their hospitality.

It was a pleasure to be the banquet speaker and to attend the Maryland State Conference from March 17 to 19. This officer wishes to thank Mrs. David Hawkins, State Regent, for inviting her.

On April 6th, represented the President General at the Annual Ceremony of the Mary Washington Colonial Chapter in New York City to accept an award presented to the National Society for “Portrait of A Daughter”. Mrs. Gavin C. Barr also received an award for producing the film. Six television and radio women received awards, including Pia Lindstrom. It was very enjoyable.

Reports for Continental Congress and correspondence have been completed.

Personnel Committee meeting was chaired on Monday, April 11. Much time has been spent working with employees. In March the new retirement plan was implemented with a workshop and then three days of individual meetings. This new retirement plan provides much better benefits for the employees. We are grateful to Mrs. Sally Kent and Mrs. Martha Fleshaw who studied different plans for over a year before this one was selected.

This officer wishes to thank the State Regents for the kind invitations to functions during Congress. She is looking forward to attending as many as possible.

Marilyn R. Creedon First Vice President General

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Rhodes, gave her report.

Report of Chaplain General

After the National Board Meeting in February, the Chaplain General and members of the Regents’ Club of Richmond worked on the final arrangements for the George Washington Birthday Luncheon. Mrs. Donald D. Zimmerman was the guest speaker.

In March, the Chaplain General attended the Virginia State Conference with Mrs. Charles R. Haugh, State Regent, presiding. The President General was the guest speaker.

The Chaplain General has spent her time on the duties of her office; worked on the Congress Memorial Service and other duties pertaining to Congress. Since the first of February over 150 birthday greetings have been written to the 90-year-old plus members.

Nellie S. Rhodes
Chaplain General

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Kemper, gave her report.

Report of Recording Secretary General

New desktop publishing equipment has been totally implemented. Our latest acquisition is a laser printer which will now produce camera-ready copy for the Proceedings; and we will have totally eliminated the high cost of typesetting. This is progress!

For the first time, the 97th Continental Congress verbatim transcript will be recorded by utilizing a Harris-Lanier recording machine. The new standard cassette recording system provides three hours of continuous recording on four channels. It offers the best of voice technology, with features to fit the needs of legal and business environments for precise, accurate, documentation of verbatim recording. A transcriber attachment will allow the staff to transfer the verbatim directly into the computer for word processing, and as the pagination is completed, the laser printer will produce camera-ready copy. The system cost less than the fees paid for verbatim reporting of the 1987 Continental Congress. And so in the long-range spectrum of financial savings, we have made another step in the right direction.

In the past, this office has had one full-time employee and four part-time employees. We now have three full-time employees who are responsible for learning to use all the equipment in the office and who will know how to “carry on” if one or two of the staff is away from the office.

This officer wishes to express great pride and appreciation to Mrs. Miriam Huffines, Administrative Assistant, Miss Melissa Nonken, and Miss Audrey Hall. They have been receptive, willing, and motivated by the new, up-to-date methods of performing the duties of the office. The progress in this office has been made possible because they have been receptive to change, and change is a very necessary part of growth.

Since the February National Board Meeting, 1,575 Certificates of Membership have been issued and reissued to members.

This office has received endorsements of candidates for the offices of Vice President General and Honorary Vice President General. Necessary forms and information have been sent to the candidates standing for election at the 97th Continental Congress.

During the month of March, this officer visited the Utah State Conference, Mrs. Hurschel Uriie, State Regent; the Kansas State Conference, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., State Regent; the Oregon State Conference, Mrs. Charles R. Egle, State Regent; the Missouri State Conference, guest of Mrs. Joe H. Capps, Vice President General; the District of Columbia State Conference; Mrs. May Day Taylor, State Regent. She had the honor to address the Washington State Chapter Regents’ Club at their banquet preceding and the State Conference. She was the guest of Mrs. Stanley E. Bills, Vice President General. The grand finale of her March travels took her to Mississippi, where, for the first time, she joined the pilgrimage to Natchez and received at Rosalie, dressed in antebellum costume. She was the guest of Mrs. Dale Kelly Love, State Regent, and Mrs. Monroe Tate Thigpen, Mississippi State Chairman of Rosalie. Appreciation is expressed for the warm hospitality shown this officer in each state.

In spite of all these many activities on the national level, she has attended chapter meetings, district meetings, all Northern and Southern Council meetings, and the State Conference in Torrance in February. She regrets she could not accept every invitation sent her way but knows the Daughters understand.

The Recording Secretary General has enjoyed serving in this office and looks forward to bright and shining accomplishments in the final year of the “We the People” Administration.

Dorla E. Kemper
Recording Secretary General

The Corresponding Secretary General, Mrs. Blair, gave her report.

Report of Corresponding Secretary General

This report covers January and February 1988. During these two months 3,742 pieces of mail were received. A total of 1,401 orders have been processed. Sales from the office of the Corresponding Secretary General totaled $24,476.

One mailing by first class was sent during this period: the Proposed
Amendments to the Bylaws.

The office has mailed membership packets in response to requests for information pertaining to membership in the National Society. For the convenience of members during Continental Congress materials from the office of the Corresponding Secretary General will be available on the Literature Tables in Constitution Hall.

Please note, State Regents and Vice Presidents General, you will not have to stand in line to drop off an order. All orders must be prepaid. If you wish to have your order shipped to your home, please make a note requesting shipment. We save money using UPS but we cannot mail UPS orders to P.O. boxes. You will be billed for postage.

Postage for this period was $14,098, United Parcel $280 for a total of $14,378.

In February a plan was implemented to have all offices in the building place their orders for all envelopes (green-bordered, Jiffy padded and Air Kraft bubble bags) through the office of the Corresponding Secretary General. This plan makes it possible to save money by placing one large order and consequently paying the lowest price per unit.

Another plan to economize and control inventory has been established with all orders for xerox paper going through the office of the Corresponding Secretary General and the xerox paper is then delivered by the mailroom staff.

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April 9, returned to Washington, D.C. to work in the office and attend Executive Meetings prior to the National Board on April 16:

Appreciation is expressed to the staff in the Office of the Corresponding Secretary General and the Mail Room for their cooperation and efficient manner in which they operate their respective offices. WAYNE G. BLAIR

Corresponding Secretary General

The Treasurer General, Mrs. Klie, gave her report.

Report of the Treasurer General

The Office of the Treasurer General has been extremely busy since the February Board, preparing for the close of the fiscal year, February 29, 1988. All payments of interest on special funds to different projects have been sent.

The Membership Office employees, Mrs. Rachel Ashby, Supervisor, are to be congratulated for completing all the membership changes for the Honor Roll and Official counts earlier than ever before, enabling the counts to be given to many states prior to their State Conference. This office has also completed the research and distribution of delinquent members, and a letter with the delinquent list of 4105 members (931 more than in 1987) has been mailed to chapters and members at large.

The Accounting Office employees prepared all material for the annual audit, Miss Anne Dressler, Administrative Supervisor. Permission was granted on March 10, 1988 to have the Treasurer General’s Report printed by Judd & Detweiler, Inc., who has printed this booklet for the past twenty years. My sincere gratitude to these employees for their hard work and cooperation.

The Data Processing Office employees and Miss Linda Hatfield, Supervisor, and Mr. Robert Kane, have instigated a new program for Personnel, printed all membership reports and labels, and implemented other work in a most efficient manner.

On January 25, 1988, the National Society received notice from the Internal Revenue Service District Director (Department of Treasury) that their recent examination of our tax return disclosed that our organization continues to qualify for exemption from Federal income tax, and that the return is accepted as filed. Mr. Burns, Accountant, and Miss Anne Dressler worked many hours preparing materials and figures for this IRS lengthy investigation.

Please refer to the Treasurer General’s end of the year report February 29, 1988, page 5, Current Fund, Receipts: Commissions. A grand total of $168,189.50 reflects outstanding support of our fund
## SUMMARY STATEMENT OF RESTRICTED SPECIAL FUNDS
For the Fiscal Year Ended February 29, 1988

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The Treasurer General moved that 113 members be reinstated. Seconded by Mrs. Weaver. Adopted.

In the absence of the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the report will be read by the Vice Chairman, Mrs. Biscoe.

Report of Finance Committee

The Finance Committee met on Wednesday, April 13, 1988. Members attending were Mesdames John S. Biscoe, Vice Chairman; Richard Osborn Creedon, First Vice President General; Henry A. Klie, Treasurer General; Everett C. Lamson, Jr.; and Mr. Edward J. Burns, Jr., Auditor for NSDAR.

Due to the illness of Mrs. Clark, the meeting was presided over by Mrs. Biscoe, the National Vice Chairman.

