

- EDWARD ROYAL SORBER, Germantown, Pa. (21437). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Adam Ohl*, private, Col. William Bradford's Philadelphia Regt. Penna. Militia.
- GEORGE HOMER SPALDING, Lowell, Mass. (21476). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nicholas Cooke*, Governor of Rhode Island, 1775-1778.
- ROLLIN AARON SPALDING, Lynn, Mass. (21481). Great-grandson of *Robert Spalding*, Second Lieutenant Fourth Middlesex County Regt. Mass. Militia; grandson of *Robert Spalding, Jr.*, private, Captain Ballard's Company, Colonel Whitcomb's Mass. Regt.
- FRANCIS HERBERT STEVENS, Wellesley, Mass. (21483). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ephraim Stevens*, Sergeant of Minute Men, Col. Aaron Davis's Mass. Regt.
- CHARLES EDWIN SUTTON, East Providence, R. I. (20670). Great-grandson of *Robert Sutton*, Sergeant, Col. Timothy Walker's Mass. Regt., sailor Mass. Ship "Eagle" in 1780.
- JOHN NORTHRUP THURLOW, Brooklyn, N. Y. (21330). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Gad Talcott*, private Conn. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peter Bonticon*, Captain of Barque "Hawk," prisoner on "Jersey" prison-ship.
- GEORGE WINTHROP TOPPAN, Fairfield, Me. (20965). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Pillsbury*, private, Capt. Richard Titcomb's Company, Colonel Wade's Mass. Regt.
- WILBERT EUGENE UNDERWOOD, Chicago, Ill. (21310). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Josiah Pierce*, private, Colonel Prescott's and Colonel Brewer's Regts. Mass. Militia.
- BENJAMIN PRINCE UPHAM, San Francisco, Cal. (21527). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jabez Upham*, Sergeant Mass. Militia.
- JAMES R. WADSWORTH, Chicago, Ill. (21312). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Hesekiah Wadsworth*, private Third Conn. Line.
- DEPENDENCE STURTEVANT WATERMAN, Roxbury, Mass. (21477). Great-grandson of *John Waterman*, private, Col. Theophilus Cotton's Mass. Regt.; grandson of *Dependence Sturtevant*, Sergeant, Col. Theophilus Cotton's Mass. Regt.
- CHARLES HENRY WATSON, Stanford, Cal. (21528). Great-grandson of *Cyprian Watson*, private Thirteenth Albany County Regt. New York Militia; great-grandson of *Nathan Tefft, Jr.*, and *John Buck*, privates, Capt. Peter Van Vort's Company New York Volunteers.
- CARL CLYDE WEAVER, Minneapolis, Minn. (21502). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Read*, Member of Committee of Safety, private, Capt. Joseph Durfee's Company Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES MILTON WHITNEY, San Francisco, Cal. (20175). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Asa Whitney*, private, Col. John Douglas's Conn. Regt.
- MILLARD F. WILFONG, Philadelphia, Pa. (21436). Great-grandson of *Samuel Drew*, private First Plymouth County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- LEWIS ALBERT WILLS, Philadelphia, Pa. (21430). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Andrew Bacon*, private, Capt. William Smith's Company New Jersey Regt., prisoner.
- ALAN GRANT WILSON, Elkhorn, Wis. (20062). Great-grandson of *Jacob Bookee*, Lieutenant and Quartermaster's Sergeant Dutchess County New York Militia.

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THE OFFICIAL BULLETIN records action by the General Officers, the Board of Trustees, the Executive and other National Committees, lists of members deceased and of new members, and important doings of State Societies. State Secretaries are requested to communicate to the Secretary General accounts of meetings or celebrations.

State Societies, Chapters, and individual members are urged to continue and increase their efforts to add to our membership.

## OFFICIAL NOTICES.

THE TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL CONGRESS of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution will be held at Toledo, Ohio, April 30 to May 3, 1910. The National Committee on Arrangements for the Congress consists of Mr. Nelson A. McClary, Chairman; Mr. George E. Pomeroy, Vice-Chairman; Col. Isaac F. Mack, Mr. William H. Marlatt, and Mr. William S. Walbridge. The following preliminary program is announced:

*Saturday*, April 30, a *pro forma* session of the Congress will be held and adjourned, without the transaction of business, to meet on May 2. The Executive Committee will probably meet *Saturday evening*.

*Sunday*, May 1, patriotic services in Trinity Methodist Church, and social gatherings.

*Monday, May 2, meeting of Board of Trustees at 9.30 a. m. At 10 a. m. the Congress will convene in business session. Monday evening a general reception will be given by the Toledo Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution to delegates and visitors at the Hotel Secor.*

*Tuesday, May 3, the Congress will convene about 9.30 a. m., and after adjournment there will be a ride about the city. Tuesday evening a banquet to delegates by the Toledo Chamber of Commerce at the Hotel Secor, and a banquet to the ladies at the Country Club by the local Chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution.*

The headquarters of the Congress will be the Hotel Secor. This hotel is on the European plan, 304 rooms, \$1.50 to \$4.50 per day. Other hotels are the Boody, Jefferson, Southern, St. Charles, Wayne, St. Clair, Madison, Monticello, and Michigan. For quarters or general information letters should be addressed to Mr. George E. Pomeroy (Vice-Chairman of S. A. R. Committee), Toledo, Ohio. An illustrated pamphlet descriptive of the city may be obtained from the Toledo Chamber of Commerce.

The Central Passenger Association has declined to make a reduction in railroad rates to Toledo. Since that Association must take the initiative, delegates must therefore pay regular round-trip rates to the Congress.

✓ **PERMANENT FUND.**—In accordance with the requirements of Article VIII of the Constitution of the National Society, sixty days' notice has been given to Presidents of State Societies of the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the National Society, recommended by unanimous vote of the District of Columbia Society on February 22, 1910, for adoption by the Annual Congress at Toledo:

Amend title of Article VI to read:

**ARTICLE VI.—Dues and Permanent Fund.**

Add the following to Article VI as Section 2:

✓ **SECTION 2.** There shall be created a Permanent Fund, which shall be held in perpetuity for the benefit of the Society, but the interest on said Fund may be used for the general expenses of the Society upon a unanimous vote of the Executive Committee.

The Permanent Fund shall be invested, under the direction of the Executive Committee, in securities allowed to be held by the savings banks of Massachusetts, Connecticut, or New York.

The ways and means for building up the Permanent Fund will be provided by amendment to the National By-Laws by the Board of Trustees at the Toledo Congress.

✓ **COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION FOR ALIENS.**

The demand for leaflets continues, and they are being sent out all over the country. There is no charge for the leaflets or for their delivery to any address. The chairman of the committee is Commander J. H. Moore, U. S. N. (retired), 1755 P St., Washington, D. C.

An attempt is being made in Congress to abolish the Division of Information in the Department of Commerce and Labor. This Division has been of the greatest assistance to our Society in the distribution of our leaflets.

The committee, realizing the danger, prepared a memorial to Congress praying for the retention and strengthening of the Division. This memorial, with a letter, was sent by direction of the President General to all Chapters and State Societies. It is pleasing to note that most of the Chapters and State Societies have complied with the committee's request, and that the memorials are being daily presented to Congress. The President General requested the assistance of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which was granted at the next meeting of the Board of Management, and similar memorials and letters were sent by that Society to all of its Chapters, with the result that their memorials are being presented daily to Congress.

It is the opinion of the committee that this prompt action of the two Societies will save the Division of Information.

It is thought that later something should be done to extend the usefulness of this Division by merely carrying out the present laws.

✓ **ORGANIZATION WORK.**

The Committee on Organization in the North and West, Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, Chairman, accomplished the formation of the Nevada Society, at Reno, on February 19. This is the fourth new Society organized in the Far West since the Denver Congress, the others being Wyoming, New Mexico, and Idaho. The committee expects soon to add North Dakota to the roll.

Some progress is being made toward the formation of a Society in South Carolina.

A number of members on the Isthmus of Panama are about to organize a Society in that region, under the direction of Mr. G. C. Ferris, of Balboa, Canal Zone, a member of the Empire State Society.

## PUBLICATION OF RECORDS OF THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

In the House of Representatives, February 28, 1910, Mr. McCall introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Printing and ordered to be printed:

(H. R. 22007). A BILL to authorize the compilation of military and naval records of the Revolutionary War with a view to their publication.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to collect and compile, with a view to publication, the scattered military records of the Revolutionary War, and the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized and directed to collect and compile, with a view to publication, the scattered naval records of the Revolutionary War.

SEC. 2. That all such records in the possession or custody of any official of the United States shall be transferred, the military records to the War Department, the naval records to the Navy Department.

SEC. 3. That there is hereby appropriated, for the purposes of this Act, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, fifty thousand dollars for the War Department and ten thousand dollars for the Navy Department.

## ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP.

From December 1, 1909, to March 10, 1910, the Registrar General approved and registered on the rolls of the National Society the application papers of 392 new members, representing 31 State Societies, as follows: Arizona, 4; Colorado, 23 (including members of new Society in Nevada); Connecticut, 45; District of Columbia, 15; Illinois, 6; Indiana, 3; Iowa, 9; Kansas, 1; Kentucky, 1; Louisiana, 2; Maine, 10; Maryland, 3; Massachusetts, 18; Michigan, 6; Minnesota, 3; Nebraska, 3; New Jersey, 100; New Mexico, 10; New York, 36; Ohio, 14; Oklahoma, 2; Oregon, 11; Pennsylvania, 35; Rhode Island, 9; Texas, 5; Vermont, 3; Washington, 11; Wisconsin, 2; Wyoming, 1; Montana, 1.

Among the new members are the Treasurer of the United States and a number of other men prominent in public and business life; also a number of sons of present members. In Colorado a father and three sons have recently been elected, and there are several instances elsewhere of three or four near relatives joining the Society at one time.

## DOINGS OF STATE SOCIETIES.

THE ARIZONA SOCIETY held its fourteenth annual banquet at the Hotel Adams, Phoenix, on the evening of February 21, with about 60

members and lady guests participating. President Stoddard was toastmaster. Compatriot Richard E. Sloan, Governor of Arizona, reviewed the rapid progress of our country toward a more perfect condition of unity, and spoke of the immense amount of good being brought about by the so-called "House of Governors" holding annual conferences to discuss vital questions concerning the government of the several States. Chaplain Winfield Scott spoke on Washington and the noble principles for which he stood. Addresses were made by Mr. Wadsworth, of Philadelphia, and Mr. J. Rockwell Jenkins, of Prescott.

