As many chapters begin their program year, it is worth a reminder that many of the reporting dates have been adjusted with the change in the National Society’s fiscal year. While many states have chosen to use the calendar year as their fiscal year as well, this is not a requirement of states or chapters. However, each level of the Society will need to comply with committee reporting dates that have been set forth in the National Information Packet update, mailed to all chapters in mid-May. In addition, please be sure to check the appropriate committee webpages on the Members’ Website for correct reporting dates and deadlines for contests, awards, scholarships, etc. Many of these have changed.

Each chapter will begin collecting dues soon, and it reminds this officer of a comment made to her at Congress about retaining members. This administration has been concentrating on gaining and training new members. However, we must also retain all members. When a member indicates that she is going to resign, it is our responsibility to follow up with her to ascertain why she is considering dropping her membership. The chapter should have in place mechanisms to support her in remaining a member. If she is resigning due to financial reasons, does your state or chapter have an assistance fund (sometimes called Daughters Helping Daughters or The Friendly Fund)? Would your treasurer be capable of allowing her to pay her dues in installments? Creatively helping a member get through the financial problem of paying her dues would mean a lot to her.

Others may be disenchanted with the chapter, or someone may have hurt her feelings and no one has been aware of it. Perhaps she was never included in the work of the chapter. Following up with this member may save her membership and help the chapter avoid repeating the problem. As your chapter succeeds with retention of current members, please share your successes with the Chapter Development and Revitalization Chairman in your state so that others can benefit.

The DAR and many others will be a part of the commemoration of the 225th Anniversary of the Signing of the Constitution of the United States of America. Approximately 50 leaders from the National Board of Management and the original 13 Colonies will gather in Philadelphia to participate in the activities celebrating this momentous occasion. Please share your chapter celebrations during Constitution Week, September 17–23, 2012, on your own websites and on the DAR Facebook page, as well in your Constitution Week reports via the e-Master Questionnaire.

As we enter the final year of the Wright Administration, we will continue our work to complete the historic preservation of the DAR Library lay light, to provide a third cycle of Special Projects Grants in our local communities, and to build and strengthen our membership for the future. I look forward to another year of working with you to preserve history, enhance education and invest in the patriotism of our country.

In circles of friendship, service and commitment,

Merry Ann T. Wright
President General
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News from DAR Headquarters

Office of the Chaplain General

Necrology Report

The National Society regrets to report the death of the following:


Dorothy Fendrich Dolan (Mrs. William) on April 7, 2011. Mrs. Dolan served as Nevada State Regent from 1988–1990 and as State Vice Regent from 1986–1988. She was a member of Washoe Zephyr Chapter.

Virginia Bondurant Johnson (Miss) on June 7, 2012. Miss Johnson served as Honorary Vice President General from 1996–2012, as Vice President General from 1965–1968, as West Virginia State Regent from 1962–1965 and as State Vice Regent from 1959–1962. She was a member of John Young Chapter.

Irene Goodman Williams (Mrs. Drexel) on March 14, 2012. Mrs. Williams served as Oregon State Regent from 1982–1984 and as State Vice Regent from 1980–1982. She was a member at large.

DAR MUSEUM FEATURED OBJECT

A modest silver sugar urn on view in the DAR Museum gallery recalls a bit of United States naval history. The urn is inscribed: “Nat Ingraham / Volunteer / Bonhomme Richard / 3rd September 1779.” Nathaniel Ingraham served aboard the Bonhomme Richard, commanded by Captain John Paul Jones, in the ship’s famous victory over the HMS Serapis. He became a close friend of Jones, one of America’s early military heroes. In 1818 on an Atlantic voyage Ingraham died at sea in the Bay of Biscay. According to family history, he was buried there, but his memorial headstone is in St. Michael’s Church Cemetery in Charleston, S.C. His son Duncan Nathaniel Ingraham continued the family’s seafaring tradition with a distinguished U.S. Navy career followed by service in the Confederate Navy. The U.S. Navy has commissioned four ships in honor of Duncan Ingraham.

The silversmith James Duffel (1761–1835) fashioned the urn at some point during the period he worked in Georgetown, S.C., from about 1790–1800.

Note: Page 224 of the May/June issue of Daughters newsletter incorrectly stated that Ruth Wyllys Chapter, Hartford, Conn., had disbanded. The chapter is still, in fact, active. We regret the error.

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## DAR Magazine 2011–2012 Contest Winners

### Magazine Subscriptions

The “Traveling Trophy” instituted in 1993 for the chapter with the greatest percentage of magazine subscriptions was awarded to:

**Irvine Ranch, California — 256%**

Shirley Arendt, Regent

The Irvine Ranch Chapter was also the winner of the “Spread the American Spirit Subscription Contest” and was awarded a certificate for two round-trip air tickets courtesy of JetBlue anywhere in the continental United States.

Chapters with the greatest percentage of subscriptions based on the ratio of total subscriptions to total membership in each geographical division include:

- **Region 1: Northeastern**
  - Van Rensselaer, New York
- **Region 2: Eastern**
  - George Clymer, Pennsylvania
- **Region 3: Southeastern**
  - Bigbee Valley, Alabama
- **Region 4: East Central**
  - Hart, Kentucky
- **Region 5: North Central**
  - Maria Sanford, Minnesota
- **Region 6: South Central**
  - Joanna Troutman, Texas
- **Region 7: Northwestern**
  - Tillicum, Washington
- **Region 8: Southwestern**
  - Irvine Ranch, California
- **Region 9: Units Overseas**
  - Washington Old Hall, United Kingdom

States with the greatest percentage increase in subscriptions in each membership category are:

- **Over 10,000 members**: Texas
- **7,501–10,000 members**: Virginia
- **5,001–7,500 members**: Illinois
- **3,001–5,000 members**: Colorado
- **2,001–3,000 members**: Connecticut
- **500–2,000 members**: New Hampshire
- **Under 500 members**: Italy (Units Overseas)

### Newsletter Advertising

The chapter with the highest number of chapter and commercial ads:

Lady Washington, Texas

The chapter in each geographical division with the highest total advertising revenue (including chapter and commercial ads):

**Region 1: Northeastern**
- (CT, ME, MA, NH, NY, RI, VT)
  - Mercy Hathaway White, New Hampshire

**Region 2: Eastern**
- (DE, DC, MD, NJ, PA, VA)
  - Mary Vining, Delaware
  - Carter’s Fort, Virginia
  - Dr. Elisha Dick, Virginia

**Region 3: Southeastern**
- (AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, TN)
  - Fort San Luis, Florida

**Region 4: East Central**
- (IN, KY, MI, OH, WV)
  - No Winner

**Region 5: North Central**
- (IL, IA, MN, NE, ND, SD, WI)
  - Anan Harmon, Illinois
  - Chicago, Illinois

**Region 6: South Central**
- (AK, ID, MT, OR, WA, WY)
  - Natalia Shelikof, Washington

**Region 7: Northwestern**
- (AZ, CA, CO, HI, NV, NM, UT)
  - Valley of Fire, Nevada

**Region 8: Southwestern**
- (AR, KS, LA, MO, OK, TX)
  - Lady Washington, Texas

**Region 9: Units Overseas**
- (LA, MD, NJ, PA, VA)
  - Valley of Fire, Nevada

The national winner overall:

Lady Washington, Texas

**The state in each of the geographical division with the highest total advertising revenue (including chapter and commercial ads):**

- **Region 1: Northeastern**
  - New York
- **Region 2: Eastern**
  - Virginia
- **Region 3: Southeastern**
  - Florida
- **Region 4: East Central**
  - Ohio
- **Region 5: North Central**
  - Illinois
- **Region 6: South Central**
  - Texas
- **Region 7: Northwestern**
  - Oregon
- **Region 8: Southwestern**
  - California
- **Region 9: Units Overseas**
  - Germany

**The national winner overall:**

Texas

**The state in each of the membership division with the highest advertising revenue (including chapter and commercial ads):**

- **Over 10,000 members**: Texas
- **7,501–10,000 members**: California
- **5,001–7,500 members**: Illinois
- **3,001–5,000 members**: South Carolina
- **2,001–3,000 members**: Arkansas
- **500–2,000 members**: Nevada
- **Under 500 members**: Vermont

**Units Overseas**: Germany

The states with 100% participation:

- Alabama
- Alaska
- California
- Connecticut
- Delaware
- District of Columbia
- Hawaii
- Illinois
- Massachusetts
- Minnesota
- Montana
- Nevada
- New Hampshire
- New Jersey
- New Mexico
- North Carolina
- North Dakota
- Oklahoma
- Oregon
- Rhode Island
- South Carolina
- Utah
- Washington
- Wyoming

Units Overseas
- Australia
- Austria
- The Bahamas
- Bermuda
- France
- Germany
- Italy
- Japan
- Mexico
- Spain
- United Kingdom
- Russia
The NSDAR presents the second-edition, custom-designed snowflake Christmas ornament.

This 2012 version is a keepsake that carries on the beautiful design of its predecessor, featuring shining crystals and bold sapphires. The new ornament takes the design to new heights by placing the NSDAR logo as the centerpiece, surrounded by the brilliant jewels. The ornament embodies the grace that all ladies aspire to and will be a source of pride to pass from generation to generation.

Order now to “Preserve the Past, Enhance the Present, Invest in the Future.”

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Create the Right Kind of Legacy for You!

You can leave a lasting legacy for your descendants while securing the future of the NSDAR. Some people assume that the only type of legacy gift is a bequest in a will and often feel that a portion of their estate won’t make much of an impact. While a bequest is one way to leave a legacy gift, there may be another type of legacy gift that better suits your wishes. Here are just a few examples of how to leave a legacy gift to NSDAR.

**Life Insurance**

Life insurance gifts are easy to structure and are financially beneficial to both the donor’s estate and NSDAR. Members and friends of the National Society can make NSDAR the beneficiary and/or owner of existing and new whole life insurance policies. You can designate NSDAR as the beneficiary and owner of a new or existing policy while paying the required premiums. You may even receive an income tax deduction for the cost of the premium(s).

**Charitable Gift Annuities**

Receive an income during your retirement years that won’t fluctuate with the market. Significant tax benefits also result when you invest in a charitable gift annuity. You may also choose to defer your charitable gift annuity, a plan that helps younger donors build their retirement savings.

**Charitable Lead Trusts**

Pass appreciating assets on to family members while making gifts to NSDAR. Working with your attorney and a staff member from the NSDAR Office of Development, you may realize that this is the best time to take advantage of a charitable lead trust. Simply fund the trust with cash or stock and NSDAR will receive an income while the rest of the trust value goes to your descendants. As an added benefit, your heirs may take a gift tax charitable deduction, meaning they will pay fewer taxes on the trust value.

**Bequests**

Of course, some people are just more comfortable with leaving a gift through their will. Here is some sample language you may use if you wish.

“I give, devise and bequeath to the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR), 1776 D Street NW, Washington, DC, 20006–5303, a charitable corporation created by an Act of Congress of the United States (Tax ID #53-0205923), _____% of the residue of my estate (or the sum of $____).”

Please contact a staff member in the Office of Development to create the best estate plans that will fit your wishes. By including the National Society in your will or other estate plans, you join the ranks of dedicated members and friends committed to preserving the DAR mission: to promote historic preservation, education and patriotism.

The Founders Club is our way of saying thank you for deciding to create a legacy with us. To learn more about the Founders Club or for assistance in creating a legacy with NSDAR, contact us today at (800) 449–1776 or giftplanning@dar.org.

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**New Bibliographic History of America’s Revolutionary Women**

*America’s Women in the Revolutionary Era 1760–1790: A History Through Bibliography*, the newest publication from NSDAR, provides an exhaustive listing of sources pertaining to the women of the Revolutionary War period. The compilation of thousands of references in one place makes it easier than ever to locate information about our nation’s earliest female citizens. The hardbound, three-volume set will be an invaluable resource for any library or research center, especially those with collections pertaining to history and women’s issues.

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The Museum Shop

Support the DAR Museum Exhibition Fund
(All proceeds benefit the DAR Museum.)

The DAR Museum’s Exhibit
“By, For and Of the People: Folk Art and Americana” closes September 1, 2012.
We have wonderful souvenirs of this exhibit at the DAR Museum Shop.

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Metal Rooster Lamp
Finial: Made exclusively for the DAR Museum Shop. Approximately 2½” x 2.” — $25

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Rooster Counted Cross Stitch Kit: Made exclusively for the DAR Museum Shop by the Posy Collection. Finished size is 5" x 5½". (Frame not included.) Floss colors: copper, rust and golden browns with sage and gray. — $12.99

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“By, For and Of the People: Folk Art and Americana at the DAR Museum” Exhibit Catalog:
Written by Olive Blair Graffam, curator of the exhibit, this 51-page, softbound book with color photos measures 8½” x 11”. — $25.

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Rooster Weathervane Note Cards:
10 blank note cards and envelopes. — $10

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Introducing our New Quilt Scarf:
This beautiful blue-and-white, rectangular scarf is based upon the design of the oldest quilt in the DAR Museum collection, which is pictured as the June quilt in the 2012 DAR calendar. Measures 10” x 50”. — $65

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ORDERING INFORMATION
To place an order, please call the DAR Museum Shop at (202) 879–3208 or e-mail museumshop@dar.org, Monday through Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Shipping rates vary based on the size of the order and will be determined when the order is placed. Applicable tax will be added to the listed prices.

To view other items sold at the shop, please visit our website at www.dar.org/omni/store/MuseumShop.cfm.
State Activities

Idaho Daughters Remember
First Elected State Regent

Following the Idaho State Society’s 99th Annual State Conference in April, State Regent Elizabeth Jones and approximately 25 Idaho Daughters gathered at historic Morris Hill Cemetery in Boise. State Chaplain Ramona Higer and Pioneer Chapter Chaplain Martha Schmidt read a dedication to Anna Ford Pursell, Idaho’s first elected State Regent. The costumed attendees were then visited by the spirit of Mrs. Pursell in the form of Susan Applegate, a member of Pioneer Chapter.

In 1905, the National Board of Management appointed Mary Gridley Tarr as organizing regent for Idaho, who then appointed Mrs. Pursell to organize a chapter in Boise. Mrs. Pursell became the organizing regent of Pioneer Chapter in 1908, four years after President General Cornelia Fairbanks had learned that Idaho was the only state in the nation with no DAR chapter. Mrs. Pursell became the first elected Idaho State Regent. She served from 1910–1918. During that time, four chapters were organized in the state. When the nation entered World War I, Mrs. Pursell was instrumental in sending more than 6,000 knitted garments to the battleship Idaho, recruiting Idaho Daughters, residents of a children’s home and even prisoners at the Idaho State Penitentiary to “knit for victory.”

Nevada State Conference Honors American Indians

The Nevada State Conference was held in Sparks, Nev., March 23–25, 2012. The theme of the conference was “Honoring American Indians in Nevada.” A 10-man honor guard from the Pyramid Lake Veterans and Warriors opened the business meetings with flags from each nation. The opening heritage dinner commemorated the War of 1812. Doug Mishler, a history professor from the University of Nevada, Reno, was the featured speaker. Portraying William Clark of Lewis and Clark fame, he talked about Clark’s experiences during the war and with the American Indians. The banquet dinner featured Paiute Washoe American Indians Ben and John Rupert, who danced to the drums of the Red Hawk Warrior Drummers while Sherry Rupert shared information about the tribal families. Favors given at various events included quill pens and holders, arrowhead key rings, and pouches with American Indian sayings. Nevada Daughters were honored to welcome special guests Recording Secretary General Lynn Young and Reporter General Jean Vaughan, as well as Bacone College President Dr. Robert Duncan Jr. and NSDAR Advisor to Chemawa Indian School Christine Meinicke. Everyone enjoyed themselves and learned much.