The amended budget for 1988-1989 was presented with the necessary changes, which were discussed. This budget was presented to the Executive Committee for their recommendation to the National Board of Management.

The Committee discussed the Library fee of $5.00 relative to a portion going to Seimes Microfilm Committee. The Finance Committee recommended to the Executive Committee that 40% of the Library fee of $5.00 be apportioned to the Seimes Microfilm Center, effective May 1, 1988.

The National prizes given to winners of JAC were discussed. It was recommended that the Long-Range Planning Commission study the feasibility of the most efficient way to disperse over 400 awards for 1989. The cost of writing the large number of small checks is prohibitive.

An estimate has been given that the cost of removing the asbestos in the buildings will be $400,000.00. In the budget, $200,000.00 will be included in the present Current Fund to take care of one-half of this expenditure. It has been recommended to the Executive Committee that $200,000 of Current Fund Building Expenses be transferred to Property Maintenance Fund in twelve equal monthly payments, effective March 1, 1988, to share the cost of asbestos removal.

The Finance Committee recommended to the Executive Committee that $15,000 be used from Patricia Shelby Memorial Continental Hall Fund for asbestos removal in Memorial Continental Hall.

The Finance Committee also recommended to the Executive Committee that $25,000 of Constitution Hall Maintenance Fund be transferred to Property Maintenance Fund to help defray the cost of asbestos removal in Constitution Hall.

Negotiations will be made with American Security Bank regarding the L.A.M.P. Account minimum balance required since the Bank has requested an increase.

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

Report of Registrar General

Since the February Board, this officer has worked very closely in supervising the staff as we work to better serve the needs of this society.

She attended her own Illinois State Conference, Mrs. Ronald Mordhorst, State Regent, and conducted a workshop.

She has attended the meetings of the Executive Committee and the Executive Club Dinner.

I have the honor to present the following report:

Application papers received since the February Board 1325
Application papers verified since the February Board 1063
Supplemental papers received since the February Board 490
Supplemental papers verified since the February Board 998
New Records verified 153
Number of Revolutionary ancestor records verified for the Office of the Historian General for grave marking permits 56
Number of letters written requesting additional proof 768
Last DAR National Number issued 715599

The Registrar General, Mrs. Zimmerman, moved that 1063 applicants whose records have been verified by the Registrar General, be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. Gess. Adopted.

The Chairman of Auditing Committee, Miss Hardy, gave her report.

EDWARD J. BURNS, JR.
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20005

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

We have examined the financial statements of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution listed below: Statement of Current and Unrestricted Special Funds (Page 1) for the fiscal year ended February 29, 1988
Statement of Restricted Funds (Pages 2 and 3) for the fiscal year ended February 29, 1988
Supporting statements of Current Fund cash receipts and disbursements (Pages 4 and 6) for the fiscal year ended February 29, 1988

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included confirmations from depositaries and custodians of cash and investments held at February 29, 1988, 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 and losses thereon.

In our opinion, the aforementioned statements and supporting schedules present fairly the cash balances and investments at February 29, 1988, and the information set forth therein for the fiscal year then ended on the basis indicated which is consistent with that of the preceding year.

EDWARD J. BURNS, JR.
Certified Public Accountant
The Chairman of Buildings and Grounds Committee, Mrs. Dorothy Lichtefeld, read her report.

**Report of Buildings and Grounds Committee**

Four Receptions have been held since last April. Thirty chapters have met in Banquet Hall. Five outside organizations met in Banquet Hall.

One hundred eighty-three events have been held in Constitution Hall.

There have been 26 letters and papers returned to this office. Out of this total there were 26 letters and papers returned to have corrections completed. Please keep our office informed as to the current chapter officers.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Boone, moved the confirmation of 2 organizing regents; location change of 1 chapter; 1 name change; merger of 4 chapters; official disbandment of 2 chapters; automatic disbandment of 5 chapters; and confirmation of 3 chapters provided notice is received by 4 p.m. Seconded by Mrs. Ebert. Adopted.

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

The newly revised "Promoting, Conserving and Organizing Our Chapters" Pamphlet is now available, free, from my office.

The Organizing Secretary General’s office is currently understaffed. I want to thank Mrs. Pierce Acord, Administrative Assistant, Mrs. Elba Rivera and Miss Pamela Marshall for filling the gap and so ably carrying out the duties of this busy office during this emergency.

The following chapters have met all the requirements according to the National Bylaws and are now presented for confirmation:

Chappaqua and Mohegan Chapters, Ossining, New York; name will be Mohegan.

The following chapters are now presented for official disbandment:

Navy’s Birthplace Chapter, Whitehall, New York;
Mossy Creek Chapter, Jefferson City, Tennessee.

The following chapters are now presented for automatic disbandment:

Justice Gabriel Duvall, Glen Dale, Maryland;
Benjamin G. Humphreys, Lexington, Mississippi;
Dora Bell Love, Waynesville, North Carolina;
Governor Worthington, Logan, Ohio;
Calapooya, Cottage Grove, Oregon.

The following chapters have met the requirements according to the National Bylaws and are now presented for confirmation:

Lewis and Benge, Manchester, Kentucky;
Coryell County, Gatesville, Texas;
San Felipe do Austin, Sealy, Texas.

YVONNE S. BOONE
Organizing Secretary General

The Chairman of Buildings and Grounds Committee, Mrs. Dorothy Lichtefeld, read her report.

**Report of Organizing Secretary General**

As of April 1988, the Society’s chapter strength stands at 3,116. It is imperative that we concentrate on organizing chapters in every state. The efforts of the State Regents and State Organizing Secretaries to solely concentrate their endeavors on preserving weak chapters, which is most commendable, has proved a fallacy as our statistics for the last two years indicate an appalling loss of 65 chapters. We must reverse this trend by focusing our attention on revitalizing the State Societies by the establishment of viable chapters.

We applaud Texas this year with three new chapters, California’s two new chapters, Units Overseas with two new chapters and the four States with an increase of one new chapter. Twenty-five chapters have disbanded, 14 chapters have merged. This office has encouraged the merging of chapters rather than complete disbandment.

Since the February Board, a total of 699 permits were issued authorizing the purchase of DAR Service Pins, including Twenty-five and Fifty-Year Pins. There have been 696 “We The People” Pins verified to date.

We have processed 533 applications and supplementals through this office. Out of this total there were 26 letters and papers returned to have corrections completed. Please keep our office informed as to the current chapter officers.

There is confusion by the membership concerning “We The People” Pin and the “Constitution” Pin. The requirement for the “We The People” Pin (Drum with Eagle) is a donation of $50 which is allocated to the President General’s Project known as “Pipes and Drum”. The “Constitution” Pin is one of the commemorative pins issued in 1984. No requirements are requested except active DAR membership. After verification of the J. E. Caldwell order form by the DAR General these completed forms. These forms were included in the summer packet, and extra forms can be obtained from the office of the Historian General.

The following chapters have met the requirements for merging and are now presented for confirmation:

Dorothy Clark and Santa Gertrudes Chapters, Downey, California; name will be Santa Gertrudes;

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

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The Historian General, Mrs. Weir, gave her report.

**Report of Historian General**

Following the February Board meeting, this officer attended the Mexico State Conference in Mexico City. The opportunity to learn more of the history of Mexico was made possible with trips to Cuernavaca and Morelia.

Upon return to Washington after the State Conference, this officer worked in her office. Returning to Pennsylvania, she was a guest of the DAR General Richard Butler and SAR Christopher Geist Chapters at their annual George Washington birthday dinner. She was a guest of the Pittsburgh Chapter Treasurer, Mrs. James C. Goldback, at their DAR-SAR Brunch in Pittsburgh.

In March, this officer returned to Washington and worked in the office for several days. She was the guest of the Central North West Regents Club at their meeting in Warrendale, Pennsylvania.

In April, this officer was a guest of the Pennsylvania North West District, Section 3, at their luncheon in Sharon honoring the Pennsylvania State Regent. Executive Committee meetings and the National Board of Management were attended. This officer accompanied the President General to ceremonies at the Jefferson Memorial honoring the birthday of our third President, Thomas Jefferson.

I am pleased to report that gifts to both the NSDAR Archives and the Special Collections Pertaining to the History of the NSDAR have risen substantially in number this past year. Since April, 1987, over 250 donations have been received. DAR members, chapters, and state societies have responded enthusiastically to the call of the Centennial Jubilee NSDAR Committee’s “Search and Rescue Mission”, enabling much important material focusing on the Society’s past to be located, and, in many instances, given to National Headquarters in Washington. Completed Transmittal forms have provided valuable information about the work of chapters and state societies throughout the United States and abroad, as well as the National Society. Please encourage the chapters within each of your states to maintain interest in the “Search and Rescue Mission”, and to continue to fill out and send in to the office of the Historian General these completed forms. These forms were included in the summer packet, and extra forms can be obtained from the office of the Historian General.