The annual business meeting was held at the Court House on February 22, when the following officers were elected: President, Dr. Francis E. Shine, of Bisbee; Vice-President, Howard S. Reed, of Phoenix; Secretary, C. F. Leonard, of Phoenix; Treasurer, Lloyd B. Christy, of Phoenix; Registrar, P. P. Parker, of Phoenix; Historian, Dr. Charles A. Van der Veer; Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Atwood. Governor R. E. Sloan, Isaac T. Stoddard, and H. B. Wilkinson were elected to the Board of Managers.

The 1910 pamphlet of the Society gives information as to the objects of the organization, reasons for membership, information for applicants and new members, the Constitution and By-Laws, and a list of present members.

THE CALIFORNIA SOCIETY celebrated the anniversary of Washington's Birthday by a banquet at the Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, when addresses were delivered on "Mary, the Mother of Washington," by Mrs. C. Elwood Brown; on "Washington as a Statesman," by Gov. James N. Gillett, and by James F. Tuttle, Jr., and Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, of the Colorado Society.

The Society, in coöperation with the Daughters of the American Revolution, has issued a circular calling public attention to the law of the State, approved March 18, 1909, relating to the desecration, mutilation, or improper use of the Flag of the United States.

THE COLORADO SOCIETY held its annual business meeting at Denver on February 22, when the following officers were elected: President, Wardner Williams, Denver; Secretary and Registrar, W. W. Kirby, Denver; Treasurer, W. T. Wynkoop, Denver; Vice-Presidents, C. N. Wells and Clarkson N. Guyer, of Denver, Arthur Cornforth and Victor E. Keyes, of Colorado Springs; Chaplain, Rev. R. B. Peery; Board of Managers, Howard T. Vaille, Frank M. Keezer, B. C. Stoddard, Arthur Marshall, C. A. Keebers, and Dr. Orlando Brown.

The annual banquet was held at the Brown Palace Hotel, Denver, on the evening of February 22. The principal address was by President Wardner Williams, on "Washington as a Man, a Statesman, and



a Patriot." Mrs. John Campbell, Vice-President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, spoke on behalf of that Society. Victor E. Keyes, of the Greeley Chapter, told of the growth of the Sons of the American Revolution and of its achievements. Malcolm Lindsey, of the Colorado Springs Chapter, applied a broad meaning to patriotism. "It is largely the fault of the individual citizen if he says his city or State is not what it ought to be. His is the duty to drive out corrupt officeholders and keep the government pure," said Mr. Lindsey.

In his oration, President Williams told of the personal and public characteristics of Washington:

"The lesson to us from the life of Washington is that of loyalty. To be patriots of the Washington type we must ring as clear and true as did the swords and muskets of our forefathers.

"Someone has said, 'The way to seem to be is to be it.' No soldier or patriot who does not stand for right, justice, and liberty first, last, and all the time is worthy to seek protection under the folds of the Stars and Stripes. The government that Washington fought and died for and the government that our ancestors forsook their plows and shouldered their muskets for is one that can be preserved only by vigilance and consecration to the cause of justice and liberty.

"The heritage of age to youth is wisdom born of experience. Our government has erected a great shaft on the bank of the Potomac which stands like the mighty mountains of Mexico—a silent witness to the greatness of a life that was. A soldier who knew not fear; a patriot who laid his all at the feet of his country; a diplomat who never compromised his government; an executive who knew only justice and despised personal aggrandizement—such was Washington.

"Again we enter the sacred chambers of Mount Vernon. Here are the living rooms, the parlor, the library, the guest-chamber. The remains of Washington were placed in a vault not far from the mansion he called home, and where the wife could sit by the window and rest her eyes upon his sacred tomb. Finally Martha Washington died, and was laid beside her beloved husband in a new tomb not far from the old one.

"The sighing of the wind through the branches of the trees as it sweeps across the placid water of the broad Potomac sings a ceaseless requiem for these departed souls of American history. Here come the representatives of all nations, with bowed head and tear-stained eyes, to reconsecrate themselves to the cause of justice and liberty. With a prayer in the heart of 'Thank God for Washington,' the wayfarer murmurs:

"Sleep thy last sleep,  
Free from care and sorrow,  
'Till thou awake  
In the dawning of tomorrow."

The annual memorial meeting of the Society was held at St. Mark's Church on Sunday evening, February 20, when the sermon was preached by the President, Rev. J. H. Houghton, D. D.

*The Denver Chapter*, at its monthly meeting on January 20, 1910, had an address on "China" by Rev. John H. Houghton, President of the Colorado Society, and on February 17 there was an address by Compatriot Frank McLaughlin on "The Growth of Liberty and the Constitution."

THE CONNECTICUT SOCIETY, on February 22, held its twenty-first annual banquet at the Stratfield Hotel, Bridgeport, attended by about 300 members and guests, including the Governor of Connecticut, the Lieutenant Governor, the last Governor, the Mayors of Bridgeport and of Hartford, the President General of the Sons of the American Revolution, President Atwater, of the New Jersey Society, and Col. John W. Vrooman, of New York.

President Lewis B. Curtis, of the Connecticut Society, presided as toastmaster. In his opening address President Curtis reviewed the work of the Society during the year, including the formation of the Hartford Chapter and the completion of the Compo Beach monument, to be dedicated about May 1.

Governor Weeks told of the achievements of the State of Connecticut, "one of the smallest as regards area and population, still one of the largest in education, wealth, and industrialism, and second to none in patriotism."

Mayor Buckingham extended the greetings of the city of Bridgeport. He urged the need of live patriotism in the hearts of the men of today.

"Patriotism is not only love of country and willingness to sacrifice your lives for the preservation from destruction by a hostile force, but a willingness to sacrifice your time, skill, and all the talents you possess for the betterment of your country. Be willing to sacrifice your time, efforts, and even your ambitions, when there is a call to civic duty, whether it comes from city, State or nation.

"Do not be afraid to face criticism; rather welcome it. Do what you think is fair, just, and equitable. Decide on the right course to pursue, then fight it out, if it takes a lifetime, with that same determination of character and fixed purpose displayed by your forefathers, never hesitating, never turning to the right or left, but marching straight to the front, head erect, with clear vision, and remembering that you are citizens of the greatest nation on God's footstool."

President General Beardsley extended greeting to the guests present. He reviewed the work and told of the present needs of the National Society. He told of some of the results of throwing open the doors of our country to millions of immigrants of many nationalities, and of this Society's efforts to bring about their assimilation into the body politic as good Americans.



"Upon the patriotic men and women a great obligation rests. The Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution ought to have great influence upon the pages of history which are yet to be written. Each one of them has in his veins the blood of a man who helped to win our independence. Most of you have had an ancestor in each generation of the life of this country who loyally did his part in each crisis as it arose, and bravely stood for law and order. You have behind you the traditions, and you have been taught the principles to which these newcomers are strangers.

"But whatever shall be accomplished by our Society depends upon, not the work of a few officers, but upon its individual members. On that May morning when Admiral Dewey steamed into Manila bay, sunk the Spanish fleet, and gave us our share of the white man's burden, he modestly gave the credit to 'the man behind the gun.' With us everything depends upon 'the man behind the badge.'"

Compatriot Edward W. Hooker, Mayor of Hartford, in the course of his address said:

"I believe that it is of real value for us to take an inventory first of our inheritance and then of our possessions. An individual may inherit a great fortune or a great name, and feel secure for many years because he has not taken an inventory of what he has, but only remembers what he ought to have.

"Our inheritance consists of religious conviction, patriotism, the authority and responsibility of the majority of the people, and it is for us to inquire as to our present-day possession of these foundation stones of our democracy. \* \* \*

"The great questions today in our national and State government relate to the exercise of authority. Shall the nation be ruled in the interest of all the people, or will selfish private interests control?

"Municipal government needs undivided responsibility and authority to make it a productive force and one that can accomplish definite good for the entire community. Here we find that we have strayed from our inheritance, and in an attempt to perpetuate valued tradition we have weakened authority and produced an uncertain responsibility. We need a new possession, a new life infused into the inheritance that comes to us from our forefathers, and that will give to the government of today the authority of the people, who will hold the executive officers to a close accountability for a wise exercise of the powers with which they are entrusted as the guardians of our liberty."

Col. John W. Vrooman brought the fraternal greetings of the Holland Society of New York. In his address he urged the Sons of the American Revolution to promote real patriotism and to see to it that American manhood and freedom, American loyalty and equality, American principles of merit and fair play be continued and guaranteed to each individual citizen of this republic.

"May this Society, mindful of our heroic ancestors of whatever nationality, labor as they labored, to increase that spirit of broadening

thought, strengthening character, and elevating ambition which has ever marked the mighty achievements of all ages! It was such enthusiasm and inspiration, conceived in heroic endeavor, continued with commendable enterprise, coupled with never-ending determination, that inspired Holland to give a home and a welcome for the oppressed of every clime, with opportunity for broadest freedom to worship God. But such unceasing labor for humanity and untiring work for God cannot be confined within the limits of any country; it belongs to the world. And so it was that a mere handful of brave men leaving Holland, landing on Plymouth Rock, laid the foundation for our civil and religious liberty. The corner-stone was placed by Washington and other patriots of the American Revolution. The building was completed by the labors of loyalty, and dedicated to the service of God and a free people. It stands today the most superb model of civil and religious architecture the world has ever seen."

*The Colonel Jeremiah Wadsworth Branch* of the Connecticut Society, founded at Hartford on January 17, 1910, was fully organized on March 5, 1910, when a permanent Constitution was adopted. The following officers were elected at the January meeting: President, Dr. George C. F. Williams; Secretary and Treasurer, Charles G. Stone; Historian, Frank B. Gay; Chaplain, Rev. William De Loss Love, D. D.

President Curtis, of the State Society, and Chaplain Love spoke on the general purposes of the Society, and there was a discussion on the work that might be accomplished by the organization of the Hartford Branch.

THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SOCIETY held its customary "Ladies' Night" meeting on January 19. About 300 members and guests were present. Compatriot Morris Sheppard, Member of Congress from Texas, delivered an eloquent oration on George Washington and his work in organizing the nation, and a short address was made by Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The addresses were followed by music and dancing.

The annual business meeting of the Society was held at noon, February 22. The "Oration for Washington by Henry Lee" was read by Barry Bulkley, Esq. An amendment to the National Society Constitution was recommended for adoption at the Toledo Congress, providing for the establishment of a Permanent Fund.

