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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. In order that the Official Bulletin may be up to date, and to insure the preservation in the National Society archives of a complete history of the doings of the entire organization, State Societies and local Chapters are requested to communicate promptly to the Secretary General written or printed accounts of all meetings or celebrations, to forward copies of all notices, circulars, and other printed matter issued by them, and to notify him at once of dates of death of members.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

THE TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL CONGRESS will be held at Nashville, Tenn., May 21 and 22, 1917. Headquarters will be at the Hotel Hermitage. The Committee on Arrangements announces the preliminary

Sunday afternoon, May 20: Delegates and ladies are invited to religious services at the First Presbyterian Church, in charge of Rev. James I. Vance, D. D., Chaplain of the Tennessee Society. Sunday evening: Reception at one of Nashville's residences.

Monday, May 21, 10 a. m.: Congress will convene at Hotel Hermitage and continue in session, with brief recess, throughout the day.

Monday evening: The ladies of the Centennial Club will give a general reception at the club for delegates and their ladies.

Tuesday, May 22, 9.30 a. m.: Congress will reassemble, and adjourn upon completion of business, about noon.

Tuesday afternoon: Delegates and their ladies will visit the Her-

mitage—the home of Andrew Jackson—where the ladies of the Hermitage Association will provide an old-fashion Southern barbecue. Tuesday evening: Banquet at the Hotel Hermitage.

Wednesday, May 23: If enough of the delegates signify their desire to stop off at Chattanooga on their way north, arrangements will be made for one day's entertainment at that interesting place.

Entertainments for ladies: The following ladies' organizations will take part in entertaining the visiting ladies: McCrory, Cumberland, and Campbell Chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution; Colonial Dames, Ladies' Hermitage Association, and the Centennial Club. Some of these organizations will arrange for a luncheon for the visiting ladies at The Country Club on Monday, and after the luncheon will take them in automobiles to the residences of several members of these societies, where receptions will be tendered them.

In addition to the above courtesies to the visiting ladies, the local ladies connected with the above organizations, particularly D. A. R., will have committees of their members in constant attendance at the Hotel Hermitage, so that they can keep the visiting ladies entertained at times other than when some of the above functions are in progress.

Middle Tennessee is at its best in May, and the Committee on Arrangements will make every effort to entertain the large delegations which it is hoped will attend the Congress from all parts of the country. The Vice-Chairman of the Committee and Secretary of the Tennessee

Society is Mr. William K. Boardman, Cumberland Telephone and

VICE-PRESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS.—The following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the National Society, announced in general form by Mr. Lewis B. Curtis at the Newark Congress, have been recommended by the Connecticut Society and by the National Executive Committee, and will be presented for action at the Nashville Congress, May 21-22, 1917, as provided by Article IX of the Constitution.

Amend Article V, Section I, of the Constitution so as to read as

Section 1. The General Officers of the National Society shall be a President General, five Vice-Presidents General, a Secretary General. Treasurer General, Registrar General, Historian General, and Chaplain General, who shall be elected by ballot by a vote of a majority of the members present and entitled to vote at the annual meeting of the Congress of the National Society, and shall hold office for one year and until their successors shall be elected and qualified.

In case of the death or disability of any of the above officers, the Executive Committee is empowered to elect a successor to fill the unex-

In the election of the five Vice-Presidents General one shall be chosen from each of five districts as follows:

(1) New England District: (Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut).

(2) Middle and Coast District: (New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida).

(3) Mississippi Valley, East District: (Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Missis-

(4) Mississippi Valley, West District: (Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas).

(5) Mountain and Pacific District: (Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico, Oregon, Washington, California, Hawaii, Philippines).

The boundaries of the said districts may be changed by vote of the Executive Committee.

Amend Article V, Section 3, second paragraph, second and third lines, by eliminating the words, "or in case of his absence or inability, at the call of the Senior Vice-President General, certified by the Secretary

The Connecticut Society and the National Executive Committee recommend to the Board of Trustees the amendment of the By-Laws of the National Society, under the provisions of Article XVIII of said By-Laws, as follows:

Amend Article IV so as to read:

The Vice-Presidents General shall, in each of their respective districts, seek in every manner to promote the interest and activities of the National Society and of the State Societies within their jurisdiction; encourage the formation of new chapters and the enrollment of new members. They shall represent the National Society in the absence of the President General on any proper occasion, but acting at all times under his direction and control.

Amend Article XI by eliminating present Section 3 and renumbering present Sections 4 and 5.

MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT

The following communication, addressed to The President, signed by President General Wentworth and attested by the Secretary General dated February 5, was delivered at the White House on February 8. 1917:

The Sons of the American Revolution, true to their inheritance, pledge you their loyal support in all efforts to protect the honor of the flag and the sovereignty of this nation.

It may be of interest to know I am receiving from various State Societies. Chapters, and individual members the heartiest indorsements of your action, and I heartily commend your efforts in this crisis.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

The anniversary of the birth of George Washington was more generally observed this year than ever before. The President General issued a letter to State Societies and Chapters on February 10, in which he said:

It is eminently fitting that on each recurring anniversary of that natal day we, the members of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, should meet together in cities, towns, and villages throughout this land to do honor to that great man, to recall his life as a citizen, a soldier, and a statesman, and to pledge ourselves anew to preserve the principles and institutions established by our forefathers, the founders of this Republic, the United States of America. * *

The Sons of the American Revolution must ever be guided in the performance of their duty to their country by the precept and example of Washington; "and until time shall be no more will a test of the progress which our race has made in wisdom and virtue be derived from the veneration paid the immortal name of Washington."

A notable celebration at Washington is referred to on another page. in reviewing the doings of the District of Columbia Society.

VISITS BY PRESIDENT GENERAL WENTWORTH

The President General continued his visits to the several Societies during the months of January and February by attending meetings of State Societies and Chapters or holding conferences with officers in a number of States, including Colorado, Wyoming, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and New Hampshire. He delivered patriotic addresses and aroused enthusiasm in the work of the organization wherever he went, mention of which appears herein under doings of State Societies. Long-standing engagements in Connecticut and Rhode Island prevented his acceptance of an invitation to preside at the patriotic celebration in Washington on February 22, under the auspices of the Daughters and Sons of the American Revolution and the Sons of the Revolution.

CONFERENCE OF PATRIOTIC SOCIETIES.

Past President General R. C. Ballard Thruston represented the Sons of the American Revolution at a conference of American Patriotic Societies in connection with the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, at Cincinnati, on December 27, when he reviewed quite fully what the National Society has done in the preservation of Revolutionary records, in efforts to secure a Federal Archives building at Washington, in naturalization work, and other patriotic activities.

PURCHASE OF MONTICELLO.

The National Executive Committee has approved a resolution submitted by Compatriot Louis Annin Ames, urging the purchase by the United States Government of Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson, the author of the Declaration of Independence.

COMMITTEE ON AMERICANIZATION OF ALIENS.

There is constant demand from many parts of the country for the National Society leaflets-No. 1, The United States: Its Opportunities, Government, and Institutions. No. 2, The Naturalization of Aliens; How to Become Citizens; What is Required; Rights and Duties. No. 3. The Constitution of the United States. These are supplied free of charge on application to the vice-chairman of the committee, Commander John H. Moore, U. S. N., The Wyoming, Washington, D. C. The chairman of the committee, Chancellor L. Jenks, has offered first and second prizes to the students of the senior class of the Evanston, Ill., High School for the best two essays on "Why I am Proud to be an American."

FLAG COMMITTEE.

Through persistent efforts of the National Flag Committee, Compatriot W. V. Cox, chairman, and others interested in preventing the desecration of the American flag, a very stringent law has been enacted for the District of Columbia, approved by President Wilson February 8, making it a misdemeanor to mark the flag in any way or to use either the flag or its picture for advertising purposes.

ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP.

From December 1, 1916, to February 28, 1917, the Registrar General enrolled 326 new members in 29 State Societies, as follows: Arizona, 1; California, 8; Colorado, 16; Connecticut, 14; District of Columbia, 28; Illinois, 23; Indiana, 1; Iowa, 21; Kansas, 3; Maine, 2; Maryland, 5; Massachusetts, 26; Michigan, 13; Nebraska, 8; New Hampshire, 1; New Jersey, 46; New York (Empire State), 25; Ohio, 7; Oregon, 8; Pennsylvania, 18; Philippines, 1; Rhode Island, 10; Tennessee, 1; Texas, 6; Utah, 11; Virginia, 8; Washington, 11; Wisconsin, 2; Wyoming, 2.

DOINGS OF STATE SOCIETIES.

The Arizona Society held its twentieth annual banquet, at Phonix, on the evening of Washington's Birthday. The honor guests were the winners of the second annual oratorical contest for high-school juniors and seniors.

Compatriot John Dennett, Jr., was toastmaster, and the principal toasts were: "Our Country," responded to by Prof. J. L. Felton of the State Normal School, Tempe, and "The Flag," responded to by Mr. John L. Gust. Following the speeches, the winning contestants in the oratorical contest repeated their orations. After this prizes and medals were awarded by Mr. H. B. Wilkinson, chairman of the judges at the contest. Following the dinner, the annual business meeting was held, when the following officers were elected for the year: President, Dwight B. Heard, Phœnix; Vice-President, Clay F. Leonard, Phœnix; Treasurer, Lloyd B. Christy, Flagstaff; Secretary, Charles A. Van der Veer, Phœnix; Registrar, Prosper P. Parker, Phœnix; Chaplain, Rev. J. Rockwood Jenkins, Phœnix; Historian, Rt. Rev. Julius W. Atwood, Phœnix. Francis E. Shine of Bisbee was nominated for National Society Trustee

The second annual oratorical contest was held on the evening of February 21 in the high-school auditorium. Compatriot Dennett presided and announced the contestants, who represented five high schools of the State, and had chosen two of the three subjects presented for consideration. The judges were Hon. R. C. Stanford, judge of the Superior Court of Maricopa County; Miss Zartman, teacher of elocution at the Tempe Normal School, and Mr. H. B. Wilkinson, who was chairman. The judges were unable to decide between the second and third and it was decided to call it a tie and divide the second prize. The winning contestants were: First, Lindley Orme, Phoenix, "America's Duty to Her Citizens in Mexico"; second, Miss Fay Heron, Globe, "Should the United States Intervene in Mexico?" Saul Rabenowitz,

Clifton, "Shall We Have Compulsory Military Training?" The prizes were thirty and twenty dollars in gold, respectively, each accompanied by an appropriately engraved medal of the National Society.

The Arkansas Society celebrated Washington's Birthday with its annual banquet at Hotel Marion, Little Rock. The attendance was larger than usual and the affair was marked with patriotic enthusiasm. At the business session resolutions were adopted indorsing the course nursued by the President of the United States in the present crisis and pledging him support; memorializing the Arkansas legislature, in session, to pass a law to prevent desecration of our flag. At the dinner natriotic toasts were responded to by Mr. F. W. Rawles, President of the Society, "A Welcome and a Retrospect of the Society"; "The State of Arkansas," by Governor C. H. Brough; "The American Army," by Col. C. H. James, Colonel of the First Arkansas Regiment of the National Guard, just returned from service on the Mexican border; "The Daughters of the American Revolution," by Mrs. S. P. Davis, Regent elect of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Arkansas: "An Address of Appreciation," by Miss Stella Pickett Hardy, retiring Regent of the Daughters; "American Citizenship," by Gen. John R. Gibhons, and "The Character of Washington," by Mr. Fay Hempstead, Secretary of the Society.

The following officers were elected: President, F. W. Rawles; Vice-President, F. W. Tucker; Secretary-Registrar, Fay Hempstead; Treasurer, P. K. Roots; Chaplain, Rev. John Van Lear; Historian, John R. Gibbons; Trustee, George W. Clark.

The California Society, on the evening of January 28, attended service at Calvary Presbyterian Church, San Francisco, when Compatriot Rev. Josiah Sibley, D. D., delivered a patriotic sermon on "Our Heritage; I was Roman born"—Acts 22:28. Circular No. 125 reports a present membership of 443 and a large number of applications under examination or in preparation.

The Colorado Society held its annual meeting, at Denver, on February 22, and elected the following officers: President, James Fayette Hadley, Century Building, Denver; Vice-Presidents (one for each Chapter), Simpson D. Butler, Denver; Oliver E. Collins, Colorado Springs; Abram Lincoln Mumper, Greeley; Charles L. Nichols, Grand Junction; Lathrop M. Taylor, Fort Collins; Wardner Williams, Pueblo; Secretary-Registrar, James P. Willard, 210 Masonic Building, Denver; Treasurer, Walter D. Wynkoop; Historian, Wilson Whipple Kirby.

The annual banquet was held at the Metropole. President Simpson D.

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Butler presided as toastmaster. An address was made by Hon. James Pulliam, Lieutenant Governor of Colorado, and by Samuel A. Lough, Ph. D., on "The Making of Americans." State Regent Mrs. Gerald L. Schuyler responded to a toast to the Daughters of the American Revolution.

A charter was granted to the Pueblo Chapter on February 19, and on the 23d it was delivered to the Secretary, Mr. Norval Wilson Wall. The Chapter starts with 14 members and a fine outlook. When President General Wentworth was visiting in Denver recently he spoke in high praise of the prospects of this Chapter—Wardner Williams, President, and Norval W. Wall, Secretary.

Grand Junction Chapter members participated in a mass meeting, at Grand Junction, Colo., on February 6, and through its President, C. L. Nichols, indorsed the following patriotic message to the President of the United States:

In one of the greatest mass meetings ever held in this Western city, by an almost unanimous vote, a resolution was adopted tonight indorsing your courageous and patriotic action in the war situation, expressing genuine satisfaction in your great leadership, voicing utmost confidence in your ability to guide us in these critical days, and pledging you the united support of the people of this great section of Colorado. Our people are with you, and in any emergency you can count on our loyalty and citizenship.

The Connecticut Society held its twenty-seventh annual dinner at the Hartford Club on February 22. Dr. Geo. C. F. Williams presided as toastmaster. Among the guests were Governor Marcus H. Holcomb. Mayor Frank A. Hagarty, and President General E. M. Wentworth. Governor Holcomb spoke earnestly on the readiness of the men of Connecticut to do their duty in the present national crisis, Mayor Hagarty said our freedom and liberty are as hard to keep as they were to win and we must guard against all hazards. Mr. Wentworth spoke of the great number of foreign papers in this country, and urged that editorials in such papers should be printed in English in the opposite columns. Mr. George B. Chandler of Rocky Hill discussed some of the causes of an apparent decline of the national spirit and weakness in the national character, and urged the Sons of the American Revolution to awake to the duties of the hour. Among others at the speakers' table were Capt. Clarence H. Wickham, President of the State Society; Herbert H. White, President of the Jeremiah Wadsworth Branch, and other officers.