Donations, in the form of seventeenth, eighteenth, and early nineteenth century manuscripts, rare books, newspapers, almanacs, etc., as well as monetary contributions, are always very welcome for the Americana Collection.
Members are cordially invited to view two new exhibits currently on display in the Americana Room and the exhibit cases in the hallway directly outside of the Americana Room. A new exhibit entitled "Jubilee Celebrations Honoring the Founding of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution," which contains material on the Founding Years, 1890-1892, the Silver Jubilee, 1915-1916, the Golden Jubilee, 1940-1941, and the Diamond Jubilee, 1965-1966, is located in the hallway exhibit cases. The Americana Room currently features "The 39 Signers of the Constitution," which focuses on the men who signed the Constitution on September 17, 1787 and includes engravings of each man, as well as documents autographed by each signer and short biographical sketches of each signer.

The following donations and additions have been made to the Americana Collection, the NSDAR Archives and Special Collections Pertaining to NSDAR History, and the Historical Research Library between February and April, 1988. The list of acquisitions has been arranged according to date of receipt.

ANN M. WEIR
Historian General

The Americana Collection

1. Assorted correspondence of notable public figures in America in the 1960s. Includes letters and notes of Presidents Dwight D. Eisenhower and Lyndon B. Johnson. These materials were transferred from papers which were originally donated to the NSDAR Archives in July, 1987 by Mrs. William H. Sullivan, Jr., Honorary President General, NSDAR.

2. Deeds (3). Three deeds concerning the transfer of land in Reading, Pennsylvania: (a) Abraham Derst to Joseph Wood, April 26, 1779; (b) Joseph Wood and his wife, Mary, to Benjamin Spyker, [Jr.], July 9, 1782; and (c) John Penn, William Penn, and Juliana Catherine Penn to Leonard Feher, July 8, 1826. Donated by Mrs. Clinton R. Stimpson, Vice President General, NSDAR.

3. Pamphlets (2) and catalog. Assorted issues issued in 1987 announcing and describing exhibits and conference commemorating the bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution. From Mrs. Edgar V. Weir, Historian General, NSDAR.


5. Manuscript letters and other associated items. Consists primarily of letters from Stanley Gaines, orderly sergeant, Company K, 7th Regiment, New Jersey Volunteer, and other Union soldiers to Richard Smith of Morris County, New Jersey. Written between October, 1861 and November, 1863 from various Civil War military camps in Virginia and Maryland, this correspondence contains accounts of the war, camp life, and war-time Washington, DC. Also included in this collection are correspondence and other assorted items, ca. 1876-1898, pertaining to Richard Smith's post-Civil War association with the expanding northeastern railroad industry. Gift from Mrs. Jane T. Norman, Cameron Parish Chapter, DAR, Virginia.

6. Assorted newsletters, press releases, photographs, programs, certificates, booklets, etc., 1984-1986, issued primarily by the Statue of Liberty/Ellis Island Foundation, Inc., and concerned with the restoration and centennial celebration of the Statue of Liberty. Gift from Miss Louise J. Gruber, who was Chairman of the Statue of Liberty Restoration Committee, NSDAR.

NSDAR Archives and Special Collections Pertaining to NSDAR History

1. Papers. Assorted correspondence, photographs, etc. of Inez S. Stansfield, Registrar General (1923-1926), NSDAR. From Mrs. George J. Stansfield, a good friend of the Mount Vernon Chapter, DAR, Virginia.

2. Assorted items pertaining to the activities and history of the James Buckley Chapter, DAR. Donated by Mrs. Robert W. Simmons, James Buckley Chapter, DAR, Tennessee.

3. Audio tape recording. Recording, 1962, of a special arrangement of state songs honoring the national officers of the DAR and performed by the U.S. Marine Band. Also an accompanying letter, Nov. 4, 1962, describing the recording and addressed to Mrs. Roscoe C. O'Byrne, Honorary President General, NSDAR, Brookville, Indiana. From Mrs. Marion H. Miller, State Regent, Indiana State Society, DAR.

4. Assorted materials pertaining to the history and activities of the Benjamin Lyon Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Orval Hall, Benjamin Lyon Chapter, DAR, Texas.

5. Assorted materials including scrapbooks, minutes, etc. pertaining to the New Jersey State Society, DAR, and local DAR chapters in New Jersey, 1894-1983. Gift from the New Jersey State Society, DAR, through Donna B. Evans, State Chairman, Centennial Jubilee NSDAR Committee.


7. Certificate. NSDAR membership certificate issued to Miss Rosa Dunaly Chew, National Number 23406, on Aug. 2, 1898. From Mrs. Thomas J. Williams, Dr. Elisha Dick Chapter, DAR, Virginia.

8. Assorted items concerning the history and activities of the Hampton Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Julian Elmore Eubank, Jr., Hampton Chapter, DAR, Virginia.

9. Assorted items pertaining to the history and activities of the Ann Poage Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Kathrin N. Curtice, Chapter Chairman, Centennial Jubilee NSDAR Committee, Ann Poage Chapter, DAR, Texas.

10. Papers. Assorted correspondence, pamphlets, receipts, etc., 1917-1918, of Mrs. William H. Wait, Publicity Director, War Relief Service Committee, pertaining to the work of this committee during the First World War. Also, assorted pamphlets issued by the Treasurer General's Office, NSDAR, describing procedures to be followed by chapter treasurers, n.d., 1906-1914, and other pamphlets issued by the National Society, DAR. Gift from Mrs. Jeannette O'Neil Jackson, Noble Wymberry Jones Chapter, DAR, Georgia.


14. Assorted photographs, programs, news articles, correspondence, certificates, etc. pertaining primarily to activities during the 1930s and 1940s of the NSDAR, DAR Approved Schools Committee, DAR Student Loan Fund Committee, and the activities of the Gideon Lamb Chapter, DAR, North Carolina, the Richard Stockton Chapter, DAR New Jersey, and the Mary Murray Chapter, DAR, New York. Donated by Miss Virginia Mayo Herrick, Toaping Castle Chapter, DAR, Maryland.

15. Papers. Assorted newspaper articles, photographs, correspondence, typescripts, etc. of Mrs. William H. Sullivan, Jr.,...
Honorary President General, NSDAR. These papers concern Mrs. Sullivan and her association with the DAR during the 1940s–1970s. Gift from Mrs. William H. Sullivan, Jr., Honorary President General, NSDAR.


20. Typescripts and newsclippings from observances marking the 60th and 75th anniversaries of the Hannah Goddard Chapter, DAR. These items include descriptions of the history and activities of the Hannah Goddard Chapter. From Mrs. Bernard A. Torri, Hannah Goddard Chapter, DAR, Massachusetts.


22. Assorted items describing the activities and history of the Alamosa Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. P. W. Prior, Alamosa Chapter, DAR, Colorado.

23. Assorted materials pertaining to the history and activities of the Fort William Bent Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Leo F. Gamble, Fort William Bent Chapter, DAR, Colorado.


25. Photographs. Reproductions of early photographs of the St. Louis Chapter, DAR, ca. 1890s–1920. Includes images of chapter members, Real Daughter Mrs. Mary B. Dudley, Vice Presidents General of the NSDAR, and activities of the chapter. Donated by Mrs. Sallie S. Wood, St. Louis Chapter, DAR, Missouri.

26. Assorted items concerning the activities and history of the Toaping Castle Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Ruth Zeller, Toaping Castle Chapter, DAR, Maryland.

27. Assorted materials pertaining to the activities and history of the Martha Washington Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. James H. Robertson, Martha Washington Chapter, DAR, District of Columbia.

28. Assorted items concerning the activities and history of the Mount Rosa Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Eldon H. Brown, Regent, Mount Rosa Chapter, DAR, Colorado.


30. Assorted materials concerning the activities and history of the Mount Lookout Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. William F. Custis, Mount Lookout Chapter, DAR, Colorado.

31. Assorted items pertaining to the activities and history of the Namaqua Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Robert E. Korth, Namaqua Chapter, DAR, Colorado.

32. Assorted materials concerning the activities and history of the Captain Noah Grant Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. Alma J. Wheeler, Regent, Captain Noah Grant, Chapter, DAR, Connecticut.


34. Assorted items concerning the activities and history of the Stamford Chapter, DAR. From Mrs. A. R. Goebel, Stamford Chapter, DAR, Connecticut.

35. Typescript. List of the chapter members of the Faneuil Hall Chapter, DAR, n.d. Donated by Mrs. Willard M. Hausman, State Chairman, Centennial Jubilee NSDAR Committee, Massachusetts State Society, DAR.