The following officers were elected: President, Rear-Admiral George W. Baird, U. S. N. (retired); Vice-Presidents, Col. W. B. Thompson, Mr. W. V. Cox, and Col. G. C. Kniffen; Secretary and Librarian, Mr. Paul Brockett, Smithsonian Institution; Treasurer, Philip F. Larner; Registrar, Albert D. Spangler; Assistant Registrar, Philip B. Goode; Historian, Selden M. Ely; Chaplain, Rev. Thomas S. Childs.

✓ THE IDAHO SOCIETY held a meeting at Boise on December 15, 1909, when Mr. Harry Keyser was elected Secretary and Treasurer and Mr. G. H. Shellenberger was elected Vice-President for the remainder of the Society year.

✓ THE ILLINOIS SOCIETY has published "The Patriot's Program," a hanging card, reciting seventeen duties as the working program of the life of a true American citizen and a loyal Son of the American Revolution.

The Springfield Chapter of the Illinois Society held its Washington Anniversary Dinner at the St. Nicholas Hotel. Col. Charles F. Mills presided as toastmaster. Addresses were made as follows: "Patriotism in the Home," Mrs. Lewis H. Miner; "Patriotism in the School," Hon. Francis G. Blair, State Superintendent of Schools; "Patriotism in the Church," the Rev. A. P. Higley, pastor Second Presbyterian Church; "Patriotism in the State," Hon. Charles S. Deneen, Governor of Illinois; "Patriotism in the Nation," Hon. W. A. Northcott, Ex-Lieutenant-Governor of Illinois and United States District Attorney.

✓ THE INDIANA SOCIETY held its annual banquet at the University Club, Indianapolis, on February 25, the anniversary of the capture of Fort Sackville, Vincennes, by Col. George Rogers Clark, February 25, 1779. Addresses were made by Col. H. A. Greene, Capt. Charles S. Tarlton, Nathan A. Richardson, C. T. Jewett, and several other compatriots. Twelve officers from Fort Benjamin Harrison attended the banquet. The Society adopted a resolution urging the continuance by the Government of the plan of finding suitable locations for immigrants.

The following officers are elected for the ensuing year: President, George O. Dix, Terre Haute; Vice-Presidents, George W. Benton, of Indianapolis, Samuel M. Foster, of Fort Wayne, and Milton Garrigus, of Kokomo; Secretary, Bennett B. Bobbitt, Indianapolis; Treasurer, Charles N. Williams, Indianapolis; Registrar, Garvin M. Brown, Indianapolis.

✓ THE KANSAS SOCIETY held its annual election of officers on January 15, resulting as follows: President, John M. Meade, Topeka; Vice-President, A. K. Rodgers; Secretary and Historian, D. W. Nellis, Topeka; Registrar, Joseph L. Eldridge, Topeka; Treasurer, David W. Norton, Topeka.

Steps are being taken to form several local chapters in Kansas.

✓ THE LOUISIANA SOCIETY, on December 15, 1909, elected the following officers: President, Edward Rightor, New Orleans; Vice-Presidents,

John Day, Thomas Sloo, Charlton R. Beattie; State Secretary, Thomas Dabney Dimitry, 1224 St. Charles street, New Orleans; Financial Secretary, Robert T. Burwell, 818 Gravier street, New Orleans; Treasurer, Col. Charles A. Larendon, 815 Union street, New Orleans; Registrar, Hon. Louis D. Lagarde, Kennen Building, New Orleans; Historian, Henry Rightor, 818 Gravier street, New Orleans; Chaplain, Rev. John T. Sawyer, D. D., New Orleans.

The Society has changed the date of its annual reunion from February 22 to April 13, the anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson, author of the Declaration of Independence.

✓ THE MAINE SOCIETY held its nineteenth annual meeting and banquet on February 22, at the Falmouth Hotel, Portland. The speakers at the after-dinner exercises were: Hon. James O. Lyford, of Concord, N. H., naval officer at the Boston Custom-House; Judge Oliver G. Hall, of Augusta, the retiring President; Miss Louise H. Coburn, of Skowhegan, State Regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and the Secretary, Rev. Joseph Battell Shepherd, of Portland. Mr. Lyford took for the subject of his address "Political Pessimism." Judge Hall told of the benefit of patriotic orders, and Miss Coburn expressed the thanks of the Daughters for the invitation to be present.

At the business session of the Society the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Hon. Melvin P. Frank, of Portland; Senior Vice-President, Dr. Seth C. Gordon, of Portland; Vice-Presidents for Counties, Androscoggin, Edward P. Ricker, of South Poland; Aroostook, Willis B. Hall, of Caribou; Cumberland, Roswell F. Dotten, of Portland; Franklin, Everett B. Norton, of Farmington; Hancock, Benjamin L. Noyes, M. D., of Stonington; Kennebec, Silas Adams, of Waterville; Knox, Eugene M. Stubbs, of Rockland; Lincoln, Eugene Prescott Webber, of Westport; Oxford, Charles L. Hathaway, of Norway; Penobscot, Henry N. Fairbanks, of Bangor; Piscataquis, Hon. John F. Sprague, of Monson; Sagadahoc, William B. Kendall, of Bowdoinham; Somerset, Charles F. Jones, of Skowhegan; Waldo, Ralph Emery, of Belfast; Washington, Paul D. Sargent, of Machias; York, Lieut. Oliver P. Remic, of Kittery; Secretary, Rev. Joseph Battell Shepherd, of Portland; Registrar, Albert R. Stubbs, of Portland; Treasurer, Philip F. Turner, of Portland; Librarian, Nathan Goold, of Portland; Historian, Hon. Augustus F. Moulton, of Portland; Chaplain, Rev. William G. Mann, of Westbrook.

In the course of his address Mr. Lyford related examples of political pessimism in the early and later periods of the nation's history. In conclusion, he told of the work of the optimists whose labors had helped to bring the nation through many crises:

"If new conditions bring new cares, new duties, new responsibilities, and, withal, new dangers, we should not avoid them if we could. We could not avoid them if we would. Nations, like individuals, grow or decay. Stagnation is death. Isolation is dissolution in this era of progress. Hermitage is the dry rot of self-righteousness, the degeneracy of cowardly selfishness.

"Government by the people is not the creation of these United States, but the evolution of centuries of struggle. It is traced in the blood of martyrs, in civil war, in persecution, in the travail of nations and the suffering of individuals. It has halted, it has been turned back, it has been abandoned at times in despair, but every epoch has noted some advance. The generation succeeding has planted the standard a little farther forward than its predecessor. It will not be on the battlefield that we shall be called to maintain the heritage of the fathers, but in the daily struggle for civic righteousness. The stream cannot rise higher than its fountain. In a republic the people are the sovereigns and the rulers the servants. The higher the intelligence of the sovereign the greater will be the capacity of the ruler. Every people gets as good government as it deserves. Neither constitutional amendments nor remedial statutes are self-acting. They must have the support of public sentiment. It is only through the indifference of the people that liberty can be abridged."

✓ THE MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY, to the number of some 200, met at the Hotel Vendome, Boston, on February 22, and observed Washington's Birthday.

The President of the Society, Judge Edward C. Battis, of Salem, presided, and Brig.-Gen. Philip Reade was chairman of the committee of arrangements for the affair.

John Adams, of Gardner, a son of a Revolutionary soldier, and now 95 years old, was by vote of the Society invited to the platform.

Col. Robert E. Patterson, U. S. A.; Col. Thomas Wood, U. S. M. C.; Charles Irving Thayer, representing the Sons of the Revolution; Edwin S. Crandon, and William Trowbridge Forbes were also in attendance, the three patriotic societies, the Sons of the Revolution, the Sons of the American Revolution, and the Grand Army of the Republic, being thus represented. The Society of Colonial Wars was also represented by several members.

Col. Thomas Wentworth Higginson was the first speaker. He described the life and character of Washington, paying a high tribute to his military skill, his patriotism, and the purity of his public life, and extolled the great work he had done for America.

Rev. Dr. Henry Bedinger, of Salem, dwelt at length on the character of Col. Daniel Morgan, who came at the head of his regiment from the Shenandoah valley to New England, and fought with Washington throughout the War of the Revolution.

Charles F. Read, of the Bostonian Society, read a paper descriptive of Washington's visits to Boston. Edwin D. Sibley spoke on "Character Studies."

Resolutions were presented by Walter K. Watkins, and passed unanimously, in vindication of the probity and official faithfulness of Samuel Adams.

The resolutions say, in part:

"The Massachusetts Society, Sons of the American Revolution, feels that the record of facts, the indorsement of Samuel Adams by his fellow-townsmen, and the action of the provincial government are sufficient to place his name above the aspersions cast on his fame by biased critics."

*The Malden Chapter* of the Massachusetts Society met on January 22 to listen to an informal talk by Historian General Walter K. Watkins on "Genealogical Searches in Old and New England."

✓ THE MICHIGAN SOCIETY, at its meeting on January 28, had an address by Gen. Henry M. Duffield on "Nathan Dane." General Duffield reviewed the character and achievements of this statesman and jurist of the Revolutionary period, the great influence which he exerted on American jurisprudence, the lessening of the list of capital crimes, a more humane view of the punishment of criminals as ordered under the old English statutes, and similar humanitarian work. Attention was called to the Ordinance of 1787, which fixed a form of government for the territory northwest of the Ohio.

General Duffield quoted Daniel Webster as sufficient evidence that the honor of composing that great charter of liberty, a charter which antedated the Constitution of the United States, was the work of the jurist Nathan Dane. It is to Dane that we owe the first law school in America, which is one of the departments of Harvard University.

The paper was discussed by Mr. George W. Bates, Prof. J. Remsen Bishop, Rev. Lee S. McColleston, Mr. Charles M. Woodruff, Mr. Edward A. Sumner, Dr. S. H. Knight, Mr. Enoch Smith and Mr. Joseph Greusel.

The foundation of educational endowments in Michigan was traced to Nathan Dane, and also the immortal sentiment that "Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except as a punishment for crime, whereof the party shall have been duly convicted in a court of justice," should ever be allowed in the territory northwest of the Ohio.

On January 29 the Society gave a luncheon at the Pontchartrain to Maj. Gen. Curtis Guild, of Boston, former Governor of Massachusetts. The address of Compatriot Guild was a characterization of the



American idea, which quickly makes into a homogeneous and liberty-loving people, all of whatever race, who seek out new homes under the folds of the Stars and Stripes. He sketched the work done in achieving independence by the Irishmen, the Germans, the Frenchmen, and the Poles. He showed how loyal these people are now to American institutions, and he encouraged whatever might induce to serve the cause of patriotism in this country.