THE COLONEL JEREMIAH WADSWORTH BRANCH, at the Hartford Club, on December 15, was addressed by Mr. William Webster Ellsworth,

former President of the Century Company of New York, on "Forty Years of American Publishing." The By-Laws, List of Members, and Necrology of the Branch are published in a very attractive small pamphlet of 55 pages.

The District of Columbia Society, at its regular meeting, on December 20, was addressed by former United States Senator Marion Butler of North Carolina on what the Sons of the American Revolution have done and can do in the preservation of the fundamentals of real civil and religious liberty born in American soil and vitalized in the American flag through the spirit of 1776. The meeting on January 17 was "Ladies' Night," when a stirring patriotic address was delivered by Rev. James Shera Montgomery on "The Greater Americanism." A tribute to the memory of Compatriot George Dewey, Admiral of the Navy, was read by Rear Admiral Baird, who had been closely associated with him, and recalled interesting incidents in his career.

The annual business meeting of the Society, on February 22, was largely attended, and reports of officers indicated enthusiastic patriotic activities. Past President General Woodworth made a brief address.

The following offices were elected: President, Rear Admiral Theodore F. Jewell; Vice-Presidents, Dr. Ira W. Dennison, William S. Parks, and Dr. George Tully Vaughan; Secretary, John B. Torbert (reelected); Treasurer, Albert B. Dent, Registrar, Albert D. Spangler (re-elected); Assistant Registrar, Henry P. Holden (re-elected); Historian, Selden M. Ely (re-elected for twelfth term); Librarian, Charles W. Stewart (re-elected); Chaplain, Rev. George H. McGrew (re-elected).

At 10.30 a. m. on February 22 there was held at Memorial Continental Hall a most notable celebration, under the joint auspices of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and the District of Columbia Societies of Sons of the Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution. The presiding officer was Past President General Newell B. Woodworth of the Sons of the American Revolution. The joint Committee on Arrangements was as follows: Brig. Gen. George H. Richards, U. S. M. C., President of the Sons of the Revolution in the District of Columbia, chairman; Mrs. A. Howard Clark, Honorary Vice-President General (chairman of D. A. R. Committee), Mrs. Samuel Spencer, and Miss Dorinda Rogers of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution; President Philip F. Larner, Col. Frederick C. Bryan, and Mr. John Paul Earnest of the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and Mr. W. V. Cox and Mr. Charles L. Frailey of the Sons of the Revolution.

The President of the United States and Mrs. Wilson, members of the Cabinet and their ladies. Ambassador and Madame Jusserand heads of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, and other invited gueste were on the platform, and in the large audience were members of Congress, diplomats, high government officials and other representative guests. Music was by the U. S. Marine band and the National Quartette of Washington. The order of exercises included: Invocation by Rev. George H. McGrew, D. D., Chaplain of Sons of the American Revolution; reception of colors; address by Newell B. Woodworth, Past President General, National Society Sons of the American Revolution; music, "The World Turned Upside Down," (played while the British marched out of Yorktown in 1781); presentation of gold medal by the President of the United States to Harold F. Stose of the Central High School, for the best essay on "The Western Campaign of George Rogers Clark and the Early Territorial Expansion of the United States," awarded by the Sons of the Revolution in the District of Columbia; reading from Washington's State papers by Col. Frederick C. Bryan of the Sons of the American Revolution: address by U. S. Senator Atlee Pomerene of Ohio: music, "America First," Sousa, dedicated by John Philip Sousa to Mrs. William Cumming Story and to the three participating Societies: presentation of reproductions of American and French flags of the revolutionary period to the S. R. and S. A. R. by Mrs. William Cumming Story, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution; address of acceptance of the flags by John Paul Earnest in behalf of the two societies; benediction by Rev. Randolph H. McKim, D. D., Chaplain of Sons of the Revolution.

In his address as presiding officer Mr. Woodworth dealt with the present international crisis, and declared that "superficial self-complacency and self-satisfaction is responsible for the belief in some quarters that the United States no longer may be called upon for virile action." He paid fitting tribute to the soldiers and sailors of France for the great aid given to the cause of American Independence. Colonel Bryan read extracts from Washington's messages to Congress and his Farewell Address, eminently applicable to present national conditions.

To be prepared for war is one of the most effective means of preserving peace.

If we desire to avoid insult we must be able to repel it; if we desire to secure peace we must at all times be ready for war, and the most sincere neutrality is not sufficient guard against aggressions of nations at war.

It is our true policy to steer clear of permanent alliances with any

portion of the foreign world; so far, I mean, as we are now at liberty to do it. * * * Taking care always to keep ourselves, by suitable establishments, on a respectable defensive posture, we may safely trust to temporary alliances for extraordinary emergencies.

Senator Pomerene in his stirring address said in part:

There are two classes of persons in this country who would give outside powers at this time the impression that this is a divided nation. One of these classes constitutes the pacifists and the other is that class of foreigners—thank God, rather small in number—who continue more foreign in their sympathies than American. These people will prove the best friends of any foe that this country may have in the event of war. As for the pacifists, I do not doubt their motives—I only doubt their wisdom and foresight.

Both these groups ask that the question of whether the United States is to go to war be submitted to the country for a referendum vote. I suggest that they make arrangements that the enemy refrain from firing his guns until the referendum is taken.

These people probably would ask a referendum on calling out the fire department in the event of a fire in which their wives and children were burning to death. They would ask for a vote to call out the police department in case of a serious riot.

President Wilson's situation is not unlike those of his predecessors. Washington had his Tories, Lincoln his Copperheads, and now Woodrow Wilson—well, Woodrow Wilson has his pacifists.

The Empire State Society celebrated the twenty-seventh anniversary of its organization by a dinner at the Hotel Martinique, New York City, on February 20, 1917, at 6.30 p. m.

At 8 o'clock the regular meeting of the Society was held at the same place, when the nominating committee reported a ticket to be voted on at the next election for officers and delegates to the National Congress.

A resolution was passed at this meeting declaring the Society's loyalty and patriotism and making it clear to the members and public that the Empire State Society stands ready to uphold the United States at all costs in its position in the present international crisis.

After the business meeting adjourned, the Entertainment Committee presented two humorous dramatic sketches in which members of the Society took prominent parts. The younger members and their lady friends concluded the evening by dancing.

The annual church service of the Society was held on the afternoon of February 18, at which about 300 members and their guests were present.

COL. CORNELIUS VAN DYCK CHAPTER of Schenectady tendered a reception to the Daughters of the American Revolution in observance of Lincoln's Birthday on February 12. Gen. Charles L. Davis, U. S. A.,

presided. Addresses were made by Mr. Robert Wooley and Rev. Eugene A. Noble. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas a certain foreign nation has shown a ruthless disregard for the lives and property of the citizens of our country, as well as of other neutral nations, and while professing to favor freedom of the seas, has inaugurated a policy seriously crippling our rights to carry on peaceful commerce upon the high seas, as well as endangering the lives of our sailors and citizens,

Be it resolved by the members of the Colonel Cornelius Van Dyck Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution in meeting assembled. That we endorse the action of our President in severing diplomatic

relations with the said foreign nation.

And be it further resolved, That we individually and collectively stand back of President Wilson and our congress in any action that they, in the exercise of their best judgment and wisdom, may deem advisable or necessary for the maintenance of the honor, the dignity and the integrity of our nation and the preservation of the undisputed rights of our citizens wherever they may be.

Be it further resolved, That mindful of the spirit of our ancestors who faced, without flinching, the crisis of 1776, that we work for,—and, if necessary, stand ready to fight for,—the principle of the inalienable right of all peoples to "life, liberty and the pursuit of

happiness."

On February 22 the Chapter participated in a patriotic gathering at Emmanuel Baptist Church, when a thrilling address was made by Attorney Louis M. King on loyalty to the flag.

SYRACUSE CHAPTER. Past President General Woodworth, President of the Syracuse Chapter, on Sunday, December 17, delivered an address on Americanization, at the Danforth Congregational Church. He said, in part:

There are various opinions of what constitutes Americanization. We have no fixed domestic policy along which to work. It is defined to give the immigrant the best America has to offer and to seek and absorb the best in the immigrant, to teach our customs of living, that liberty is not license, to create a like-mindedness, to teach the English tongue, and so on in many ramifications, all of which are perhaps more or less supported by logic.

Personally I believe that Americanization should have as its chief object the creating and developing in the immigrant the reverence and love of the principles and traditions of this nation, which are familiar and dear to those who are Americans by reason of ancestry.

Inspire the immigrant with these feelings and he will be influenced by the sentiments which in the past have made from our mosaic population the great body of people who today constitute the American nation and who represent its principles and aspirations. * * *

There are some thirteen million persons of foreign birth within our domain—practically one-eighth of our population. A large percentage of this number is ignorant of our language and so ignorant of our

national past. Comparatively few of the thirteen million are citizens by virtue of naturalization. * * *

Duty demands that we should endeavor to furnish the opportunity for all who are ignorant of the English language to learn this

for all who are ignorant or the ranging language tongue, and to teach them the history of this nation.

Every agency should be employed to accomplish this result, which is but looking to the permanency of our democracy.

Schools, day and night, and special Sunday schools, churches, welfare societies, the library, the public press, charitable organizations—all these are the main reliance for the required education.

The Illinois Society held its quarterly meeting at the Auditorium Hotel, Chicago, on the evening of January 26, with an attendance of 125 members. Addresses were made by W. G. Edens, President Illinois Highway Improvement Association, on "Co-operation the Key to Success in Improving Illinois Highways," and by Dr. A. Eugene Bartlett of Brooklyn, N. Y., on "The Great War's Harvest for Europe and America."

The Society celebrated the anniversary of Washington's Birthday by placing a floral wreath on the monument of the General in Washington Park. Dr. John Timothy Stone and the French Consul in Chicago delivered stirring addresses, and a large number of Boy Scouts attended in uniform.

At the annual Washington Birthday luncheon of the Daughters, eight members of the Illinois Society, S. A. R., including Gov. Frank O. Lowden, were guests of honor and speakers. Quite a number of members of the Society attended the annual Washington's Birthday celebration of the Union League Club of Chicago, at the Auditorium Theater, in the forenoon, and the banquet at the club house in the evening. Compatriot Lowden, Governor of Illinois, was one of the speakers.

THE SPRINGFIELD CHAPTER held its annual banquet with large attendance and good interest.

The Indiana Society held its annual meeting at the University Club, Indianapolis, on February 26, with an attendance of about sixty members and guests. The following officers were elected: President, Earl H. Payne, Rushville; First Vice-President, Charles T. Jewett, Terre Haute; Second Vice-President, Garvin M. Brown, Indianapolis; Third Vice-President, Capt. Milton M. Garrigus, Kokomo; Secretary, Edward J. Bennett, Indianapolis Stove Co., Indianapolis; Registrar, L. D. Ratliff, 48 Monument Place, Indianapolis; Treasurer, Felix M. McWhirter, Peoples State Bank, Indianapolis; Chaplain, Rev. Manfred C. Wright, Terre Haute.

Following the banquet, Governor James P. Goodrich, the retiring president, acted as toastmaster. Maj. Robert H. Tyndall spoke in favor of compulsory military service; Gen. Edward M. Lewis, "With the Indiana Troops at the Border;" Robert Withington, "The Work of the Belgian Relief Committee;" Brown McClintock, "With the Russian Army in Turkey." President General Elmer M. Wentworth delivered an address on "The Work of the National Society."

Following the speakers, resolutions were adopted pledging support to the President in the present crisis and praising the work of the National Guard.

The John Morton Chapter of Terre Haute was entertained by President Royse on the evening of ebruary 21. Resolutions were adopted favoring preparedness to the fullest extent. Officers elected were: President, W. C. Royse; Vice-President, F. C. Hildreth; Secretary, C. T. Jewett; Treasurer, Horace E. Tune; Registrar, James B. Harris; Chaplain, Rev. Manfred C. Wright.

President General Wentworth visited Terre Haute on February 27 and was entertained by former Vice-President General George O. Dix and other resident compatriots. He delivered a patriotic talk at a luncheon of the Rotarians, in which he made a strong plea for the better education of millions of aliens in our country.

The Iowa Society.—On February 22 the Ben Franklin Chapter of Des Moines, met at the residence of Rev. John Edward Kirbye, D. D., President of the State Society, who delivered a strong address on "Shall the United States Become a Member of a World Federation to Enforce Peace." He discussed the evil effects of autocratic militarism, the greatest foe of Christian civilization. Justice must be vindicated and humanity be considered, and there must be courage to face the issue to the end.

The Kansas Society has elected Mr. Arthur H. Bennett of Topeka as Secretary to succeed Mr. Daniel W. Nellis, who had held that office for several years.

The Kentucky Society members were the guests of the Rotary Club of Louisville at a luncheon at the Watterson Hotel on February 22. Compatriot Allen R. Carter presided. The program included the reading of Washington's Farewell Address.

On February 8 Compatriot R. C. Ballard Thruston presented to the Louisville High School Cadets a flag of navy blue silk, regulation army size, with insignia of silver, making up the high school colors. In the center is painted the seal of Kentucky surmounted by the eagle of the United States seal. Mr. Thruston delivered his address on the history and evolution of the United States flag to the three hundred student cadets assembled in full uniform.

The Maine Society held its annual business meeting at Congress Square Hotel, Portland, on the afternoon of February 22. President Wainwright Cushing presided. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Frederick Sturdivant Vaill of Portland; Vice-Presidents, Hon. Charles Loring Andrews of Augusta, William Kennedy Sanderson of Portland, and John Conant Stewart of York Village; Secretary and Registrar, Francis Lyman Littlefield of Portland; Treasurer, Enoch Owen Greenleaf of Portland; Chaplain, Rev. William Gerry Mann of Westbrook; Historian, Hon. John Francis Sprague of Dover; Librarian, William True Cousens of Portland.

It was voted to send a letter to the President of the United States endorsing his policy in the handling of the present critical condition of the country and assuring him of their continued full support to any extent that may be necessary in the defense of the nation and in upholding the national honor and integrity.

It was also voted to endorse a bill before the Maine legislature requiring compulsory military training in the public schools; also the movement to appropriate \$25,000 for the General Henry Knox memorial at Thomaston, Maine, and to give every aid to the legislature in helping to forward the same; and in favor of the purchase of Monticello by the Government.

Compatriot George B. Wooster made a stirring appeal to members to fling the Stars and Stripes to the breeze during the present troublous times in this country.

The evening festivities took place in the banquet-room of the hotel, 70 ladies and members being present. The after-dinner speaker was Rev. Lee C. McCollister, D. D., Dean of Tufts College Divinity School, who gave a most interesting address on Patrick Henry the American; not the Virginian. He declared that Patrick Henry was the first man to publicly come out and proclaim the solidarity of the nation as opposed to the supremacy of the State or colony as had been the main idea before that time. President Cushing acted as toastmaster.