36. Assorted books, pamphlets, reports, chapter records, etc. Includes minutes and year books of the Shanghai Chapter, DAR, China, ca. 1920s and 1930s; and the book Album & Livre d'or des Fête Franco-Americaines de 1900, by Jules Michel, 1900, an account, in French, of the Paris Exposition of 1900, which was attended by members of the DAR. Donated by the Office of the Recording Secretary General, NSDAR.


38. Letter, newspaper article, and photographs. Newspaper article, which includes a photograph, concerning the cornerstone laying of Memorial Continental Hall, 1904, and a photograph and copy of a letter pertaining to the French war orphan aided by the Faneuil Hall Chapter, 1918. From the papers of the Faneuil Hall Chapter, DAR. Donated by the Faneuil Hall Chapter, DAR, Massachusetts, through Mrs. John Walsh and Linda K. Curtis, Chapter Regent.


42. Pamphlet. Campaign literature of Mrs. Lowell F. Hobart and her accompanying slate of candidates for NSDAR national elections in 1929. Gift from Mrs. Dorothy R. Holt, Captain Basil Gaither Chapter, DAR, Arkansas.


44. Scrapbook. Autobiographies of Members of the Taneycomo
Chapter, DAR, [1958]. Contains typescript and manuscript essays by chapter members along with photographs. Gift from the Taneycomo Chapter, DAR, Missouri, through Mrs. W. J. Vernerti, Chapter Registrar, Joanna Swearingen, Chapter Regent, and Virginia Lucas, Chapter Historian.


46. Assorted correspondence, memoranda, pamphlets, newarticles, photographs, etc., 1982-1986, pertaining to Liberty Love Day, the restoration of the Statue of Liberty, and other activities of the Statue of Liberty Restoration Committee, NSDAR. From Miss Louise J. Gruber, who was Chairman of the Statue of Liberty Restoration Committee, NSDAR.


Historical Research Library

1. Assorted newspaper and magazine articles pertaining to American history. From Mrs. Raymond F. Fleck, President General, NSDAR.


Acknowledgement is given to the following offices at National Headquarters for their continued support through donations and additions to the Americana Collection, NSDAR Archives and Special Collections Pertaining to NSDAR History, and the Historical Research Library: Office of the President General, Magazine Office, Public Relations Office, Office of the Recording Secretary General, and the Office of the Treasurer General. Acknowledgement is also given to the many chapters which have submitted completed transmittal forms in response to the Search and Rescue Mission of the Centennial Jubilee NSDAR Committee.

The Librarian General, Mrs. Taylor, read her report.

Report of Librarian General

Activities in the Library during the period of February to April 1988 have focused on the need to shift the entire book collection in response to the addition of the ten new book stacks in early February. Nearly all the books were moved before Congress and considerable shelf space for new books is now available. While this shifting will help in the short run, in the long term, further solutions to the Library's space needs will be necessary.

With the arrival in February of the new five-drawer lateral files, the Library staff removed all documentation files from the old wooden and metal cabinets. A new home for the wooden files was found in a storage room in the basement of the Administration Building. Shifting of the documentation files into the new cabinets both in the Library office and in the Library's basement storage area is a long-term project expected to end in late 1988. A sorting project involving more recent documentation from approved membership applications is underway and enlists the energies of several Bookworm Volunteers and a Library staff member.

From February 1 to April 1, 857 researchers used the Library, or 269 more than in the same period a year ago. The number of Sunday researchers accounts for 313 of the total from this recent period. Income from entrance fees in these two months has been $4,840.04 and from photocopies $5,447.02.

Many new books have come into the Library to fulfill Honor Roll requirements. During this two-month period, 1,204 books have been added. The list of books accessioned and acknowledged between January 15 and March 31, 1988 follows this report.

The Librarian General was a guest of the California State Society and the State Regent, Mrs. Jerry Jon Strayer, at the California DAR State Conference in Torrance, California in February, where she was honored by the California pages as the proud recipient of the annual “Mother of a Page” award. She was a guest of the Oklahoma DAR State Society, Mrs. Cecil Lee, State Regent, at their State Conference in March where she delivered a talk on “The Blessings of Liberty—We the People” at their Youth Emphasis Luncheon. On April 8, 1988, the Librarian General was guest speaker at the Annual National Defense Luncheon of the National Society of the United Daughters of 1812 in Washington, D.C. Her topic was Glasnost: The Grand Illusion.

Earlier travel highlights included a trip to California in July 1987 where she participated in: a tree-planting ceremony in Long Beach with the Susan B. Anthony Chapter, guest of Miss Sharon Meigs, Chapter Regent; a fourth of July parade in Coronado, guest of Mrs. Jerry Jon Strayer, State Regent; a visit to the California State DAR Headquarters to research the archives for information for the DAR History with Mrs. Loren Meigs of the Susan B. Anthony Chapter; a luncheon meeting as guest of Mrs. Ralph J. Fisher, National Chairman, DAR Service for Veteran-Patients Committee; guest of District IV Director, Mrs. Donald C. Veronda and Mrs. Kenneth Thomas, State Historian, California DAR; a tour of the U.S.S. Missouri in San Francisco for dedication of plaque honoring members of the U.S. Armed Forces who participated in World War II, and to commemorate the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution; and meetings with Mrs. Charles K. Kemper, Recording Secretary General, and Mrs. Alan B. Hoover, National Chairman, DAR Constitution Week Committee, as a guest at their respective homes. She
attended the D.C. Historian’s October 2–4, 1987 Tour of Connecticut, participated in planning of same including placing of a marker at the grave of U.S. Constitution signer Abraham Baldwin’s mother—Mrs. Thomas O’Malley, State Historian, Mrs. May Day Taylor, State Regent; was a guest lay reader at the Connecticut State Society’s Massing of the Colors with other patriotic organizations at South Congregational Church in Hartford, Connecticut, October 4—Mrs. David Ulrich, Chairman, Mrs. Harold Hemstreet, State Regent. She was a luncheon guest of Mrs. Frank Wood, Regent, Mary Washington Colonial Chapter, New York City, and guest speaker, program on Preservation of Books at Chapter Meeting, October 21; guest speaker on Preservation and Conservation at the Washington Club, Washington, D.C., Mrs. Maurice Murphy, Club President, and at the January Meeting of the Katherine Montgomery Chapter, D.C. DAR, Miss Dorothy I. Taylor, Chapter Regent.

She also was a guest speaker at several other meetings and attended several national and regional library and preservation conferences. She attended all formal meetings of the DAR Executive Committee and National Board of Management during 1987–88.

The Librarian General deeply appreciates all the hard work of the dedicated Library staff under the efficient and capable direction of Eric Grundset, Library Director, and of all the Library volunteers—particularly those who are members of the District of Columbia DAR. She expresses deep gratitude also to Mrs. Everett R. Clark, Vice President General from Oklahoma, for her dedication to developing the American Indian Collection and to Mrs. James Andrew Williams, National Chairman, Friends of the Library Committee.

BARBARA H. TAYLOR
Librarian General

BOOKS DONATED

ALABAMA


ARKANSAS


ARIZONA

Great Register Of Voters. County Of Cochise, Territory Of Arizona 1890. 1986. From: Ira Macia Sike through Tombstone chapter.

CALIFORNIA


COLORADO


CONNECTICUT


DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA


Winkler, John K. The Du Pont Dynasty. 1948. From: Clara F. Compton through Monticello chapter.


DELAWARE


FLORIDA


Coker, William S. & Rea, Robert. Anglo-Spanish Confrontation On The Gulf Coast
DURING THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, 1982. FROM: JUPITER LIGHTHOUSE CHAPTER.


Dorrell, Dillon R. The Ohio County Story. 1983. FROM: Mrs. Jack Hawk through Marion chapter. IN MEMORIAM OF MRS. LUCY D. HAWK.


Michaelis, Brian A. Florida Voters In Their First Statewide Election May 26, 1845. 1987. FROM: Coral Gables chapter. IN MEMORY OF BLANCHE POLLEY MILLER.


Sewell, John. Printed Memorials. 1875. FROM: Coral Gables chapter. IN MEMORY OF ELEANOR FRANCES TOWN.


Friends Of The Many Willisy Library. Index To "NO Jubilee" & "We Have This Heritage." 1984. FROM: Mrs. Robert F. Fountain through Bonaventure chapter. IN MEMORY OF MAHIA WILSON LEE.


De Witt County Genealogical Society. Every Name Index To Clinton 1835-1985 De Witt County 1839-1985 Sesquicentennial History Book. 1987. FROM: Mrs. George Wylder through De Witt Clinton chapter. IN MEMORY OF MRS. ROY CLIMENT.