New Hampshire Celebrates 111th State Conference


State Regent Laura McRillis Kessler’s project is to mark or rededicate the graves of New Hampshire Real
State Activities

Daughters. Thursday afternoon found New Hampshire Daughters at the grave site of Real Daughter Caroline Hassam Randall. After a moving ceremony, Daughters paid their respects at the previously marked grave sites of Real Daughter Mary Brown Burdick and her Patriot father, William Brown.

During the conference, attendees celebrated the future with four American History Essay Contest winners and one Christopher Columbus Essay Contest winner. Thirteen 25-year members and eight 40-year members were honored. New Hampshire chapters rose to every challenge. In a state with only 20 chapters, 13 attained Level 1 Chapter Achievement Awards and the other seven attained Level 2.

Mrs. Kessler provided a presentation on the DAR Library lay light and set a fundraising goal of $10,000. New Hampshire Daughters did not disappoint—within 30 minutes more than $16,000 had been pledged.

Oregon Daughters Mark 98th Annual State Conference

The Oregon State Society celebrated its 98th Annual State Conference at the Oregon State University Alumni Center in Corvallis, Ore. Honored guests included First Vice President General Beverly Woodruff Jensen, who gave the keynote address on Saturday evening, Nebraska State Regent Judy Martin Ekeler (2010–2012) and Oklahoma State Regent Diane Hamill (2010–2012).

Awards presented on Saturday evening included two DAR Historic Preservation Recognition Awards; the Outstanding Teacher of American History Award, given to a Wilsonville High School teacher; and three American Heritage Women in the Arts Recognition Awards. The DAR Medal of Honor was awarded to Technician 5th Grade Robert Maxwell for conspicuous gallantry at risk of life above and beyond the call of duty on September 7, 1944, near Besançon, France. When an enemy hand grenade was thrown into the midst of his squad, Maxwell unhesitatingly hurled himself squarely upon it, using his blanket and his unprotected body to absorb the full force of the explosion. His act of instantaneous heroism left him permanently maimed, but saved the lives of his comrades in arms and facilitated the maintenance of vital military communications during the temporary withdrawal of the battalion’s forward headquarters.

Wyoming Daughters and Guests Enjoy 97th State Conference


Conference highlights included the rededication of the DAR monument at Fort Caspar, a style show by local boutique “The Cadillac Cowgirl,” a protocol session, an informative presentation on the Thermopolis “Pageant of the Waters,” business sessions, and the election of State Regent Mary Agnes McAleenan and State Vice Regent Tawnie Kern.

Old friendships were renewed, new friendships made and business matters addressed. A good time was had by all.

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American Heritage

It was a thrilling moment at Continental Congress to see our National Society award the DAR Medal of Honor to Wilhelmina Holladay, founder of the National Museum of Women in the Arts, the only museum in the world dedicated exclusively to recognizing the contributions of women artists. You can recognize the accomplishments of women in the arts in your community with our own Women in the Arts Recognition Award! Visit the American Heritage section of the Members’ Website for details and application forms. Remember that this award may be given to members and nonmembers in any nonperformance field including music composition, literature, art, crafts and fiber arts. Please consider honoring a worthy woman in your community this year with this meaningful award. Is there a woman in the arts of national prominence in your community? Let’s honor her this year!

Check the Members’ Website for new details about art quilt judging and for information about this year’s theme. Please note that the 2013 theme for historic costume is the Civil War era, circa 1860–1865. The 2012 Book of Winners posted on the Members’ Website includes photos of the national first-, second- and third-place winners. I hope you like this expansion of the book. Do not hesitate to e-mail me with any questions you might have.

Pauline T. Bartow
National Chairman

American History

With school back in session, now is the time to make sure each teacher has complete instructions for the American History and Christopher Columbus essay contests. Perhaps your chapter chairman can arrange a visit to the classroom to explain the contests, thereby creating excitement and enthusiasm. Last year a chairman dressed as Dolley Madison to set the mood of the period. Your dedication to offering these contests to the students is so important. With persistence, you may change a “no” one year into a “yes” the next! Do not give up!

The title for the American History Essay Contest, “Forgotten Patriots Who Supported the American Struggle for Independence,” is being well received, and we look forward to many creative essays! The Members’ Website and the National Information Packet (NIP) are excellent resources for further information. Please be aware of the new Educational Resources section of the DAR Public Website at www.dar.org, where your chairmen and the public also can access this information and these materials.

As October draws near and we celebrate Columbus Day, what better time to encourage high-school students to write an essay on Christopher Columbus? The current title is “How Did the Faith and Courage of Christopher Columbus Give to Mankind a New World?” This title may especially appeal to private, parochial and home schools.

The deadline for state chairmen to send winning essays to national division vice chairmen is March 1. We hope to announce the national winners before schools are dismissed for the summer and chapters have their last meetings. State and chapter chairmen need to set their own deadlines accordingly.

Once again, chapters have the opportunity to recognize past or present Outstanding Women in American History. You may honor a DAR member, prospective member or nonmember. The Irvine Ranch Chapter, Irvine, Calif., recognized 10 last year! You may view some of the women honored in the past at http://members.dar.org/committees/history/women.htm.

Please continue to stress our wonderful American history in your chapter meetings, and take the opportunity to place displays in public places to remind Americans of their past. American history is our gift to the future!

Janeal N. Shannon
National Chairman

Community Service Awards

State and chapter chairmen are urged to read the newly revised procedures for this committee. All previous recommendation forms and instructions should be discarded. The new recommendation form can be found in the National Information Packet (NIP) and on the Members’ Website under Forms and Publications. More detailed instructions may be found in the Community Service Awards Committee section of the Members’ Website. The state chairmen will administer the award process. There will no longer be any year-end judging as this award was never meant to be part of a contest of any kind. Units Overseas chapters without a state chairman will send their recommendation packet to the national chairman for approval.

Shelby A. Whitson
National Chairman

DAR Genealogy Preservation

The DAR Genealogy Preservation Committee is a team of DAR members who volunteer their time and talent to preserve the National Society’s genealogical records. The committee’s current project is the Supporting Documentation Project, which consists of categorizing more than 6 million documents used by members to support the lineage submitted on their DAR applications. The documents were scanned by member and by Patriot. Since the project was started a year ago, approximately 700,000 documents have been categorized. We need you!

The work is done at home on your computer. A volunteer is assigned a set of documents to index online. She will see the image of the document on the lower portion of the screen. At the top she’ll be able to select the appropriate category for the record. For example, the image may be a birth certificate. The volunteer then determines if the image is a single readable document, if there are multiple readable documents on the same page, or...
if the document is unreadable. She makes a selection from a drop-down list and goes to the next category to describe the document. She will select a category from another drop-down list; in the case of a birth certificate, the appropriate category is vital/birth record. Only on vital records (birth, death and marriage) is she asked to enter the year of the event from the document.

Please visit the committee website (http://members.dar.org/committees/preservation/index.htm) for more information and instructions.

Volunteers keep a log of the number of documents they categorize and may use their service hours to earn the DAR Genealogy Preservation pin or the VIS pin. The log is sent to the national chairman for verification before the pin order is placed. The requirements for the pin are explained in the instructions.

We hope you will join in this very important effort.  

_Danna C. Koelling_  
National Chairman

**DAR Project Patriot**

This year, DAR members and chapters Enhanced the Present for military service personnel with generous gifts to the DAR Project Patriot Committee exceeding $94,000. Your financial support enables this committee to meet some of the needs at the Chaplain’s Closet at Landstuhl Regional Medical Center in Germany and three new additional facilities in the United States: the Clothes Closet of the Wounded Transitional Brigade at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.; the Clothes Closet at the Wounded Warrior and Family Support Center at Brooke Army Medical Center, San Antonio, Texas; and Camp Atterbury, IA Mobilization Training Center, Edinburgh, Ind., to which the National Society provides phone cards for deploying service members from the Army and Air National Guard, active and reserve Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marines.

Chapters wishing to make donations of specific products should contact this chairman or the listed DAR contact for current needs:

- Clothes Closet of the Wounded Transitional Brigade at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center in Bethesda, Md., DAR contact: National Vice Chairman Dale Boggs. Currently, full-size containers of body wash and mouthwash are needed.
- Clothes Closet at the Wounded Warrior and Family Support Center at Brooke Army Medical Center, San Antonio, Texas, DAR contacts: National Vice Chairman Mary Ann Bowery and South Central National Division Vice Chairman Dottie Wainwright
- Camp Atterbury, Edinburgh, Ind., DAR contact: East Central National Division Vice Chairman Janice Bolinger. The facility has an ongoing need for individually packaged snack items, which may be mailed to: ISG Brian Ziekelbach, FMWR NCOIC, Bldg. 230, Room 209, PO Box 5000, Edinburgh, IN 46124–5000

It was this chairman’s pleasure to award certificates to individuals and chapters for contributions to the DAR Project Patriot fund, as well as to states within each division for total contributions and per capita contributions, during the 121st Continental Congress. Your generosity and support are gratefully appreciated. All monetary donations from chapters and individuals should be designated for DAR Project Patriot #20 and sent to the NSDAR Office of Development with Form DEV-1003.

This chairman appreciates the involvement and efforts of all DAR members and chairmen, whose support and promotion of DAR Project Patriot makes a positive difference.  

_Susan J. Montgomery_  
National Chairman

**DAR Service for Veterans**

During the 121st Continental Congress, the DAR Service for Veterans Committee presented three national awards.

The winner of the Outstanding Veteran Volunteer Award is Sergeant Grover Lee House of Hawaii, who joined the U.S. Army in 1964 and served in Korea and Vietnam. He was wounded in Operation Junction City and later discharged in 1967. He received numerous military medals including the Purple Heart. House has accumulated almost 15,000 hours of service. Some of his service to our veterans includes working in an occupational therapy clinic, transporting veterans, participating in welcome home activities, and assisting with Stand Down for homeless veterans.

The winner of the Outstanding Youth Volunteer Award is Kaila A. Wang of Hawaii. Wang has been volunteering for the past seven years. She has completed more than 600 hours of service to our veterans at the VA Center for Aging. Veterans have told the VA staff that Wang makes them feel special, loved and needed when she enters their rooms. She takes the veterans on walks, helps with crafts, reads to them, writes letters for them, and even sings and prays with them. Wang has created a program, Adopt-A-Vet, to encourage more young people to care for and help our veterans.

The winner of the Outstanding DAR Veteran Volunteer Award is Marianne M. Hughes, a member of Sarah Winston Hughes has shown dedication and commitment to our veterans, serving as a volunteer for more than 23 years. She herself is a veteran who served in both the Marine Corps and in the Army. In fact, it is hard to single out just one project as she has initiated or participated in more than 50 special programs for veterans. Mrs. Hughes continues to travel to the Richard L. Roudebush VA Clinic to host parties, help with fundraising and drive the bus.
Committee Corner

Development

During the 121st Continental Congress, I enjoyed meeting many first-time attendees who were in awe of the wonderful complex of historic buildings that comprise the Headquarters of our National Society. Sometimes, I think we forget that these buildings, which cover an entire city block in downtown Washington, D.C., two blocks from the White House, are one of the largest complexes of buildings in the world built, owned and maintained solely by women!

That’s right—built, owned and maintained by the members of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. Each and every one of us, as a member, is an owner of our Headquarters. As property owners, we must preserve and maintain this complex of historic buildings as we carry out the work of the National Society. In addition to the regular maintenance and operating expenses, there are many renovation projects that are pending or currently under way, such as the lay light restoration campaign that is part of the President General’s Project.

Did you know that of the total revenue collected this past fiscal year by the National Society, only 30 percent came from members’ dues? Your contributions and bequests represented 24 percent of the total revenue. Even with the investment income, application fees, rentals and magazine income, the National Society could not continue its day-to-day operations, carry out its programs and fund the restoration projects necessary to preserve and maintain our buildings without the generous financial support of our members. The National Society receives no funding or support from any governmental sources—we are maintained and supported by our owners, you like.

So I thank you, our wonderful donors and members, for your financial gifts that keep the roof over our heads and preserve and protect our historic buildings so we may pass them on to our daughters and granddaughters to enjoy for many years to come. If you, too, would like to Preserve the Tradition and Pass It On, please contact Director of Development Sandra Pollack in the Office of Development at (800) 449-1776.

Cynthia S. Buttorff
National Chairman

Genealogical Records

Did you attend Congress this year and hear firsthand about the incredible progress of our Genealogical Records Committee (GRC) volunteers? Did you hear that we’re nearing the goal we set to reach 20,000 GRC Report volumes by the end of the Wright Administration? The states and chapters that submitted the most records during the past year, as well as the top indexers, received certificates at Congress.

Special congratulations are due to Jeanine Dobbins, Southwest Division, for her excellent division vice chairman’s report; to Marilyn Buckelew, Arizona, for her outstanding state chairman’s report; to Jane Klotz, Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter, Indianapolis, Ind., for indexing the most names; to Mary Penrose Wayne Chapter, Fort Wayne, Ind., for submitting the most pages of GRC records; and to California for submitting the most pages of GRC records. I want to give special recognition and a personal thank you to California State Regent Karon Jarrard, who made GRC a top priority in her state. One of Mrs. Jarrard’s State Regent’s Projects was collecting Bible records, which alone contributed a total of 24 GRC volumes. This is what is accomplished with planning and teamwork. Congratulations to everyone!

We learned from information in the Master Questionnaire used to compile our reports that there is still great confusion about the Genealogical Records Committee. Our two projects are to collect unpublished original sources and to index the older, previously submitted GRC volumes. The GRC indexing project is not the DAR Descendants’ Project, nor is it the Supporting Documentation Project. It is not indexing obituaries or compiling cemetery records for local genealogy and historical societies. It is not working on member applications or conducting lineage workshops. The time you volunteer for your favorite DAR or local projects can never be valued highly enough, but it cannot be counted toward the Genealogical Records Committee.

We want and need your service to Preserve the Past by safeguarding our historical records, Enhance the Present via genealogical research, and Invest in the Future of our members through these two projects. Won’t you join us?

Beverly A. Przybylski
National Chairman

Lineage Research

Many members have sent positive comments about the advances with the Lineage Research Committee. The Lineage Research Committee has avenues of participation available to all DAR members, especially those who are interested in and those who love genealogical research. Some opportunities are new and others have been updated.

• The new Lineage Research Lookup (LRL) Board, which replaced the previous LRLV Board, provides opportunities for members to volunteer to search for evidence that is necessary to complete prospective member applications.

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• The new Lineage Research (LR) Facebook page provides DAR members a place to talk about genealogy research.

• The updated Lineage Research Minority and Ethnic Research team, previously known as Minority Outreach, is composed of volunteers who have research expertise specializing in American Indian, African American or Spanish ancestors.

The LRL Board is for DAR members assisting prospective members who do not have access to specific documentation, either locally or online, necessary to complete their applications. The requester is the DAR member who enters a Research Request, and the volunteer researchers are the DAR members who perform research in an effort to find the specific evidence requested. When found, the volunteers scan and e-mail or copy and postal mail the document copies to the requester. Rarely would a researcher provide suggestions about where to research or provide a URL for the requester to go research.