The newly elected President, F. S. Vaill, was introduced at the close of the meeting and spoke briefly.

The Maryland Society celebrated Washington's Birthday on Thursday evening, February 22, at the Hotel Belvedere, Baltimore. The meeting was the second general one of the season and, according to

a recent innovation, members were allowed to invite ladies. A large and brilliant audience greeted the speakers of the evening and paid tribute to the virtues and strength of our first President. Great enthusiasm was aroused by the stirring words of our compatriot, ex-President William Howard Taft, the audience standing and singing "America" while every one present waved an American Flag in greeting to the distinguished guest. "Maryland, My Maryland," was also sung during the evening and the climax was reached in the spirited singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," every one present waving American flags in unison with the music.

President John Milton Reifsnider presided and the invocation and benediction were both pronounced by the Chaplain, Rev. Henry Branch. The first speaker of the evening was the Hon. William Howard Taft, whose subject was "Washington and Neutrality." The second speaker was Hon. N. Charles Burke, Judge of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, upon "Washington, the Patriot," and he gave a most interesting and timely address. J. Hemsley Johnson, Esq., a member of the bar of Baltimore, delivered a most thoughtful and unique address upon "The English People and the American Revolution."

After the meeting a collation was served, which was followed by dancing.

A few days before, the Society had lost one of its most loyal and devoted members, who during the past eight years had been its Registrar, Edward Ferguson Arthurs, who died on February 15, 1917. The assemblage in solemn assent passed resolutions deploring the loss which the Society had sustained through the death of its warm and devoted friend and extended to his family in their bereavement the heartfelt sympathy of the members.

The Massachusetts Society observed Washington's Birthday by dining at noon at the Hotel Vendome, Boston. Hon. Arthur Lord of Plymouth spoke on "What We Should Do for the Pilgrim Celebration," reviewing the plans proposed for the tercentenary anniversary in 1920 by holding a great international exposition in Boston and making elaborate permanent improvements in the water front at Plymouth, including the erection of a beautiful memorial building on Cole's Hill, near Plymouth Rock.

The guests included John Lenord Merrill of New Jersey, Governor General of The Washington Guard; William L. Root of Pittsfield, President of the Berkshire County Chapter; Burton H. Wiggin of Lowell, President of the Old Middlesex Chapter, and Harry W. James of Chelsea, President of Old Suffolk Chapter.

The oldest man at the dinner was Dependence S. Waterman of Roxbury, still vigorous in his 91st year. Frank E. Woodward, President of the Society, presided. One hundred and ninety-five men sat down to dinner—one of the largest gatherings on a Washington's Birthday.

The Board of Managers of the Society, at its February meeting, adopted and forwarded to President Wilson a pledge of patriotic allegiance:

The Sons of the American Revolution, true to their inheritance, pledge you their loyal support in all efforts to protect the honor of the Flag and the sovereignty of this nation.

The Society has petitioned the Massachusetts legislature to require every city or town to establish and maintain school republics in accordance with or similar to the Gill system. "In spite of all that our school system has done and is doing, it does not teach this one vital point, viz., the practical application of our fundamental principle of self-government upon which our political system rests. Un-American practices by organized bodies of men, unlawful practices, and crimes in various forms, threaten the very existence of our institutions."

The Triennial Register of the Society for 1916 has been published. The membership roll includes the names of 366 members who joined the Society October, 1913—October, 1916. The records of 561 Revolutionary soldiers are given. The frontispiece is a reproduction of a new painting of the Signing of the Declaration of Independence. The names and the places of burial of all the signers, a facsimile of the "Washington Guard" certificate of membership, historical letters relating to the "Execution of Major André" and the correspondence of Gen. Benjamin Lincoln and Gov. George Clinton, introducing a Massachusetts regiment to aid New York; the "Washington Journey" is reviewed, and a picture of a tablet shown, are given therein.

The Michigan Society continues to prosper through the activities of its several Chapters.

THE DETROIT CHAPTER held a social meeting and luncheon at the University Club on January 19, and under the auspices of the Committee on Foreign Relations a program was arranged by Secretary Van Syckle. Mr. Charles Denby, who was Secretary of the American legation while his father, Col. Denby, was U. S. Minister to China, spoke on "The Chinese Republic and the United States."

Mr. Denby, who went to China on his graduation from Princeton and has spent 30 years in the country, gave a sketch of the land of the dragon as it is today. He declared that while the Chinese ante-

date us in morals and ethics they are our intellectual godchildren, and have taken many ideas from us. Among those attending was Milton J. Purdy, a literal son of the American Revolution. He was born in his father's old age, and is in advanced years.

On February 16 the Chapter met at the Detroit Athletic Club, President Stephen H. Knight presiding. The exercises were under the auspices of the Committee on National Defense, Gen. Charles A. Coolidge, U. S. A., chairman.

The guests and speakers were Major Sidney D. Waldon, aviation section, U. S. A., and Lieutenant G. L. Faulkner, Royal Flying Corps, Great Britain, and the topic discussed was "Aeronautics in War."

Mr. Waldon gave an account of the problems of "Aeronautics" and described the development of the science during recent years. He told of the meager progress made in the United States.

Lieutenant Faulkner told of aeroplane training in Europe and its use. He contrasted the lack of development made in the American plane as compared with the French and British; and to this he ascribed the fact that no American planes were in use on the western front.

The Chapter has the following committees: Membership, entertainment, patriotic education, Americanization of aliens, national defense, patriotic legislation, historical, memorial, flag, public welfare, international relations, music, and press.

Kent Chapter, of Grand Rapids, met on December 12, when Dr. Ralph H. Spencer read a paper on "The French in the American Revolution," and Mr. Mark Norris gave an account of the Battle of Kings Mountain in which Isaac Shelby, great grandfather of the host of the evening, William R. Shelby, participated. At the annual meeting of the Chapter on January 11 the following officers were elected: President, Charles Carroll Follmer; Vice-President, Charles Heman Leonard; Treasurer, Henry Taylor Stanton; Secretary, Charles Nelson Remington. The Chapter has 52 active members, having gained 13 during the year.

The Minnesota Society met in annual meeting at the Athletic Club, St. Paul, on January 8. About one hundred attended the banquet. The Society is taking up active work among new applicants for naturalization, and also among Boy Scouts to educate them along patriotic lines and reverence for the Stars and Stripes. Officers elected are as follows: President, Robert D. Cone, Minneapolis; Vice-Presidents, Clifford L. Hilton, St. Paul, Fred A. Bill, Minneapolis;

Secretary, Charles H. Bronson, 48 East Fourth street, St. Paul; Treasurer, Charles W. Eddy, Capital Bank Bldg., St. Paul; Registrar, Charles Stees, 165 East Seventh street, St. Paul; Historian, Rev. M. D. Edwards, St. Paul; Chaplain, Rev. L. A. Crandall, Minneapolis.

Addresses were made at the banquet by Rev. David T. Robinson, Rev. E. M. Cross, Rev. J. M. Walters, and F. R. Neibel.

The Mortana Society held its twenty-third annual business meeting and banquet at the Eddy Hotel, Helena, on February 22, members being in attendance from various parts of the State. Officers elected were: President, Hon. W. W. McDowell, Butte; Vice-President, William R. Burroughs, Helena; Secretary-Treasurer, Leslie Sulgrove, Helena; Registrar, Robert Houston Howey, Helena; Librarian, Edward Russel, Lewistown; Historian, David Boyd Crane, Helena; Chaptain, Paris Bartley, Helena.

Compatriot Cornelius Hedges presided as toastmaster. Compatriot Russel spoke on "The Future of the Society" and Justice Sidney Sanner of the Supreme Court responded to the toast "International Law." "Our Navy" was the subject of an address by Registrar Howey.

The Nebraska Society, at its annual meeting at Omaha, on February 22, elected the following officers: President, Charles J. Bowlby, Crete; Senior Vice-President, Clarendon E. Adams, Omaha; Junior Vice-President, George A. Dana, Lincoln; Secretary and Registrar, Addison E. Sheldon, Lincoln; Treasurer, C. E. Bardwell, Lincoln; Historian, H. M. Bushnell, Lincoln. The Society has a present membership of 263, with local Chapters at Omaha, Lincoln, and Fremont. A charter was voted for a Chapter at Crete. By amendment of the constitution the annual business meeting will hereafter be held at Lincoln, with headquarters at the Nebraska Historical Society. The following resolution was adopted pledging support to President Wilson:

The Nebraska Society, Sons of the American Revolution, in annual convention, extend unanimous support to you in every effort to maintain the rights of American citizens and the protection of the honor of this Republic.

The New Jersey Society held its annual meeting on the afternoon of January 6th at the rooms of the New Jersey Historical Society, Newark. The meeting was preceded by a reception to the retiring officers and a buffet luncheon. Interesting reports were read and ordered printed. The annual report of the Secretary showed a gross increase of 191 members for the year, the year closing with a membership of 1,145, the largest gain in the history of the Society.

The following officers were elected: President, Chester Neville Jones, 299 Broadway, New York City; First Vice-President, Rev. Lyman Whitney Allen, D. D.; Second Vice-President, Carl Montaigne Vail; Secretary, John Randel Weeks, 756 Broad St., Newark; Treasurer, Edwin Allen Smith, 747 Broad St., Newark; Registrar, George Herbert Richards, 424 Main St., Orange; Historian, William Clinton Armstrong, 363 Jersey Ave., Elizabeth; Chaplain, Rt. Rev. Edwin Stevens Lines, D. D., 21 Washington St., Newark.

A telegram of congratulation was sent on January 16 to Compatriot Walter E. Edge upon his inauguration as Governor of the State of New Jersey.

The Society celebrated Washington's Birthday by a Colonial Ball under the auspices of the Orange Post of The Washington Guard which was held in the Woman's Club, East Orange, on February 23. Over four hundred were present and it proved to be a very brilliant affair. The exercises included a drill by the newly uniformed members of the Post, which was highly appreciated by those present.

Secretary John R. Weeks has issued an itinerary for the trip to Nashville, Tenn., in May, in connection with the Annual Congress. The plan is to leave New York on Sunday, May 13, visit numerous places of interest, arriving at Nashville the following Sunday morning, May 20. An invitation has been extended to the delegates from all the eastern States and to any member who would like to participate in this trip.

Montclair Chapter held a largely attended church service at St. Luke's Church, Montclair, N. J., on February 18. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Luke M. White.

PARAMUS CHAPTER held its annual meeting at Ridgewood on December 16. Among the guests were President Adams, Secretary Weeks, Historian Armstrong, and other State Society officers, and Governor General Merrill of The Washington Guard. Chapter officers were elected as follows: President, Judge Cornelius Doremus; Vice-President, Alfred E. Ashfield; Secretary, Benjamin D. Hilton; Treasurer, Louis E. Halstead; Registrar, Richard T. Wilson; Historian, Everett L. Zabriskie.

The Traveling Banner and the Syracuse Banner were formally received and Secretary Weeks told of the efforts of the New Jersey Society to win them.

Orange Chapter held its seventy-fourth stated meeting on the evening of February 21. Papers were read on "General Washington in New Jersey," by Mr. Edwin Clement Merrill; on "Washington's Head-

quarters in New Jersey," by Mr. Daniel McFarland Moore, and on "Provincial Congress of New Jersey, 1774-76," by Dr. George Herbert Richards.

THE PASSAIC VALLEY CHAPTER of Summit held a patriotic meeting on the evening of March 2. Mr. Frank L. Crawford delivered an address on "Lessons from the Life of Washington," in which he discussed preparedness, reading from letters and messages of Washington advice that closely applies to the present national crisis. The Chapter Committee on Naturalization reported that "first papers" had been prepared for twenty aliens and a final set for one about to become a citizen.

The New Mexico Society held its annual meeting in the library room of the Palace of the Governors (State Museum) at Santa Fe on February 22. Resolutions were adopted expressing the patriotic support of the Society to our country and our flag during the present world crisis and the dangers of war facing our nation. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. T. P. Martin, of Taos; Vice-Presidents, M. K. Wylder, Albuquerque, K. W. Edwards, Fort Sumner, E. E. Studley, Raton, H. F. Robinson, Albuquerque; Secretary, Pearce C. Rodey, Albuquerque; Treasurer, O. A. Matson, Albuquerque; Historian, D. A. Worcester, Albuquerque; Chaplain, Dr. Chas. A. Eller, Albuquerque; Registrar, F. W. Clancy, Santa Fe.

After the business session a joint luncheon was held at the Woman's Board of Trade Building with the General Kearney Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. President R. E. Twitchell presided, and the Daughters of the American Revolution were present as his personal guests. Toasts were responded to by Chief Justice Hanna, who welcomed the Society officially; Compatriots Geo. S. Klock, Francis C. Wilson, D. A. Worcester, and by the President, R. E. Twitchell. Mrs. Rupert F. Asplund made the response for the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The North Carolina Society has postponed its annual meeting to June 12, when it will be held at Rutherfordton.

The Obio Society has not held any State meetings recently, but a number of Chapters are holding evening sessions, with luncheons, and in some instances gentlemen outside of the Society are invited to make interesting addresses. In some of the Chapters they are holding noonday luncheons, as it is found the attendance is larger then than in the evening.

For the purpose of furthering the study of American history, and

especially for arousing greater interest/in the causes which led up to and brought about the independence of our United States, the Ohio Society Sons of the American Revolution, has authorized a contest for students of Ohio high schools for the writing of essays which deal with the underlying causes of the American Revolution and the results of that war. In connection with this contest, the Society offers the following prizes: One gold medal, one silver medal, bronze medals in such number as the judges shall deem warranted by the quality of the successful essays submitted. The judges of the contest will be Charles Francis Thwing, President Western Reserve University; William Oxley Thompson, President Ohio State University; William F. Peirce, President Kenyon College and Chaplain Ohio Society, S. A. R.

The contest will be open to students of classes in American history. in all first-class high schools in the following counties (subject to jurisdiction of local chapters, Sons of the American Revolution); Ashland, Ashtabula, Columbiana, Coshocton, Cuyahoga, Drake, Delaware, Erie, Franklin, Geauga, Hamilton, Holmes, Huron, Knox. Lorain, Lucas, Madison, Mahoning, Medina, Miama, Montgomery

Morrow, Portage, Summit, Trumbull, Union.

Essays must be submitted to the school principals on or before April I, 1917. It is expected that the judges will have completed their estimate of the essays for the presentation of the prize medals before the close of the school year. Essays may be either typewritten or in longhand and written on one side of sheet.