Cranmer, Leo. The Family Of Henry Zerriman Of Pennsylvania And Ohio. 1985. FROM: Mrs. Dennis Schuhauer through Ellis Skinner chapter. IN MEMORY OF ARTHUR & BEULAH MEFFORD KOEHLER.


Burnham, H. E. The Battle Of Gotten Heights. 1926. FROM: Dorothy Avery Van Lonkhuyzen through Toaing Castle chapter. IN MEMORY OF JOHN ROBERT AVERY JR.

Jones, Barbara & Conley, Arlyn. Index To 1860 Census Of Anne Arundel County, Maryland. 1986. FROM: Linda Deaderick Beall through Belle Air chapter.

Kay, John and Smith, Chester. The Postal History Of Maryland, The Delaware Peninsula And D.C. 1984. FROM: Bottom Cross chapter. IN MEMORY OF CAROL KIGER.

Kentucky


Ruffin, Judy. Iberville Parish History. 1985. FROM: Mrs. Lawrence A. Melthew & Mrs. Klein G. Wilbert through Iberville Parish chapter. IN MEMORY OF MRS. BRUNO J. EROS. JR.


Louisiana


Tallman, Virgil Burdette. Tallman Genealogical Record. FROM: Nancy Kay Tallman.


Of Irma Meredith Ackerman.  
Fries, Stella M. A Historical Sketch Of Greenwillage And Beyond. 1975. From: Beidel Printing House through Franklin County chapter.  
RHOE ISLAND  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
TENNESSEE  
Durrant, Jean M. Et Al. Robertson County Cemetery Records. From: Kings Mountain Messenger chapter.  
Fischer, Marjorie H. Haywood County, Tennessee Marriage Records 1859-1878. From: David Craig chapter.  
in honor of Mrs. Grace North Reed.  
James, Vida. Polk County, Tennessee Marriage Records In Volume 1, 2, 3. From: Mrs. Alfred Lee Hastick through Colonel Thomas McCurry chapter, In Memory Of Clara Taylor Christian.  
Owen Egger through Mary McCoy Baines chapter.

Texas And The American Revolution. From: Lady Washington chapter.


Virginia


Schreiner Yantis, Nettie. 1787 Tax Lists Of Virginia. From: Vivian Pollin Kritzler through Falls Church chapter, In Memory Of J. Bruce Kritzler.


Vermont


Washington


Pence, Dorothy Wooldridge. Spencer Citings. 1986. From: Dorothy W. Pence through Fort Vancouver chapter.

Wisconsin

Cornell University. Guide To Historical Resources In Queen's County, New York Repositories. 1986. From: Arline Wernecke through Port Washington chapter.


West Virginia


Wyoming


Australia


England


Members


Non-Members


Ramage, Revolutionary Patriots, John Ramage And Joseph Ramage Of Laurens District, South Carolina. From: Marty Ramage.


Books Purchased


Beebe, Mary E. Vohland. Ashland County, Ohio Research Aid #1 Hanover Township.


Beebe, Mary E. Vohland. Ashland County, Ohio Research Aid #2 Green Township.


Murphy, William L. Greene County, North Carolina Cemetery Records Vol. I. Murphy, 1983.


Weaks, Mabel Clare. Calendar Of The Kentucky Papers Of The Draper Collection Of Manuscripts. State Historical Society, 1925.

Wells, William. Calendar Of The Kentucky Papers Of The Draper Collection Of Manuscripts. State Historical Society, 1925.


Associate Curator Denise McHugh opened March 28 on the Library Balcony. The exhibition displays brass, woodwinds, drums and related ephemera which document the American band tradition. Mrs. McHugh did extensive research and wrote the text for the labels and checklist. Registrar Mary Beth Kurth, with the assistance of Ted Holliday and John Simmons, picked up the objects from numerous private and institutional lenders and prepared them for exhibition. James H. Johnson designed the stunning patriotic setting.

Curatorial Assistant Diane Berger curated the small exhibition of women's shoes which opened on April 4th. In Step With Time looks at how women's shoe styles evolved from the mid-eighteenth to the mid-nineteenth century. The shoes are complemented by contemporary satirical prints and fashion plates. Mrs. Berger was assisted in text editing and object preparation by Denise McHugh, Catherine Tuggle and Mary Beth Kurth. James H. Johnson designed the exhibition.

Two exhibitions display objects from the collections of Dr. and Mrs. Towle. Small Treasures from the Collection of Patience E. Towle includes a selection of tobacco and snuff boxes, patch boxes, bonbonnieres, vinaigrettes and nutmeg graters. This exhibition was curated by volunteer Marty Toumlin who also included boxes from the Museum's collection and contemporary illustrations depicting the use of snuff and the application of patches. Assistant Curator Judith Nordin curated the exhibition Toby Jugs from the Collection of Dr. Joseph W. Towle which shows 30 ceramic drinking mugs produced in England between the late-eighteenth and early twentieth centuries. Jim Johnson designed both exhibitions, and Denise McHugh and Catherine Tuggle edited label and checklist copy. Copy for all four exhibitions was typed by Museum Secretary Miriam Richards with the assistance of Sharon Lee. Eleanor Merica, Museum Shop Manager, provided calligraphy for exhibition labels and checklists.

During February and March members of the staff gave a series of eight lectures on different aspects of the collection. Using slides and objects included in the exhibition A Few of Our Favorite Things, they presented their program to members, staff and the public. Lectures were also given to special groups at the Museum and elsewhere. Director and Chief Curator Gloria Seaman Allen taught two seminars on ceramics to graduate students from George Washington University. She also spoke to the Embroiderer's Guild on needlework, and to the Anne Arundel Chapter on American quilts. At Woodlawn Plantation she gave two lectures on Georgetown (DC) needlework. Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Berger also gave a hands-on presentation on eighteenth century bedcovers, samplers and costume accessories to the textile guides from Colonial Williamsburg. Denise McHugh gave a lecture on portraits of women to a chapter of the American Arts Association, and Jim Johnson spoke to the Executive Club on Museum exhibitions. Olive Graffam wrote and produced a new slide set "An Introduction to Silver in the DAR Museum".

Research is underway on future exhibitions. Assistant Curators, Olive Graffam and Judith Nordin are preparing for the July opening of A Place on the James: "Mt. Wailla" and the Mildred Conrey Brown Collection. Plans are also being made for Family Record to open in January 1989 and several exhibitions to celebrate the National Society's centennial.

Museum attendance for the two-month period was slightly under 2000. Eight hundred of this number attended as members of prearranged adult or school tours. A children's guide to the permanent collection is being prepared by George Washington University graduate intern Vonetta Franda, under the supervision of Denise McHugh.

In addition to working on her exhibition and giving school tours, Denise McHugh was responsible for organizing the Museum lecture series and for publicizing it and the four new exhibitions. She continues to participate in the Museum consortium which now includes the White House, Decatur House, Octagon House, Renwick Gallery and the Corcoran Museum.

Registrar Mary Beth Kurth reorganized, prepared and inventoried the Museum's collection of silver spoons. She photographed and did condition reports for the quilts and coverlets collection. She also worked with Museum Attendants Brontia Miller and Sue King in the cleaning of the ceramics, glass and silver on display in the Museum Gallery.

Miss Kurth's responsibilities also included the processing of incoming and outgoing loans. Loans were received for the Band exhibition from:

- Archives Center, National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution
- Mark Elrod
- Fort Ward Museum and Historic Site
- Margaret and Robert Haren
- Terry Heilman
- National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution
- The Patuxent Martial Musick Collection
- "The President's Own", United States Marine Band
- Robert Sheldon
- The Trumpet Museum

Objects were sent out on loan to:
- Warren County Historical Society, "Ohio Embroideries 1803-1850."
- James H. Johnson joined the staff in mid-February as Curator for Room Interpretation and assumed responsibility for the State Rooms at that time. The following work has been completed or is in progress.

Additions and Changes to State Rooms
- California Room—Repainted and interior shutters reinstall.
- Georgia—added creamware mug, ca. 1770.
- Oklahoma—Designed and installed bracket to display the regilded eagle flagpole finial which was originally on Memorial Continental Hall in 1923. We are grateful to Mrs. Cecil R. Lee, Oklahoma State Regent, for facilitating this work.
- South Carolina—New room gate designed and installed. Furnishings have been rearranged.
- Virginia—New window treatment designed and installed. Sections of room have been repainted. New venetian blinds have been ordered.
- West Virginia—New window treatment with a venetian blind is now complete. The piano bench has been reupholstered.
- Wisconsin: The Museum has received a gift of a 17th century strong box to be used in the Wisconsin room.