There are very important differences between the LRL Board and the LR Facebook page. Foremost, the LRL Board is where members actually perform research for prospective member applications. The LR Facebook page is where members share information about genealogy methodology and helpful URLs, however, it is not a place to ask for or perform research.

Still in development is the Cold Closed Cases project, which will begin soon. This project will aim to document specific evidence necessary to open a closed Patriot’s line. The Cold Closed Cases project will begin with the very oldest of the closed Patriots.

Keep current with the Lineage Research Committee advances by consulting the committee webpage.

Elizabeth Hawley Clark-Urban
National Chairman

Membership
There is a general assumption that resignations and drops are primarily due to the chapter’s not collecting dues. However, it isn’t really a dues issue. It is an issue that comes to light only during dues time. The issue seems to revolve around not caring enough about our current membership.

We become so focused on gaining new members that we tend to neglect existing members. We need to balance our focus between gaining new members and keeping current members. If one is involved in something and feels appreciated, then the dues seem a small price to pay. If someone feels unappreciated and unwanted, then it is an easy decision not to pay dues.

This fall provides a perfect opportunity to revitalize your membership. Set a chapter goal that requires everyone’s participation to achieve. Involvement of all members is key. The project doesn’t have to be big and elaborate. It can be something as simple as collecting Labels for Education for the DAR Schools. Most members see just the labels and have no idea what they truly represent. Create a thermometer chart with the top being the goal of 12,000 points, which will purchase a set of six playground balls. Have the chart at every meeting so the membership can see how they are doing. Members who live at a distance or are homebound can easily participate. Projects like this create a focus and can generate interest and excitement. It also allows members to visually see that their contribution means something.

Chapter regents, don’t forget to acknowledge members for their efforts. Who brought labels this month? Who brought the most? How did they manage to bring so many? Have scissors available so members can trim the labels, which will provide opportunities to chat with other members and form friendships. There are so many ways to involve the members in this one simple project. If approached with creativity and enthusiasm, small projects such as this can lead to greater member participation and significantly reduce resignations and drops.

Susan G. Tillman
National Chairman

President General’s Project
As we enter the third year of the Wright Administration, this chairman joins the President General in expressing sincere thanks for your support and continued generosity to the initiatives funded by this Project. A number of significant endeavors have been addressed by the Wright President General’s Project. More than $700,000 from this fund was expended on the restoration and cleaning of exterior areas of the Administration Building and Constitution Hall, and close to $200,000 was used to cover uninsured repairs to Memorial Continental Hall caused, or brought to light by, the August 2011 earthquake. Ten of the vestibule doors in Constitution Hall were restored at a cost of $1,000 per door. In addition, another $246,000 from this fund was awarded to community grants.

As we now focus on the lay light restoration, conservatively estimated to cost $1.6 million, it is more critical than ever that all chapters and states support the 100-Percent Chapter and State Participation Project. At this point we are significantly short of reaching our goal of 100-percent chapter and state participation. Sincere thanks are extended to those states and chapters that have already achieved this goal. On behalf of the President General, I encourage each chapter to help us reach our national target goal. All of the endeavors funded through this project are of tremendous importance to the National Society and to each member. Chapter regents, please show your commitment and resolve to see these projects through to completion via your strong support of the President General’s Project 100-percent participation campaign.

Your continued dedication and support of this Project are appreciated.

Virginia G. Lingelbach
National Chairman
Program

When selecting the programs for your chapter’s year, plan to use a variety of styles: speakers, skits, workshops and perhaps an outing. This, in addition to covering a variety of topics, will help to keep your members interested and coming to meetings, making it easier to fulfill the DAR objectives of promoting historic preservation, education and patriotism. Three randomly selected new programs available from the Office of the Reporter General are: “Understanding the ADHD Epidemic and How It Affects Our Children’s Education”; “United States Marine Corps Support for the Families of Soldiers Killed in Action”; and “Welcome to DAR.” The first is a manuscript; presentation by a member who is a teacher would be a good choice. The second is a video of a Marine Corps officer whose duty includes going to the homes of deceased soldiers—no easy task, but a perfect program for your National Defense meeting. The last program is a PowerPoint presentation and a perfect tie-in to Chapter Development and Revitalization. These and other terrific programs are available from the Office of the Reporter General. A new form for ordering is now available online. Manuscripts can be downloaded from the Members’ Website. Did your chapter have a last-minute speaker cancellation? Download one of our great programs and you are ready for your meeting.

Nancy F. Hanna
National Chairman

Special Projects Grants

During the committee’s second year 176 grant proposals from 43 states and the United Kingdom, representing a total of more than $1 million in grant requests, were received. This national chairman and vice chairmen read and review each grant proposal to determine if it meets the qualifications for judging. A total of 123 qualified grant proposals were forwarded to non-DAR judges. The proposals were independently judged in each area: 76 for historic preservation, 33 for education and 14 for patriotism. Grant proposals receiving the highest scores from the judges were approved in April by the Executive Committee. Forty-one grants were awarded totaling $245,954 funded by the Wright Administration President General’s Project. The winning grants consisted of 21 historic preservation grants totaling $113,594; 14 educational grants totaling $96,870; and six patriotism grants totaling $35,490.

The 2012 Special Projects Grants award list is posted on both the DAR Public Website and the committee webpage on the Members’ Website. The awarded grants represent a diverse group of projects in local communities in 26 states and the United Kingdom. States receiving grants are: AR, CA, CO, FL (3), ID, IL, IN (3), KY, LA, MA, MD (2), ME, MI, MN, MO (2), NJ (2), NV, NY (5), OH, OK, PA (4), SC, TX, WI, WV and VA.

Next year your chapter or state could be featured in the press release highlighting the DAR goodwill resulting from the Special Projects Grants. Members are encouraged to distribute the beautifully designed Special Projects Grants brochure, available from the committee webpage, as an informational and marketing tool to promote participation. Print and distribute the brochures to any nonprofit group or organization dealing with historic preservation, education or patriotism. There are a variety of organizations that are candidates for these grants: local museums, historical societies, historic houses or buildings, libraries, literacy programs, schools, tutoring programs, patriotic organizations, and youth groups.

Every community has groups and organizations in these categories whose work supports the National Society’s commitment to historic preservation, education and patriotism. There is no limit on the number of applications a chapter or state may sponsor.

Marcy S. Kimminau
National Chairman

Units Overseas

Units Overseas chapter members shared and reported on their notable achievements of the past year at the informative committee meeting and fabulous luncheon and bazaar during Continental Congress. They now look forward to a new year of DAR meetings, projects and activities, while they enjoy a wonderful opportunity for fellowship and productive work together all over the world as descendants of Revolutionary Patriots. Members in the United States can help these Daughters in foreign lands by becoming associate members of one or more chapters for minimal associate member dues. Chapter information and forms are available on the Units Overseas website, as are the wonderfully entertaining editions of the Daughters Abroad newsletter.

Florence F. Patton
National Chairman

Volunteer Genealogists

“Genealogy Education Program (GEP) III: Advanced Techniques for Resolving Problems with Lineage or Service on DAR Records” went live online in July 2012. If you have completed GEP I and GEP II, you are eligible to enroll in GEP III. You can enroll 24/7 when it is convenient for you. Go to the
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Volunteer Genealogists Committee webpage on the Members’ Website, click on Genealogy Consultant and scroll down the page to find the link for GEP III. The cost of GEP III is $150 for 11 lessons. The lessons focus on solving problems in a Patriot’s lineage, service and residence.

The titles of the lessons are: Finding Alternative Sources; Research Techniques for Minority Lineages; Using Indirect Evidence; Creating an Analysis; Residence During the Revolutionary War; Military Service; Civil Service; Patriotic Service; Service of Foreign Nationals; Identifying Service for a Specific Individual; and Resolving Complex Service Problems. The cost of the course is a bargain if you consider all of the content and the fact that you incur no other expenses while you stay at home and learn!

GEP III was beta tested in June, and as a beta tester I was impressed with the goals of the individual lessons and the specific content and sources provided to meet the goals. Are you in the know about "processioning," the use of a dowager’s record to prove residence, “implied residence” and the components of a well-written analysis? These are sources or concepts that could help you prove a new Patriot or lineage.

It was challenging and fun to develop and create an analysis that was submitted to the verifying genealogists for grading. This exercise provided a format and guidelines for submission of an analysis using indirect evidence.

Staff in the Genealogy Department of the Office of the Registrar General have included definitive information specific to each of the Colonies; for example, information regarding the fluctuating Pennsylvania borders.

When you complete GEP III you are immediately eligible to purchase the Genealogy Consultant pin and then earn the Volunteer Genealogists pin. (See the Volunteer Genealogists Committee webpage for information about pins.)

Judy N. Mason
National Chairman

Women’s Issues

The Women’s Issues Committee, established in 2001, provides a platform from which to promote education on current issues that are important to today’s women, focusing on the categories of health, family and career. In addition, each year this committee sponsors an essay contest with a national winner in each category. The winners for 2012 are: Family, Alice Bengel, Anne Royall Chapter, Harrisville, W.Va.; Health, Sharon Oxford, Ponte Vedra Chapter, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.; and Career, Ashley Pollock, Walhalla Chapter, Walhalla, S.C.

The winning essays are posted on the Women’s Issues Committee page of the Members’ Website. It is not too early to begin encouraging members to enter the essay contest for next year as a way to record their own personal story for future generations. Essays are to be no more than 1,800 words long.

The ongoing committee theme is “Celebrate Women.” Each chapter is encouraged to conduct programs on Women’s Issues, which can be as simple as asking members to share what women have inspired them or name women who are their heroes.

President Jimmy Carter proclaimed in 1978 that the first Sunday after Labor Day in September is National Grandparents Day. The idea started with Marian McQuade from West Virginia as a way to champion the cause of the lonely elderly in nursing homes.


Stacy L. Cope
National Chairman

122nd Continental Congress Hotel Reservations
June 26–30, 2013

The official Continental Congress hotel, the J.W. Marriott, will open reservations for Congress 2013 on Sunday, October 21, 2012, at 4 p.m. (Eastern). To make reservations, you must utilize the DAR private reservation system, Passkey DAR, online or by phone at 1 (800) 266–9432. Do not call the J.W. Marriott front desk or the Marriott reservations line, as reservations made directly through the hotel are not guaranteed the DAR rate.

The DAR block usually sells out within hours of opening, so keep this in mind when trying to make a reservation.

For more details, including pricing and online reservations information, please check the Continental Congress section of the Members’ Website (http://members.dar.org/congress).

Don’t miss out on this annual celebration of NSDAR!

Please note that the Passkey block will not be active until October 21, 2012.
Submission guidelines: 200-word limit, double-spaced on disk in a Word document file; one submission per chapter per calendar year. If including a photo, please do not send laser or inkjet photographs because they do not reproduce well. All photos will run in black and white. You may also send high-resolution (300-dpi) electronic photos as jpg, eps or tif files. Do not embed photos in the Word document file. When using a digital camera, use the highest quality setting on your camera and ensure good lighting. Also, don’t forget to include captions with your photos. E-mail files to the DAR Magazine Office, newsletter@dar.org, or mail to 1776 D Street NW, Washington, DC 20006–5303. All reports will be edited for length and content; photographs and reports will run as space allows.

Chapter Anniversaries

Chief Whatcom Chapter, Bellingham, Wash., was honored that Washington State Regent Janice Nelson graciously accepted the invitation to attend the chapter’s centennial luncheon and serve as the keynote speaker. Kelli Linville, mayor of Bellingham, attended and proclaimed May 12, 2012, Chief Whatcom Chapter Day in Bellingham. Chapter Treasurer Carol Signett spoke about the history of the chapter. Chapter Treasurer Ellen Baker presented a slideshow and raffled off a patriotic quilt she made.

Organized by Effie Evey Roeder in 1912, Whatcom County’s local chapter has steadfastly worked for a century to “Preserve the Past, Enhance the Present, Invest in the Future” through historic preservation and community service. Centennial projects include the support of veterans, the restoration of the Pickett House (built by General George Pickett of Civil War fame), and educational displays about the Constitution. With the permission of Ms. Roeder’s family, the chapter purchased a DAR grave marker for her. It will be placed on her tombstone October 20, 2012, at Bay View Cemetery in Bellingham, on the same date the chapter was granted its charter in 1912.

Members of Green Mountain Boys Chapter, San Antonio, Texas, gathered to celebrate the chapter’s 30th anniversary on April 14, 2012, with a brunch at the Army Residence Community. Attending the brunch were several former chapter regents, including Organizing Regent Margaret Chapman, Betty Metts, Delia Brister and Pat Sethney. Chapter Regent Jean Kanter welcomed members and their guests to the festivities. Guests at the event included Texas State Organizing Secretary Ann Oppenheimer, other San Antonio chapter regents and prospective members.

Items on display included the chapter’s original charter and many of the memory books documenting the chapter’s accomplishments over the years. Among them was the restored personal memory book of Mrs. Chapman, which she recently presented to the chapter. Her book chronicled the organization of the chapter and its early years.

The program provided to each attendee included the history of the naming of the chapter, a listing of the past chapter regents and statistics about the chapter’s current membership. Each attendee received a crystal clamshell with a pearl, both to symbolize the 30th anniversary and as a reminder that the members are truly the gems of the Green Mountain Boys Chapter!

Isabella Chapter, Mt. Pleasant, Mich., celebrated its 100th anniversary on May 12, 2012, with a celebration tea held at the First Presbyterian Church. Michigan State Regent Patricia Dennert (2009–2012) attended the festivities along with three other members of the Michigan State Board. Also present were other Michigan Daughters and guests. A PowerPoint presentation commemorating the last 100 years played in the background as tea was served by Isabella Chapter Regent Candace Henderson.

Another highlight of the tea was the reunion of two gavels made from wood and brass taken from the scuttled U.S.S. Maine in 1912. One gavel has been used by the Isabella Chapter for 100 years. The other gavel was given to the Michigan State Society in 1914. Mrs. Dennert brought the state gavel to the tea, reuniting the two for the first time. The fascinating story of how the gavels came to be made was shared with the guests.

Isabella Chapter also maintains a room display at the Isabella County Building in downtown Mt. Pleasant. The display commemorates the last 100 years with quilts, photos, books and other items.

On April 21, 2012, the Loantaka-Parsippany Chapter, Madison, N.J., held a celebratory luncheon in honor of the chapter’s 100th and 85th anniversaries.
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Parsippanong Chapter was organized in 1912, and the Loantaka Chapter was organized in 1927. The program featured a talk on events leading up to the Revolution and a discussion of chapter activities throughout history. Displays included a 1790 battle flag given to the chapter, which in turn donated it to the Boonton Holmes Library, as well as chapter scrapbooks, the framed original charters of both chapters, a list of the Patriot ancestors of all current chapter members, and the book *Historical Talks and Notes From the Files of the Parsippanong Chapter*, copies of which are in the DAR Library and the Rutgers Library. Representative Rodney Frelinghuysen sent congratulations and entered a copy of the chapter history in the Congressional Record.

New Jersey State Regent Diane Argraves, State Organizing Secretary Karen Stroever and State Historian Kitty Bowers attended. Chapters represented were: Beacon Fire, Claverack, Ferro Monte, Francis Hopkinson-Monmouth Courthouse, Haddonfield, Jersey Blue and Polly Wyckoff-David Demarest.