Governor Guild found instances all through our history, and in every crisis, how men had come to the front, and how the citizen of foreign birth was not less devoted than the native son in his love for liberty and American institutions. This he showed by the episode of the sinking of the *Maine* and the heroic offering of themselves for sacrifice of the sailors of the fleet who volunteered for a share in American institutions. This he showed by such instances as the sinking of the *Merrimac* at Santiago harbor, in 1898.

Hon. John S. Miller, of Chicago, followed Governor Guild, touching a like strain of patriotism as he had observed it in the mixed population of his city, calling attention to the part which the native and adopted citizens of the great West had played in the Civil War.

THE MONTANA SOCIETY held its annual business meeting and banquet at the residence of James U. Sanders, of Helena, on February 22.

"When George Washington's Birthday was celebrated for the first time one hundred and seventy-eight years ago, it was a cold winter's day, but doubtless in his whole career, even during the time spent at Valley Forge, he never felt weather as frigid as that of his last anniversary, on Tuesday, February 22, which, though it had a record of 32 degrees below zero, with deep snow, and misty air through which the yellow rays of the sun weakly glimmered, failed to quench the patriotic ardor of the Sons of the American Revolution who met for the sixteenth time in honor of this day."

The following officers were elected, all of Helena: President, William A. Chessman; Vice-President, Henry C. Arnold; Secretary, Leslie Sulgrove; Treasurer, Charles J. Brackett; Registrar, Cornelius Hedges; Chaplain, Edward C. Russell; Librarian, James U. Sanders.

The retiring President, Charles J. Brackett, presided as toastmaster.

Compatriot Henry Nichols Blake responded to the toast "Historical Landmarks," with special mention of the Old South Church at Boston. Compatriot Palmer spoke to the toast, "The Patriots of the Revolution." Compatriot Howey spoke on the Federal Constitution, and remarks were also made by Compatriots Hedges, Chessman, Bartly, Arnold, Sanders, Perry, Burroughs, Russell, Van Hook, and Sulgrove.

THE NEBRASKA SOCIETY held its annual meeting at Omaha on February 22.

Last year, on the 19th of April, an address written by President Ralph W. Breckenridge was read in every public school in the State of Nebraska, wherever possible, by a member of the Society, and, where members were not obtainable, by a teacher. It was decided that this procedure should obtain permanently, and that April 19, the anniversary of the battle of Lexington, should be celebrated in this way each year.

The following officers were elected: President, Pressly J. Barr, 4820 California street, Omaha; Senior Vice-President, Paul W. Kuhns, Omaha; Junior Vice-President, E. R. Gurney, Fremont; Secretary, E. O. Halstead, 2509 Farnam street, Omaha; Treasurer, John F. Flack, Omaha; Registrar, D. C. Patterson, Patterson Bank, Omaha; Historian, Henry E. Palmer, Omaha.

THE NEVADA SOCIETY was organized at Reno on February 19, with nineteen charter members.

The National Committee on Organization in the North and West was represented by Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, Chairman; Mr. Frank M. Keezer, Secretary, and Col. A. S. Hubbard, who were assisted by Compatriot James F. Tuttle, Jr., of Denver. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. Gordon B. Hamilton, Masonic Temple Building, Reno; Vice-President, Robert M. Price; Secretary, C. P. Eager, Reno; Treasurer, W. E. Otis, Jr.; Registrar, Albert D. Ayres. A banquet was held at the Riverside Hotel, President Hamilton presiding as toastmaster. The programme was as follows:

Invocation, Rev. Charles Leon Mears; presentation of Nevada Charter, Dr. Clarkson Newberry Guyer, Vice-President General National Society, S. A. R.; "Loyalty to the Flag," Hon. Albert D. Ayres; "The Nevada Society, S. A. R.," Hon. Oscar J. Smith; "Greetings from California S. A. R.," Col. A. S. Hubbard; "Mission of the S. A. R.," Hon. Frank Merriam Keezer, ex-President Colorado Society, S. A. R.; "The Spirit of the West," Hon. Robert M. Price; address, Hon. Joseph F. Tuttle, Jr., founder of Colorado Society, S. A. R.

On Sunday, February 20, patriotic addresses were delivered by Compatriot Tuttle in two of the churches at Reno.

THE NEW JERSEY SOCIETY held its twenty-first annual meeting on January 3, in the assembly rooms of the New Jersey Historical Society, Newark. The proceedings of the meeting have been published in a pamphlet of 24 pages by Secretary James R. Mullikin. President Atwater

reviewed the Society's work, showing a very active year. The Secretary reported 136 members added to the rolls, the largest year's growth in the history of the Society. The present active membership is 504.

A resolution was unanimously adopted favoring the establishment of a National Park and the erection of a memorial bridge on the Delaware River at the point where General Washington and his army crossed on Christmas night, 1776.

The following officers were elected: President, Edward S. Atwater, 78 Broad street, Elizabeth; Vice-Presidents, Thomas W. Williams, and Rev. Linn E. Wheeler; Secretary, Col. James R. Mullikin, 312 Belleville avenue, Newark; Treasurer, Lieut. Col. Oscar H. Condit, East Orange; Registrar, John J. Hubbell, Newark; Historian, Prof. William C. Armstrong, New Brunswick; Chaplain, Rev. John Hobart Egbert, Irvington.

A banquet of the New Jersey Society in memory of Washington, his officers and men, who suffered great privations at the encampment at Morristown in the winter of 1777, was held at the Woman's Club, East Orange, on the evening of February 4, attended by about 200 members. An address of greeting was delivered by Judge Edward S. Atwater, President of the New Jersey State Society, who also made the presentation address of the Society's testimonial to Mr. George Curtis Sterling, Founder and President of Montclair Chapter, No. 3, consisting of engrossed resolutions of thanks for his untiring efforts in forming the Montclair Chapter. Addresses were made by President General Morris B. Beardsley; Rev. Dr. William Force Whitaker; Hon. C. A. Pugsley, President of the Empire State Society, on "The Development of the Republic," and by Rev. W. Warren Giles.

*Orange Chapter* gave a reception at the home of Col. Henry A. Potter, East Orange, N. J., on December 9, 1909, to the members who were organizing a Chapter in Montclair, the Elizabethtown Chapter, and Judge Atwater, President of the New Jersey Society. Over 100 members and guests were present. Addresses were made by President Atwater, President Parrot, of the Elizabethtown Chapter; Mr. George Curtis Sterling, now President of the Montclair Chapter, and by several others.

*The Montclair Chapter* was organized at the Hotel Montclair, Montclair, N. J., on January 4, 1910, with over one hundred charter members. About 200 members and guests were present. The following officers were elected: President, George Curtis Sterling; First Vice-President, Washington Irving Lincoln Adams; Second Vice-President, John Brewer Wight; Secretary, Arthur Howard Churchill; Treasurer, Edward Huntington Holmes; Historian, Thomas Irving Crowell; Chaplain, Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick; Board of Managers, Edward Al-

phonso Bradley, John Richardson, Emery Dexter Newell Force, Albert French, William George Frost, Benjamin Vincent Harrison, Frederick Bates Lovejoy, Willis Clarke Noble, Frank Henry Presby, Frederick William Schoonmaker, Solomon Wright, Jr., and Elvord G. Chamberlain.

The order of exercises was as follows: Calling the meeting to order, by the Provisional Chairman, George Curtis Sterling; reading of preamble, by Washington Irving Lincoln Adams; invocation, by the Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick; presentation of colors, by John Brewer Wight; singing, "The Star Spangled Banner," led by the Llewellyn Club; reading of minutes of preliminary meeting, by the Provisional Secretary, Arthur Howard Churchill; report of the committee on constitution, by the Chairman, W. I. Lincoln Adams; report of the committee on nominations, by the Chairman, John Richardson Emery; election of officers; response by the President-elect; address, by the Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick; singing, Part Song, by the Llewellyn Club; addresses, by President General Morris Beach Beardsley, Vice-President General Moses Veale; John H. Burroughs, Treasurer General; Rev. Frank Oliver Hall, D. D., Chaplain General; President Cornelius A. Pugsley, of the Empire State Society; State President Lewis Beers Curtis, of the Connecticut Society; State President Edward S. Atwater, of the New Jersey Society; patriotic recitation, by Frank A. O'Connor; addresses, by President John Leonard Merrill, of the Orange Chapter; President George T. Parrott, of the Elizabethtown Chapter, and by other guests; singing, "America," lead by the Llewellyn Club; benediction, by Rev. Amory Howe Bradford, D. D.

✓ *THE NEW MEXICO SOCIETY* held its annual business meeting in the afternoon of February 22, and in the evening the annual banquet was given at the Alvarado Hotel, Albuquerque. The officers elected were: President, Dr. J. W. Elder, of Albuquerque; Vice-Presidents, Harold H. Hurd, of Roswell; Dr. T. P. Martin, of Farmington, and Pitt Ross, of Albuquerque; Secretary, W. R. Lyon, of Albuquerque; Registrar, Hon. F. W. Clancy, of Albuquerque; Treasurer, O. A. Matson, of Albuquerque; Historian, George S. Klock, of Albuquerque; Chaplain, C. C. Bateman, U. S. A., Fort Bayard.

The toasts at the banquet were responded to as follows: "The aims and objects of the Society," Attorney General Frank W. Clancy; "The Arizona Society," H. F. Robinson; "The Iowa Society," R. W. Scofield; "Washington as a Man," R. W. D. Bryan; "Washington as a Soldier," Louis H. Chamberlain; "Washington as Statesman and President," Judge Ira A. Abbott; "The Ladies," George S. Klock.

✓ THE EMPIRE STATE SOCIETY held its customary "Ladies' Night" meeting at the Hotel Astor, New York City, on February 15, attended by about 300 members and guests. Mr. Franklin Matthews gave a lecture on "Around the World with the American Fleet," illustrated with views taken by Mr. Young, Correspondent of the New York Sun.

The Board of Managers, on January 7, adopted resolutions indorsing the project of a State Park along the west shore of the Hudson, and commending the generous and patriotic exhibition of advanced public spirit on the part of Mrs. Edward H. Harriman, Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, and Mr. George W. Perkins, also compatriots John D. Rockefeller, Gov. J. Franklin Fort, and Gov. Charles E. Hughes for their advocacy of this commendable project.

✓ THE OHIO SOCIETY is aroused to active patriotic work in view of the approaching Congress at Toledo. Twenty-six bronze medals have been issued by the National Society to the Ohio Society for presentation as awards for the best essays on the principles of the Revolution written by high-school students.