Thirty thousand dollars has been raised for the Curator General's Project. This is a long way from our goal, but sufficient to allow us to sign the contract, make the first payment and start the process of customizing the software to meet the needs of our collection. With the present schedule we anticipate being able to start entering accession records by late summer. Additional funds are needed so that we will be able to complete the data entry and add the videodisk component. Donations to the Curator General's Project are urgently requested and most welcome.

Donations to the two Museum funds were down overall for the 1987 fiscal year, but they picked up slightly during the last reporting period. From December 31 to April 1, the Museum General Fund received $17,700, and Friends of the Museum received $2565. The Museum Shop continues to provide much needed revenues to enable us to carry on our ambitious exhibition and publication programs. Although wintertime is traditionally a slow period, the Shop sold $16,692 worth of merchandise. With an average profit of 40%, the Shop netted $6464 for the December 31—April 1 period. Under the direction of Business Manager Catherine Tuggle the Shop is filled with new merchandise for Congress. Arts of Independence, which is now specially priced at $15, continues to sell well.

Museum Reference Library

- Treasures from the East: Chinese Export Porcelain for the Collector by Elinor Gordon—Gift of Mrs. August Frederick Enck, Jr. in memory of Mr. Maurice Dulva.
Recent Accessions


The Reporter General, Mrs. Butts, read her report.

Report of Reporter General

Serving as Reporter General is always interesting and challenging. The Office of the Committees seems to be busy every hour of the day, most every day of the year, meeting the needs of 20 National Committees as they carry out the directives of the Executive Committee.

The National Chairmen continue to do outstanding work to promote interest and the work of their committees.

This officer is indebted to Mrs. Joseph W. Towle, Curator General, and Mrs. June Saylor, Office of the Committees Administrator, for delivering the Annual Proceedings to Mr. Dean W. Anderson, Under Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution.

Between March 1, 1987 and February 28, 1988, 265,530 items were mailed or picked up from the Office of the Committees. The DAR Scholarship Committee is a large and busy program. There were 542 applications for the American History Scholarship, 1565 nursing, 873 Occupational Therapy, 1419 Enid Hall Griswold and 271 to the Lillian and Arthur Dunn Scholarship. There were also 2734 Scholarship Fact Sheets ordered. This committee is very competitive because of the small number of scholarships available.

The very important and impressive Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship Committee continues to be very active. There were 59 Medals of Honor and 28 Americanism Medals awarded during the period of this report. A survey by State Regents revealed that the DAR Manual for Citizenship is used by most Naturalization Courts.

To award $400.00 each for the Caroline E. Holt Nursing Scholarships to the following: Mary Lynn Eagan, TN; Erika Anne Ertl, NY; Pearl Elizabeth Hicks, NC; Scott Hampton, III, HI; Janet Nadine Lee, CA. Adopted.

That the proposed budget for the fiscal year 1988-89, as presented by the Finance Committee, be adopted. Adopted.

That the motion passed at Continental Congress, April 1937 entitled “Pensions for DAR Employees (third pension resolution)” be rescinded. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that $10,000 be transferred from the Junior American Citizens Committee. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that $25,000 be transferred from the Junior American Citizens Committee. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that $25,000 be transferred from the Continental Congress Fund to the National Defense Committee. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that $50,000 be transferred from the Current Fund to the Major Equipment Fund. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that $10,000 be transferred from the Current Fund to the Junior American Citizens Committee. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that $10,000 be transferred from the Current Fund to the Junior American Citizens Committee. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that $15,000 be used from the Patricia W. Shelby Memorial Continental Hall Fund for asbestos removal in Memorial Continental Hall. Adopted.

To recommend to Continental Congress that the motion passed at Continental Congress, April 1937 entitled “Pensions for DAR Employees (third pension resolution)” be rescinded. Adopted.
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That all membership certificates and commissions issued from the office of the Recording Secretary General have the insignia engraved in three colors (gold, platinum and blue). Adopted.

To authorize payment of the bill for Fire Department personnel during the 97th Continental Congress; money to come from the Continental Congress Fund. Adopted.

To authorize payment to the D.C. Police Boys and Girls Club for services of the police during the 97th Continental Congress; money to come from the Continental Congress Fund. Adopted.

The Chairman of DAR Magazine Advertising Committee, Miss Marjorie Ginther, gave her report.

**Report of DAR Magazine Advertising Committee**

What an exciting year this has been! For this Committee the highlight was the Special Issue commemorating the Bicentennial of the Constitution. By submitting over one hundred pages of advertising, largely historical, you enabled us to achieve what we hope is a lasting and fitting tribute to this great living document. Madam President General, it is my pleasure and that of the Vice Chairmen to serve you and the National Society as members of this Committee during the Bicentennial Celebration.

Participation in the state co-op ads improved over the past year, however we need to put more emphasis on our goal of reaching 100 percent participation from all the states.

Advertising awards for the year are posted outside the Magazine Advertising Office. Prize money may be picked up at the Magazine Advertising Office. Even though we cannot give awards to all who placed ads, we do appreciate and thank you very much for all the time and effort put forth.

Now we must move ahead to the coming year. After a time, do you sometimes feel that your ads are in danger of becoming a little hum? Remember, every ad starts with a blank page. Where you go from there depends upon your creativity, inspiration, initiative and enthusiasm. There is a wealth of material from which to draw—the historical, the patriotic and the educational. "From sea to shining sea." The beginning from thirteen states, the trek over the Alleghenies to the Ohio Valley and the Northwest Territory and, then, the great rush westward. So, like the early pioneers, Circle the wagons, Scout the territory, Chart a course and Move 'em out to discover the places, the people and the events. These are the threads that have been woven into the tapestry that is the history of America—vibrant and exciting! Let this history live again on the pages of our magazine as we concentrate on historical advertising in the coming year!

**Marjorie Ginther**
Chairman

The Chairman of DAR Magazine Committee, Mrs. Victor G. Marty, gave her report.

**Report of DAR Magazine Committee**

Distributing DAR Magazine on time and ensuring that the
Magazine office is adequately staffed to do the job is highest on the priority list of this committee. When our members speak—we listen! They have been very vocal in expressing concerns about reading the President General’s Thanksgiving message in December and her Christmas message in January. We hear you—and steps are being taken to rectify the situation.

As you know the Honor Roll requirement for chapter DAR Magazine subscriptions will be decreased from 25 to 20 percent. It is our hope that chapters will not relax their efforts in the Magazine’s behalf as a result of this reduction. We must continue to instill in our members that they have a responsibility to be informed and this can be accomplished best when they subscribe to our organization’s official publication. Subscriptions now total 45,125.

The greatest single Honor Roll problem this committee encounters is caused by members who transfer to another chapter and fail to notify the Magazine office. A situation is created whereby the member’s former chapter and her new chapter are confused about which should claim her subscription for Honor Roll. Honor Roll credit remains in the member’s former chapter unless the Magazine office is informed. Achieving the Honor Roll this year were 1,284 chapters out of a possible 3,122.

The postage increase will significantly affect the Magazine. It will cost approximately $6,600 per issue to mail—an increase of about $1,100.

The “We the People” issue was the crowning achievement of the year for this committee. The excellent editorial content enhanced by Cheryl Estancia’s beautiful design contributed greatly to the success of our August-September edition—and remember—advertising paid the bills! Copies are available in the Magazine office for $5, $8 if mailed. Single copy sales have totaled more than $9,000.

The response to the Friends of the DAR Magazine Endowment Fund has been good and now that the J. E. Caldwell Co. has the pin available, we expect it to be even better. A gift of $100 or more entitles the donor to purchase a pin. Contributions are being accepted in the Magazine office.

Plans are underway to accept delivery this summer of electronic typesetting equipment on loan from Byrd Press which will pave the way for the purchase of an auxiliary electronic pagination system already authorized by the National Board.

We regret there were no State winners in the subscription contest this year. It is unfortunate also that there were no entries in the new promotional contest. Watch the summer packet for details and do try again.

Awards to the nine chapter winners with the greatest percentage of subscriptions will be presented at the DAR Magazine Coffee on Wednesday, April 20. These chapters are named in the annual proceedings.

Highlights of the year for this chairman were a June tour of Byrd Press in Richmond, Virginia, printers of DAR Magazine, and the NSDAR-sponsored trip to Philadelphia for the official celebration of the Bicentennial of the Constitution.

Deepest appreciation is extended to Mrs. Donald S. Blair, Advisor to the DAR Magazine, whose encouragement has been invaluable to this committee.

Madam President General, it is a privilege to serve you and the National Society. Thank you.

GEORGANNE S. MARTY
Chairman

The Chairman of the DAR School Committee, Mrs. Saavedra, gave her report.