As part of the celebration, presentations for the general public were held. Topics were the Lincoln-Douglas debate and women’s dress in the 18th century.

The *Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence Chapter*, Charlotte, N.C., celebrated its 100th anniversary on May 19, 2012. Music was provided by Joe and Leslie Hanna, son and daughter-in-law of Chapter Vice Regent Marsha Hanna. On display were exhibits representing 100 years of chapter activities and popular culture. The chapter received congratulations from former President Jimmy Carter, North Carolina Governor Beverly Perdue, Representative Sue Myrick, Senators Richard Burr and Kay Hagan, and Charlotte Mayor Anthony Foxx.

Chapter Regent Susan Waldkirch welcomed guests including State Regent-Elect Peggy Troxell, who brought greetings from the North Carolina Society. Chapter Historian Barbara Reeves read a chapter history. The chapter presented two Historic Preservation Recognition Awards: one to the Lower Providence Women’s Club for its Community House restoration, and the other to Russell and Irene Black for transcribing and compiling genealogical and courthouse records. Former Chapter Regent Jean Boggs was recognized with the DAR Historic Preservation Medal, most notably for the restoration of Latta Plantation. Chapter Registrar Gail Burton read the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence and former Chapter Regent Pat Autry read the North Carolina state toast. Other participants in the program were Recording Secretary Amy Morgan, Chaplain Elizabeth Gallagher, Treasurer Fredda Kimball, and former Chapter Regents Shannon Miller and Claudia Olsen.

On May 5, 2012, Tejas Chapter, Houston, Texas, celebrated its 60th anniversary with a luncheon highlighting the chapter’s history of service. Tejas Chapter, organized in 1952, held meetings on Saturday mornings so that working women could attend. The chapter has a proud history of supporting Junior members. In the 1980s Juniors made up 80 percent of the chapter’s executive board, and strong participation has continued to the present day. The chapter has had three Texas State Outstanding Juniors, one of whom was a national finalist. The chapter won the Texas State Juniors’ Choice award twice and has won state awards for support of the Helen Pouch Fund. The chapter can boast many state chairmen, an Honorary State Regent and a National Officer. Tejas Chapter awards DAR Good Citizenship, DAR Good Citizens and JROTC medals yearly, supports veterans and active-duty service members, and has sponsored state winners of the Community Service Award, Americanism Medal and the Outstanding Teacher of American History Award. In the 1970s, the chapter organized the James Bates Society C.A.R. and continues to support its activities. Members help the children to excel; several of the young members serve as N.S.C.A.R. officers, including the current national president.

Members of Wahkeena Chapter, Portland, Ore., celebrated the chapter’s 80th birthday in April 2012 with a special luncheon meeting. Members were encouraged to wear 1932-era attire with hats and gloves. Included in the celebration was 50-year member Janet Graue, who is 104 years old. A game of patriotic Bingo! enlightened members with facts about historic battles, locations and famous Patriots. Golden sparklers were lit while...
Daughters sang “Happy Birthday” to Wahkeena Chapter.

Westport Chapter, Kansas City, Mo., celebrated its 75th anniversary with a tea at the Linda Hall Library on the campus of the University of Missouri, Kansas City, on June 18, 2012, with 85 members and guests in attendance. A highlight of the event was the announcement of the gift of a period light fixture for the second-level entry hall of the historic Alexander Majors House. Chapter Regent Peggy Evans welcomed guests, and representatives from the Missouri State Society S.A.R. served as the color guard for the opening ceremony. Honorary State Regent and former Vice President General Mary Lynn Tolle introduced special guests and state officers. Former Chapter Regent Debbie Dribben read a letter of congratulations from Missouri Governor Jay Nixon and a proclamation from Kansas City Mayor Sly James. Members also received congratulations from Missouri State Regent Donna Nash (2010–2012). Following the recognition of past Westport Chapter regents and 50-year members, Mrs. Evans presented Nancy Douglass with a plaque honoring her 65 years of DAR membership. Throughout her tenure, Mrs. Douglass has performed genealogical research to assist with members’ applications. Former Chapter Regent Janet Russell then shared the history of the founding of Westport Chapter. The program concluded with a patriotic song tribute by the group Homeward Bound. Each guest received a commemorative bookmark.

Chapter News and Events

Abraham Baldwin Chapter, Carrollton, Ga., honored member Elizabeth Smith, a World War II veteran, with a surprise 99½-year birthday party. Mrs. Smith was a trained dietitian, but when she volunteered to join the U.S. Army, she was turned down because she did not meet the height and weight requirements—that one must be 5 feet tall and weigh at least 100 pounds. She was 4 feet, 11½ inches tall and weighed 95 pounds. Later Mrs. Smith heard about the new Hospital Dietitian Corps, which had different requirements. She applied and was accepted, overjoyed to finally be able to do her part. She was commissioned in 1943 as a second lieutenant and wore caduceus insignia with HD (for Hospital Dietitian) attached to the front. She said, “It was my responsibility to see that the food was prepared correctly according to the menu. We had good cooks, but the final responsibility fell on me. I must have done a fairly good job, because after I had been on duty about a year I was promoted to first lieutenant.”

Three first-grade students from the King Liholiho Elementary School in Honolulu, Hawaii, were proud of the “Enhance the Present” banner that they designed together for the 2012 Junior American Citizens Contest. The three boys were even more excited when they learned they had won second place for their grade level in the national banner category. Award certificates and monetary prizes were presented by Katherine Johnson, regent of Aloha Chapter, Honolulu, Hawaii, at a school awards program on May 23, 2012.

The JAC Committee offers contests in art, creative expression and community service for schoolchildren from preschool through grade 12. Each year the Aloha Chapter enthusiastically supports the work of the JAC Committee and its contests. This committee teaches children a variety of skills, promotes good citizenship and fosters an appreciation of American heritage and history. The Aloha Chapter is “Investing in the Future” by encouraging and “Enhancing the Present” for today’s young students.
With the Chapters

Members of Astoria Chapter, Astoria, Ore., and Ocean in View Chapter, Ocean Park, Wash., joined together to participate in the Loyalty Day Parade in Long Beach, Wash. Several members of the group marched carrying flags, including an American flag, a Don’t Tread on Me flag, a Betsy Ross flag and a War of 1812 flag. They were followed by a small float carrying another member in the uniform of an ancestor who served in the U.S. Army during World War II. The group was awarded third place in its division of the parade.

On April 21, 2012, the National Board of Management approved the confirmation of the Atagi Chapter, Prattville, Ala., with 31 members. Chapter members along with Alabama state officers, fellow local Daughters, family members, friends, local government officials and representatives from the Alabama Society S.A.R. awaited the notification, then followed the news with a celebration. State officers and members in attendance were: State Regent Rita Horton (2009–2012), State Vice Regent Constance Grund, State Organizing Secretary Anne Parramore, Membership Committee State Vice Chairman Lisa Bucklin, South Eastern District Director Susan Matthews, Twickenham Town Chapter Regent Nancy Billings, Chief Tuscaloosa Chapter Regent Linda Graham, Peter Forney Chapter Chaplain Joan Erickson, Peter Forney Chapter member Linda Moreland and Emassee-Robert Grierson Chapter member Elizabeth Fricke.

Organizing Regent Hazel Phillips presided over the day’s events. Richard Wells and Tom Smith, members of the S.A.R. color guard, presented the colors. Mrs. Horton presented a program titled “What Influenced You to Join the DAR?” Prattville Mayor Bill Gillespie Jr. presented a proclamation to Ms. Phillips. Chapter member Ginger Jones, dressed in period clothing, presented a scroll containing a history of the name of the new chapter to Mrs. Horton.

In the spring of 2012, Atchison Chapter, Atchison, Kan., combined opportunities to generate interest in the community for DAR. The first opportunity came in hosting a genealogy workshop in a meeting room of the Atchison Public Library. Several volunteer genealogists from the Kansas State Organization donated their time and expertise for this event. Members enjoyed sharing DAR brochures and meeting potential members as their lineage was researched. The second opportunity came when Atchison Chapter members donated a hardbound copy of Shirley Christian’s Pulitzer Prize-winning book, Before Lewis and Clark, along with a subscription to American Spirit, to the library. Public awareness of this donation became an opportunity for the Friends of Atchison Library to invite the author to be the speaker at their annual luncheon, which included a book signing. Atchison Chapter members volunteered their time to assist with this important event. The chapter is grateful for these three opportunities to promote its presence in the community.

Blue Ridge Chapter, Lynchburg, Va., has focused on membership growth since May 2010, adding 20 members in two years and now approaching the goal of 100 members by May 2013. Good fun, food and fellowship plus outstanding programs are just some of the components that helped to nurture and reinvigorate a 117-year-old chapter founded in 1895. The May annual luncheon and business meeting was a great
example of the sisterhood of Daughters. Lauren Williams, the chapter’s youngest Junior member and co-hostess, cut and served the birthday cake for the chapter’s oldest member, 97-year-old Dorothy Ingham, herself a descendant of the founder of Lynchburg, John Lynch. At the celebration, Mrs. Ingham was surrounded by Blue Ridge Chapter members, including three other 80-plus birthday girls: Helen Seals, Dorothy Hagen and Mary Frances Lemon.

Other recent chapter meetings included a celebration of the Constitution in the Supreme Court Room of Liberty University’s law school; a visit to the home of Patrick Henry; a Christmas party with historic music at the home of Chapter Regent Elaine Roy; Mayor Joan Foster speaking about women in elected community service; and in December the fourth annual Wreaths Across America community event, co-sponsored with the James River Chapter, during which 1,024 wreaths were laid on the graves of veterans in the historic Old City Cemetery.

On May 19, 2012, in South Charleston, W.Va., at the 107th West Virginia State Conference, Michael Sheets, a history teacher at Huntington Middle School, was honored as the West Virginia 2012 Outstanding Teacher of American History. He was introduced by Patricia Daugherty, former Buford Chapter Regent Patricia Daugherty was waiting backstage with her baggage to take her to the airport for another of her trips to aid those in need. Congratulations, Mrs. McCain, for an award well-earned and deserved.

Veterans Day is special for Captain Molly Corbin Chapter, Grapevine, Texas. In 2011, members placed more than 500 American flags at Grapevine Historical Cemetery on the graves of those who served in the military from the Civil War to the Afghanistan and Iraq conflicts. As each flag was placed, a silent prayer was said for the veteran buried there. To conclude the special project, Daughters then gathered for a Veterans Day ceremony with historical presentations, prayers and songs. The chapter also holds an annual luncheon in November. The funds raised at that luncheon are donated to the veterans’ outpatient clinic in Fort Worth. With the proceeds, the chapter was able to purchase items needed by the hospital, such as two flat screen televisions and a refrigerator. The membership is deeply committed to the Veterans History Project. Plans are well underway for lots of interviews with the veterans who live in the historic town of Grapevine. Local veterans are being well remembered by Captain Molly Corbin Chapter, but just to make sure that these gallant men and women are not forgotten, the chapter signed and hand-delivered almost 500 greeting cards to the Veterans Hospital in Fort Worth.

Cindy Hensley McCain, wife of U.S. Senator John McCain, was presented the DAR Medal of Honor on May 4, 2012, at the 110th Arizona State Conference. Mrs. McCain was nominated for this prestigious award by Camelback Chapter, Phoenix, Ariz., because of her many unusual and lasting contributions to our American heritage, and for truly giving of herself to her community, state, country and fellow man. She sits on many boards of directors or trustees and travels the world to increase awareness of many international charitable organizations and the work they do to make our world a better place. She founded and directed the American Voluntary Medical Team (AVMT) and has led 55 medical missions to third-world and war-torn countries, giving medical assistance where it is needed most.

Mrs. McCain continues to work with various organizations in this country and abroad, and even as she accepted and spoke of her gratitude for the award, her assistant was waiting backstage with her baggage to take her to the airport for another of her trips to aid those in need. Congratulations, Mrs. McCain, for an award well-earned and deserved.
Captain Robert Orr Chapter, Brainerd, Minn., honored Dr. C. Perry Schenk with a Community Service Award for his lifetime of volunteer service in the fields of historic preservation, education and patriotism. Schenk received the award and pin at the chapter’s June meeting. He has volunteered more than 10,000 hours during the past few years for a wide range of educational, civic and veterans’ concerns. He volunteers his time and talents at Sherburne County Wildlife Refuge, Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve, and at the St. Cloud VA Health Care System, where he has repaired wheelchairs for veterans for the past 10 years. Schenk is the surviving spouse of Lola Schenk, who served DAR in many capacities, including as Minnesota State Regent and Vice President General. As a team, the Schenks devoted many hours to DAR interests, especially the schools.

For her professional career and lifelong personal work and interest in conservation, Coralee Fox received the prestigious state Conservation Award. The certificate, ribbon and pin were presented at the 119th Minnesota State Conference in Rochester, Minn., by Conservation Committee State Chairman Cindy K. Hoffmann.

During the New Mexico State Conference, the Charles Dibrell Chapter, Albuquerque, N.M., was honored to present the State Community Service Award to Jim Stanek, who with the assistance of his wife, Lindsay, and many volunteers founded Paws and Stripes, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Paws and Stripes assists wounded veterans of the United States military who are suffering from post traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and traumatic brain injury (TBI) by working to provide them with service dogs. After six and a half years in the military, the U.S. Army retired Stanek due to his many physical injuries, chronic and severe PTSD, and TBI. During recovery, Jim found that he felt the most comfortable when there was a therapy dog with him. Being unable to obtain a therapy dog through an existing organization, he and his wife were inspired to form an organization dedicated to helping homeless animals and injured veterans. Paws and Stripes was incorporated in 2010. The Staneks were faced with a problem and created a solution not only for themselves, but also for others.

“Congratulations on your chapter sponsoring a Special Projects Grants Committee project for the Clarion County Historical Society for archival materials to preserve endangered books, photographs and textiles,” read a letter from Marcy Kimminau, National Chairman of the Special Projects Grants Committee, to Betty Elza, regent of Clarion County Chapter, Clarion, Pa. It was Mrs. Elza who encouraged historical society director Mary Lea Lucas to apply for the grant. Lucas developed a grant proposal and was notified on April 25, 2012, that the historical society had won an award for $2,000. Both Mrs. Elza and Lucas, advocates for historic preservation, are delighted that this project has been funded, because budget cuts at the local and state levels have devastated the historical society’s budget in recent years, hampering its efforts to achieve its goals. Final distribution to the historical society will take place following the completion of the project and the submission of a final report to the NSDAR within a year of the grant award.

This grant was one of four awarded in the state of Pennsylvania. The grants are part of the Wright Administration President General’s Project to provide funding for efforts in local communities that promote historic preservation, education and patriotism.

Colonel John Washington-Katherine Montgomery Chapter, Washington, D.C., held an unusually progressive swearing-in ceremony on May 12, 2012, at the Chapter House in Washington, D.C. District of Columbia State Regent Shari Thorne-
Sulima (2010–2012) officiated. Chapter Regent Annie John took her oath via Skype, because she was in Budapest at the time visiting Kristine Marsh, the chapter’s outgoing corresponding secretary. During the same ceremony, Mrs. Thorne-Sulima administered the oath of office to Chapter Historian Pat Bell via telephone, as she was in Houston.