*The Benjamin Franklin Chapter*, of Columbus, Ohio, observed the anniversary of Lincoln's birthday by listening to a lecture by the English evangelist, Dr. W. J. Dawson, who gave his views of the greatness of Abraham Lincoln and of the patriotic work he accomplished.

✓ THE OREGON SOCIETY celebrated the birthday of Benjamin Franklin by holding a "smoker" on the evening of January 17. The paper of the evening was prepared by Prof. Frederick S. Dunn, of the University of Oregon. He devoted his attention to the less familiar phases of Franklin's life, giving a great deal of information about his work in the city of Philadelphia and Province of Pennsylvania for thirty or forty years prior to the Revolution.

The annual business meeting was held at the University Club, Portland, on the afternoon of February 22, and in the evening the annual banquet was given at the Hotel Portland. The officers were re-elected for the ensuing year. Announcement was made of the winners of four prizes of \$10 each, and twelve of \$5 each, awarded to the public school children of the State for the best essays on subjects pertaining to the American Revolution. An appropriation of \$100 was made for similar prizes to be awarded February 22, 1911.

President Wallace McCamant presided at the banquet. Addresses were made by Hon. William D. Fenton, Hon. Robert S. Bean, W. W. Cotton, D. Solis Cohen, and Edgar B. Piper, and informal remarks by Gen. Thomas M. Anderson, U. S. A.

✓ THE PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY held its annual business meeting at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, Pittsburg, on February 22. The reports of the officers showed that much had been accomplished in patriotic lines, and that the Society is in excellent condition, about 75 new members having been added. The following officers were elected: President, Major Moses Veale, 727 Walnut street, Philadelphia; Vice-Presidents, William L. Jones, Rev. S. B. McCormick, Col. R. W. Guthrie, S. D. Hubley, Col. F. K. Patterson, Albert Bissell, Thomas Stephen Brown; Secretary, F. G. Paulson, 515 Wood street, Pittsburg; Registrar, Francis Armstrong, Jr., Pittsburg; Treasurer, Ogden Russell, Pittsburg; Historian, Rev. Jesse P. Martin; Chaplain, Dr. Warren G. Partridge, D. D.

At the annual banquet at the Union Club about 115 were present. The principal addresses were by Hon. Hampton L. Carson, on "Washington in His Relation to the National Idea," and Henry Russell Miller, Esq., on "Our Inheritance."

A souvenir of the banquet was a pamphlet, with colored illustrations, on the history of "Our Flag," by Francis Scott Key, 3d.

*The Philadelphia Chapter* held its annual meeting and banquet on January 17. The special feature of interest was an address by Major Moses Veale, President of the Chapter, on "The Settlement of our Country."

✓ THE RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY held its annual business meeting at noon on February 22, at the rooms of the Rhode Island Historical Society, Providence. The following officers were elected: President, Frederic Willard Easton, Pawtucket; Vice-President, Charles Dean Kimball, Providence; Secretary, Christopher Rhodes, 290 Benefit street, Providence; Treasurer, Arthur Preston Sumner; Registrar, Francis Eliot Bates; Historian, Robert Perkins Brown; Chaplain, Rev. Samuel Heber Webb; Poet, John Prescott Farnsworth.

The annual dinner was at the Narragansett Hotel at 7 o'clock in the evening. Among the guests were Governor A. J. Pothier, Mayor Henry Fletcher, of Providence, and Mr. John S. Crosby, of New York.

"I believe our State is entering upon a new era of constructive work, and such a reception as you have given me encourages me to do my full duty," said Governor Pothier. "It is necessary that we live up to the high standards that these men of the past have set for us. I believe the American people are the greatest and noblest on earth today, and yet it seems that we have not yet reached the point to which we should attain. Integrity and honesty of purpose should be the foundations upon which our citizenship is built."

"The day of the schemer in politics, in society, and in business is past. The people demand today men of integrity and honest purposes."



Edwin A. Burlingame read some unpublished letters written by Rev. Ebenezer David between January, 1776, and 1778. John P. Farnsworth, Poet of the Society, presented a poem entitled "The Minute Men of 1775." John Sherman Crosby's subject was "Washington, Jefferson, and Lincoln." Congressman Sheffield discussed "The Patriotism of the Fathers."

THE TEXAS SOCIETY held its annual meeting at Galveston, on February 22, when a large number of members and their families gathered from Houston, Austin, and other places to commemorate Washington's Birthday. Public exercises and a business meeting were held during the forenoon. There was a cruise on the bay from 1 to 3 o'clock, on the pilot boat *Texas*. In the evening a banquet was given at the Café Ritter, followed by a concert and dance at the Garten Verein.

At the business meeting reports were made by President Beers and Secretary Briggs on the work and present condition of the Society.

The following officers were elected: President, Gen. J. R. Waties, Houston; Senior Vice-President, Henry M. Trueheart, Galveston; Second Vice-President, Judge Clay S. Briggs, Galveston; Secretary, John Charles Harris, Houston; Treasurer, Wilber H. Young (re-elected), Austin; Historian and Registrar, E. E. Rice, Galveston; Chaplain, E. B. Wright (re-elected), Austin.

At the public exercises Judge Clay S. Briggs delivered an address on the purposes and principles of the Society, in which he said:

"The Sons of the American Revolution stand for something more than simply the establishment of an ancestral record. It is their purpose to keep constantly alive the fires of patriotism, like the fires on the altars of Vesta, so that in time of need their flame may be caused to glow and burn with the intensity and brilliancy commensurate with the demands of the times. George William Curtis, in his familiar essay on 'Family Portraits,' satirizes those who are content to live upon the reflected glory of their ancestors, but he cannot and does not rebuke those who uphold that record while striving to do what they can to further and strengthen the principles of liberty and freedom upon which rest the foundations of this Republic."

Mayor Lewis Fisher welcomed the visiting members to Galveston. He was followed by Hon. Edward F. Harris, who delivered an oration on Washington's Farewell Address, discussing the sentiments expressed in that document and their application to national conditions of the present day.

The evening banquet at the Café Ritter was begun at 6.30 p. m. A large number was present. Ex-President W. F. Beers was the toastmaster. The addresses were as follows: "Our Country: Once the

Colonies, Now the Nation," Judge R. A. Pleasants; "The State of Texas," Hon. George T. Jester; "Patriotism," Rev. Father A. E. Otis, S. J.; "The Daughters of the American Revolution," F. F. Downs; "The City of Galveston," Hon. Lewis Fisher; "Lessons of the Past," John Charles Harris. In addition to the set program of toasts, responses were made by Mrs. A. V. Lane, Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, Mrs. Edwin Bruce, Colonel L. J. Polk, Hon. Edward F. Harris, and Judge Clay Stone Briggs.

THE VERMONT SOCIETY, at its annual meeting held at Burlington on December 8, elected the following officers: President, William Tarbox Dewey, of Montpelier; Vice-President, Hon. Zed S. Stanton, of Roxbury; Secretary, Walter Hill Crockett, of Montpelier; Treasurer, Clarence Lucius Smith, of Burlington; Registrar, Henry Leonard Stillson, of Bennington; Historian, Walter Hill Crockett, of Montpelier; Chaplain, Rev. Homer Abial Flint, of Montpelier.

THE VIRGINIA SOCIETY met on February 22 and re-elected all officers to serve for another year.

The *Alexander Hamilton Chapter* of Tacoma, Washington, held its annual meeting on January 11, 1910, and elected officers as follows: President, E. B. Judson; Vice-President, R. G. Walker; Treasurer, C. C. Hunt; Registrar, H. G. Rowland; Secretary, B. L. Harvey.

The Chapter plans to have six meetings during the year. These meetings are business, literary, and social in their nature, and are held at the residences of the various members. After the business is transacted there is generally a paper or a talk upon such subjects as "James Madison," "The Realist and the Idealist in our History," "Thomas Jefferson," "Tales of the Revolution," being a story of the army life of an ancestor; "The Northwest in the Revolution," and so on. The Chapter has found that these meetings add greatly to the public interest in the work of the General Society.

THE WYOMING SOCIETY, on February 12, united with the Daughters of the American Revolution in the celebration of Lincoln's birthday. Brig. Gen. Frederick A. Smith, U. S. A., gave an address on the national flag. Rev. Leon C. Hills presented an address on Abraham Lincoln. The programme was interspersed with music. About 65 people were present.

### IN MEMORIAM.

CHARLES E. ADAMS, former President of the Massachusetts Society, died February 18, 1910.

FRANCIS W. ALLEN, a member of the Connecticut Society, died June 30, 1909.

DR. OSCAR M. BARBER, a member of the Connecticut Society, died April 3, 1909.

CHARLES L. BASSETT, a member of the Connecticut Society, died January 10, 1909.

EDWARD C. BEECHER, a member of the Connecticut Society, died April 17, 1909.

ARTHUR B. BREED, a member of the Massachusetts Society, died January 25, 1910.

COL. FRANK W. CHENEY, a member of the Connecticut Society, died May 26, 1909.

EDWARD T. COE, a member of the Connecticut Society, died October 5, 1909.

ALBERT R. COLTON, a member of the Empire State Society, died February 23, 1910.

JAMES H. DILLAWAY, JR., a member of the Massachusetts Society, died February 26, 1910.

FRANK T. DWINELL, a member of the Massachusetts Society, died January 13, 1910.

WILLIAM W. EATON, a member of the Massachusetts Society, died February 1, 1910.

DR. ALVIN HERBERT ECCLESTON, a member of the Rhode Island Society, died January 23, 1910.

JAMES W. ELDRIDGE, a member of the Connecticut Society, died February 6, 1909.

WILLIAM H. ELY, a member of the Connecticut Society, died May 26, 1909.

JAMES FAXON, a member of the Massachusetts Society, son of a soldier of the Revolution, died February 20, 1910.

CHARLES H. FISHER, a member of the Massachusetts Society, died February 28, 1910.

LEANDER FISHER, a member of the New Jersey Society, died January 22, 1910.

HEZEKIAH GAYLORD, a member of the Connecticut Society, died May 2, 1909.

ROBERT W. HILL, a member of the Connecticut Society, died 1909.

ALBERT H. HOADLEY, a member of the Massachusetts Society, died December 29, 1909.

JOSIAH M. HUBBARD, a member of the Connecticut Society, died December 20, 1909.

FREDERICK S. HUNT, a member of the Connecticut Society, died 1909.