The Oklahoma Society held its annual meeting and banquet at the Savoy Café, Oklahoma City, on February 22. A bill to prevent the desecration of the United States flag was endorsed and a committee was appointed to secure its passage by the State legislature. A resolution was adopted endorsing the action of the President of the United States and the Congress in all acts in reference to the war in Europe, including the recent break of diplomatic relations with Germany. Officers were elected as follows: President, Arthur N. Leecraft, Oklahoma City; Vice-Presidents, Samuel H. Smith, Muskogee, Elra C. Barrows, Tulsa, George L. Bowman, Kingfisher; Secretary-Treasurer, John A. Luttrell, Oklahoma City; Registrar, E. G. Spilman, Oklahoma City; Trustee, E. B. Galloway, Oklahoma City; Historian, Prof. J. B. Thoburn, Norman; Chaplain, M. L. Blackwelder, Oklahoma City.

The Oregon Society.—Under the direction of Compatriot A. A. Lindsley, speakers were sent to the schools of Portland to address the children on the life and work of Washington on Wednesday, February 21. At the annual meeting on February 22, Gen. Chas. F Beebe, Robert Treat Platt, and H. L. Bates reported exceedingly interesting meetings at the schools which they had addressed. The Secretary was directed to communicate with all of the places of amusement in Portland, requesting that they desist from playing the Star Spangled Banner in medley, and that before it be played a request be thrown on the screen that the audience rise with the first strains of the air. The following officers were elected: President, Wallace Mc-Camant; Vice-President, James F. Ewing, Secretary, B. A. Thaxter; Treasurer, A. A. Lindsley; Registrar, Alfred F. Parker.

The banquet on the evening of February 22 was one of the most interesting the Society ever had. About seventy-five compatriots participated. The regular program consisted of four toasts as follows: "My Country First," Hon. James Withycombe, Governor of Oregon; "Washington's Farewell Address in the Light of the Present Crisis," R. R. Johnson; "Washington and the Supreme Court," Chas. E. Cochran; "A Restored Patriot," Rev. Edward H. Pence.

Gen. Thomas M. Anderson read resolutions appropriate to the death of our late compatriot, Gen. James Jackson. Winthrop Hammond read the message of the President General, being an extract from the address of John Marshall announcing the death of Washington to Congress. One of the interesting features of the dinner was the lithographing on the menu card of an autograph copy of the first stanza of "America." The autograph copy was written by Rev. Samuel Francis Smith eight days before his death. It was in the possession of Compatriot Winthrop Hammond.

The year has been a prosperous one for the Oregon Society. There has been a considerable accession of membership. The Salem Chapter has been organized, and the Society has played an important part in the naturalization proceedings of the past year. A large meeting for the naturalization of foreigners was addressed by Compatriot John H. Boyd in this city in September last, and each new citizen was supplied with an American flag by our Society. During the past year we celebrated our twenty-fifth anniversary, and marched in the preparedness parade. The State Librarian reported that our traveling libraries have been kept constantly in use, and on her recommendation four additional traveling libraries were provided for. These libraries consist of well-selected books bearing on the history of the Revolution. It has been demonstrated that there is a large and continuing demand for this literature in the remote districts of the State.

The Society has offered prizes to the school children in public schools for essays on subjects connected with revolutionary history, and the interest in the competition is greater this year than ever before.

President McCamant has been appointed a justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon.

The Pennsylvania Society held its annual banquet at the Fort Pitt Hotel, Pittsburgh, on the evening of February 20. President Thomas Stephen Brown presided, Edward S. Robbins, toastmaster, in his introductory remarks quoted several passages from Washington's Farewell Address, and said the Sons of the American Revolution stand for no entangling alliances any more today than did the patriots in the days of Washington, "This country," he declared, "has the reputation abroad of being weak in defense of its rights. We must refute that reputation by being prepared to defend our national honor upon all occasions. We are coming to the point where we shall be absolutely forced to be so prepared."

President General Wentworth, the principal guest of the evening delivered a stirring address on the need of genuine patriotism in the present crisis and declared that we must defend American principles and ideals "with our treasure and our lives." Past President General Newell B. Woodworth delivered an address on "The Genius of America." He quoted the civil compact signed in the cabin of the Mayflower in 1620, and said:

It is in the words "compact, combine ourselves * * * just and equal laws" and "obedience," that is to be found the Genius of America—the guiding spirit, equality of law; equality to law. * In religious suffering is found much of the genesis of America. It was this experience which all the early colonists had endured to some extent, at least, which served to blend together, great though were their differences, the austere Puritans of New England, the warm-hearted Cavaliers of Virginia, the platonic Dutch of New Amsterdam, the peace-loving Quakers of Pennsylvania, the aggressive Scotch-Irish of North Carolina and the tolerant Catholics of Maryland. Here in the virgin country these varying elements gradually becoming conscious of the same ideals labored together, though unconsciously at first, to achieve the same common goal of liberty of self-direction. This became first manifest in freedom of worship, which had drawn the great majority to these shores. Later it revealed itself through the ever-increasing independence of the colonies, and later still, through the Revolution, in winning freedom from external control.

Rev. Charles E. Snyder spoke on "Washington's Strongest Enemy." He said that Washington's greatest enemy was the American people. who with fear and trembling would have surrendered to Toryism but for the patient, unfaltering courage of the great patriot. He said Washington bore patiently for seven years the cruel, unjust criticism of men of this country in high station.

On the afternoon of February 22 the Society held its annual business meeting at the Fort Pitt Hotel. The following officers were elected: President, Omar S. Decker; First Vice-President, Rev. Charles E. Snyder; Second Vice-President, J. Boyd Duff; Third Vice-President, Albert A. Horne; Secretary, Francis Armstrong; Registrar. John W. Grove; Treasurer, A. W. Wall; Historian, Thomas Wynne: Chaplain, Rev. Dr. R. B. Miller; National Trustee, Col. R. W.

It was voted that the Society undertake the erection of a monument to George Washington in Pittsburgh at a cost of not to exceed \$25,000, and that the public be invited to co-operate with the Society in contributing the necessary funds. A resolution was adopted pledging the loyalty of the Society to President Wilson and the nation. and the service of the members in whatsoever necessity may be forced upon the nation by world events. Another resolution was adopted asking Congress to pass legislation looking to more rapid Americanization of alien residents of the country.

The Philippine Society held its annual meeting and banquet at the Army and Navy Club on the Luneta, Manila, Saturday evening, November 11, 1916. In the absence of President Strong, in the United States. Vice-President Austin Craig presided.

It was unanimously agreed that the present Constitution of the Society be abrogated, in order that the name might be changed to the "Far Eastern Society," believing that its growth will be promoted and its future better established by enlarging its territorial scope so as to include China, Japan, and the Philippines and other countries of the Far East, and that a petition for that end be presented to the National Society. The members present signed a request to that effect.

The following officers were elected: President, H. Lawrence Noble: Vice-President, Edwin Bingham Copeland; Registrar-Treasurer, Herbert Roy Hare: Members of the Board of Managers, Robert Christie Cotton, Thomas Atkins Street, and Leigh Cosart Winters. Mr. Noble has been the Registrar-Treasurer of the Philippine Society for the last five years.

Vice-President Craig spoke upon "America's Activities in the Far East," distributing a list of the names of those who had been eminently connected with Far Eastern development in naval, commercial, educational, and financial matters of moment. Dr. Louis F. Snow of the university made an eloquent address on the influence of Valley Forge and America's manifest destiny. It was influence of such trials that led to the surrender at Yorktown, and as Frederick the Great said, "To do great things, men must first go through fire." As Daniel Webster remarked in 1820, "The energy of the people of New England could not be checked by any Alleghenies; you cannot stop the spread of liberty and religion—the sons of New England would some day stand on the shores of the Pacific." The sons of the Pilgrims, in ratification of this prophecy, were there in 1847, not even the mighty Rockies proving a barrier.

The Rhode Island Society held its annual business meeting at Providence on the afternoon of February 22, when the following officers were elected: President, Howard Vernon Allen of Warwick; Vice-President, William Angell Viall of Providence; Secretary, Christopher Rhodes; Treasurer, Arthur Preston Sumner; Registrar, Francis Eliot Bates; Historian, Edwin Aylesworth Burlingame; Chaplain, Rev. Charles Fremont Roper; Poet, Dr. George Thurston Spicer. Robert P. Brown was nominated for National Society Trustee.

The retiring President, Frederick Dickman Carr, urged heroic efforts to Americanize the foreign-born residents in this country, and a committee was appointed to co-operate with other agencies in that important work. Five thousand copies of a leaflet, "Questions and Answers for Coming Citizens," have been published by the Society for distribution by the Y. M. C. A.

The Society pledged its loyal support to President Wilson and to "stand with him in his efforts to uphold the honor of our country."

The annual banquet was held on the evening of February 22 at the Narragansett Hotel, with President General Wentworth in attendance. Compatriot Carr was toastmaster. Mayor Gainer spoke of the wave of patriotism that has spread over the country during the present crisis. Gen. Charles Wheaton Abbot, Jr., responded to the toast "To Our State." President General Wentworth reviewed the important activities of the Sons of the American Revolution. Compatriot Edwin Day Sibley of Massachusetts gave a reading, "Grandfather's Story of Bunker Hill," and Dr. George Thurston Spicer, Poet of the Society, read some effective stanzas relating to the war.

Compatriot John Lenord Merrill, Governor General of The Washington Guard and former President of the New Jersey Society, delivered an address in praise of the character and principles of Washington and said:

Your great-grandfathers are calling you tonight from the battlefields of Trenton and Yorktown, bidding you to keep unsullied and unspotted the flag for which they died. I cannot offer a better suggestion to the Rhode Island Sons of the American Revolution than to stick to the forefront of battle and uphold the flag, remembering the words of Washington, "Righteousness exalteth a nation."

The Tennessee Society observed Washington's Birthday with a dinner at the Tulane Hotel, Nashville. President Leland Hume presided. J. H. Peyton paid a tribute to the character of Washington: "He was not a genius in the common sense of the term, but he was great in every respect, both as a soldier and as a statesman." Dr. St. George L. Sioussat, Rev. James I. Vance, John H. De Witt, and James M. Cox spoke on various phases of the life of Washington. Secretary Boardman announced plans in preparation for the National Society Congress at Nashville in May. Registrar John C. Brown presented the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted and telegraphed to President Wilson:

Whereas the Sons of the American Revolution was founded in patriotism and will ever stand for the government; therefore

Be it resolved by Tennessee Society, Sons of the American Revolution, on George Washington's Birthday, 1917, That we pledge the President of the United States our loyal support in the steps he is taking in the national crisis, and if war becomes necessary that we recommend our members to emulate the heroic example of their Revolutionary sires and rally to the flag.

The Texas Society has recently elected a number of new members and is planning greater patriotic activities. The officers are: President, C. B. Dorchester, Sherman; Vice-Presidents, F. F. Downs of Temple, and John Charles Harris; Secretary, Walter S. Mayer, Galveston; Treasurer, Wilber H. Young, Austin; Registrar and Historian, E. E. Rice, Galveston.

The Utah Society at its annual business meeting, on December 26, 1916, elected officers as follows: President, Samuel Culver Park; Vice-President, Joseph Willis Bishop; Secretary, Gordon Lines Hutchins; Treasurer, Alfred Holmes Peabody; Registrar, William Dalton Neal; Historian, Levi Edgar Young, all of Salt Lake City; Chaplain, Rev. Edwin Tuttle Lewis of Logan.

The twenty-third annual banquet was held at the Hotel Utah, Salt Lake City, on the evening of January 31, 1917, and was largely attended. The toastmaster, Hon. Benjamin L. Rich, was introduced by President Samuel Culver Park. Hon. George Albert Smith spoke to the toast "The Sons of the American Revolution." Compatriot Louis D. Farnsworth spoke on "The Volunteer System." He said:

It is the duty of the American people to see that their future volunteers are properly schooled in military science, so that they may meet their foes with an equal chance of survival. Our farmers, clerks, merchants, and lawyers should learn to use the modern implements of defensive warfare before the enemy is on their threshold battering down their doors,

Former Governor Arthur L. Thomas addressed the assembled guests on the subject, "Our Colonies and Territories." Mr. Thomas outlined the origin and growth of the love of liberty and justice and the desire for popular education, which he declared were the bulwarks of our democracy.

Maj. Wesley King responded to the toast, "Preparedness—America." He said in part:

It is not amiss to state that we must absolutely train our boys in the art of warfare. Let us not worry about that. The experts of our army and navy will attend to that. * * *

Give the United States a gigantic reserve force, and utilize our regular army brains throughout its organization, and we can mobilize a force that will stand us well in need, and produce a maximum of result and efficiency with a minimum of cost in men, munitions, and money.

The Vermont Society, at its annual meeting, held at Montpelier on February 28, elected the following officers: President, Judge Frank L. Fish of Vergennes; Vice-President, Hon. Guy W. Bailey of Essex Junction; Secretary, Walter H. Crockett of Burlington; Treasurer, Clarence L. Smith, of Burlington; Registrar, Dorman B. E. Kent of Montpelier; Historian, Walter H. Crockett of Burlington; Chaplain, Rev. Isaac Chipman Smart, D. D., of Burlington.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved by the Vermont Society, Sons of the American Revolution, That the present crisis in international affairs demands of the American people a reconsecration to the high ideals of patriotism established by the founders of the Republic; and in order that we as a nation may be worthy of the heritage bequeathed to us, we urge upon the President and Congress that all the rights of every American citizen, on land and sea, shall be upheld vigorously, in a manner consistent with the dignity and honor of a great and powerful nation, loving peace, but not a peace based upon injustice and unrighteousness.

The Year Book and Roster of the Vermont Society for 1916 contains a complete roll of 490 members elected from April 2, 1889, to October 23, 1916, showing date of acceptance, date of birth, name of Revolutionary ancestor, service, authority, date of withdrawal, and date of death.

The Virginia Society met at the Westmoreland Club, Richmond, on the evening of February 22 and elected the following officers: President, Arthur B. Clarke; Vice-Presidents, Hon. Henry R. Pollard, Frederick E. Emerson, Dr. Geo. Ross; Secretary-Treasurer and Registrar, Wm. E. Crawford; Historian, Jas. Branch Cabell.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas the archives of the State of Virginia stored in the Library Building, probably the most valuable in this country from an historical point of view, with the possible exception of those in the Library of Congress, are in a building which is not fire-proof, and hence subject at any time to serious damages or total loss, though the danger in this respect has been lessened by the recent installation of metal shelving and filing cases in the archives room; and whereas, owing to the inadequacy of the space occupied by them and the lack of sufficient force heretofore at work in arranging and indexing them, these archives are not so accessible and readily available to students as they should be.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Sons of the American Revolution: First. That the General Assembly of Virginia be urged to provide for these archives, and for the other property of the State under the care of the State Library Board, more ample quarters in a building beyond cavil fire-proof, a building removed from all others if pos-

Second. That the General Assembly provide a sufficient appropriation to enable the Library Board to employ an assistant to the archivist.