Commodore Joshua Barney-John Eager Howard Chapter, Towson, Md., held a grave-marking ceremony honoring the chapter namesakes on April 28, 2012, at Old St. Paul’s Cemetery in Baltimore, Md. Several descendants of John Eager Howard and Joshua Barney were in attendance for the unveiling of the markers, along with members from the DAR, Maryland S.A.R. and United States Daughters of the War of 1812. The chapter dedicated a DAR Revolutionary War marker and an S.A.R. marker for both men. In addition to his DAR and S.A.R. markers, a War of 1812 marker was also dedicated for Joshua Barney.

John Eager Howard is known for his service in the Revolutionary War and also for serving the state of Maryland as governor from 1789–1791. Joshua Barney is known for his service in both wars, but his main accomplishment came during the War of 1812, when he commanded a flotilla charged with defending the Chesapeake Bay. The chapter also obtained a state of Maryland proclamation along with a mayoral proclamation from the city of Baltimore declaring April 28, 2012, as Commodore Joshua Barney-John Eager Howard Day.

Three Florida chapters, Cora Stickney Harper Chapter, Fort Pierce, Fla.; Seminole Chapter, West Palm Beach, Fla.; and Okeechobee Chapter, Okeechobee, Fla., recently conducted a rededication ceremony for the Battle of Okeechobee Historic Monument honoring Colonel Richard Gentry of the Missouri Volunteers, as well as the federal soldiers and Seminole American Indians killed in the 1837 Christmas Day battle. The monument was originally placed and dedicated on November 11, 1939, with funds given by the descendants of Colonel Richard Gentry and the Florida State Society. Through the cooperation of the three DAR chapters and local businesses, the monument was moved on November 17, 2011, to the new Battle of Okeechobee State Park.

The rededication ceremony took place on February 4, 2012, during the annual re-enactment of Florida’s fiercest Seminole War battle. Honored guests included Honorary Florida State Regent Barbara Whalin Makant; former State Historian Annelies Mouring; Elizabeth Gentry Sayad, great-great-granddaughter of Col. Gentry; leaders from the Seminole Tribe; and state and local officials. Mrs. Sayad’s granddaughters, Lily Elizabeth Todd Gentry and Adrienne Gentry Sayad, unveiled the monument as their grandmother did in 1939. Mark Nelson of the Florida Park Service accepted the monument as the first permanent installation in the new state park.

Cumberland County Chapter, Carlisle, Pa., dedicated an outdoor commemorative bench on May 25, 2012. The bench is located near the American Revolutionary War Exhibit along the “Army Heritage Trail” at the U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center in Carlisle. A plaque affixed to the bench reads, “Dedicated May 2012 by the Cumberland County Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution to honor the patriots who led this country to independence and all those who uphold its freedom."

“We are proud of this symbolic placement to honor our military past, present and future,” said Chapter Regent Debra Kohr Sheppard. “What more appropriate time is there to commemorate those heroes than during the Memorial Day weekend?”

Army Heritage Center Foundation (AHCF) Executive Director Mike Perry presented the chapter with a framed certificate stating, “Through your contribution, the stories of the men and women
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who have selflessly served our nation will come to life in the Army’s premier historical research facility.” The AHCF, in cooperation with the U.S. Army and their other partners, serves as the lead agency supporting the development and expansion of the U.S. Army Heritage Center.

De Shon Chapter, Boone, Iowa, held its May meeting at the restored birthplace of former first lady Mamie Doud Eisenhower, at 709 Carroll Street in Boone. The staff, officers and board members of the Boone County Historical Society, which oversees the birthplace, attended as guests.

Attendees were encouraged to wear pink, Mrs. Eisenhower’s favorite color.

The meeting honored the memory of Mamie Doud Eisenhower by recognizing her with a Women in American History Award, which is given to women who have made significant positive contributions to our American history. American History Committee Chapter Chairman Joan Hamilton, Chapter Regent Melissa Franks and Chapter Registrar Dorothy Crooks noted that Mrs. Eisenhower was a member of DAR, as was her granddaughter, Susan Eisenhower.

Chapter Regent Melissa Franks presented the award certificate to Charles Irwin, executive director of the society, who stated that, “Not only was Mamie born in Boone, but she and President Eisenhower [also] returned to visit her family here, including her Uncle Joel Carlson, who remained living in Mamie’s grandparents’ home.”

Refreshments included “Mamie’s Million Dollar Fudge” and sugar cookies from Mamie’s White House recipe files.

On Friday, May 30, 1913, at the Acton Cemetery, located seven miles east of Granbury, Texas, a 28-foot marble monument erected by the state of Texas at the grave site of Elizabeth Patton Crockett, widow of Alamo hero David Crockett and daughter of Revolutionary War soldier Robert Patton, was unveiled in a ceremony attended by numerous visitors and Crockett descendants. A similar scene unfolded nearly 100 years later when on June 2, 2012, the Elizabeth Crockett Chapter, Granbury, Texas, unveiled a DAR commemorative marker at the grave site of the chapter’s namesake in what is now Texas’ smallest state park. The marker was placed at the historic site in recognition of Elizabeth’s lineage from Robert Patton, who served as a soldier in the North Carolina Militia.

Numerous DAR members from across Texas attended the ceremony, including Recording Secretary General Lynn Young. Several direct descendants of David and Elizabeth Patton Crockett also were present. State Senator Brian Birdwell and Texas Poet Laureate Sherrod Fields served as guest speakers. Dr. Gary Sisson and Marcy Carter-Lovick, in full costume and character, portrayed the historical couple David and Elizabeth Patton Crockett during the dedication ceremony.

Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita, Kan., was honored to learn that chapter member Dorthea Corrigan was named national winner of the American Heritage Fiber Arts Contest, Hand Quilted Category. Her quilt, titled “Home on the Range,” honors Kansas’ heritage through its state song. Ms. Corrigan created the quilt using her own designs depicting Kansas plants and animals to illustrate the state’s history. From the teepees of the American Indians to log cabins, bison, coyotes, prairie chickens and sunflowers, she covers many aspects of early and modern life on the Kansas plains. The hand-quilted entry is appropriately edged with prairie points.

Ms. Corrigan “Enhances the Present” by displaying her quilt at schools and other venues, where she discusses the importance of preserving our history and environment. This was particularly appropriate during the recent celebration of Kansas’ 150th birthday. Ms. Corrigan displayed her quilt at the Kansas DAR State Conference, and it was on exhibit at Continental Congress, where many Daughters could enjoy its beauty and symbolism.

Fernanda Maria Chapter, Van Nuys, Calif., is proud of its four-generation family of members in DAR and C.A.R. First to join DAR was Sharman Potter Borncamp, who...
has held many chapter offices. She joined more than 25 years ago, citing the service of Salah Bosworth, an ancestor in her father’s family. Mrs. Borncamp’s mother, Janette Conley Potter, became a DAR member about five years ago after tracing her lineage to Revolutionary ancestor George Elder. Mrs. Borncamp’s four children—Jennifer, Johnny, Barbara and Lucas—became members of the Children of the American Revolution soon after birth. Both Jennifer and Barbara were debutantes at the California DAR State Conference. As they aged out of C.A.R., the daughters joined the Fernanda Maria Chapter and the sons joined the Liberty Tree Chapter S.A.R. and the Sons of the Revolution. In addition, Lucas was the California C.A.R. state president from 2008–2009. Jennifer Borncamp Wieckowski’s children—Allison, Nicholas and Kelly Wieckowski—are now members of C.A.R. Mrs. Borncamp says, “I am constantly threatening my husband John that I am going to do his papers to join the S.A.R. and S.R., as many of his aunts were DAR members.”

Fincastle Chapter, Louisville, Ky., along with supporters of Historic Locust Grove, dedicated a historical marker honoring William Croghan on June 3, 2012, at Cave Hill Cemetery. Croghan was born in 1752 in Dublin, Ireland, and arrived in America about 1768. He was a surveyor for the Crown and worked with George Rogers Clark. When war broke out, he signed up to fight for the British, but later signed the oath of allegiance to the Continental Army. As a scout, he was present at the Delaware crossing and the battles of Trenton, Princeton, Brandywine, Germantown and Monmouth. He wintered at Valley Forge in 1777–1778. In 1780, he was captured at Charleston along with Jonathan Clark, George’s brother. He also witnessed Cornwallis’ surrender and ended the war as a major. He was an original member of the Society of the Cincinnati.

After the war, he went west to Kentucky and in 1789 married Lucy, sister to Generals George Rogers, William and Jonathan Clark. William Croghan died at Locust Grove in 1822 and was buried there in the family cemetery. In 1916, the family was reinterred at Cave Hill Cemetery.

On May 4, 2012, the Fort GreeneVille Chapter, Greenville, Ohio, joined with the Darke County Center for the Arts to mark the 100th anniversary of the Henry St. Clair Memorial Hall. Daughters dressed in period attire sold tickets and conducted tours of the 100-year-old historical landmark. Fort GreeneVille Chapter member Karen Burkett and John Burkett, her husband, portrayed Ella and Henry St. Clair to host the evening’s events. During short intermissions between acts they talked about how the memorial hall came to be, the lives of the St. Clairs and the era in which they lived. More than $1,200 was raised for the Memorial Hall Restoration Fund during the event.

The center was built over the course of 10 years to mark the westward migration of the pioneers. In August 2011, the Fort
Halleck Chapter made a $2,500 donation to the center, which was used to purchase a projector and sound equipment for the multimedia room. This is one way in which the Fort Halleck Chapter preserves the local heritage.

On October 27, 2006, the Let Freedom Ring Committee, consisting of judges, attorneys and legal professionals, unveiled an exact replica of the original Liberty Bell in Centennial Plaza, a park located between the U.S. District Courthouse and the Clark County Regional Justice Center in downtown Las Vegas. On May 4, 2012, members of Francisco Garces Chapter, Las Vegas, Nev., attended the rededication of the Las Vegas Liberty Bell. The chapter was listed as one of many Let Freedom Ring donors. Former Chapter Regent Jan Thompson led the effort to involve the Nevada State Society in the original Liberty Bell project in 2005–2006 to coincide with then-President General Presley Merritt Wagoner’s theme “The Bell of Freedom … The Sound of Patriotism.”

Attorney John Mowbray conducted the rededication program, which included presentations to two Liberty Bell Award winners. State Regent-Elect Rebecca Eisenman announced poster contest winners from several local elementary schools, and Judge Lloyd D. George spoke about the importance of the Liberty Bell. It was a beautiful spring day for this patriotic event attended by the Las Vegas legal community and many DAR members.

On December 4, 2011, Katuktu Chapter, Tustin, Calif., placed a historic marker commemorating the importance of the old Santa Fe Train Depot in downtown Orange, Calif. The marker recognizes the significant contribution the railroad made to the growth of the local community by allowing fresh fruit to be shipped throughout the United States. The marker is featured on the wall at the Santa Fe Train Depot just west of downtown Orange. Without the depot and the passengers and trade brought with it, the city of Orange might have developed in an entirely different direction. The installation of the marker fulfills the DAR objective of promoting historic preservation. Katuktu Chapter collaborated with the city of Orange and the Old Town Preservation Association. Phil Brigandi, a renowned Orange County historian, described the history of the depot and commended the DAR on its placement of historic markers long before the historic preservation movement became popular.

On June 16, 2012, Linares Chapter, San Diego, Calif., together with San Diego Chapter S.A.R. and the Red White and Blue Society C.A.R. participated in the second annual Flag Day celebration aboard the U.S.S. Midway Museum in San Diego. The Mountain Fife and Drum Corps of Lake Arrowhead, Calif., performed prior to the event on the hangar deck and gathered on the flight deck carrying their instruments and flags. The 75 young people played their fifes and drums with flags blowing in the wind as they marched toward the seated crowd, and drew a standing ovation.

The Marine Corps Band Brass Quintet entertained with patriotic music. The Marine Corps and S.A.R. provided the color guard. Linares Chapter distributed 720 small American flags and copies of the U.S. Flag Code. All 10 chapters of California District XIV were represented, and
State Regent Karon Jarrard also attended. Chapter Regent Lillian Leslie presented to Mac McLaughlin, CEO of the Midway Museum, a beautiful pictorial history of last year’s event and an 8- by 12-foot American flag, which was hoisted by Flag Day Chairman Paula-Jo Cahoon and her 5-year-old grandson Cooper Millhouse, a C.A.R. member, as the S.A.R. provided a musket salute from the catwalk high above the flight deck.

On May 9, 2012, members of Long Leaf Pine Chapter, Ruston, La., delivered more than 1,025 items to the Northeast Louisiana War Veterans Home in Monroe, La. DAR Service for Veterans Committee Chapter Chairman Louise Tull spearheaded the project to provide personal care, useful and fun items to the 150 men and women who reside there. Items were donated by chapter members, local businesses and friends. Donations included nearly 200 hats, drawstring pants, more than 100 crossword and word search books, pens, pencils, letter openers, notebooks, large-print reading material, dominoes, jigsaw puzzles, lotions and creams, body powder and deodorants, shaving items, soaps, toothpaste, shampoo, more than 100 individually wrapped cracker snacks, 28 boxes of candy, notecards, postage stamps, and travel bags.

The veterans watched the boxes and bags of donations being opened and distributed. The staff will use some items as prizes for bingo and other events. As one gentleman thanked the chapter, he remarked that now he had a cap for both summer and winter.

Karen Buchwald Wright was the 2012 first-place Community Service Award winner for the Ohio Society and the NSDAR East Central Division. Wright, who was nominated for the award by Lucy Knox Chapter, Mount Vernon, Ohio, has provided the local community with many life enhancement gifts and leadership. Her company, Ariel Corporation, affects the employment of thousands of people across Ohio and the United States. Wright shows she cares about her community and her company by producing the highest-quality compressors marketed worldwide.

Wright’s gifts go far beyond the local community and include the new George Washington Library at Mount Vernon. Her funding provided for the reading room in the library and 4,000 George Washington portraits for schools across our nation. Wright is a well-known contributor to St. Jude Children’s Hospital, funding bone marrow transplant research with incredible results. She has been a leading contributor to Wounded Warriors, Disabled Sports USA and several other military charities. The severely wounded servicemen and women participate in many different sports once they are stabilized. It has been found that the wounded who stick with a sports regimen have been better able to resume life independently.

Malcolm Hunter Chapter, Moore, Okla., honored Linda Cavanaugh, an award-winning newscaster for NBC affiliate KFOR-TV (Channel 4), in Oklahoma City, Okla., with the prestigious Women in American History Award. The presentation was made at the May 9, 2012, awards luncheon held at the Hillcrest Presbyterian Church in Oklahoma City.

Certificates and medals were also presented to JROTC students from five area schools: Air Force JROTC Cadet Raina Lafever; Navy JROTC Cadet Ensign Marcia Martinez; Army JROTC Cadet First Lieutenant Heather Moore; Navy JROTC Cadet Seaman Apprentice Alejandra Gutierrez; and USMC JROTC Cadet Captain Marcelino Lopez.

The chapter presented two Community Service Awards as well. Gerald and Glenda Lee Bottle were recognized for their environmental conservation work, which involved the purchase and distribution of 46 bird feeders to Oklahoma state parks. The other award went to Jeanetta Spires for her donation of hand-knitted hats to the Salvation Army.