FREDERICK A. JACKSON, a member of the Connecticut Society, died March 29, 1909.

WILLIAM D. KELLY, a member of the Empire State Society, died at Atlantic City, N. J., December 9, 1909.

RICHARD HAZEN KIMBALL, a member of the New Hampshire Society, died October 27, 1909.

DAVID C. LAKE, a member of the Kansas Society, died 1909.

RUFUS W. LEWIS, a member of the Connecticut Society, died March 21, 1909.

GEORGE G. MARTIN, a member of the District of Columbia Society, died November 9, 1909.

WILLIAM PERRINE MCMICHAEL, a member of the New Jersey Society, died April 30, 1909.

WILLIAM H. MORRIS, a member of the Empire State Society, died August 10, 1909.

WILLARD NYE, JR., a member of the Massachusetts Society, died March 5, 1908.

RUNNION MARTIN PATRICK, a member of the District of Columbia Society, died December 31, 1909.

CHARLES F. PEIRCE, a member of the Massachusetts Society, died February 28, 1910.

SAMUEL WINTER PLUME, a member of the District of Columbia Society, died November 2, 1909.

FRANK K. PORTER, a member of the Massachusetts Society, died January 25, 1910.

EDWARD MOORE ROBINSON, a member of the Empire State Society, died at Philadelphia, January 4, 1910.

ORRY M. SHEPARD, a member of the Connecticut Society, died June 1, 1909.

JACKSON SMITH, a member of the District of Columbia Society, died January 28, 1910.

REV. GIDEON S. STEWART, a member of the California Society, died June 9, 1909, aged 84 years.

WILLIAM J. SMITH, a member of the Empire State Society, died January 10, 1910.

JAMES P. TAYLOR, a member of the Connecticut Society, died October 10, 1909.

SETH E. THOMAS, a member of the Empire State Society, died February 6, 1910.

JAMES W. THOMPSON, a member of the Connecticut Society, died July 6, 1909.

RODOLPH DOUW TOWNSEND, a member of the Empire State Society, died December 21, 1909.

DAVID TRUBEE, a member of the Connecticut Society, died September 25, 1908.

WILLIS H. UPSON, a member of the Connecticut Society, died April 1, 1909.

JAMES LYMAN VAN BUREN, a member of the Empire State Society, died February 26, 1910.

WILLIAM WARD, a member of the Connecticut Society, died 1909.

GEN. HENRY W. WESSELS, a member of the Connecticut Society, died September 26, 1909.

JAMES H. WHEELER, a member of the Empire State Society, died November 23, 1909.

DAVID W. WILLIAMS, a member of the Connecticut Society, died June 8, 1909.

# RECORDS OF 273 NEW MEMBERS ENROLLED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL FROM DECEMBER 1, 1909, TO FEBRUARY 15, 1910.

PETER CHRISTIE ACKERMAN, Montclair, N. J. (21651). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Abraham Ackerman*, private, Col. Theunis Dey's Bergen County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

GEORGE HAMILTON ADAMS, Latrobe, Pa. (21448). Great-grandson of *Jacob Adams*, private, Ensign Powell's Company Washington County Penna. Militia; great-grandson of *John Crum*, private, Col. Baker Johnson's Maryland Regt., pensioned.

FRANK WESLEY ALDEN, Delaware, Ohio (21467). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Alden*, private, Col. David Wells's Mass. Regt.

JOSEPH LANCASTER BRENT ALEXANDER, Phoenix, Ariz. (18791). Great-grandson of *Benjamin Prichard*, private Conn. Troops, pensioned.

GEORGE SMITH ALLAN, Montclair, N. J. (21652). Great-grandson of *James Smith*, Lieutenant Eleventh Company Colonel Babcock's Regt. Rhode Island Militia.

CHARLES WILLIAM ALLEN, Portland, Me. (20968). Great-grandson of *William Hamilton*, private, Capt. Thomas Hartshorn's Company, Col. Michael Jackson's Mass. Regt.

NELSON LEATON ALLYN, Springfield, Ill. (21323). Great-grandson of *James Moore*, private, Col. George Rogers Clark's Regt., Captain Virginia Militia.

GEORGE K. ANGLE, Silver City, N. Mex. (21006). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Matthias Abel*, private, Col. William Chamberlin's and other New Jersey Regts., pensioned.

HARRY B. ANGUS, Washington, D. C. (21209). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Angus*, private Third Albany County Regt. New York Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Benham*, Corporal, Phineas Bradley's Conn. Artillery Company, pensioned; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Judah Benjamin*, private, Moseley's Detachment Conn. Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Elias Winans*, Lieutenant First Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

ROLLIN VALENTINE ANKENY, Jr., Seattle, Wash. (20993). Great-grandson of *Peter Angeny*, *Ankeny*, Captain Fifth Company Bedford County Penna. Militia.

S. C. ARBUCKLE, Columbus, Ohio (21464). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Harris*, Member of Pennsylvania Provincial Congress and of Committee of Safety, Sub-Lieutenant of Cumberland County.

WILLIAM KIBBEE ARCHBOLD, Syracuse, N. Y. (21801). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Dana*, Captain-Lieutenant, Col. Richard Gridley's Mass. Artillery Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peregrine Foster*, private, Col. Job Cushing's Mass. Regt.

EDWIN CHARLTON ATWATER, Spokane, Wash. (20981). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peter Taft*, First Lieutenant Thirteenth Regt. Mass. Continental Infantry.

OLIVER KINSEY BADGLEY, Montclair, N. J. (21785). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Badgley*, private Essex County New Jersey Militia.



- DAVID HEBER BALDWIN, Montclair, N. J. (21665). Great-grandson of *David Baldwin*, private Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- JOSEPH SALLING BALDWIN, JR., Washington, D. C. (21214). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Paxton*, Captain Rockbridge County Virginia Militia.
- DAYTON BALL, N. J. (6063). Supplemental. Great-grandson of *William Ball*, private Essex County New Jersey Militia.
- GEORGE SHOENBERGER BALLARD, Evanston, Ill. (21321). Great-grandson of *James Hamilton*, Lieutenant Seventh Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- FREDERICK BISSELL BALLOU, Waterloo, Iowa (21630). Great-grandson of *Nathaniel Ballou*, private Rhode Island Militia, pensioned.
- WILLIAM JOHN BALLOU, Ludlow, Vt. (21057). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Seth Ballou*, private, Col. Samuel Ashley's New Hampshire Regt.
- BLAIR BANISTER, Lynchburg, Va. (N. Y. 21595). Great-grandson of *John Banister*, Lieutenant-Colonel Virginia Cavalry, Member of Continental Congress.
- SAMUEL DENHAM BARNES, Seattle, Wash. (20996). Great-grandson of *Daniel Barnes*, Captain Eighth Regt. Conn. Continental Line.
- PERCY CANFIELD BARNEY, New York, N. Y. (21349). Supplementals. Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abraham Williams*, private First Westchester County Regt. New York Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Sylvester Andrew*, private, Colonel Topham's and other Rhode Island Regts., pensioned.
- NATHAN BOWEN BARTON, Providence, R. I. (21559). Great-grandson of *Samuel Dorrance*, Captain of Alarm Company of Scituate, R. I.
- GEORGE JARVIS BASSETT, New Haven, Conn. (20870). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Reuben Pratt*, Sergeant, Colonel Worthington's Conn. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Starkey*, Captain, Colonel Worthington's Conn. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Covert*, private Fifth Battalion Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ephraim Goldsmith*, Captain Conn. Militia, killed at Valcour's Island, October, 1776.
- WILLIAM MILLER BAUCHELLE, Montclair, N. J. (21623). Great-grandson of *Seth Webb*, private, Capt. Reuben Scofield's Company Conn. Coast Guards.
- GEORGE RICHARDSON BEARDSSELL, Lynn, Mass. (19990). Supplementals. Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Walker*, Lieutenant, Col. Jonathan Holman's Mass. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Comfort Freeman*, Sergeant, Col. Jacob Davis's Regt. Mass. Militia.
- ALBERT CLAYTON BECKWITH, Elkhorn, Wis. (20065). Grandson of *David Beckwith*, Sergeant, Lieut. Col. Samuel Canfield's Conn. Regt.
- HOMER CHARLES BENDER, Reno, Nev. (Colo. 21828). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Fassett*, Captain Vermont Militia.
- EUGENE WELDON BIGLER, Newburgh, N. Y. (21590). Great-grandson of *Ezekiel Magie*, private New Jersey Minute Men.
- ARTHUR HARRY BISSELL, Montclair, N. J. (21619). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph William Bissell*, private Second Regt. Conn. Light Horse.
- FRANCIS ARMSTRONG BOARD, Montclair, N. J. (21657). Great-grandson of *Francis Armstrong*, private, Col. John Hathorn's Orange County Regt. New York Militia.

- ANDREW LEE BOLTE, Chicago, Ill. (21318). Great-grandson of *Joseph Baker*, private, Col. Ira Allen's Vermont Regt.
- EDWARD LANDER BOSSON, Pittsburgh, Pa. (21681). Great-grandson of *Johnathan Davis Bosson*, private, Lieutenant Daniel Frye's Company of Artificers, privateer on Mass. ship "Aurora;" great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Bosson, Jr.*, minute man, Col. John Groaton's Mass. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Bosson, Sr.*, private Third Plymouth County Regt. Mass. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *George Chapman*, private Mass. Coast Guards, Quartermaster, brigantine "Massachusetts;" great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Warwick Palfray*, Prize Master, brigantine "Massachusetts," Naval Officer Port of Salem; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Edmund Henfield*, private, Capt. Benjamin Ward's Company Mass. Coast Guards.
- FREDERICK BOSTWICK, New Haven, Conn. (21754). Great-grandson of *Amos Bostwick*, Ensign Nineteenth Regt. Conn. Continental Infantry, Col. Charles Webb, and Second Conn. Regt.
- AUGUSTUS OSBORN BOURN, JR., Bristol, R. I. (21551). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Eddy*, private, Colonel Gridley's and Colonel Walker's Mass. Regts., and in boat service, pensioned.
- THOMAS NEWTON BOYLE, Crafton, Pa. (21433). Grandson of *Charles Boyle*, private Penna. Frontier Rangers.
- GEORGE GULICK BRADLEY, Montclair, N. J. (21668). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Bradley*, private, Capt. Samuel Gilman's Company, Col. Enoch Poor's New Hampshire Regt.
- HAROLD HALL, BRADLEY, Montclair, N. J. (21669). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Bradley*, private, Capt. Samuel Gilman's Company, Col. Enoch Poor's New Hampshire Regt.
- HERBERT CHAPMAN BRADLEY, Montclair, N. J. (21667). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Bradley*, private, Capt. Samuel Gilman's Company, Col. Enoch Poor's New Hampshire Regt.
- ARTHUR MINIER BREED, Corning, N. Y. (21592). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Breed*, Surgeon's Mate, Col. Enoch Poor's New Hampshire Regt.
- EVERARD CARROLL BREWER, Elizabeth, N. J. (21659). Great-grandson of *Daniel Brewer*, private, Capt. George Rogers's Company Second Cumberland County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- WALTER BENNETT BREWER, Montclair, N. J. (21653). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Hovey*, Hoovey, Captain of Connecticut privateer schooner "Swallow."
- ARTHUR CRANSTON BREYMAN, Portland, Oregon (21384). Great-grandson of *John Cranston*, private, Col. Archibald Crary's Rhode Island Regt.
- BLOOMFIELD HOLMES BROOKS, Denver, Colo. (21138). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Sayre*, private, Captain Sheppard's Company Second New Jersey Battalion.
- HAROLD PITNEY BROWN, Montclair, N. J. (21614). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Seward*, Colonel Second Sussex County New Jersey Regt.
- ROBERT EBEN BUCKLIN, Port Orchard, Wash. (20997). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Stephen Babbitt*, private Morris County New Jersey Militia.
- HARRIS SUTTON BURROUGHS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (21599). Great-grandson of *John Burroughs*, Sergeant First Hunterdon County Regt., New Jersey Militia and Continental service, pensioned.