After concluding the business meeting the Society assembled in joint session with the Sons of the Revolution on the roof-garden of the Westmoreland Club, where a luncheon was served, after which the speaker of the evening, Mr. Robert S. Tunstall of Norfolk, spoke on "Democracy and Peace; The Position of the United States After the War," followed by Col. Jennings C. Wise, who read a poem by himself on "The Call of the Republic."

The Washington State Society held its annual business meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, Seattle, on February 22. Mr. Walter B. Beals of Seattle was elected President.

The annual banquet was held at the Hotel Frye in the evening.

THE ISAAC INCALLS STEVENS CHAPTER of Olympia, formerly named Capt. Robert Gray Chapter, met with the Sackajawea Chapter, D. A. R., on February 22, holding a joint program and banquet, with seventy-two present. The speakers of the evening were Mrs. Stephen J. Chadwick, Mr. Noyes Talcott, Mr. J. M. Hitt. Mr. W. J. Milroy presided. It was an exceptionally brilliant affair. This Chapter is growing rapidly and has many on the lists for acceptance.

The Wyoming Society on January 26 held a dinner at Cheyenne in honor of President General Wentworth, when the work of the Sons of the American Revolution was discussed and much enthusiasm aroused for enlarging the Society and thereby broadening its influence throughout the State.

IN MEMORIAM.

CRAWFORD CARTER ALLEN, Massachusetts Society, died January 18, 1917.

JOHN S. APPLEGATE, New Jersey Society, died November 10, 1916.

HORACE S. BACHMAN, New Jersey Society, died November —, 1916.

WILLIAM A. BARNUM, Empire State Society, died January 23, 1917.

NATHAN BOWEN BARTON, Rhode Island Society, died February 13, 1917.

CHARLES BATES, Massachusetts Society, died February 24, 1917.

GEORGE WARWICK BIRD, Empire State Society, died February 23, 1917.

EDWARD ELIAS BRADLEY, Brigadier General Conn. Militia, Connecticut Society, died January 21, 1917.

HERBERT JAMES BRIGGS, Massachusetts Society, died March 13, 1917.

Col. George A. Cantine, Empire State Society, died February 5, 1917.

Stephen I. Clark, Ohio Society, died January 14, 1917.

WILLIAM B. COLLINS, Empire State Society, died December 22, 1916.

George Dewey, Admiral, U. S. Navy, Vermont Society, died January 16, 1917.

George Perry Dillenback, Empire State Society, died February 8, 1917.

Horace Dodd, Massachusetts Society, died February 12, 1917.

DAVID G. Edmundson, Iowa Society, died December 31, 1916.

Watson William Eldridge, District of Columbia Society, died January 19, 1917.

E. L. Estabrook, Minnesota Society, died August 8, 1916.

George C. Folsom, Massachusetts Society, died January 23, 1917.

Wallace Gallaudette Fowler, District of Columbia Society, died January 18, 1917.

Henry Pleasant Fowlkes, Tennessee Society, died February —, 1917.

Samuel C. Gale, Minnesota Society, died September 18, 1916.

Rev. Charles W. Gallagher, District of Columbia Society, died December 15, 1916.

Ansel B. Gildersleeve, Empire State Society, died January 4, 1917.

Daniel A. Glidden, Massachusetts Society, died February 1, 1917.

Edward Clines, Massachusetts Society, died March 1, 1917.

Isaac Chase Greene, Rhode Island Society, died December 15, 1916.

George W. Guthrie, Ambassador to Japan, member of the Pennsylvania Society, died at Tokyo March 8, 1917.

Cornelius H. Hackett, Empire State Society, died January 27, 1917.

Hiram Judson Haldeman, Ohio Society, died December 3, 1916.

David B. Hamill, Iowa Society, died September 17, 1916.

George Thomas Hart, Rhode Island Society, died December 23, 1916.

George Albert Healy, Rhode Island Society, died February 23, 1917.

Charles H. Hersey, Massachusetts Society, died December 9, 1916.

Frederick J. Hollister, Iowa Society, died December 27, 1916.

Lewis G. Holt, Massachusetts Society, died December 27, 1916.

Stephen D. Horton, Empire State Society, died February 10, 1917.

Charles W. Howland, Massachusetts Society, died December 8, 1916.

Alfred W. Irrland, Empire State Society, died February 15, 1917.

James Jackson, Brigadier General, U. S. Army (retired), Oregon Society, died October 21, 1916.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS KELLOGG, Connecticut Society, died January 15, 1917.

GILBERT CRAWFORD KNIFFIN, Lieutenant Colonel, U. S. Volunteers, Past President of District of Columbia Society, died February 2, 1917, aged 85 years. JOHN J. LEIDY, New Jersey Society, died December 15, 1916. WILLIAM H. LOVELL, Empire State Society, died January 22, 1917. FRANK HOWARD MARTIN, Rhode Island Society, died February 2, 1917. Rev. J. T. MARVIN, Iowa Society, died July 15, 1916. EDMUND BRIDGES MINER, Minnesota Society, died August 12, 1916, aged 87 years. EDWIN V. MITCHELL, Massachusetts Society, died January 12, 1917. SAMUEL HENRY MOORE, Pennsylvania Society, died February 17, 1917. GEORGE C. MORRELL, Massachusetts Society, died December 5, 1016. EDGAR COIT MORRIS, Empire State Society, died December 25, 1016. NATHAN A. Mossman, Empire State Society, died January 15, 1917. WILLIAM ALLEN NORTHCOTT, Illinois Society, died January 25, 1917. FREEMAN L. PAINE, Iowa Society, died March 31, 1916. TOHN L. PARKER, Massachusetts Society, died February 27, 1917. DEXTER BURTON POTTER, Rhode Island Society, died February 27, 1917. GEORGE THOMPSON PREWITT, District of Columbia Society, died September 20.

GEORGE W. REED, California Society, died November 10, 1916. CHARLES WILLIAM REVALEON, Massachusetts Society, died February 16, 1917. TOHN DONALD ROBARDS, Indiana Society, died March 9, 1917. ALFRED S. Roe, Massachusetts Society, died January 6, 1917. GILBERT ROGERS, Connecticut Society, died January 8, 1917. TOHN LEDELL SEWARD, New Jersey Society, died February 1, 1917. WILLIAM DWIGHT SHATTUCK, Empire State Society, died March 19, 1917. IOSEPH A. SHELDON, California Society, died October 18, 1916. HARVEY M. SHIELDS, New Mexico Society, died January 1, 1917. ARTHUR ELMORE SMYLIE, Empire State Society, died February 5, 1917. George V. Sneden, New Jersey Society, died December 24, 1916. E. T. Spottswood, Indiana Society, died January 9, 1917. JOSIAH CLARK STODDARD, District of Columbia Society, died January 21, 1917. Howard Thornton, Empire State Society, died January 13, 1917. CHARLES H. TODD, Kentucky Society, died November 12, 1916. WILLIAM B. TUTTLE, Minnesota Society, died May 30, 1916. ISAAC F. WALKER, New Hampshire Society, died January 13, 1917, aged 89 years. Horace Winslow Warren, Massachusetts Society, died February 3, 1917. BENJAMIN D. WHEELER, Iowa Society, died August 13, 1916. LEONIDAS L. WILSON, Iowa Society, died May 10, 1916.

RECORDS OF 326 NEW MEMBERS ENROLLED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL FROM DECEMBER 1, 1916, TO FEBRUARY 28, 1917.

- SELDEN CONNOR ADAMS, Chicago, Ill. (28974). Great²-grandson of Benjamin Adams, private, Lieut. John Brickett's Company Mass. Militia.
- EDWARD KIMBALL ALDRICH, Jr., Providence, R. I. (29077). Great²-grandson of John Henry Riedel, bombardier, Col. Thomas Craft's Artillery Regt., Quartermaster and Ensign, Col. Armand's Continental Army Corps.
- STUART MORGAN ALDRICH, Providence, R. I. (29081). Great²-grandson of Gideon Burgess, private "Captain General's Cavaliers" of Rhode Island.
- ADDISON LAFLIN ALLEN, New York, N. Y. (29211). Great²-grandson of David Allen, Corporal Fifth Company Third Conn. Regt., Col. Israel Putnam, 1775; great³-grandson of Matthew Laflin, Lieutenant, Col. John Moseley's Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.
 - ALVONI R. ALLEN, Jersey City, N. J. (N. Y. 29222). Great-grandson of James Patterson, private Augusta County Virginia Militia.
 - FRANK CLARK ALLEN, North English, Iowa (29190). Great²-grandson of Joseph Whaley, private, Col. William Richmond's Rhode Island Regt., pensioned; great²-grandson of Jeremiah Whaley, private, Colonel Topham's Rhode Island Regt.
 - JOHN WATSON ALVORD, Chicago, Ill. (8354). Supplementals. Great²-grandson of Samuel Peck, Member of Committee of Safety and Inspection of Greenwich, Conn., 1775; great²-grandson of Benjamin Mead, Member of Committee of Safety and Inspection of Greenwich, Conn., 1775.
 - CHARLES ALLEN ANDREWS, East Orange, N. J. (8756). Supplemental. Great⁸-grandson of *Andrew Lytle*, private Charlotte County New York Militia.
 - ISAAC EUGENE APPLETON, Chicago, Ill. (28965). Great⁸-grandson of *Isaac Appleton*, private, Col. Enoch Hale's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.
 - WILLIAM WHARTON ARCHER, Richmond, Va. (28886). Great-grandson of Peter Field Archer, private Amelia County Minute Men; great²-grandson of William Archer, Colonel Amelia County Minute Men, died on British prison ship.
 - WILLIAM CLINTON ARMSTRONG, Elizabeth, N. J. (10740). Supplemental. Great²-grandson of Edward Lewis, Assistant Commissary of Issues New Jersey Militia.
 - WILLIAM GREENE ATWOOD, Chattanooga, Tenn. (27904). Great²-grandson of Timothy Atwood, Sergeant Tenth Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of James Sheldon, Ensign Pawtucket Rhode Island Rangers; great³-grandson of Job Greene, Second Lieutenant of Coventry Company Rhode Island Militia; great³-grandson of Robert Knight, private "Captain General's Cavaliers" of Rhode Island; great³-grandson of Geo. P. Parkhurst, private, minute man, Col. Ephraim Doolittle's Mass. Regt.
 - GEORGE T. H. BABCOCK, Chadron, Nebr. (28396). Great²-grandson of Samuel Babcock, private Mass. Militia.
 - WILLIAM BAGLEY, New York, N. Y. (29212). Great²-grandson of *Willis Patten*, private, Capt. Matthias Hoyt's Company Mass. Minute Men, Member of Committee of Safety of Amesbury.

- HARRY PIERSON BAILEY, Cleveland, Ohio (29153). Great-grandson of John Gates, private, Col. Benjamin Tupper's Tenth Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Silas Gates, Captain Mass. Militia.
- J. NEWTON BAKER, Washington, D. C. (29378). Great-grandson of Adam Hittel, private Philadelphia County Penna. Militia.
- CHARLES READ BANKS, Plainfield, N. J. (29241). Great-grandson of Thaddeus Crane, Lieutenant Colonel Fourth Westchester County Regt. New York Militia.
- ABRAHAM BARKER, Maplewood, N. J. (29000). Great-grandson of William Willis, private Morris County New Jersey Militia.
- WILLIAM SHURTLEFF BARKER, Montclair, N. J. (29363). Great²-grandson of Asa Shurtleff, private, Col. Nathan Taylor's Mass. Regt.
- STEPHEN HENRY BARRETT, Evanston, Ill- (28967). Great²-grandson of Samuel Barrett, private Second Westchester County Regt. New York Militia, pensioned.
- JOHN WELLES BAXTER, New York, N. Y. (Conn. 29041). Great⁸-grandson of John Baxter, private, Capt. Noah Allen's Company Mass. Militia, gunner on privateer "Gen. Putnam," pensioned.
- WILLIAM GILBERT BAXTER, Hartford, Conn. (29042). Great²-grandson of John Baxter, private, Capt. Noah Allen's Company Mass. Militia, gunner on privateer "Gen. Putnam," pensioned.
- CHARLES DAY BECKWITH, Schenectady, N. Y. (29221). Great²-grandson of Marvin Beckwith, private, Col. Joseph Spencer's Conn. Regt.
- EDWARD LEVERETT BELKNAP, Hartford, Conn. (29043). Great²-grandson of Francis Belknap, private Tenth Company Fourth Conn. Regt.; great²-grandson of Bela Boynton, private, Colonel Ledyard's and other Conn. Regts., pensioned.
- NORMAN WARD BEECHER, Grand Rapids, Mich. (28830). Great⁸-grandson of Christopher William Fox, Major Second Tryon County Regt. New York Militia.
- HILL, McCLELLAND BELL, Des Moines, Iowa (29182). Great²-grandson of Matthew Harrison, minute man, Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- HUGH SAMUEL BELL, Des Moines, Iowa (29186). Great²-grandson of John Lun and Hannah (Denman) Harrison; great³-grandson of Matthew Harrison, minute man Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- WALTER JACOB BELLINGER, Jr., New York, N. Y. (29216). Great²-grandson of *Christian Bellinger*, private, Col. John Harper's Tryon County Regt. New York Levies.
- WILLIAM ISAAC BENHAM, Washington, D. C. (28433). Great²-grandson of Samuel Hensley, private, Capt. Isaac Bledsoe's Company Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- JOHN NEWTON BENNETT, Crete, Nebr. (28394). Great-grandson of Benjamin Blodgett, private, Col. Comfort Sage's Conn. Regt.
- JAMES VULVER BIERBOWER, Lampasas, Tex. (25121). Great²-grandson of Casper Bierbrauer, private, Capt. John McMaster's Company York County Penna. Militia; great²-grandson of James Garrard, Colonel of Stafford County Virginia Militia.
- JOSEPH WILLIAM BLANKINSHIP, Berkeley, Cal. (29119). Great²-grandson of *Joseph Hardin*, Major North Carolina Minute Men, Member of Provincial Congress and General Assembly.