The new officers for 2012–2014 were also installed: Regent Ruth Johnson; First Vice Regent Betty Worley; Second Vice Regent Cindy Hutchcroft; Chaplain Lola Ames; Recording Secretary Joann Winters; Treasurer Patricia Townes; Registrar Patsy Watson; and Librarian Carol Meadows.
Together, Martha Devotion Huntington Chapter, Bay Village, Ohio, and Nathan Perry Chapter, Lorain, Ohio, welcomed Ohio State Regent Sharlene Shoaf to a May luncheon at the Vermilion Boat Club. Members from 10 chapters from Chagrin Falls to Sandusky to Mansfield were in attendance.

Mrs. Shoaf gave an inspiring speech on the objectives of the Ohio Society. She emphasized that all chapters must commit to increasing membership. The program included musical interludes played on a hammered dulcimer. The performer, Bob Bellamy, entertained those at his table by recounting the instrument’s history. He was dressed in a Colonial period costume, as were the greeters stationed outside the building. Other highlights included the installation of incoming officers and new members of both chapters. Mrs. Shoaf officiated at both installations.

A 25-year certificate was awarded to Nathan Perry Chapter member Ricki Herdendorf. Special commendation was given to 50-year Nathan Perry Chapter member Diane Trinter, current chapter recording secretary and former chapter regent. Her numerous contributions to the community, the chapter and the field of historic preservation were enumerated.

A donation from both chapters was presented to the State Regent’s Project. Each departing guest was given an inkwell and a beautiful graphic rendition of the American’s Creed.

Mary Isham Keith Chapter, Fort Worth, Texas, has presented three major awards during 2012. At the George Washington Luncheon in February, the Ellen Hardin Walworth Founders Medal for Patriotism was presented to Honorary Chapter Regent Joye Kirk Evetts in recognition of her patriotic volunteer service to the community, county and state as a member of the Texas Silver Haired Legislature. The award was presented by Recording Secretary General Lynn Young and past Recording Secretary General Joy Cardinal.

In May, the Historic Preservation Recognition Award was presented to the membership of the Woman’s Club of Fort Worth for outstanding efforts in the acquisition, restoration and preservation of their architecturally and historically significant buildings where chapter meetings have been held since 1925. Today, the club’s multimillion-dollar complex encompasses two city blocks.

The DAR Women in the Arts Recognition Award was presented to well-known Fort Worth artist Jo Ann Durham for her outstanding and innovative contributions in the field of experimental art. The development of her unique encaustic technique has earned international honors, awards and recognition. Listed in Whose Who in American Art, Mrs. Durham generously shares her artistic talents as chapter first vice regent.

Mary Mattoon Chapter, Amherst, Mass., has returned to its home. When Mabel Loomis Todd organized the chapter in 1896, she leased and refurbished a meeting room in one of the oldest houses in town. Writer, social activist and DAR member Julia Ward Howe traveled to Amherst to help dedicate the Mary Mattoon Room, which displayed many historical artifacts donated to the new chapter.

Members of the chapter founded the Amherst Historical Society, which inherited the entire building for use as a museum. Daughters met in the Mary Mattoon Room until 1987, when structural repairs forced them out for three years. The room was then given new uses, leaving the chapter homeless.

Twenty-five years elapsed. Daughters wandered from one temporary meeting place to another, often in other towns. Older members kept alive the memory of having once enjoyed a permanent meeting room, now lost to an organization that the chapter itself had founded.

Then Chapter Regent Jane Crutchfield approached the Amherst Historical Society to open a fresh dialogue, and the doors of the Mary Mattoon Room opened in welcome. In March 2012, with delight and gratitude, this wandering chapter at last returned home.
In April, three members of Nancy Anderson Chapter, Lubbock, Texas, received the chapter’s highest honor, the Nancy Anderson Award, for their dedication, leadership, thoughtfulness and enthusiasm in their service to the chapter.

Honorees were Louise Reynolds, Nadine McDonald and Jane Garrett. The Nancy Anderson Chapter was the first DAR chapter in Lubbock, having been formed in 1926.

On May 12, 2012, Old Choctaw County Chapter, Eupora, Miss., dedicated a historical marker to commemorate the location of Greensboro, Miss. Choctaw County was formed in 1834 with Greensboro named as the first county seat. In 1872 Choctaw was divided into two counties, leaving Greensboro in the new county of Sumner, later renamed Webster County.

Chapter Regent Sheila Fondren welcomed more than 70 guests to the ceremony held in the beautiful new chapel at Greensboro Cemetery. Wearing Revolutionary War dress uniforms, S.A.R. members Lynn Herron and John Taylor presented the colors. They were accompanied on the bagpipes by Forrest Clark in traditional Scottish Highlander attire. Chief Mussacunna Chapter Regent Dorothy Herron sang the national anthem. Both national and state officers were present to lend their support.

Elizabeth Cummings presented a history detailing Greensboro’s rugged and vibrant past. The factual elements were taken from the journal of John F. Johnson, great-grandfather of Mrs. Cummings.

Ms. Fondren and Chapter Chaplain Mary Lynn Hardy dedicated the marker in grateful recognition of the significance of Greensboro, with the hope that it will help to keep alive an appreciation of our heritage.

Pleasant Plains of Damascus Chapter, Damascus, Md., won first place in the Historic Preservation Contest in the state of Maryland as well as the Southeast Division for its project, Phase I, Clearing the Jungle: The Restoration of the Historic Purdum Cemetery. The chapter received the awards at the Maryland State Conference held in Hunt Valley, Md., March 23–25, 2012. The chapter also won 16 other awards, including: Outstanding Junior, Morgan Wood; Outstanding Contributions to DAR Schools; Best Community Flag Events; Distributing the Greatest Number of Flags; Outstanding Support of DAR Project Patriot; and Outstanding Support for Veterans.

On June 2, 2012, Alabama State Regent Marguerite P. Horton (2009–2012) and Alabama State Regent-Elect Constance Grund joined Chapter Regent Elizabeth Ciarrocchi and members of Robert Morris-Quaker City Chapter, Philadelphia, Pa., in marking the grave of Real Daughter Mary Rebecca Anderson.

Mary Rebecca Anderson was born April 24, 1828, and died June 9, 1912, at the age of 84. She was the daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Anderson of Northern Liberties, Philadelphia. Mary Rebecca Anderson is buried at Historic Laurel Hill Cemetery in Philadelphia. She taught at the Auburn Masonic Female College, the only school for girls in antebellum Auburn, Ala. On May 5, 1903, Miss Anderson was admitted to the Light Horse Harry Lee Chapter, Auburn, Ala.

Also present were Pennsylvania State Regent Deborah Davis, Pennsylvania State Vice Regent Roberta P. McMullen, State Corresponding Secretary Rosemary
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T. Hogan and other chairmen, including South East District Director Patricia Coyne. Several chapters representing the South East District of Pennsylvania were also in attendance to honor Mary Rebecca Anderson and to welcome the Alabama Society to Pennsylvania.

Musket and cannon fire echoed over the Ireland Street Cemetery on the afternoon of July 1, 2012, as a Revolutionary soldier was memorialized in true Colonial fashion. Members of DAR chapters from three states were in attendance: Saratoga Chapter, Saratoga Springs, N.Y.; First Resistance Chapter, Pittsfield, Mass.; Mary Mattoon Chapter, Amherst, Mass.; Betty Allen Chapter, Northampton, Mass.; and Battle of Shallow Ford Chapter, Winston-Salem, N.C., all took part in the ceremony to kick off the 250th anniversary celebration for the town of Chesterfield, Mass., where the event was held.

About 60 people gathered at the cemetery to pay tribute to John Halbert, a Chesterfield native who served as a sergeant in Captain Robert Webster’s Company of Minutemen, and as a lieutenant in Captain Bonney’s Company, Dickerson’s Regiment, during the Revolution. Halbert’s fourth-great-grandson and Vermont S.A.R. President Douglass Mather Mabee of Saratoga Springs spent a year preparing for a show of Colonial representation that included members of the 2nd Continental Artillery from Fort Edward, N.Y., the Massachusetts S.A.R. Continental Color Guard, and guest fife player Yonna Osborne of the Sudbury Ancient Fyfe and Drum Company. A bell was rung 13 times to represent the 13 Colonies.

In May, Southold Chapter, Southold, N.Y., honored three local high-school seniors with DAR Good Citizens Awards. The recipients were: Emily King, Greenport High School; Tom Sledjeski, Mattituck High School; and Anne Davey, Southold High School. These three students were recognized for exhibiting the qualities of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism. Each one also wrote an essay based on the theme “Our American Heritage and Our Responsibility for Preserving It.” Emily was selected to move on for judging at the district level in the state of New York.

Chapter member Carol Linn, assisted by Kathy Freeburger, presented a program on American flags, focusing on flags of the Revolutionary War, to more than 500 children. Judy Frisch presented each student with an American flag provided by Thomas Hart Benton Chapter.

Thomas Nelson Chapter, Arlington, Va., conducted a special wreath-laying ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier of the American Revolution at the burial ground of the Old Presbyterian Meeting House in Alexandria, Va., on May 12, 2012. The tomb’s marker was originally erected by the Children of the American Revolution following the unique discovery of this unknown soldier. Following the ceremony, new members and chapter officers were installed.

Tullahoma Chapter, Tullahoma, Tenn., applied for and received approval to present a Historic Preservation Recognition Award to chapter members Ruby Wheeler Murphy and Juanita Alexander Hunter. Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Hunter undertook the restoration of Tullahoma’s oldest cemetery, Oakwood Cemetery, almost 10 years ago and transformed it into a jewel in the middle of the city. Each phase of the restoration was completed as funds from donations and memorials became available. The award was presented at the June chapter meeting in recognition of their volunteer efforts.
In founding the Foundation for the Preservation of Oakwood Cemetery, their continued volunteer service as president and secretary/treasurer, their dedication to preserving the city’s heritage, and their contributions to the city of Tullahoma, Historic Preservation Committee National Vice Chairman Betsy Kuster, Tennessee State Historian Dixie Hickey and Director of Public Works Wayne Limbaugh attended the presentation. Curlee and Limbaugh wrote letters of recommendation that were included in the application packet. The mayor presented certificates of appreciation from the city of Tullahoma to Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Hunter.

**Twenty First Star Chapter**, Park Ridge, Ill., hosted a breakfast on June 9, 2012. Illinois history scholars Melanie Ciancio and Vivian Kelly were honored by new, longtime and prospective members. Melanie is the winner of the Illinois State Scholarship. She has recently graduated from Willowbrook High School. She will attend the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, and plans to major in aeronautic engineering. Melanie’s outstanding scholastic achievements include a class rank of three in a class of 532 and a GPA of 4.69 out of 4.0. She also maintains a full schedule of music, sports and community service through her church’s youth group. Vivian Kelly has won the General Henry Dearborn Scholarship for the second year in a row. She currently attends Northwestern University, where she majors in history. Upon graduation she plans to pursue a law degree.

On the second Thursday of November, the **William Gaston Chapter**, Gastonia, N.C., celebrates Veterans Day by honoring World War II veterans. Each year the chapter honors veterans from a different section of Gaston County, hosting a reception with a program and a “sumptuous table,” as described by one attendee. In November 2011, veterans were celebrated at West Crameron Baptist Church in Crameron, N.C. The event was attended by North Carolina State Regent Sue Anderson (2009–2012) and District II Director Vicky Clodfelter. Veterans receive a formal invitation, and each may bring one guest. A table of sandwiches, shrimp and goodies were served. Each veteran received a certificate of appreciation from the chapter bearing their name and branch of service. JROTC units from local schools presented the colors and Lieutenant Colonel Gary McGinnis addressed the group. A medley of the military songs was played.

The history of the song “God Bless America” was shared, and the group listened to a recording of Kate Smith’s rendition of the song. Door prizes were handed out and each veteran received a gift bag. Each veteran received a new “ruptured duck,” compliments of U.S. Representative Sue W. Myrick of Charlotte, N.C. The veterans enjoyed renewing acquaintances and being shown that they were still remembered.

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**Greetings**

From

**Washoe Zephyr Chapter**
Virginia City, Nevada

Nina Beatrice Cason Martin
DAR #842564
Born September 21, 1911

Valley of Fire Chapter
Las Vegas, Nevada
Celebrating her 101st Birthday

William Gaston Chapter honored a group of World War II veterans. North Carolina State Regent Sue Anderson, back row, fourth from left, poses with the veterans.

Francisco Garces Chapter
Las Vegas, Nevada

*Salutes Members*

- Preincess Brown 61 Years
- Martha Watters 54 Years
- Alicia Foutz 47 Years
- Marilyn Nemeth 44 Years
- Janet Thompson 41 Years
- Katherine Peek 41 Years

Greetings From Washoe Zephyr Chapter Virginia City, Nevada
The following ancestors were approved on June 25, 2012, or July 1, 2012, by the NSDAR Board of Management after verification of documentary evidence of service during the American Revolution.

**ABBOTT: ABBETT, ABBIT, ABBOT, ABOOT**

**Stephen:** b 5-10-1762 CT  
d 3-29-1844 CT m (1) Ruth James NONCOM CT  
**ACKLEY: ACKLY, ACLEY, AKLEY**

**Samuel:** b 9-2-1747 CT  
d 1-6-1827 CT m (1) Ollive Beebe CS PS CT  
**ADAMS: ADAM, ADDAMS, ADDOMS**

**John:** b c 1752 d c 1-1819 KY  
m (1) Elizabeth Bledsoe Pvt VA  
**ALBERTSON: ALBERSON**

**Nicholas:** b c 1750 d a 8-31-1818 NJ m (1) Japie X PS NJ  
**ALLEN: ALLAN, ALLIN, AILING, ALLYN**

**David S.:** b 4- -1756 RI d 5-26-1837 PA m (1) Mary X Pvt PA NY  
**AMY: AMEG, AMIG, EIGHME**

**George:** b 9-11-1761 MA  
d 9-7-1837 NH m (1) Mercy Burbank Pvt NH  
**ANTHONY:**

**Joseph:** b 12-18-1738 RI d a 12-14-1798 PA m (1) Elizabeth Sheffield CS RI  
**APPLEGATE:**

**Benjamin:** b c 1761 d 4-4-1832 IN m (1) Phoebe Grimes Pvt NJ  
**BALCH: BOLCH**

**David:** b 1-4-1740 MA  
d 7-31-1801 NH m (1) Ester Estey Pvt MA  
**BARNHART: BARNDT, BARNHARDT, BERNHARD**

**Jacob:** b 1746 d a 6-27-1826  
OH m (1) Anna Maria Miller PS PA  
**BATES:**

**Benjamin:** b 7-20-1761 NJ d a 9-10-1839 NJ m (1) Ann Edwards Pvt NJ  
**BAYLIES: BALES, BALIS, BAYLES, BAYLESS, BAYLIS**

**Ephraim:** b 9-21-1733  
d 2-18-1816 NY m (1) Rachel X (2) Jane Skidmore (3) Margaret X (4) Abigail Bunce Capt NY  
**BENNET, BENNETT**