- LOUIS RICE BURTON, New Haven, Conn. (20863). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abraham Billings*, Lieutenant Mass. Militia.
- CLARENCE CHARLES BUXTON, Oklahoma City, Okla. (18967). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Buxton*, Captain Tenth Mass. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Haynes*, private, Col. Eben Walbridge's Vermont Regt.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Haynes*, private, Capt. Elijah Dewey's Company Vermont Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Stanton*, Adjutant Vermont Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Bezaleel Wood*, private, Capt. Joseph Bellows's Company Mass. Militia.
- GRANT MONRO BUXTON, Oklahoma City, Okla. (18968). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Buxton*, Captain Tenth Mass. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Haynes*, private, Col. Eben Walbridge's Vermont Regt.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Haynes*, private, Capt. Elijah Dewey's Company Vermont Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Stanton*, Adjutant Vermont Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Bezaleel Wood*, private, Capt. Joseph Bellows's Company Mass. Militia.
- JENKS CAMERON, Tacoma, Wash. (20991). Great-grandson of *Samuel Smith*, Captain Fifth Pennsylvania Line.
- FLETCHER FREEMAN CARMAN, Montclair, N. J. (21610). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joshua Fletcher*, private, Capt. Abisha Brown's Company, Col. Josiah Whitney's Mass. Regt.
- EDWARD GOULD CHACE, Albion, R. I. (21554). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Ward*, Member of Continental Congress, 1775.
- ALLEN GUNNISON CHAMBERLAIN, Denver, Colo. (21139). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ichabod Chamberlain*, private, Col. Jonathan Holman's Mass. Regt.
- ELVORD GOODRICH CHAMBERLIN, Montclair, N. J. (21778). Great-grandson of *Henry Tewksbury*, Lieutenant, Col. Peirce Long's New Hampshire Regt.
- LEWIS HENRY CHAMBERLIN, Albuquerque, N. Mex. (21010). Great-grandson of *Asa Seymour*, private, Capt. Abraham Sedgwick's Company Conn. Militia, pensioned.
- WALTER CHANDLER, Elizabeth, N. J. (159). Supplemental. Great-grandson of *John Rogers*, Member of Continental Congress and voted for Declaration of Independence July 4, 1776, Major of Lower Battalion of Maryland Militia, Member of Maryland Conventions.
- FRANK TOMES CHAPMAN, Montclair, N. J. (21783). Great-grandson of *Albert Chapman*, Major Fifth Regt. Conn. Line.
- ROBERT WILLIAM CHAPMAN, West Haven, Conn. (20864). Great-grandson of *Jedediah Chapman*, Sergeant, Col. Jedediah Huntington's Conn. Regt., pensioned; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Lebbeus Chapman*, Lieutenant, Colonel Meigs's Conn. Regt., pensioned.
- WALTER CHARNLEY, Nueva Casas Grandes, Chihuahua, Mexico (Pa. 21445). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Strong*, Captain Seventeenth Conn. Regt.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Elisha Root*, Lieutenant, Capt. Noadiah Hooker's Company, Colonel Wolcott's Conn. Regt.
- MINOTTE ESTES CHATFIELD, New Haven, Conn. (20871). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Caleb Tuttle*, private Conn. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Ford*, Corporal 17th Company, 2d Regt. Conn. Militia.
- JOHN LEONARD CHATTERTON, Paymaster, U. S. Navy (D. C. 21210). Great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Husted*, private Sixth Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia.

- FRANK EPHRAIM CHESLEY, Iowa City, Iowa (21626). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Aaron Ward*, Sergeant, Col. Stephen Schuyler's Sixth Albany County Regt. New York Militia, pensioned.
- LUCIUS LE ROY CHINN, Montclair, N. J. (21782). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Ball*, Chairman of Lancaster County, Va., Committee in 1774 and 1775.
- ARTHUR HOWARD CHURCHILL, Montclair, N. J. (21622). Great-grandson of *Solomon Churchill*, private, Capt. Stephen Churchill's Company Mass. Militia.
- EARLE HART CLAPP, Albuquerque, N. Mex. (21007). Great-grandson of *Elnathan Perry*, private Mass. Light Infantry, Lieutenant-Colonel John Brooks.
- WILLIAM HUGHES CLARKE, Detroit, Mich. (20623). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Clarke*, recognized patriot, hospital service at Battle of Princeton.
- HENRY GAYLORD CLEAVELAND, Montclair, N. J. (21656). Great-grandson of *Moses Cleaveland*, Lieutenant Conn. Cavalry, and scout.
- WALTER AVERY CLEAVELAND, Montclair, N. J. (21655). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Cleaveland*, Lieutenant Conn. Cavalry, and scout.
- DE LANCEY GWILLIAM RICE COCROFT, Providence, R. I. (21553). Great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Caleb Legg*, Corporal, Col. Joseph Read's Mass. Regt.
- MASON FREEMAN COCROFT, Providence, R. I. (21552). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Caleb Legg*, Corporal, Col. Joseph Read's Mass. Regt.
- HENRY VAIL CONDUCT, Essex Fells, N. J. (21776). Great-grandson of *Ebenezer Conduct*, private Morris County New Jersey Militia, died in service.
- LOREN CORNWELL, Denison, Iowa (21628). Grandson of *Ashbel Cornwell*, private, Capt. Return Jonathan Meigs's Company Second Conn. Regt.
- FLORANCE ARTHUR COUNTRYMAN, Watertown, So. Dak. (Minn. 21504). Great-grandson of *George Countryman*, Lieutenant, Colonel Clyde's Regt. New York State Troops.
- ISRAEL CRANE, Montclair, N. J. (21780). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Crane*, Captain New Jersey Militia.
- LEWIS J. CRARY, Chicago, Ill. (21314). Supplementals. Great-grandson of *Levi Cook*, private, Colonel Brewer's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of *Thomas Nichols*, Lieutenant Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia, Col. David Wells, Member of Committee of Safety; great-grandson of *Ichabod Walker*, private, Capt. Ichabod Robinson's Company Vermont Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Palmer*, private, Col. Ebenezer Walbridge's Vermont Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Esra Crary*, Representative in Connecticut General Assembly.
- FRANK JOSSELYN CURRIER, Lynn, Mass. (21490). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Richards*, private, Capt. William Farrington's (2d Lynn) Company Mass. Militia.
- JOHNSON BARTON DANIEL, Wonder, Nev. (Colo. 21148). Great-grandson of *Henry Daniel*, private Northumberland County Penna. Frontier Rangers.
- JAMES HORNOR DAVIS, Clarksburg, West Va. (D. C. 21219). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Robinson*, Sergeant, Colonel Baylor's and Col. William Washington's Regts. Virginia Cavalry.
- JOHN MERRILL DAVIS, Rio Grande, Ohio (21460). Great-grandson of *Zachariah Davis*, private, Col. William Butler's Penna. Regt.

- JOSEPH KIRBY DAVISON, Philadelphia, Pa. (21683). Great-grandson of *William Davison*, private, Captain Hankinson's Company First Hunterdon County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- JOHN EDGAR DECKER, Montclair, N. J. (21615). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Squirrel, Eichorn*, private Fourth Regt. New York Line and Second Regt. Ulster County Militia.
- BENJAMIN GARRISON DEMAREST, Montclair, N. J. (21666). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Solomon Freligh*, Chaplain First Regt. New York Line.
- HENRY FAIRBANKS DEVENS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (21446). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Richard Devens*, Commissary General Mass. Militia, Member of Committee of Safety.
- GEORGE MAXWELL DIVEN, Elmira, N. Y. (21583). Great-grandson of *John Diven*, private Penna. troops.
- EARL F. DRAKE, Detroit, Mich. (21704). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Hammond*, private, Capt. Amarial Fuller's Company Mass. Militia.
- JOHN BOYD DUFF, Carrick, Pa. (21685). Great-grandson of *Abraham Bougher*, private Ninth and Thirteenth Virginia Regts.
- MONROE STERLING DUTCHER, Des Moines, Iowa (21631). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thaddeus Sterling*, private, Colonel Silliman's and Colonel Mead's Conn. Regts., pensioned.
- CHARLES PHILBRICK EAGER, Reno, Nev. (Colo. 21146). Great-grandson of *Peter Smith*, private, Colonel Scammel's New Hampshire Regt., pensioned.
- NICHOLAS HOWARD EASTON, Central Falls, R. I. (21555). Great-grandson of *William Eddy*, private, Colonel Gridley's and Colonel Walker's Mass. Regts., and in boat service, pensioned.
- HENRY RICHARDSON EDWARDS, Philadelphia, Pa. (21677). Great-grandson of *John Edwards*, Major Fifth Penna. Battalion.
- JOHN FASSETT EDWARDS, Spokane, Wash. (20995). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Asa Stevens*, Lieutenant at Forty-Fort, killed in Wyoming Massacre July 3, 1778.
- CHARLES EGINTON, Lanesboro, Minn. (21503). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Selah Graves*, private, fifer, Colonel Wigglesworth's Mass. Regt.
- DANIEL DAVIS LEWIS FARSON, Philadelphia, Pa. (21679). Great-grandson of *George Lewis*, Major First Barnstable County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM D. FENTON, Portland, Oregon (21377). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Hicks*, Captain Third Georgia Regt.
- GEORGE MCINTYRE FERRIS, Elkhorn, Wis. (20063). Great-grandson of *Israel Ferris*, private, Capt. Abraham Mead's Company Ninth Conn. Militia. (Name incorrectly given in December Official Bulletin as George Washington Ferris.)
- CHARLES NELSON FISHER, Jr., Providence, R. I. (21556). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Richard Fisher*, Corporal, Col. Thomas Craft's Mass. Artillery Regt.
- HARRY MESSINGER FISHER, Montclair, N. J. (21664). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Sylvanus Drew*, Captain of schooner "Lady Washington," Mass. boat service.
- RODERICK DUNCAN FORCE, Upper Montclair, N. J. (21781). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jedediah Phipps*, Member of Committee of Safety of Sherborn, Mass., private Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES SAMUEL FOSTER, Central Falls, R. I. (21557). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Israel Arnold*, Sergeant, Col. Jabez Bowen's Rhode Island Regt., pensioned.