- WALTER E. BLISS, Portland, Ore. (29053). Great-grandson of Ellis Bliss, Sergeant Conn. Militia.
- JULIAN WRIGHT BLOUNT, Washington, D. C. (28434). Great²-grandson of William Campbell, private, Colonel Barr's Penna. Regt., pensioned.
- CHARLES EBER BOIES, Independence, Iowa (29194). Great²-grandson of William Henshaw, Lieutenant Fifth Conn. Continental Regt. 1776.
- ARCHIBALD BOUTON, Berwyn, Ill. (28968). Great-grandson of William Bouton, private, Col. John Mead's Ninth Conn. Regt., pensioned; great²-grandson of Joseph Bouton, Sergeant, Col. Charles Webb's Second Conn. Regt.; great²-grandson of John Benedict, private Ninth Regt. Conn. Militia; great-grandson of Thomas Betts, Sergeant Ninth Conn. Regt. of Militia.
- BRUCE BOWE, Richmond, Va. (2885). Great²-grandson of Samuel Cross, Sergeant, Col. Charles Harrison's Continental Artillery Regt.; great²-grandson of John Davis, Sergeant Virginia Line.
- WILLIAM DICKSON BOYCE, Chicago, Ill. (28975). Great²-grandson of John Boyce, private Fourth Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- JOHN RICHARDS BOYLE, 2D, East Orange, N. J. (29362). Great grandson of James Richards, Sergeant, Captain Tudor's Company Fourth Regt. Penna. Line.
- JOHN KERR BRANCH, Richmond, Va. (28883). Great²-grandson of Benjamin Branch, Captain Chesterfield County Virginia Militia, Member of Committee of Public Safety.
- WALTER EMERSON BRIGGS, Attleboro, Mass. (29127). Great²-grandson of Jacob Briggs, private, Col. John Daggett's Mass. Regt.
- WALTER WYCKOFF BRINCKERHOFF, New York, N. Y. (29201). Greats. grandson of *Dirck Brinckerhoff*, private Second Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia.
- JOHN RANDOLPH BRITTAIN, Los Angeles, Cal. (D. C. 28435). Great⁸-grandson of John Henry Antes, Lieutenant Colonel Northumberland County Penna. Militia.
- ROBERT NORTON BROCKWAY, Summit, N. J. (28994). Great-grandson of Thomas Brockway, Captain, Col. Samuel Selden's Fourth Battalion Wadsworth's Conn, Brigade.
- FRANK MARTIN BRODHEAD, Elizabeth, N. J. (29359). Great³-grandson of Garrett Brodhead, Lieutenant Northampton County Penna. Militia.
- FRANKLIN ALBERT BROWN, Onaga, Kans. (26996). Great-grandson of John Scudder, First Lieutenant Second Northumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- SCHUYLER COLFAX BROWN, Chicago, Ill. (29401). Great-grandson of John (Mathias) Brown, Lieutenant Fifteenth Albany County Regt. New York Militia, Col. Peter Vrooman.
- JOHN MOTT BUCK, Washington, D. C. (28436). Great²-grandson of *Benjamin Jaquith*, private, Capt. Timothy Walker's Company, Colonel Green's Mass. Regt.
- DAVID WATERMAN BUCKLIN, New York, N. Y. (R. I. 29078). Great²-grandson of Elisha Waterman, Signer of Rhode Island Declaration of Independence, Captain of Minute Men.
- FRANK BULKLEY, Jr., New York, N. Y. (29024). Great⁸-grandson of *Josiah Phelps*, Recruiting Officer and Member of Vigilance Committee at Windsor,

- Conn.; great⁸-grandson of *Isaac Pinney*, recognized patriot, Member of Military Committee at Windsor, Conn.
- JAMES WESLEY BULMER, Cairo, N. Y. (29025). Great²-grandson of Aaron Weed, private, Capt. Woodbridge's Company Conn. Line.
- JOHN EICHELBERGER BUSHNELL, Detroit, Mich. (28833). Great-grandson of John Bushnell, private, Major Skinner's Regt. Conn. Light Horse; great-grandson of Adam Eichelberger, Captain Third York County Battalion Penna. Associators.
- SCHUYLER M. CADY, Summit, N. J. (26411). Supplementals. Great²-grandson of Jonas Kelsey, Captain Fourth Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great³-grandson of John Preston, Second Lieutenant Mass. Militia.
- HOY ORTON CAMP, Raymond, Wash. (28948). Great²-grandson of Job Camp, Captain, Lieut. Col. Thomas Seymour's Regt. Conn. Light Dragoons.
- GEORGE THOMAS CAMPBELL, Owosso, Mich. (28832). Great²-grandson of Abraham Brosius, private Fifth Berks County Regt. Penna. Militia, pensioned.
- ROY ENGLISH CAMPBELL, Olympia, Wash. (28945). Great⁸-grandson of *Joseph Allen*, Lieutenant Fire Worker, Col. John Eyre's Artillery Battalion Penna.
- THOMAS HUFFMAN CAMPBELL, Columbus, Ohio (29156). Great-grandson of Ambrose Huffman, private Virginia Militia.
- FRANK W. CANN, Newark, N. J. (29230). Great-grandson of John Cann, Sergeant, Col. Lamb's Second Continental Artillery Regt.
- HOWARD WHEELER CANN, Newark, N. J. (29229). Great²-grandson of John Cann, Sergeant, Colonel Lamb's Second Continental Artillery Regt.; great²grandson of Caleb Wheeler, Captain Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- GEORGE FRANKLIN CARD, Washington, D. C. (29379). Great-grandson of Elisha Card, private, Captain Seely's Company Vermont Militia.
- WALTER CARNES, Portland, Ore. (3480). Great²-grandson of John Frost, Brigadier General Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of John Carnes, Chaplain, Col. Edmund Phinney's Mass. Regt.
- HARRY BARTLESON CARPENTER, Montclair, N. J. (29245). Great²-grandson of Andrew Redheffer, Roedenhoffer, Captain Seventh Battalion Philadelphia County Militia.
- JESSE CARPENTER, Attleboro, Mass. (29128). Great²-grandson of Daniel Carpenter, Corporal, Col. John Daggett's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Daniel Richardson, Lieutenant, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Comfort Moore, private, Col. John Daggett's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Andrew Bourne, Jr., Sergeant, Col. Isaac Dean's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Francis Ring, private, Col. Thomas Lothroy's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of John Shaw, Corporal, Col. E. Sprout's Mass. Regt., pensioned.
- GEORGE LEWIS CARTER, Detroit, Mich. (28828). Great²-grandson of Barnabas Carter, private Second Essex County New Jersey Regt.
- ERNEST HOWELL CHALKLEY, Richmond, Va. (28880). Great³-grandson of *Thomas Goode*, private Sixth Virginia Regt.
- FRANK BRITTAIN CHAMBERI, Columbus, Ohio (29157). Great²-grandson of Samuel Brittain, private Second Bucks County Battalion Penna. Associators.

- MARRY GRIFFITH CHAMBERLIN, Glencoe, Ill. (28281). Supplementals. Great²-grandson of Daniel Munger, private, Col. Rufus Putnam's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Andrew Ellicott, Major Maryland Militia.
- WILLIAM FOSDICK CHAMBERLIN, Hartford, Conn. (29044). Great*grandson of William Chamberlin, private, Col. Elmore's Conn. Regt., pensioned.
- DUNCAN DUNBAR CHAPLIN, Jr., Ridgewood, N. J. (29352). Great²-grandson of John O'Brien, First Lieutenant on schooner "Diligent," Commander of Mass. privateer schooner "Hibernia."
- HUGH CHAPLIN, New York, N. Y. (N. J. 29354). Great²-grandson of John O'Brien, First Lieutenant on schooner "Diligent," Commander of Mass. privateer schooner "Hibernia."
- MAXWELL CHAPLIN, Ridgewood, N. J. (29250). Great²-grandson of John O'Brien, First Lieutenant on schooner "Diligent," Commander of Mass. privateer schooner "Hibernia."
- WILLIAM LOUIS CHAPMAN, Providence, R. I. (29080). Great²-grandson of John Mansur, Sergeant, Maj. Samuel Bodwell's Company Mass. Militia.
- JOHN DENNET CHASE, Detroit, Mich. (28839). Great-grandson of Samuel Chase, Signer of the Declaration of Independence.
- JOHN SAMSON CHASE, Denver, Colo. (28065). Great²-grandson of Josiah Chase, Sergeant, Capt. Bartholomew Woodbury's Company, Col. John Cushing's Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- JOHN RAYMOND CHINNOCK, Belleville, N. J. (29353). Great²-grandson of Henry Voorhis, private First Monmouth County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- HARRY EDWARDS CLAFLIN, Washington, D. C. (28437). Great⁸-grandson of Abner Claftin, private, Colonel Dickinson's Mass. Regt.
- JOHN BOUVÉ CLAPP, Dorchester, Mass. (29144). Great²-grandson of Daniel Litchfield, private, Col. Job Cushing's Second Plymouth County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- HARRY CLARK, Salt Lake City, Utah (28194). Great⁸-grandson of Jedediah Phips, Member of Committee of Correspondence of Sherborn, Mass., private Mass. Militia.
- LANGDON WASHBURN CLARK, Philadelphia, Pa. (Me. 28314). Great²-grandson of Mervin Clark, private Mass. Militia, Signer of Boston Relief Agreement; great²-grandson of William Hubbs, private Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of Enoch Lowell, drummer, Lowell's Matross Company; great³-grandson of Abner Lowell, Captain of Falmouth Matross Company.
- RALPH HUNTINGTON CLARKE, Tacoma, Wash. (28946). Great²-grandson of William Pitkin, 4th, Member of Conn. Council of Safety.
- DANIEL, TIGHE COFFMAN, Chehalis, Wash. (28941). Great²-grandson of Daniel Driscoll, Corporal, Col. Alden's Mass. Regt.
- MILLARD FILLMORE COMPTON, Moundsville, W. Va. (D. C. 28438). Greatgrandson of *Elycum Compton*, guide and messenger to General Washington in New Jersey Campaign.
- FREDERICK WILLIS CONOVER, Point Pleasant, N. J. (29236). Great⁸-grandson of John Chamberlain, private Monmouth County New Jersey Militia.
- GEORGE RAYMOND CONOVER, Philadelphia, Pa. (29262). Great²-grandson of Thomas Conover, private, Capt. Benjamin Randolph's Company New Jersey Cavalry.

- JOHN EDWARD COOPER, New York, N. Y. (19598). Supplemental. Greatgrandson of Solomon Hawes, Quartermaster Sergeant Third Westchester County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of Peletiah Hawes, Sergeant Third Westchester County Regt. New York Militia.
- EUGENE COCHRAN COPENHAVER, Washington, D. C. (28439). Great³-grandson of Simon Copenhaver, Captain Second York County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- LINWOOD B. CORNELL, Portland, Ore. (29059). Great³-grandson of Benjamin Brownell, private Second Bristol County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- THOMAS D. COVEL, Fall River, Mass. (29129). Great²-grandson of John Allen, Corporal, Col. Wm. Shepard's Fourth Mass. Continental Regt.; great-grandson of Shubal Baker, Second Lieutenant, Col. N. Freeman's Mass. Regt.
- LESLIE CRAVEN, Portland, Orc. (28422): Supplemental. Great⁸-grandson of John Gaston, Member of Committee of Correspondence for Somerset County, New Jersey.
- HOWARD H. CROSBY, Washington, D. C. (Mass. 27765). Supplementals. Great²-grandson of Oliver Crosby, Lieutenant Third Billerica Company, Colonel Green's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of William Gleason, private, Capt. Edward Farmer's Company, Colonel Green's Mass. Regt.
- HARRY JOHNSON CUSHING, Manila, P. I. (24965). Great²-grandson of Matthew Cushing, private, Col. Solomon Lovel's Regt. Mass. Militia.
- ARLON VANNEVAR CUSHMAN, Washington, D. C. (29380). Great-grandson of Ephraim Cushman, private, Colonel Cotton's and other Mass. Regts., pensioned.
- SAMUEL CHESTER DAMON, Kingston, R. I. (29085). Great-grandson of Benjamin Damon, private, Col. Eleazer Brooks's and other Mass. Regts., pensioned.
- CHARLES HENRY DAVIS, Portland, Me. (28315). Great²-grandson of William Barnes, private, Colonel Dike's Mass. Regt.
- JAMES WILLIAM DAVIS, Chicago, Ill. (29402). Great²-grandson of *James Brown*, Lieutenant Frederick County Virginia Militia.
- EARL FLAVIUS DAVISSON, Pueblo, Colo. (29504). Great³-grandson of William Woodford, Colonel Second Virginia Regt., Brigadier General Continental Army 1777-1780.
- JOHN ANTHONY DAWKINS, Washington, D. C. (28440). Great³-grandson of *John Dawkins*, private North Carolina Light Horse, pensioned.
- CHARLES WATERMAN DAY, Montclair, N. J. (29360). Great²-grandson of Isaac Hyde, Jr., Lieutenant Conn. Militia.
- RICHARD BOYNTON DEANE, Fall River, Mass. (29130). Great-grandson of Thomas Andros, private, Col. S. H. Parson's Conn. Continental Regt., pensioned.
- CHARLES MAXWELL DERING, Milwaukee, Wis. (29302). Great²-grandson of *Phillip Frederick Antes*, Lieutenant Colonel, Colonel Potts's Philadelphia County Battalion Penna. Militia; great²-grandson of *James Maxwell*, drummer boy on Arnold's Quebec Expedition.
- CHARLES WILLIAM DICKSON, Des Moines, Iowa (29180). Great⁸-grandson of *Daniel Hurlbut*, private, Col. Joseph Spencer's Conn. Regt.
- PHILIP DODDRIDGE, Philadelphia, Pa. (29259). Great-grandson of Caleb Clark, Captain Eleventh Regt. Conn. Militia.