**John:** b c 1753 d a 6-3-1828 KY  
m (1) Mary Plummer PS MD  
**BERRYMAN: BEREMAN, BETRIS**

**James:** b c 1734  
d 1-7-1805 NJ m (1) Sarah Bateman CS NJ  
**BETTS: BATTES, BATTIS, BITZER, BETZER, BOYTS**

**Samuel:** b 3- -1751  
d p 4-23-1840 AL m (1) Isabel Elizabeth Jones (2) Mary Whaley PS DE  
**BIRD: BYRD**

**James:** b c 1725 d a B -1805 NC m (1) X X CS PS NC  
**BISHOP: BISHOFF**

**Napthali:** b 6-20-1770  
d 2-15-1849 CD m (1) Rebekah Andrews Sol VT  
**BLAKE:**

**Christopher:** b 11-6-1748 NH  
d 3-14-1836 NH m (1) Molly Clough Pvt CT  
**BLEDSOE:**

**John:** b c 1742 VA d a 10-28-1800 KY m (1) X X PS VA  
**BLISS:**

**Jacob:** b 2-16-1731 MA d bu 3-18-1807 MA m (1) Judith Smith Pvt MA  
**BRINK:**

**Thomas:** b bp 8-16-1752 NJ d p 1810 PA m (1) Mary Marsh Ens NJ  
**BROCKWAY:**

**William:** b 1740 d 2-15-1818 VT m (1) Abiah X (2) Ruth Nichols Pvt NH  
**BROWN: BRAUN, BROUN, BROWNE**

**Aaron:** b 1756 VA d 4-9-1836  
TN m (1) Nancy Payne Pvt VA  
**BOUTON, BOYTS**

**Jonathan:** b c 1753 d 8-7-1830  
VT m (1) Patience Kneeland (2) Hannah Goodale (3) Lucy X Robinson PS Pvt CT VT  
**BURCH: BURCHE, BURTCH**

**John Sr:** b c 1727 d p 1790 VA m (1) X X PS MD  
**BURNIE:**

**Samuel:** b 1-30-1763 NC  
d 3-31-1849 AL m (1) Martha Waters Pvt NC  
**CALE: CAIL, CAILE, CAILES, KAIL, KAILE, KALE**

**David:** b c 1720 d a 7-17-1877 VA m (1) Alberdie Parthenia X PS VA  
**CALLAHAN: CALLAGHAN, CALLAHAM**

**Edward:** b a 1752 VA d a 1824 KY m (1) Susanna Brock PS VA  
**CAMERON: CAMRON**

**John:** b c 1757 d a 5-5-1834 GA m (1) Sarah X (2) Mary Polly Roscoe Pvt NC  
**CANNON: CANON**

**John:** b 1760 SC d p 7-23-1850 KY m (1) X X Pvt SC  
**CARLETON: CARLTON**

**Richard:** b c 1752 CT d 1824 VT m (1) Esther Miner (2) Ruth Baker Sgt CT  
**CASEBEER, CASEBEER, CASEBIE, KASEBIE**

**Joshua:** b c 1752 d a 10-26-1792  
PA m (1) Elizabeth X PS PA  
**CATT:**

**John:** b 7-19-1758 d p 1790 PA m (1) Catherine Mason PS Pvt VA PA  
**COFER: COFFER, COPHER**

**Josias:** b a 1745 d a 8-22-1814  
VA m (1) Mary X PS VA  
**COFFEY: COFFEE**

**John:** b c 1750 d a 5-26-1818 NY m (1) Experience X PS Pvt MA  
**COLEMAN: COILMAN, COULMAN, CULLMAN**

**Caleb:** b a 1748 d 8-21-1789 GA m (1) Anna X PS VA  
**COOK: COOKE**

**Henry:** b 12-17-1724 NJ d a 11-26-1786 NJ m (1) Eleanor Hunt CS NJ  
**CROSS:**

**John:** b c 1753 d 1812 MA m (1) Betty Garnett (2) Lydia Garnett Sgt MA  
**CORNWALL: CORNWELL**

**Samuel:** b 9- -1752 d 10-26-1840 NY m (1) Sarah X Pvt CT  
**CROSBY: CROSEBY**

**Jacob:** b 9-19-1729 MA d c 1776 MA m (1) Hannah Russell Pvt MA  
**CROSS:**

**Lemuel:** b 11-15-1748 CT d p 1781 CT m (1) Sarah Clough CS PS CT  
**CURLE: CURL**

**Wilson:** b a 1749 d a 1- -1803 NY m (1) Mourning Horn LT NC  
**DETWILER: DETTWIELLER, DETTWILER, DETWYLER**

**John:** b c 1754 d a 7-15-1822 PA m (1) Barbara Ruff Sgt PA  
**DICK: DICKIE**

**James:** b c 1730 d a 2- -1804 NC m (1) Cathren X CS NC  
**DILLON: DILLEN**

**James:** b a 12-27-1739 VA d p 1803 VA m (1) X X PS VA
New Ancestors

DIX: DICKS
Larkin: b c 1752 VA d a 1-20-1817 VA m (1) Jinney X PS VA
DIXON: DICKSON, DIXON
Archibald: b c 1727 d 5-26-1800 VT m (1) Eleanor Miller Sol CT
Dodge: Josiah: b 6-23-1714 MA d c 1820 NH m (1) Eleanor Edwards PS NH
DUERSON: William: b a 1747 d a 2-1815 VA m (1) Mildred X (2) Mary X PS VA
DUKE: DUKES
John: b c 1710 d a 6-1787 NC m (1) Sarah Peele PS NC
DURHAM: DURWIN
Isaac: b c 1750 d a 11-1823 NC m (1) Elizabeth X PS NC
EASTLICK: EASTLACK, EASTLAKE
William: b c 1735 d 12-18-1783 NJ m (1) Diane Shute PS NJ
ERSKINE: ASKEY, ASKIE, ASKINS, ERSKINE
George: b c 1752 IR d 3-1832 TN m (1) Sarah Mulherrin (2) Mary Patty Williams Pvt SC
EVANS: EUANS, EVANCE, EVENS, EVES, EVINS
John: b 1760 NH d 2-19-1836 NY m (1) Rhoda Putnam Pvt NH
John: b 1765 VA d 5-23-1837 KY m (1) Mary Price Pvt VA
FALLIS: FOLLIS
John: b a 1761 d a 12-1800 VA m (1) Judith X Ens VA
FLEETWOOD:
Isaac: b c 1743 d p 2-2-1828 IN m (1) Sarah Rider Pvt VA
FREDERIC:
Jean Adam: b 8-15-1740 LA d p 2-9-1786 LA m (1) Marie Genevieve Millet PS LA
FREDERICK: FREDERICKS, FREDICK, FRIDERICK
John: b c 1730 d a 2-16-1810 SC m (1) Hannah X PS SC
FRISBIE: FRISBEE, FRISBY
James: b 4-22-1732 CT d p 1780 NH m (1) Sarah X PS NH
FUSON:
John: b c 1739 d a 3-25-1812 TN m (1) Elizabeth X PS VA
GABRIEL:
Abraham: b 1738 d 1808 OH m (1) X X PS PA
GARDNER: GARDENER, GARDENIER, GARDINER, GARNER, GARNET, GARTNER
Joseph: b 6-1762 d 6-17-1838 NJ m (1) Sarah Sallie Hess PS NJ
GARRETT: GARATT, GARRETT, GARROTT
James: b 1752 d a 5-1781 NC m (1) Ruth X Cotrel PS NC
GARRISON: GARRETSON, GARRITSON
Levi: b 1743 NJ d p 8-26-1818 OH m (1) Phebe X Pvt NJ
GAUDER: CODERE, GEDERE
Louis: b c 1739 d 6-15-1794 NT m (1) Barbe Elizabeth Leverond PS CD
GOODMAN: GUTHMAN
Jacob: b c 1745 d a 10-15-1808 VA m (1) X X PS Pvt VA
GORDON: GORDEN, GORDY
John: b 7-15-1763 VA
d 6-19-1819 TN m (1) Dorothy Dolly Cross Pvt VA
GRIMES: CRYMES, GRAHAM, GRYMES
William: b c 1762 d a 1-8-1795 GA m (1) Mildred X PS VA
HAGAN: HAGANS, HEAGAN, HOGAN, HOGANS
Charles: b c 1761 d p 5-11-1831 IN m (1) Susannah X Pvt VA
HART: HART, HARTT, HEART, HEARTT
Ralph: b c 1714 d a 9-6-1785 NJ m (1) Jemima Woolsey CS NJ
HARTER: HARDER, HERRHER, HERTER, HORTTER
Frederick: b 4-9-1757 d 4-24-1812 PA m (1) Margaret X Sol PA
HASKINS: HASKIN, HORSKINS, HOSKINS
Asa: b 5-16-1760 CT d p 1800 CT m (1) Hitty Clark PS CT
HATHAWAY: HATHEWAY, HATHWAY
Nathan: b c 1742 NJ d 9-1-1835 OH m (1) Rebecca Gard (2) X X
(3) Mary Dodd Pvt PA
HEDGSPETH:
Benjamin: b c 1732 d a 1790 NC m (1) Charity Braswell PS NC
HEWITT: HUERD, HUJET, HUYETT
Silas: b 11-17-1734 CT d a 12-10-1782 CT m (1) Sybbyl X Pvt CT RI
HODGE: HODGES
Joseph: b c 1738 EN d p 11-20-1807 NC m (1) X X Sol NC
HOFFMAN: HOFMAN, HUFFMAN, HUFMAN
Rudolph: b a 1731 d a 3-22-1794 PA m (1) Dorothy Weisz PS PA
HOFSTEATER: HUFFSTETLER
Adam: b bp 3-17-1733 GR d c 1776 MD m (1) Louisa X PS MD
HOLSAPPLE: HOLESAPLE, HOLTZAPFEL, HOLTZAPLE
Erasmus: b c 1710 d 12-10-1793 PA m (1) Christina Ruscher PS PA
HOOVER: HOVER, HUBER
Jacob: b 1754 MD d 1821 NC m (1) Elizabeth X PS NC
HUGHES: HEWES, HEWES, HUES, HUEY, HUGHS, HUIE, HUSE
Samuel: b c 1753 VA d a 11-25-1845 MO m (1) Ceziagh Watson PS Pvt VA
HULET: HULETT, HOWLET, HUGHLETT, HULET
Leroy George: b 9-25-1757 d a 7-1782 VA m (1) X X (2)
Dorcus X PS VA
JENKINS: JENKINSON, JINKINS
Benjamin: b c 1740 d a 8-15-1791 PA m (1) Elizabeth January PS PA
JEWITT: JOUETT
Nehemiah: b bp 12-5-1737 MA d 11-8-1815 MA m (1) Margaret Hazen Pvt MA
JOHN: JOHNSTON, JONSTON
Thomas: b 3-1712 d a 3-17-1778 MD m (1) Mary X PS MD
JORDAN: JAUDAN, JAUDON, JORDAIN, JORDIN, JORDON, JOURDAN, JURDEN, JURDON, JERDON
Jacob: b c 1732 d a 9-1795 NC m (1) Elizabeth X PS NC
KIMBROUGH:
Robert: b c 1752 VA d p 3-30-1810 NC m (1) X Carman PS CS NC
KING: KENOIG, KONIG, KUNG
Ebenezer: b 9-4-1754 NY d 7-12-1791 NY m (1) Phoebie Dakin Sol NY
KINNEY: KEENEY, KENNEY, KENNY, KINNIE, MCKINNEY
Jacob: b 9-9-1741 MA d p 5-17-1816 MA m (1) Parrel Hammond Pvt MA
KNAGY: CANAGA, GNAGY, KNAEGY, KNEAGY
Christian: b c 1740 d a 4-14-1812 OH m (1) Anna X (2) Elizabeth X PS PA
LAKE:
Henry: b 9-19-1759 MA d 8-29-1845 VT m (1) Prudence Lovejoy Pvt NH
LANIER:
Elisabeth: b c 1717 VA d a 1786 VA PS VA
LAUDERDALE: LEATHERDALE
James Sr: b a 1719 d p 9-24-1796 TN m (1) X X PS VA

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New Ancestors

Lawrence: Larrance, Laurence, Lawrance, Lorance, Lowrence
Jonathan: b bp 2-1750 MA d 5-16-1811 NH m (1) Lucy Moore Pvt MA
William: b 8-21-1763 NC d 11-11-1852 KY m (1) X X Pvt NC
Lester: Jacob: b c 1725 d p 12-7-1793 VA m (1) Martha X PS VA
Lincoln: Linkhorn, Linkon
Enos: b 9-17-1749 d 5-6-1819 MA m (1) Sarah Burt CS MA
Lindsey: Lindsay, Linsey, Linsley
Joseph: b 6-10-1744 MA d 12-5-1828 MA m (1) Salvinia Geer CS MA
Robert: b c 1715 d a 12-14-1813 MA m (1) Isabel Crow (2) Sarah X Osborn CS MA
William: b 1755 d 9-1-1797 RI m (1) Matty X Maj VA
Lovejoy: Abner: b 3-11-1761 MA d 1841 NY m (1) Hannah X Pvt MA
Lutton: James: b c 1759 d 1825 MD m (1) Ellen Taylor PS MD
Mabry: John: b 4-10-1764 d 4-7-1845 KY m (1) X X Pvt NC
Macomber: Macumber, Mcumber
Abiathar: b c 1762 d 1-3-1835 MA m (1) Abigail Leonard Pvt MA
Maneville: De Maneville
Henry W: b 5-1-1759 NJ d p 5-1-1835 NJ m (1) Cathalyntje Debow Pvt NJ
Marble: Marbel, Marvel
Ephraim: b 1-30-1752 d 11-28-1828 NY m (1) Hannah Davis Pvt MA
Marshall: Marchel
Andrew: b c 1735 d a 11-17-1789 PA m (1) Mary X Pvt PA

Thomas: b 11-23-1729 MA d 5-25-1800 MA m (1) Hannah Frost (2) Lydia Hunt CS PS MA
Martin: Zachariah: b a 1738 d a 5-1808 NC m (1) Rebecca X PS NC
Mayfield: Sutherlin: b c 1755 d 3-10-1789 NC m (1) Margaret X CS Sgt VA
Mcconnell: John: b c 1741 PA d c 1788 PA m (1) Elizabeth Dunbar Lt PA
McMaster: McMasters
William: b 12-28-1748 NH d a 2-3-1780 NH m (1) Sarah Smith Pvt NH
Miller: Millar, Moeller, Mueler, Muller
Aaron: b 11-16-1744 CT d 2-21-1813 VT m (1) Ruth Blanchard (2) Elizabeth Ladd Cox CS Pvt VT
John: b c 1735 d 5-23-1826 VA m (1) Barbara Mauze CS Pvt VA
Minnic: Minch, Minnick, Minning
George: b c 1755 d p 4-17-1810 PA m (1) Catherine Miller Pvt PA
Musicick: Jonathan: b c 1755 VA d 9-1816 KY m (1) Helen Colley (2) Margaret X CS VA
Neeley: Neal, Neely, Neiley, Nielgh
George: b c 1735 d p 7-1-1793 SC m (1) Ann X CS PS
Newsom: Newsome
John: b 1746 d a 6-1790 NC m (1) Patience Hippot CS PS NC
Olds: Old
Timothy: b 3-6-1763 CT d p 1810 NY m (1) Polly X Pvt CT
Orr: Oar, Orie
James: b a 1753 IR d p 1800 KY m (1) Eleanor Park X Pvt PA
Park: Parke, Parke, Parks
Samuel: b c 1732 IR d a 7-23-1798 VA m (1) Elen Rippey PS VA