Report of DAR School Committee

Thank you Friends of the DAR Schools Contributors! As of March 1, 1988 contributions from 108 members and chapters totaled $24,298.00 to our DAR Schools. Please promote this fund and wear proudly the lovely school pin especially designed by J. E. Caldwell. A Certificate of Appreciation will be presented to the South Carolina State Society, Mrs. Langdon Dunn, State Regent, for the greatest number of Friends.

It was a pleasure and a privilege to be invited to be a guest speaker at the following State Conferences: Florida, Mrs. Anthony Dobrzenski, State Regent; South Carolina, Mrs. Langdon Dunn, State Regent; Texas, Mrs. Billie Joe Lovett, State Regent.

During the Junior Bluebonnet Breakfast at the Texas State Conference it was indeed a special privilege to be the guest speaker, Mrs. John Ivancevich, Chairman, Junior Membership Committee. The enthusiastic group were very keen to know exactly how the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund was distributed and for what purposes was the money used. We know the Junior Membership Committee has had a banner year celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Pouch Fund. The DAR Schools are very grateful for the over $22,000.00 received during 1987–1988. This money provides for Music teachers, Nurse’s salary and supplies, craft room and supplies, scholarships and other necessary items that are determined annually by the administrators. Thank you, Juniors.

Berry College: Recently Berry was listed again as one of the best colleges in America by U.S. News & World Report and also in a book Best Buys in College Education by Edward Fiske, Education Editor for the New York Times. Contributions for January and February were $2,768.00 helping to supplement the extensive student work program and meeting the financial needs. An excellent 14-minute slide program with a tape recording and a written narration is available on loan without charge.

Crossnore School: There are 46 students on campus. Finding competent staff prohibits having the school to function at its full capacity.

The Student Council has re-instated the “Adopt-A-Grandparent” program at Regency Nursing Center as well as visiting Heritage Manor monthly for short programs presented by selected students. Also a very successful Valentine “dress up” Dinner and Dance took place with everyone on the best behavior ever seen at any event in which Crossnore students and off campus students participated.

Charlie Grogan is enjoying his involvement in “Little People of America” and it appears to be increasing his self esteem. Many of you may or may not remember that Charlie is a dwarf and has spent most of his life focusing on what he cannot do instead of what he can do.

On June 11, 1988 Grace Wilcox and Jenny Bond will take part in an exchange program through their French class with students from France. They will spend three weeks in a small town, Soissons, 60 miles north of Paris. Twenty French students will return with the Crossnore girls to spend time living with families in the area of the school. Funding is to be provided by two DAR Chapters and the Weeks Scholarship Fund.

The staff is very pleased to be completely moved into the new administration building. Sales in the weaving room were over $14,000.00 in the month of March. This was primarily due to the sales by the Executive Director at various State Conferences. Contributions for the first two months of 1988 were $6,667.00.

Hillside School: Many small snow storms required lots of plowing and shovelling. The boys turned out to be as skilled with the shovels as they were with sledding, snow fort building and snow ball throwing usually in the designated areas.

Campus activities were expanded so that students attended athletic events at Harvard, Holy Cross and area high schools. Two basketball teams and one wrestling team competed in interscholastic schedules. None had winning records but it provided a way to be successful in team work, respect for others and how to win and lose graciously especially to those boys who are having difficulty in other areas of school life.

Please do not forget to stock up on the delicious homemade maple syrup during Congress. Plan to attend DAR Day at Hillside on May 26. Hillside is grateful for the January and February contributions of $5,250.00.

Hindman Settlement School: There will be a two-week Montessori workshop in June with teachers from England.

The East Kentucky Tutorial Program continues to grow. It is a unique program requiring one of the parents of each child to enroll in an after-school program. The parent is trained to be a tutor in workshops and during regular weekly staff meetings. Over 500 students and parents attend the sessions. Your continued support for this worthy program is greatly appreciated.
The Executive Director furnished needed transportation from Lexington to Hindman enabling this chairman to attend the April 8 and 9 Board meeting. Miss Elizabeth Watts, 97 years old, attended this meeting. She is a very remarkable lady who has given 79 years of service, 47 as a teacher, to the Settlement. Contributions for January and February were $3,478.00.

Kate Duncan Smith DAR School: To quote Mrs. Thornton Wallace, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, “The road to Washington during Congress for the KDS Band and Choral group has been paved with chicken suppers, rock-a-thons, trash pick-ups, fiddlers’ convention, craft items sold at the Alabama State Conference, Bucks for Burgers, help from the Marshall County Board of Education, the City of Grant and many caring Daughters. The students have really worked.” Ninety-three Band and Choral students with thirty chaperones and school personnel will arrive Wednesday, April 20 at 9:30 a.m. for a tour of the DAR buildings. Please help all you can to have the group experience a very special welcome to Washington. Plan to attend the evening sessions on Wednesday and Thursday of Congress week to hear these young people perform for us.

The Cabrillo Chapter DAR of California assisted the elementary school to purchase an Apple II Professional System Computer for use by teachers and principal in the preparation of teaching materials as well as office tasks.

New paving of the entrance road and gym parking lots has been completed. This was a joint Marshall County Board of Education, County Commissioner and DAR project.

The KDS Patriot Basketball boys team competed in their third consecutive State Tournament while it was the first time for the girls team which placed second.

Campbell Soup labels totaling 213,275 in the past year enabled the school to acquire three adjustable mobile AV tables, two Apple II Computers, one Sun Power House, Professional Tripod screen and one set of Childcraft Magnet Building Blocks.

Please plan to attend Graduation and on October 23 and 24, Dedication Day.

Tamassee DAR School: The following projects have been completed:

1. The Lipscomb playground has been reworked with new grill, picnic tables and benches for all the campus to enjoy thanks to the generosity of the SC Daughters and friends.
2. The much-needed equipment for the Waste Treatment has been installed.
3. The contract for the water system between Tamassee DAR School and the Town of Salem has been signed. The water line (providing required fire flow pressure minimum of 500 gallons per minute) will be completed by May 20, 1988. A proposal is being prepared for the on campus distribution system.

Much appreciation goes to the Illinois State Organization, the Perrin-Wheaton Chapter and Mrs. Marie Schwartz for making the computer center a reality. This system will greatly facilitate the new fund appeal program. The following contributions were received as of March 1, 1988 from the Thanksgiving and Christmas appeals:

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This chairman had the unique pleasure and privilege to greet the 12 Tamassee Cloggers on March 25 at National Headquarters. The amazed and dazzled young people enjoyed a tour of the buildings before performing for the DC State Conference. The opportunity to visit the nation’s capital was provided by the DC State Society and was greatly appreciated.

Two students attended the California State Conference and now would like to move to California. Thank you, California Daughters. Six students performed at the South Carolina State Conference. Over 300,000 thousand Campbell soup labels worth more than $20,000.00 in merchandise were received at Tamassee this year.

The income of $50,000 willed by Miss Katherine Matthes and set up in a fund in her name provides that the income be used for DAR School work as long as the Society shall have the need of the income for this purpose.

A generous bequest of $103,067 from Mrs. John B. McClamroch was received through the Indiana State Society for Tamassee DAR School. The Mildred Louise Brackney Fund of $72,000 has been established. The income will provide scholarships for any DAR School graduates.

A slide program featuring the schools was presented to the Frederick Chapter in Frederick, Maryland, on March 28, 1988, by Mrs. George H. Perry, Regent, and Mrs. Warren De Coliquy, Chapter School Chairman.

The DAR Schools Supper will be held Thursday, April 21, 5:15 pm. Tickets will be sold at the school booth in the corridor of Constitution Hall during Congress. The student representatives and administrators travel many miles to be able speak to us at the supper. Please join us.

A Leap Year Special DCDAR School Benefit Style Show and lunch was enjoyed February 29, Mrs. Ferris French, State Chairman. The following ten state societies are to be congratulated for their generous contributions:

1. Indiana
2. California
3. Pennsylvania
4. Florida
5. New York
6. Illinois
7. Minnesota
8. Georgia
9. Ohio
10. District of Columbia

It was overwhelming to me to receive 100% states reporting. Thank you.

MARY LU SAAVEDRA
Chairman

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

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Rhodes, gave the benediction.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

DORLA E. KEMPER
Recording Secretary General
National Board of Management, April 22, 1988

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, DC, at 12 noon, Mrs. Raymond Franklin Fleck, President General, presiding.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Ralph E. Rhodes, read from Scripture and offered prayer.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the Registrar General, Mrs. Zimmerman.