- RALPH SEEGER DOLD, Buffalo, N. Y. (29225). Great³-grandson of Richard Gentry, private, Colonel Holt's and other Virginia Regts., pensioned.
- ELLIOTT HAWKRIDGE DOWNES, New York, N. Y. (29223). Great³-grandson of Cornelius La Ment, private Berkshire County Mass. Militia.
- NATHANIEL WILSON DUKE, Pueblo, Colo. (28069). Great³-grandson of Alexander Somervell, Lieutenant Colonel Maryland Militia; great²-grandson of Jabez Ayres, private, Capt. Thomas Whipple's Company Mass. Guards.
- WILLIAM BEMENT DUKE, Riderwood, Md. (27868). Great-grandson of George Dent, private Second Maryland Regt.
- DONALD AUSTIN DUNHAM, Hartford, Conn. (29045). Great²-grandson of Jonathan Dunham, private, Capt. Wales's Company, Colonel Latimer's Regt. Conn. Line.
- SAMUEL LEWIS EATON, Newton Highlands, Mass. (29131). Great-grandson of Ebenezer Eaton, Sergeant, Capt. Thomas Drury's Company, Col. John Nixon's Mass. Regt.
- WILLARD HOFFMAN ELLIOTT, Newark, N. J. (29231). Great²-grandson of James Reynolds, Lieutenant, Colonel Swift's Conn. Battalion.
- ROBERT HALE ELLIS, Portland, Ore. (29060). Great²-grandson of John Waldron, Colonel New Hampshire Militia, Member of Provincial Legislature.
- JACOB CRUM EPLER, Pueblo, Colo. (29505). Great²-grandson of *John Epler*, Second Lieutenant Fifth Company Third Berks County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- CHARLES McLANE FARRER, Seattle, Wash. (28943). Great²-grandson of Jedediah Huntington, Major General Conn. Militia.
- JOHN PRENTICE FARRAR, Hoquiam, Wash. (28949). Great-grandson of Humphrey Farrar, private, minute man, Col. Eleazer Brooks's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of John Prentice, Representative in New Hampshire Legislature, Signer of Londonderry Declaration.
- JOHN MILTON FERRY, New York, N. Y. (29204). Great-grandson of Eliphalet Ferry, private, Colonel Waterbury's Fifth Conn. Regt.
- WILLIAM YOUNG FILLEBROWN, Cleveland, Ohio (D. C. 29381). Greategrandson of *Thomas Fillebrown*, private Third Regt. Mass. Line and Mass. Artillery Regt.
- HARRY DENISON FINN, Nutley, N. J. (29238). Great-grandson of Henry Finn, private Albany County New York Militia; great²-grandson of George Riddle, private Thirteenth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.
- ELBERT CLEMENT FISHER, Des Moines, Iowa (29193). Great²-grandson of Wilhelmus Westbrook, Ensign Sussex County New Jersey State Troops; great²-grandson of Daniel Ennis, Ensign Third Sussex County Battalion New Jersey State Troops.
- ELBERT CLEMENT FISHER, Mt. Tabor, N. J. (28999). Great²-grandson of Richard Scudder, private Essex County New Jersey Militia.
- H. CAMERON FORSTER, Toledo, Ohio (29138). Great²-grandson of Jacob Barnitz, Ensign, Colonel Swope's York County Regt. Penna. Flying Camp.
- JOHN McKEE FOSTER, Washington, D. C. (28449). Great²-grandson of John McKee, private, Col. Daniel Morgan's Rifle Regt. and Sixth South Carolina Regt.
- CORTLANDT FIELD FOWLER, Waterloo, Iowa (29183). Great-grandson of Samuel Pugsley, private, Col. Samuel Drake's Regt. New York Militia; great-

- grandson of Jeremiah Drake, private, Col. Samuel Drake's Regt. New York Militia.
- GEORGE FRANCIS FOWLER, Springfield, Mass. (29145). Great-grandson of Bildad Fowler, Lieutenant, Col. John Moseley's Third Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- RALPH NORMAN FOWLER, Springfield, Mass. (29139). Great-grandson of Bildad Fowler, Lieutenant, Col. John Moseley's Third Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- JOHN WILLIAM FOX, Woburn, Mass. (29132). Great-grandson of Thomas Fox, private, Capt. Edmund Munroe's Company at Lexington Alarm, April 19, 1775; great²-grandson of Jonathan Fox, Colonel Second Middlesex County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- CAROLL HAMPTON FRANCIS, Washington, D. C. (28441). Great grandson of William Atkinson, private, Colonel Martin's Fourth New Jersey Regt.
- LAWRENCE WASHINGTON FRANCIS, Duquesne, Pa. (29253). Great²-grandson of Jacob Buttermore, private Second Regt. Penna. Line.
- NATHANIEL KIMBALL FRANKLIN, Tonopah, Nev. (Cal. 29120). Great3grandson of Charles Lewis, Colonel Fourteenth Virginia Regt.
- DELAVAN DE LOS FRAZEE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa (29181). Great²-grandson of Augustinus Clapsaddle, Major Tryon County Militia, killed at Battle of Oriskany, August 6, 1777; great²-grandson of George F. Helmer, Lieutenant, Capt. Daniel Petrie's Company Tryon County New York Militia, pensioned.
- JAMES WOODS FRY, Philadelphia, Pa. (29255). Great³-grandson of John Keyser, private Second Regt. Penna. Line.
- ATHERTON BERNARD FURLONG, Jr., Boston, Mass. (29140). Great²-grandson of Lawrence Furlong, Commander of privateer schooner "True Blue," Prize Master of ship "Essex"; great²-grandson of Thaddeus Wellington, private and musician, Col. Edward Wigglesworth's Mass. Regt.
- HENRY CHARLES GAYLORD, Falls Village, Conn. (29046). Great²-grandson of *Joseph Gaylord*, private, Col. Noadiah Hooker's and other Conn. Regts., pensioned.
- ROBERT LEE GILES, Sixth U. S. Infantry, Columbus, New Mex. (Tex. 25125). Great⁸-grandson of William Roach, Lieutenant Georgia Line, killed at Gates's defeat, 1780.
- EDWARD EVERETT GRAFF, Portland, Ore. (29054). Great²-grandson of Ralph Schenck, private, Colonel Chambers's New Jersey Regt. and other service, pensioned.
- WILLIAM GREEN, Waco, Texas (Nebr. 28392). Great²-grandson of Amasa Mills, Major, Col. John Pettibone's Conn. Regt.
- CLARENCE HIRSHLER GREENWALD, New York, N. Y. (29207). Greatsgrandson of James Pettigrew, Lieutenant Eleventh Penna. Regt.
- CLIFFORD GREVE, Boston, Mass. (29133). Great³-grandson of Joseph Otis, Colonel First Barnstable County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- JOHN ANDREW GUIHER, Winterset, Iowa (29195). Great-grandson of Job Throckmorton, private Monmouth County New Jersey Militia, pensioned.
- DAVID WILLIAM GWIN, Atlanta, Ga. (Va. 28887). Grandson of David Gwin, Captain Augusta County Virginia Militia.
- CARLETON HALE, Providence, R. I. (29082). Great²-grandson of Thomas Johnson, Aide to General Lincoln at Ticonderoga, captured by the British in 1781.

- GORDON DYER HALE, Past Ass't Surgeon, U. S. Navy, Newport, R. I. (29083).

 Great²-grandson of *Thomas Johnson*, Aide to General Lincoln at Ticonderoga, captured by British in 1781.
- CHARLES WATTS HANSCOM, Lynn, Mass. (19161). Supplementals. Greats. grandson of Joseph Seavey, Captain Sixth Lincoln County Regt. Mass. Militia; greats-grandson of John Scott, Captain Mass. Militia.
- JAMES ERNEST HARRALL, Baltimore, Md. (27869). Great²-grandson of Lemuel Drake, private Conn. Line, pensioned.
- GEORGE STIMPSON HATHAWAY, Medical Officer, U. S. Navy, North Wilmington, Mass. (29451). Great²-grandson of Jonathan Brown, Captain, Col. David Green's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of John Winslow, private, Col. Wm. R. Lee's Mass. Regt.
- HENDERSON BELL HAYS, Montclair, N. J. (29234). Great-grandson of Samuel Hays, Lieutenant Spottsylvania County Virginia Militia.
- RALPH ELDREDGE HAYWARD, Providence, R. I. (29079). Great²-grandson of Samuel Hayward, private, Colonel Lippitt's and Colonel Sherburne's Rhode Island Regts., privateersman, prisoner in England.
- FRANCIS EDWARD HEAFER, Amarillo, Tex. (25123). Great³-grandson of Samuel Denny, Colonel First Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- JOHN HOGEBOOM HENDERSON, Pittsburgh, Pa. (29265). Great²-grandson of Lawrence Hogeboom, private Ninth Albany County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of John Won Woert, Second Lieutenant Third Albany County Regt. New York Militia; great³-grandson of Jacob J. Lansing, Captain Fourth Company Third Albany County Regt. New York Militia.
- PERCÉ VOUGHT HENDRICKS, Bound Brook, N. J. (29365). Great⁸-grandson of Roger Schermerhorn, private Second Albany County Regt. New York Militia.
- JOHN GOODWIN HERNDON, Washington, D. C. (28450). Great-grandson of Adam Dale, private in volunteer company of Maryland boys in Yorktown Campaign; great²-grandson of Thomas Dale, Captain, Colonel Smallwood's Maryland Regt.
- NEAL NORTON HERNDON, Washington, D. C. (29376). Great²-grandson of Adam Dale, private in volunteer company of Maryland boys in Yorktown Campaign; great³-grandson of Thomas Dale, Captain, Colonel Smallwood's Maryland Regt.; great²-grandson of Samuel Linton, Quartermaster, Gen. Wade Hampton's South Carolina Regt.
- ALBERT LEE HESTON, Lansdowne, Pa. (29257). Great²-grandson of Edward Warner Heston, Lieutenant Colonel Seventh Battalion Philadelphia County Militia
- GEORGE OMER HILL, Pueblo, Colo. (29502). Great2-grandson of Philip Allen, private, Col. David Brewer's and other Mass. Regts., pensioned.
- WALTER HAMILTON HIRSCH, Pittsburgh, Pa. (29263). Great²-grandson of Henry Wentworth, Fife-Major, Colonel Badger's New Hampshire Regt.
- WILLIAM LINCOLN HIRSCH, Jr., Lebanon, Pa. (29264). Great²-grandson of Henry Wentworth, Fife-Major, Colonel Badger's New Hampshire Regt.
- EDWIN LUCIUS HOBART, Denver, Colo. (28075). Great-grandson of Jonas Hobart, Corporal, Capt. John House's Company First New Hampshire Regt.
- DANA ROUND HOLDEN, Cedar Rapids, Iowa (29196). Great²-grandson of Aaron Holden, Captain, Lieut. Col. J. Brooks's Third Mass. Regt.

- ROBERT STEPHEN HOLT, New Providence, N. J. (28997). Great²-grandson of James Howell, private First Suffolk County Regt. New York Militia.
- A. VAN DOREN HONEYMAN, Plainfield, N. J. (29226). Great-grandson of John Honeyman, Member of Secret Service of Continental Army; great-grandson of David Nevius, Express Rider, Sergeant, Captain Stryker's Troop New Jersey Light Horse.
- HENRY HALLOCK HOSFORD, Crete, Nebr. (28391). Great²-grandson of Stephen Potter, Captain Sixth Conn. Regt.
- LYTTLETON EDMUNDS HUBARD, Elizabeth, N. J. (29364). Great²-grandson of William Hubard, Lieutenant Colonel Charlotte County Virginia Militia.
- RICHARD LAW HUBBELL, Philadelphia, Pa. (29251). Great²-grandson of Richard Law. Member of the Continental Congress 1777, 1781-1783; great²-grandson of Robert Johnson, Jr., Judge of Salem County, N. J., Member of New Jersey Provincial Convention.
- SAMUEL WALDRON HUCKINS, Woods Hole, Mass. (29135). Great²-grandson of Israel Huckins, private, Col. Pierse Long's New Hampshire Regt., pensioned.
- EDWARD FRANK HUMPHREY, Hartford, Conn. (29047). Great²-grandson of Nehemiah Cobb, Lieutenant, Col. John Jacobs's Mass. Regt.
- REX SHERMAN HUMPHREY, Detroit, Mich. (28837). Great²-grandson of Abijah Woodard, Corporal Fourth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.
- ROY H. HURLEY, Chehalis, Wash. (28942). Great²-grandson of Jesse Worden, private, Colonel Huntington's Conn. Regt. and Colonel Topham's Rhode Island Regt.
- HOBART HUSON, Jr., San Antonio, Tex. (25124). Great²-grandson of John Barnett, Captain, Col. Elijah Clark's Regt. Georgia Militia; great³-grandson of Nathan Barnett, private, Col. Elijah Clark's Georgia Regt.; great³-grandson of William Tindall, private, Col. James McNeill's Georgia Regt.
- STANLEY WINSHIP HYDE, Malden, Mass. (29134). Great²-grandson of *John Sprague*, Surgeon's Mate Eighteenth Continental Infantry, Surgeon on schooner "Active" and sloop "Winthrop."
- GEORGE ABEL IDE, Creston, Iowa (29179). Great²-grandson of Ezra Ide, Lieutenant, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Mass. Regt.
- ALBERT EXTON JACOBS, Philadelphia, Pa. (29252). Great-grandson of Andrew Snyder, private Second Regt. Penna. Line.
- HAROLD HENRY JACOBS, New York, N. Y. (29218). Great⁹-grandson of Abraham Alexander, First Lieutenant South Carolina Militia, under General Sumter.
- JOSEPH ARTHUR JEFFRIES, Jr., Washington, D. C. (28442). Great²-grandson of Ambrose Walden, Lieutenant, Col. Moses Hazen's Continental Regt.
- WILLARD ROUSE JILLSON, New Haven, Conn. (29048). Great⁸-grandson of Simon Willard, private Third Berkshire County Regt. Mass. Militia; great⁴-grandson of Oliver Belding, Captain Second Berkshire County Regt. Mass. Militia; great⁸-grandson of Simeon Rogers, private, Col. Roger Enos's Conn. Regt.; great⁴-grandson of Edward Meloy, recognized patriot naval service; great⁴-grandson of Timothy Dawson, private Conn. Coast Guards.
- JOHN BURGES JOHNSON, Jr., First Lieutenant, Third Cavalry, U. S. Army (D. C. 28443). Great-grandson of Jeremiah Johnson, private, Colonel Cilley's First New Hampshire Regt.
- EDWIN THOMAS JONES, Salt Lake City, Utah (29278). Great²-grandson of Joseph Requa, Lieutenant New York Light Horse, pensioned.