Parsons: Parsons, Pearson, Persons
Timothy: b 11-7-1732 CT d 11-30-1810 CT m (1) Elizabeth Couch (2) Hannah Hurlbut CS PS Sol CT
Peabody: John Jr: b 7-11-1762 MA d 6-23-1836 MA m (1) Lydia Balch Pvt MA
Peck: Pack
Dan: b 4-17-1762 CT d 1-16-1839 OH m (1) Lovina Huntley Pvt CT
Simeon: b 1-21-1732 CT d 6-4-1814 NH m (1) Ruth Willes CS PS NH
Pettingill: Pattangall, Petengal, Pettingall, Pettin, Pettingle
Daniel: b 9-17-1732 MA d p 1800 MA m (1) Patience Knight CS MA
Phillips: Philips
Joseph Sr: b c 1716 d 5-18-1792 PA m (1) Mary X PS PA
Pond: Ponds
Timothy: b 9-14-1729 MA d 11-10-1804 MA m (1) Elizabeth Bullard Sgt MA
Post: Nathan: b 11-17-1748 d 10-3-1803 NY m (1) Mehetable X PS NY
Pradier: Joseph: b 10-30-1757 LA d 10-1-1792 LA m (1) Maris Dorothea De Villier PS LA
Prall: John: b 9-20-1756 D 9-21-1831 NJ m (1) Amelia Coryell Lt NJ
Preston: Preson, Presson, Preston
Jonathan: b 5-10-1746 CT d 8-19-1809 VT m (1) Prudence Barber Sgt NY
Price: Reece: b 11-25-1755 VA d a 8-1830 NC m (1) X X (2) Nancy X PS NC
Quigley: Quickel, Quiggle
George: b 1716 d a 2-22-1784 PA m (1) Maria Ursula Mueller PS PA
Randall: Randel, Randle, Randles, Rendell
John: b 1733 EN d 2-1781 MA m (1) Jane Clark PS MA
Reed: Read, Reade, Reid, Reith, Rhead, Rith
Joseph: b 5-17-1762 CT d 6-11-1825 CT m (1) Phebe Reid NONCOM CT
Richardson: Richerson, Richeson
Joseph: b c 1734 d a 4-3-1809 VA m (1) X X PS VA
Roberts: Robbarts
Love: b c 1756 NH d 11-4-1840 ME m (1) Elizabeth Brown (2) Anna Cook Libby (3) Elizabeth Betsy Hershorn Pvt MA
Robinson: Robason, Robbinson, Robinson, Robertson, Robeson, Robison
Silas: b 3-17-1746 MA d a 11-5-1828 VT m (1) Susannah Weeks Sol VT
Rowley: Roley
Job: b 4-1-1752 CT d 2-23-1823 CT m (1) Ruth Loomis Pvt CT
Schoonmaker: Jacob Dewitt: b c 1746 d p 1810 NY m (1) Jaconemyntie Van Wagenen PS Sol NY
Sechler: Frederick: b bp 11-21-1744 PA d 2-4-1825 NC m (1) Mary Magdelena X Maj PA
Seip: Sipe, Sipes
Peter: b c 1746 d p 5-24-1806 VA m (1) Margaret Franciscus PS PA
Shafffer: Schaefer, Schaeffer, Schafer, Shaffer, Shaffner, Shaver, Shawyer
David: b 6-15-1759 PA d 12-23-1823 PA m (1) Martha Anna Maria X (2) Christina X Pvt PA
New Ancestors

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Visit to Connecticut!

Connecticut State Regent Joyce A. Cahill made every effort to make President General Merry Ann Thompson Wright’s visit to our state conference in April special.

A message was sent to Connecticut Daughters with Connecticut history expertise and an interest in genealogy/lineage research. They were invited to share in a project to establish and confirm the premise of Mrs. Wright being a Connecticut Daughter.

In addition to her original patriot, John Young, Mrs. Wright had submitted several supplemental applications verifying that Gideon Thompson, Sr. and Gideon Thompson, Jr. were all born in Connecticut, but fought for New York. William Merriam, Benjamin Merriam and Aaron Merriam fought for Connecticut. The Thompns settled in New Haven and the Merriams in Meriden.

The research was completed in four leather binders. Mrs. Wright was offered the opportunity to tour the cemeteries and drive around the area where her ancestors settled in Meriden, Connecticut. Mrs. Wright read about her ancestors and the Menden Congregational Church history. She viewed full-page photos of the tombstones we planned to see, plus a picture of a house once lived in by her ancestor, Ephraim Berry. She spotted the house as we drove up the hill to the site of the first Meeting House and the Meeting House Hill Cemetery.

The trip was a success! Mrs. Wright visited two cemeteries and placed flowers at the family graves. She also enjoyed a tour of the home of Ephraim Berry, father of Mary Berry who married one of Mrs. Wright’s DAR patriots, Benjamin Merriam.

After the visit, Mrs. Wright became an associate member of two Connecticut chapters – Susan Carrington Clarke, Meriden and Mary Clap Wooster, New Haven, since she is a Connecticut Daughter by paternal ancestry!
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Jennifer Melton
Rebecca Parke
Chapter
Jennifer has taken the steps necessary to become the first of her family to obtain membership in our great organization. It is through the untraditional introduction into our society that has taken her love of this organization and all it stands for to the extraordinary limits that can be seen with all that she does. During the six years that Jennifer has been involved with DAR, she has achieved some of her most monumental accomplishments. In the first three years, she had minimal involvement because she was earning two associate degrees and a bachelor degree while working full time at her bookkeeper job. It was right after earning her degrees that she started to see how her chapter could use her talents. A list of positions that she has had includes Treasurer, chairman of several committees at the chapter level, Chairman of Junior Membership in her district and State Vice-Chairman of the Flag of the United States of America. She has also had the honor to page at three different state conferences, earned the Dirty White Glove award for the hardest working page at State Conference and has travelled to Washington, DC to page at Continental Congress. It is her honor and privilege to serve as Illinois’ Outstanding Junior.

Candace Fryburger, State Regent
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State Regent 2012 – 2014

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American Heritage Committee
Fiber Arts/Miscellaneous

Merle South

Nancy McKay Harsh Chapter, Creston
American Heritage Committee
Fiber Arts/Machine Quilting
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2012 Outstanding Chapter Regent
Kathryn Walker West
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KENTUCKY STATE REGENT JESSIEANNE WELLS

State Regent Jessieanne Wells serves the Kentucky Daughters with distinction. Midway through her administration, Mrs. Wells has rallied the Kentucky Society, DAR to support the Reading Lab at Hindman Settlement School, to provide scholarship assistance to Native American students attending Bacone College and to make KSDAR proactive in reaching out to prospective members. Under her leadership KSDAR's State Headquarters, Duncan Tavern, has promoted a new spirit of innovation and cooperation, with unprecedented fundraising efforts and near completion of the Tavern’s Colonial Gardens. She has been highly supportive of active duty military and veterans. Her administration is symbolized by the fleur-de-lis with a running horse, an emblem of steadfast leadership and determination to run with endurance.

LET US RUN WITH ENDURANCE THE RACE THAT IS SET BEFORE US

Hebrews 12:1
Kentucky Daughters support Reading Lab

The Reading Lab Partnership is the State Project of the Wells Administration and has been generously supported by Kentucky Daughters. The project helps identify children with dyslexia and provide them with specialized reading instruction. The Reading Lab Partnership is administered under a cooperative agreement between Hindman Settlement School and the Knott County School District. Hindman Settlement School uses a multisensory, structured linguistic approach to language arts education. Teaching phonemic awareness (breaking apart and manipulating sounds in a word) is an integral part of the methodology. An explicit, systematic, multisensory teaching approach is also used to teach mathematics. Kentucky State Regent Jessieanne Wells is proud to support this important work.
Kentucky State Regent Jessieanne Wells with, from left, Hilary Burns, JeanEllen Melton, Ashley Crowe and Paige Mason, all attending Continental Congress, 2011.

PAIGE MASON

Congratulations to Outstanding Junior, Kentucky Society DAR 2012

Whether she's organizing the Kentucky bus to Continental Congress, serving as the personal page to State Regent Jessieanne Wells, or helping make cupcake topiaries for the 2012 Continental Congress Paige Mason captures the spirit and enthusiasm of Today's DAR. Congratulations, Paige, Kentucky's outstanding junior 2012!

Run With Endurance

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Miss Bacon, guest of State Regent Jessieanne Wells at the Kentucky State Conference. The Conference theme was “Education Endures,” and Kentucky daughters presented Bacon College with a scholarship for Native American Students.

District Directors: From left front, Ann Pennington, third district; State Regent Jessieanne Wells, Carol Rogow, fourth district. Back row, Cynthia Byrd, first district; Carolyn Goodman, second district; Dena Green, fifth district and Pam Osborne, sixth district.
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Betty Schrodt Albanez
2012-2014
Nebraska State Regent

Psalm 61:3
For you are my refuge,
a high tower where my enemies
can never reach me.

"Forgotten Patriots"
Our State Regent’s project will be to honor
"Forgotten Patriots"
from Nebraska by seeking out their resting places
and marking their grave sites or their vicinity.
The veterans considered forgotten in Nebraska
are the Buffalo Soldiers and the Indian Scouts,
both of whom helped settle the lands of Nebraska.
In addition, our state will also have a push
to recognize potential members who may
be eligible under a
"Forgotten Patriot"
from the American Revolution.

“A veteran is defined as anybody who has, at one
time in their life, written a blank check to the United
States of America up to and including their life.”

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Candidate for the Office of Vice President General
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Front row: Betty Stevens, Chaplain; Susan Thomas, First Vice Regent; Nancy Hemmrich, Regent;
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Luanne DeWitt, Treasurer; Wanda Palladino, Parliamentarian; Terry Nelson, Registrar.
Historian Dixie Hickey, not pictured.

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Not pictured: Nancy Hansard, Adm. David Farragut; Janet Willis, Ann Robertson; Nancy Cantrell, Bonny Kate;
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Back row: Chapter Regents Linda Foster, Ocoee; Lee Parham, Chickamauga; Mary Ellen Noletti, Alexander Keith; Brenda McDonald, Avery Trace. Not pictured: Chapter Regents Joy Morgan, Gen. William Lenoir; Katrina Daoud, Moccasin Bend; Barbara Wasilko, Southwest Point.

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Virginia
Daughters of the American Revolution

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4th Row
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Virginia Daughters ~ District III
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Patricia Musick Hatfield
For Vice President General 2013

Regents and Officers - L. to R. [1] Dell Tyler, Thomas Carter; Elaine Roy, Blue Ridge; Pat Hatfield, State Regent; Peggy Looney, John Lynch; Penny Swisher, James River; [2] Anne Raah, Berryman Green; Elaine Policy, Colonel Charles Lynch; Betsy King, Poplar Forest; Milly Casey, District III Director; Susie Wolf, William Taylor; [2] Dana Campbell, Amber; Nancy Vicks; Judith Randolph-Longwood; Jane Snider-Pitts, Treasurer; Ann Thomas, James Allen; Linda Kaye Elliott, Chaplain. Not Pictured: Shirley Primiano, Dorothea Henry; Beth Weiland, Lynchburg; Mary Jane Elkins, Prestwould; Patt Graves, Red Hill; Doris Cocke, Vice Director; Cyndi Fein, Secretary; Rachel Shenigo, Poplar Forest Landscape Project Chair.

In July of 2010, all fifteen District III Chapters adopted a Historic Preservation/Conservation landscape project at Thomas Jefferson’s Poplar Forest retreat home. An enthusiastic fundraising effort resulted in collecting over $7,000, which will be presented to Poplar Forest at a special ceremony on September 17, 2012.

Thomas Jefferson’s
Poplar Forest

Sketch Courtesy of Thomas Jefferson’s Poplar Forest
Virginia Daughters of the American Revolution
District IV Proudly Honors

Our Chapter Regents

District IV Regents 2010-2013

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Levisa River
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DAR Together in Harmony:
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Welcome to District VII
The Gateway to Southwest Virginia

District VII officers and regents are inspiring the present through their chapter projects, community activities, and dedicated service to the tenets of DAR . . .
Historic Preservation, Education and Patriotism.

1st Row L-R: District Officers - Virginia Jarrett, Treasurer; Emma Lee Morris, Secretary; Kathryn Van Tassell, Director; Jacquelyn Frith, Parliamentarian; Brenda Atkinson, Vice Director; Carolyn Kirk, Chaplain & Regent, General William Campbell

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6th Row: Linda Haney, Vice Regent, Floyd Courthouse; Judith Jones, Alleghany

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For Generously Furnishing the Grand Prize for the
Spread the American Spirit Subscription Contest:
Two round-trip airline tickets to any destination in the United States

President General Merry Ann Wright, left, and National Chairman Pamela Marshall, right, presented the subscription contest trophy to Irvine Ranch Chapter Regent Kathleen Whitt during Continental Congress on Saturday, June 30, 2012.

The Committee also Congratulates

IRVINE RANCH CHAPTER,

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Once again this year, the results of the APEX (Awards for Publication Excellence) competition were announced in time to allow us to share some exciting news at Continental Congress. For the 10th straight year APEX has honored American Spirit, this time with two awards. The March/April 2012 issue received a Grand Award in the Nonprofit Magazines and Journals category, one of only 100 such awards presented to honor outstanding work in 11 major categories. “The Book of Lives,” an article about family Bibles that appeared in the July/August 2011 issue, received an Award of Excellence for Feature Writing.

Based on positive feedback from attendees, we are thrilled to report that the inaugural DAR Magazine Committee Workshop held during Congress was a success. A crowd of state magazine chairmen and interested members, as well as the DAR Magazine Committee’s Executive Liaison, Librarian General Joan M. Hunter, listened to and participated in a discussion that provided an overview of committee business and a primer on the advertising submission process. Sue Butler of Irvine Ranch Chapter, Irvine, Calif., which won the Spread the American Spirit Subscription Contest for the fourth straight year, shared the chapter’s strategies for blanketing the local area with subscriptions, which not only increases the magazine’s circulation but also escalates the visibility of the DAR in the community. The PowerPoint presentation shown at the workshop is now posted on the DAR Magazine Committee website so that anyone unable to join us at Congress can access the information. State chairmen, especially those new to the position, will find the presentation particularly helpful. Chairmen might even present a workshop on the DAR Magazine Committee at the state or chapter level.

Another new tool has been added to the committee website to make it easier for newsletter advertisers to submit ad layouts. A set of newsletter advertising templates created in Microsoft Word, as well as an instruction sheet about how to use the templates, are now available. The templates are preset to the custom page size used by Daughters newsletter (8” x 10.5”) and provide space for the footer that appears at the bottom of each page. Of course, advertisers are not limited only to the sample designs represented in the templates; they are simply intended to serve as a guide for those who may not have layout experience, or a starting point for those who are unsure about how to begin the design process. We hope you will make use of these templates and let us know how we can supplement or improve them.

Congratulations to Susan Barry of Martin Severance Chapter, Pasadena, Calif., who received $100 as the winner of our random drawing among members who placed an order for a three-year new or renewal subscription at our special reduced Congress rate. Congratulations also are due to Oregon Dunes Chapter, Florence, Ore., which won a $100 Hamilton Jewelers gift card in a drawing entered by all chapters that reached the Platinum, Gold and Silver levels in the Spread the American Spirit Subscription Contest.

In circles of friendship, service and commitment,

Pamela S. Marshall
National Chairman, DAR Magazine Committee
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