- JOHN HENRY FOW, Philadelphia, Pa. (21680). Great-grandson of *Matthew Fow*, private First Penna. Battalion, Colonel De Haas.
- ALFRED MAURICE FREER, JR., New York, N. Y. (21804). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Garritt Freer, Jr.*, signer of the Association at New Platz, N. Y., May 10, 1775.
- FRANCIS LYMAN GILMAN, Montclair, N. J. (21616). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Dennison*, Sergeant, Lieutenant-Colonel Enoch Hallett's Mass. Regt.
- FREDERIC SIMEON GOODMAN, Montclair, N. J. (21777). Great-grandson of *Noah Goodman*, Major, Colonel Marshall's and Colonel Dike's Mass. Regts.
- CHARLES ELDEN GORTON, Montclair, N. J. (21621). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Tilden*, Captain Clark's Company, Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade.
- ROSCOE LEIGH GUERNSEY, Cheyenne, Wyo. (20032). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Lawrence Kelly*, private Northumberland County Penna. Frontier Rangers.
- JAMES FAYETTE HADLEY, Denver, Colo. (21145). Great-grandson of *John Seavy*, private, Captain Bell's Company, Second New Hampshire Regt.
- LEVI W. HALSEY, Montclair, N. J. (21620). Great-grandson of *Stephen Halsey*, private, Col. Josiah Smith's Suffolk County Regt. New York Militia.
- GORDON BATTELLE HAMILTON, Reno, Nev. (Colo. 21141). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Battelle*, Second Major First Suffolk County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- MORGAN HAND, JR., Ocean City, N. J. (Pa. 21449). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Moore*, Sergeant Third Hunterdon County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- ZELOPHEARD HAND, Montclair, N. J. (21611). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Mackey*, Colonel Cape May Battalion New Jersey Militia.
- ARTHUR CLARK HARRINGTON, Berwick, Me. (Mass. 21491). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abraham Harrington*, Corporal, Col. Thomas Gardner's Mass. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Hodsdon, Jr.*, minute man Mass. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Scates*, private York County, Mass., Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Eleazer Clark*, private Mass. Militia, pensioned; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Russell*, private, Captain Whitemore's Artillery Company; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathan Powers*, private Mass. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Phineas Thompson*, private Mass. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Viles, Jr.*, private Mass. Militia.
- ALBERT EDWIN HATCH, New York, N. Y. (21584). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Simeon Lord*, Captain-Lieutenant, Col. John Bailey's Mass. Continental Regt.
- FREDERICK MARTIN HAVILAND, Montclair, N. J. (21787). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Haviland, Jr.*, private Third Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia.
- JAMES BARRATT HAYNES, Omaha, Nebr. (21404). Great-grandson of *John Farnham*, Corporal First New Hampshire Regt.
- JAMES F. HINKLE, Roswell, N. Mex. (21011). Great-grandson of *Thomas Parsons*, Lieutenant Third Regt. Virginia Continental Dragoons.
- JOHN I. HINKLE, Hagerman, N. Mex. (21012). Great-grandson of *Thomas Parsons*, Lieutenant Third Regt. Virginia Continental Dragoons.
- STANLEY JOSHUA HIRSCH, New York, N. Y. (21579). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonas Phillips*, private, Capt. John Linton's Company, Col. William Bradford's Battalion Philadelphia Militia.
- RUSSELL DORR HOLABIRD, Los Angeles, Cal. (Conn. 21751). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Holabird*, private Sixth Company, Colonel Burrell's Battalion Conn. Militia.



- AMASA MAYNARD HOLCOMBE, Washington, D. C. (21215). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Holland, or Hollon, Maynard*, private, Capt. Samuel Wood's Company Mass. Minute Men.
- SAMUEL JUDD HOLMES, Montclair, N. J. (21673). Great-grandson of *Abner Goodale*, private, Captain Howe's and Captain Gates's Companies Mass. Militia.
- STANLEY HARRY HOLMES, New Britain, Conn. (21752). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Morris O'Brien*, volunteer in capture of British ship "Diligent" and others at Machias, Maine, in 1775.
- JAMES WAITE HOWARD, Newark, N. J. (21607). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jesse Howard*, First Lieutenant, Capt. James Allen's Company, Colonel Carey's Mass. Regt.
- THOMAS S. HUBBELL, Albuquerque, N. Mex. (21008). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Comfort Hubbell*, Captain Conn. Militia, Member of Committee on Inspection and Observation.
- ROWLAND LACEY HUNTER, Bridgeport, Conn. (20872). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Zachariah Lacey*, non-commissioned officer, General Silliman's command, Conn. Militia, pensioned.
- HENRY P. IHMSEN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (21676). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Simon Ruffner, Jr.*, and great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Simon Ruffner, Sr.*, privates Penna. Frontier Rangers.
- WOODWORTH JAMES, Boston, Mass. (19386). Supplemental. Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elisha James*, private, Col. John Cushing's Mass. Regt.
- RUPERT WARD JAKUES, Lynn, Mass. (21486). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Reuben How*, private, Captain Titcomb's Company, Colonel Gerrish's Regt. Mass. Guards; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Humphrey Sanders*, private, Capt. Edward Payson's Company Mass. Militia.
- JAMES HENRY SCARFF JARRETT, Towson, Md. (21726). Great-grandson of *Jesse Jarrett*, Ensign Eighth Harford County Battalion Maryland Militia, Member of Committee of Safety.
- CHARLES PERCIVAL JONES, New Orleans, La. (21252). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas McKissack*, private, Captain Ballard's Company, Colonel Patton's North Carolina Regt.
- CHARLES STEVENSON JONES, Montclair, N. J. (21671). Great-grandson of *Isaac Jones*, private Fourth Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- RUSSELL TAMERLANE JOY, New York, N. Y. (21585). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathan Hine*, Captain Thirteenth Regt. Conn. Militia.
- MURRAY CRANE KIGGINS, Deal, N. J. (21618). Great-grandson of *Nathaniel Crane*, private, Essex County Troop of New Jersey Light Horse; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Paul*, private, minute man, Essex County New Jersey Militia and Line.
- JOHN RITCHIE KIMBALL, Detroit, Mich. (20625). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *George Kimball*, Captain of Lunenburg Company Mass. Militia, alarm of April 19, 1775, Member of Mass. General Court.
- JAMES EDWARD KING, Wilkinsburg, Pa. (21450). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Postlethwaite*, Captain and Quartermaster Penna. Militia.
- JAMES WESLEY KINNEAR, Pittsburgh, Pa. (21689). Great-grandson of *Samuel Parshall*, private, Colonel Drake's New York Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Parshall*, Ensign West Orange Regt. New York Militia.

- CHARLES MARKWARD KNOX, Johnstown, N. Y. (21582). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Andrew Mitchell*, Second Major Twelfth New York Regt.
- WILLIAM FRANCIS KNOX, McKeesport, Pa. (21692). Grandson of *James Francis*, private, Col. James Moore's and Col. John Hannam's Penna. Regts., pensioned.
- CHARLES H. LARKIN, Spokane, Wash. (20994). Great-grandson of *Abel Larkin*, private in Westerly Rhode Island Alarm Company; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Sheffield*, Major Rhode Island Militia.
- OSBORNE LEACH, Danvers, Mass. (21492). Great-grandson of *Benjamin Leach*, Sailing Master of "Hawk's Prize" and privateersman, prisoner at Mill Prison, England; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Eleser Crafts*, Major, Col. Samuel Johnson's Mass. Regt.
- ROBERT LEACH, Columbus, Ohio (21463). Great-grandson of *Valentine Leach*, Sergeant, Colonel Peyton's Virginia Regt. and Morgan's Sharpshooters.
- AURELIAN EDWIN LEFFLER, McKeesport, Pa. (21691). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Conrad Leffler*, Member of Committee of Safety, Surgeon-Major Sixth Berks County Battalion Penna. Associators, died in service in 1777.
- WILLIAM HARRISON LEFFLER, McKeesport, Pa. (21690). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Conrad Leffler*, Member of Committee of Safety, Surgeon-Major Sixth Berks County Battalion Penna. Associators, died in service in 1777.
- WILLIAM MURRAY LEWIS, Ely, Nev. (Colo. 21143). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Harrington*, Captain, Colonel Dyke's Mass. Regt.
- GEORGE S. LINSKOTT, Holton, Kans. (17965). Supplementals. Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Andrew Dunning*, Member of Committee of Correspondence; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Hitchcock*, private, Capt. Thomas Lawson's Company Mass. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Frederick Sprague*, private, Colonel Meigs's Conn. Regt.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joshua Sprague*, private, Col. Joab Stafford's Independent Company Mass. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Keen*, private, Col. Theophilus Cotton's and other Mass. Regts.
- WELLS LEWIS LITTLEFIELD, Bay City, Texas (20757). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Lewis*, private, Colonel Mecklin's and Colonel Burwell's Virginia Regts., pensioned.
- JAMES CLARENCE LORTON, Springfield, Ill. (21320). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Robert Lorton*, private Fourth Virginia Regt., pensioned.
- WILLIAM HENRY LORTON, Springfield, Ill. (21319). Great-grandson of *Robert Lorton*, private Fourth Virginia Regt., pensioned.
- HENRY WILLIS LYON, Bridgeport, Conn. (20865). Great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Gershon Banks*, private Conn. Militia, pensioned.
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