The Recording Secretary General, Mrs. Charles K. Kemper, recorded the following members present:

National Officers. Executive Officers: Mrs. Fleck, Mrs. Creedon, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Kemper, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Boone, Mrs. Klie, Mrs. Zimmerman, Mrs. Weir, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Towle, Mrs. Butts. Vice Presidents General: Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Capps, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Neal, Mrs. Compton, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Nickling, Mrs. Larson, Jr., Mrs. Leafgreen, Mrs. Willard, Mrs. Doffing, Mrs. Strayer, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Byars, Mrs. Dobranski, Mrs. Lovett, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Showfety, Mrs. Hawkins.

State Regents: Mrs. Dekle, Mrs. Hinrichs, Mrs. Withers, Mrs. Deuel, Mrs. Golden, Mrs. Hemstreet, Mrs. Homan, Mrs. Meeds, Mrs. Drolshagen, Mrs. Muldrow, Mrs. Kleinkopf, Mrs. Hinton, Mrs. Mordhorst, Mrs. Rehl, Mrs. Rouxie, Mrs. Riden, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Bois, Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Hook, Mrs. Fish, Mrs. Moses, Mrs. Love, Mrs. Froman, Mrs. Groff, Mrs. Voiland, Mrs. Dalen, Mrs. Parington, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Goldsmith, Mrs. Rohrs, Mrs. Dietzel, Mrs. Jensen, Mrs. King, Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Wagner, Miss Flounders, Mrs. Causey, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Ryken, Mrs. Bragman, Mrs. Upchurch, Mrs. Urie, Mrs. Hayden, Mrs. Haugh, Mrs. Eggleston.

The President General, Mrs. Fleck, announced the Theme for 1988-1989, "One nation, under God, indivisible, with Liberty and justice for all."

The Registrar General, Mrs. Donald D. Zimmerman, gave her report.

Report of Registrar General

I have the honor to present this report of applications verified since April 16, 1988:

Application papers received: 140
Application papers verified: 150
Supplemental papers received: 42
Supplemental papers verified: 256
Last DAR National Number: 715749

MARTHA R. ZIMMERMAN
Registrar General

The Registrar General, Mrs. Zimmerman, moved that the 150 applicants whose records have been verified be elected to membership in the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. Thompson. Adopted.

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Alex W. Boone, gave her report.

Report of Organizing Secretary General

The following term of office has expired by limitation of time for an Organizing Regent:

Mrs. Gladys Gallop Jackson, Pearl, Mississippi.

YVONNE S. BOONE
Organizing Secretary General

The Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Boone, moved the expiration of time for 1 organizing regent. Seconded by Mrs. Rouxie. Adopted.

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

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Rhodes, gave the benediction.

The meeting adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

DORLA E. KEMPER
Recording Secretary General
INDIANA DAUGHTERS
Proudly Unveil the New O'Byrne Room
(NSDAR National Headquarters)
October 14, 1987

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Medina created and contributed plates displayed in the O'Byrne Room depicting the Seal of each state.

The Seal of the State of Indiana

A quilted, embroidered and appliqued wallhanging of the State Seal was created and donated by Mrs. Paul Krider, Sr. of Colonel Augustin de la Balme chapter and is on display in the O'Byrne Room.

The Daughters are grateful for the generous bequest of Dorothea Martin Smith of Joseph Hart Chapter which was helpful in the renovation of the O'Byrne Room.
CAROLINE SCOTT HARRISON CHAPTER
HONORS
With Pride and Affection

(Dedication of State Regent's Project)
MRS. MARION HUGH MILLER
HONORARY STATE REGENT

Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter House
INDIANA DAUGHTERS
proudly present

INDIANA STATE REGENT
Mrs. Robert P. Rehl
INDIANA DAUGHTERS
Present with Pride

Ann VanValkenburg Hammer
INDIANA
OUTSTANDING JUNIOR
1988
Eagle Creek Chapter
INDIANA DAUGHTERS
HONOR BENJAMIN and
CAROLINE SCOTT HARRISON

In memory of the only president from Indiana, the State Regent, Mrs. Marion Hugh Miller sponsored a beautification project of Benjamin Harrison's grave-site. The twenty-third President and his wife, Caroline Scott Harrison, the First President General NSDAR, are buried at Crown Hill Cemetery in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Contributing Northern District Chapters

Abijah Bigelow
Agnes Pruyn Chapman
Antoine Rivarre
Captain William Wells
Colonel Augustin de la Balme
Dr. Manesseh Cutler
Fowler
Frances Slocum
General Francis Marion
General James Cox
General Van Rensselaer
Haw Patch
John Houlton
Julia Watkins Brass
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Manitou
Margaret Bryant Blackstone
Mary Penrose Wayne
Meshowke-to-Quah
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Miriam Benedict
Nineteenth Star
Obadiah Taylor
Potawatomi
Samuel Huntington
Schuyler Colfax
Seek's Village
Wea Lea
William Henry Harrison
William Tuffs
INDIANA DAUGHTERS
HONOR BENJAMIN and CAROLINE
SCOTT HARRISON

INDIANA STATE REGENT MRS. MARION H. MILLER'S beautification project consisted of the installation of a flagstone walkway, a new flagpole and a bronze marker. Hawthorne trees, Korean boxwood and yews were planted in the area.

Contributing Central District Chapters

Alexander Hamilton
Brandywine Creek
Captain Harmon Aughe
Cornelia Cole Fairbanks
Dorothy Q
Eagle Creek
Eastbrook
Fort Harrison
Francois Godfrey
General Arthur St. Clair
General de Lafayette
Horse Shoe Prairie
Indian Reserve
Irvington
James Hill
John Connor
Jonathon Jennings
Kik-tha-we-nund

Major Hugh Dinwiddle
Mary Bryan
Mary Mott Green
Mississinewa
National Old Trails
Ouihache
Paul Revere
Richard Henry Lee
Richmond
Rushville
Sarah Winston Henry
Twin Forks
Veedersburg
Wa-Pe-Ke-Way

Washburn
White Lick
Winchester
Caroline Scott Harrison's tombstone was re-etched as part of the beautification project. An antique Victorian urn given by the Indiana CAR was placed at the gravesite, and an endowment fund for the perpetual care of the entire area was established.
FRANCIS SUMNER (1750-1807)
Onslow, N.C.
THE OHIO SOCIETY, NSDAR  
PROUDLY HONORS  
MRS. ROBERT RAY KING, STATE REGENT  
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Black Swamp  
Canton  
Captain William Hendricks  
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Cedar Cliff  
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Cincinnati  
Clough Valley  
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PROUDLY HONORS THE DEDICATED
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Not pictured: Mrs. Jerry J. Stayer, State Regent of California.

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AND THE
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Following months of extensive research by many including Cora Bradshaw, local historian; William Foster and Carol Davenport of Pontiac Municipal Cemeteries; Jerry Roe and Elizabeth Adams of the Michigan History Historical Commission and Robin Peebles of Michigan History Division, the marker text was approved. With the support of Hon. Mayor Walter Moore and his staff, representing the City of Pontiac, the marker was cast. The dedication, program and reception following was special for all in attendance.

The Chief Pontiac Post No. 377 of American Legion gave the Military Salute and Presentation of Colors. Hon. John B. Swainson, former Governor of Michigan gave an interesting history of each honoree in his address. In the absence of Jerry Roe, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams made the official dedication for the Michigan Historical Commission. Hon. Mayor Walter Moore accepted for the City of Pontiac.

**Marker Inscription**

On June 1, 1822, the Pontiac Company gave the citizens of Pontiac the first land for a village cemetery. It was “to be occupied and used forever as a burying ground.” In 1839, when Captain Hervey Parke was employed by the village to survey Outlot 9 of the original plat of the village, Oak Hill Cemetery was laid out. Many of the early pioneers who had been buried near the intersection of Saginaw and Huron Streets and on private property were reinterred here after 1839. The cemetery contains the Buckland Memorial Chapel, built of Berea sandstone in 1889 by Don Carlos Buckland in memory of members of his family. Among the monuments of note are those of Major General Israel B. Richardson, Governor Moses Wisner, and David Ward. Acreage across Mt. Clemens (renamed University) and Paddock streets was added to the original site as the need for increased space arose. Occupying the highest point of land in Pontiac, Oak Hill Cemetery has served the city throughout its history. Colonel Stephen Mack, who managed the Pontiac Company and was in 1818 one of the village's first settlers, was reinterred here, as was his daughter, Lovina, who was the first white settler to die in Pontiac. Mack's grave is one of six belonging to veterans of the American Revolution. Twenty-seven Civil War soldiers also lie here, including Governor Moses Wisner, Major General Israel B. Richardson and Brigadier General Joseph T. Copeland. Other historic figures interred here include the Reverend Isaac Ruggles, a pioneer missionary in Michigan, and lumberman David Ward. In more recent times, World War I "Congressional" Medal of Honor veteran Dr. Harold A. Furlong was buried here.
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