- HAMPTON STEWART JONES, Richmond, Va. (28882). Great²-grandson of John Stewart, Captain Amherst County Virginia Militia; great³-grandson of John Floyd, Captain Fincastle County Virginia Militia.
- WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER JONES, Jr., New Waverly, Tex. (29477). Great-grandson of John Martin, Captain South Carolina Cavalry, private Virginia Militia.
- MESSMORE KENDALL, New York, N. Y. (29215). Great³-grandson of James Clay, Jr., Lieutenant of "Southern Regt." Vermont Militia; great⁴-grandson of James Clay, Chairman of Cumberland County Committee of Safety.
- HENRY McBRIDE, KIER, Woodland, Cal. (Mich. 28834). Great-grandson of James McBride, Jr., private Westmoreland County Penna. Militia, pensioned; great2-grandson of William Kerr, private Westmoreland County Penna. Militia.
- JAMES ALEXANDER KIER, Detroit, Mich. (28836). Great-grandson of James McBride, Jr., private Westmoreland County Penna. Militia; great²-grandson of William Kerr, private Westmoreland County Penna. Militia.
- WILLIAM FITZGERALD KIER, St. Louis, Mo. (Mich. 28835). Great-grandson of James McBride, Jr., private Westmoreland County Penna. Militia, pensioned; great²-grandson of William Kerr, private Westmoreland County Penna. Militia.
- SELDEN HINCKLEY KILGORE, Wichita, Kans. (26998). Great-grandson of Josiah Hinckley, Lieutenant, Col. Samuel McCobb's Mass. Regt.
- CHARLES JOHNSON KNICKERBOCKER, Fairfax, Iowa (29189). Great²-grandson of *Harmanus Knickerbocker*, private Second and Ninth Mass. Regts., pensioned.
- EDWARD HANFORD KNICKERBOCKER, Fairfax, Iowa (29188). Great-grandson of Harmanus Knickerbocker, private Second and Ninth Mass. Regts., pensioned.
- CHARLES CARROLL, KNOWLES, Grand Junction, Colo. (29501). Great²-grandson of *Joseph Knowles*, private, Col. Moses Nichols's New Hampshire Regt.; great²-grandson of *Nathan Avery*, private Conn. Militia.
- HARPER LLOYD KOHLER, York, Pa. (29266). Great²-grandson of Robert Peeling, Sergeant, Col. Samuel Miles's Regt. Penna. Riflemen and other service, pensioned.
- MARION BILLIN LANDRY, Detroit, Mich. (28829). Great²-grandson of John Glover, private Second North Carolina Regt. Continental Line.
- FRANCIS W. LANE, Grays Lake, Ill. (29403). Great-grandson of Francis Lane, Captain, Col. John Rand's Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM JOHN LEAVERTON, Springfield, Ill. (29404). Great²-grandson of John Foster Leaverton, private Fourth Independent Company Maryland Regulars; great²-grandson of Edward Smith, Lieutenant Seventh Virginia Regt.; great²-grandson of Jonathan Holton, Lieutenant, Colonel Nichols's New Hampshire Regt.; great²-grandson of Aaron Hosford, private, Captain Heaton's Company Vermont Militia; great²-grandson of Stephen Conklin, Jr., private Orange County New York and Morris County New Jersey Militia; great³-grandson of Stephen Conklin, private Orange County New York and Morris County New Jersey Militia; great³-grandson of Benjamin Lindsley, Second Lieutenant Morris County New Jersey Militia; great³-grandson of Abel Belknap, private Fourth Ulster County Regt. New York Militia, Chairman Newburgh Committee of Inspection.

- SAMUEL HENRY LEE, Springfield, Mass. (29452). Grandson of Andrew Lee, Chaplain, Col. John Durkee's Fourth Regt. Conn. Line.
- BERTRAM MAUPIN LEECRAFT, Colbert, Okla. (Texas 25122). Great⁴-grandson of Henry Neel, Captain North Carolina Continental Line.
- EDWIN TUTTLE LEWIS, Logan, Utah (28197). Great²-grandson of Samuel Smith Lewis, private, Capt. John Lewis's Company Conn. Militia; great³-grandson of John Lewis, Captain Conn. Militia Company of Waterbury; great²-grandson of David Tomlinson, private First Conn. Regt. 1775; great³-grandson of Isaac Tomlinson, Captain Conn. Militia; great²-grandson of Abner Tuttle, non-commissioned officer Second Regt. Conn. Militia; great³-grandson of Timothy Mix, private Sixth Company Second Regt. Conn. Militia; great²-grandson of Joshua Newhall, private Governor's Foot Guards of New Haven, pensioned.
- KENNETH HASTINGS LEWIS, Boston, Mass. (29136). Great²-grandson of Peleg Pendleton, Lieutenant Rhode Island Artillery.
- WILLIAM INGRAHAM LIGHTHIPE, Montclair, N. J. (28996). Great-grandson of John Lipehite, private in Colonel Hazen's (Second Canadian) Regt. Continental Army; great-grandson of Moses Condit, private Essex County New Jersey Militia.
- ALVAN E. LINE, Sioux City, Iowa (29185). Great²-grandson of William Line (Lyne) and great³-grandson of George Line, privates, Captain Roland's Company Lancaster County Penna. Militia.
- LESTER WAITE LINK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (Ohio 29154). Great⁸ grandson of Alexander Ogle, private Delaware Militia of White Clay Hundred New Castle County.
- CHARLES EDWIN LITTLEFIELD, Ogden, Utah (28198). Great²-grandson of Joshua Booth Elderkin, Commissary Conn. Militia.
- EDMUND ARTHUR LITTLEFIELD, Ogden, Utah (28200). Great²-grandson of Joshua Booth Littlefield, Commissary Conn. Militia.
- JOHN COTTLE LITTLEFIELD, Ogden, Utah (28199). Great²-grandson of Joshua Booth Elderkin, Commissary Conn. Militia.
- THERON RANLETT LITTLEFIELD, Roosevelt, Ariz. (Utah 29276). Great²-grandson of Joshua Booth Elderkin, Commissary Conn. Militia.
- * MERRITT MILLER LONG, Buffalo, N. Y. (29210). Great³-grandson of Hugh Peden, Captain Third Lancaster County Battalion Penna, Militia.
 - JAMES LEE LOOMIS, Granby, Conn. (29049). Great³-grandson of Noah Loomis, Captain Mass. Minute Men.
 - THADDEUS HARVEY LOVEJOY, Washington, D. C. (28444). Great-grandson of Samuel Lovejoy, private, Colonel Wigglesworth's Mass. Regt. and other service, pensioned.
 - HARRY D. McCALL, Culver, Kans. (26997). Great²-grandson of Benjamin Mackall, private Maryland Troops, pensioned.
 - CHARLES EDMUND McCULLOUGH, East Orange, N. J. (29248). Great²-grandson of *Caleb Jewett*, private, Colonel Burrall's Conn. Regt. in Canadian Campaign, prisoner.
 - CHALLEN RAY McCUNE, Belle Plain, Iowa (29176). Great³-grandson of Samuel Sutliff, Corporal, Col. Erastus Wolcott's Conn. Regt.
 - EUGENE SPENCER MACDONALD, Ridgewood, N. J. (29358). Great-grandson of Timothy Bigelow, private Morris County New Jersey Militia.

- FRANK A. McKEE, Oak Park, Ill. (28969). Great-grandson of Tunis Van Argdale, Ensign Second or South End Regt. New York Levies and Militia.
- JOHN JAMESON MAPEL, Milwaukee, Wis. (29301). Great²-grandson of William Mapel, private, Colonel Seely's New Jersey Regt. and other service, pensioned.
- THOMAS DAYTON MARTIN, Newark, N. J. (29361). Great-grandson of *Thomas Martin*, private Third Regt. New Jersey Continental Line.
- HARRY P. MASON, Colorado Springs, Colo. (28072). Great²-grandson of Joshua Post, Corporal, Colonel Ward's Seventh Conn. Regt.
- HENRY W. MASON, Bedford, Mass. (29146). Grandson of Samson Mason, fifer, Col. Asa Barns's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Samson Mason, private, Col. Benjamin Simonds's Mass. Regt.
- WILLIAM FRANKLIN MATSON, Denver, Colo. (29503). Great²-grandson of Ashael Stiles, private, Colonel Wingate's New Hampshire Regt.
- PHILIP CORYDON MEANS, Apponaug, R. I. (29084). Great⁸-grandson of Nehemiah Porter, private, Col. James Reed's New Hampshire Regt.
- FRANKLIN ASBURY MERRIAM, Mt. Vernon, N. Y. (29224). Great-grandson of John Merriam, private, Col. Benjamin Bellows's New Hampshire Regt.
- FREDERICK LINCOLN MERRIAM, Tarrytown, N. Y. (29217). Great-grandson of John Merriam, private, Col. Benjamin Bellows's New Hampshire Regt.
- FRED D MERRITT, Eugene, Ore. (Iowa 29178). Great²-grandson of Samuel Sturgeon, private Fourth Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Associators.
- JEFFERSON MIDDLETON, Washington, D. C. (29382). Great-grandson of Nehemiah Birckhead, private Maryland Militia.
- PHILIPS BENTON MILES, Salt Lake City, Utah (28196). Great²-grandson of Zebulon Benton, private, Colonel Lamb's and other Conn. Regts., pensioned.
- ADIN RALPH MILLER, Millburn, N. J. (29239). Great²-grandson of Sebastian Miller, Captain Berks County Penna. Militia.
- DAVID KNOX MILLER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (28699). Great-grandson of James Franciss, private, Col. James Moore's and other Penna. Regts., pensioned.
- EDWARD NATHAN MILLER, Peoria, Ill. (28970). Great²-grandson of Avery Mustain, private, Capt. Jesse Heard's Company Virginia Militia and other service, pensioned.
- ROBERT BRYCE MILLER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (28700). Great²-grandson of Alexander Davidson, Captain, Col. Francis Lock's North Carolina Regt.
- CHARLES WARREN MILLS, Oak Park, Ill. (28971). Great-grandson of James Mills, private, Captain Putnam's and other Companies New York Militia.
- EDWARD MEDILL MIX, Washington, D. C. (29383). Great-grandson of Joseph Mix, private, Colonel Moseley's Regt. Conn. Militia.
- FRANCIS EDWARD MIX, Chevy Chase, Md. (D. C. 28446). Great²-grandson of Joseph Mix, private, Colonel Moseley's Regt. Conn. Militia.
- ROBERT SHANNON MOORE, Washington, D. C. (24390). Supplemental. Great²-grandson of James Dunn, private Virginia Continental Line.
- SIDNEY HOWARD MOORE, Rochelle Park, N. J. (29235). Great-grandson of David French, private Somerset County New Jersey Militia.
- CAMERON SWAZEY MORRISON, Olympia, Wash. (28939). Great²-grandson of William Stanwood, First Lieutenant, Col. Ebenezer Francis's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of James Dickey, private, Colonel Dunlop's Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

- JAMES EVANS MORTON, Des Moines, Iowa (28225). Great⁸-grandson of Edward Morton, private, Col. William Thompson's Battalion Penna. Riflemen.
- CHARLES FRANKLIN MOULTON, Denver, Colo. (28067). Great³-grandson of Jonathan Moulton, Sergeant, Col. Jacob Gerrish's Mass. Regt.
- FREDERICK GRAY MURRAY, Cedar Rapids, Iowa (29184). Great-grandson of Alexander Murray, private, Colonel Fisher's Tryon County Regt. New York Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of Andrew Martin, private, Col. Peter Grubb's Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia; great²-grandson of Samuel Martin, private Sixth Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- ROLLIN GRAY NEFF, East Orange, N. J. (29242). Great³-grandson of John Rugan, Sergeant First Artillery Regt. Penna. Continental Line; great³-grandson of Daniel King, ammunition rider New Jersey Militia; great³-grandson of Edward Batten, Ensign First Salem County Regt. New Jersey Militia; great³-grandson of William Dutcher, Captain, Col. Joseph Drake's New York Regt.; great³-grandson of John Denny, Lieutenant New York Militia; great³-grandson of John Whitney, private, Col. John Daggett's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of John Slack, private, Col. William Heath's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of John Gray, private "Green Mountain Boys" and Third Regt. New York Line; great³-grandson of Blackleach Burritt, patriot preacher, prisoner in New York Sugar House; great⁴-grandson of Gideon Wells, private Hartford Company Conn. Militia; great²-grandson of Amos Graves, private, Col. Benjamin Simonds's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of Andrew Canaday (Kennedy), Sergeant, Col. Jacob Gerrish's Mass. Regt.
- HUGH THOMAS NELSON, Richmond, Va. (28884). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Nelson*, Commander-in-Chief, Major General, Virginia State Troops, Signer of the Declaration of Independence.
- WALKER ORIN NETTLETON, Washington, D. C. (28447). Great⁸-grandson of *John Wheeler*, Surgeon, Montgomery's Expedition against Quebec and in North Carolina service.
- ROYAL, FRANKLIN NICHOLS, New Brunswick, N. J. (29243). Great²-grandson of Robert Nichols, Captain Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.
- JOSEPH HOWARD NITCHIE, Evanston, Ill. (28973). Great-grandson of John Howard, Sergeant, Col. John Glover's Mass. Regt., sail-maker on armed schooner "Hancock," pensioned.
- HIRAM TUTTLE NONES, Ozone Park, N. Y. (29202). Great²-grandson of Benjamin Nones, volunteer under Captain Verdier of General Pulaski's Staff, Major, Aide-de-Camp to Lafayette and De Kalb.
- CHARLES MERRIT NORTON, Grand Rapids, Mich. (28831). Great-grandson of Benjamin Norton, Lieutenant, Col. Zebulon Butler's Conn. Regt.
- HAL, O'FLAHERTY, Des Moines, Iowa (29192). Great²-grandson of Edward Flathers, private Prince William County Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- LEO J. O'FLAHERTY, Des Moines, Iowa (29191). Great²-grandson of Edward Flathers, private Prince William County Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- MATTHEW BRICE OGDEN, Sharon, Pa. (29258). Great²-grandson of *Daniel Ogden*, Second Lieutenant First Regt. New York Line and Fifth Tryon County Regt. New York Militia.
- CLARENCE MYRTON OLMSTEAD, Portland, Ore. (29055). Great⁸-grandson of Silas Olmstead, private Fifth Company Fifth Conn. Regt. 1775.

- GEORGE GAYLORD OLMSTED, Chicago, Ill. (29405). Great²-grandson of David Olmsted, Captain, Col. Nehemiah Bradley's Sixteenth Regt. Conn. Hotse
- WARREN OLNEY, JR., Berkeley, Cal. (29121). Great²-grandson of Stephen Olney, Captain Rhode Island Militia and Continental Line.
- LEWIS OMER, Evanston, Ill. (28972). Great²-grandson of Daniel Omer, private Fifth York County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- CHARLES FRENCH OSBORN, Washington, D. C. (29377). Great²-grandson of Joseph Durfee, private Rhode Island Militia.
- BOYD THOMAS PARK, Salt Lake City, Utah (29277). Great³.grandson of Samuel Culver, Sergeant, Capt. Daniel Culver's (his father's) Company, Col. James Mead's Vermont Regt.; great⁴-grandson of Daniel Culver, Captain, Col. James Mead's Vermont Regt.
- CLARENCE A. PARLIAMENT, Highland Park, Ill. (29406). Great³-grandson of Eliphalet Rollins, private, Colonel Wyman's New Hampshire Regt.
- WILLIAM PATTEN, Rhinebeck, N. Y. (29203). Great-grandson of Isaac Patten, private, Col. Samuel Bullard's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Daniel Robert deau, Brigadier General Penna. Militia.
- HENRY WILLIAM PATTON, Hoquiam, Wash. (28940). Great²-grandson of Andrew Hampton, Colonel North Carolina Militia.
- PAUL HARSHA PATTON, Omaha, Nebr. (28397). Great²-grandson of Daniel Houston, Second Lieutenant Seventh Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- ROSCOE CONKLING PENNEY, Schenectady, N. Y. (29220). Great²-grandson of Ammiel Penney, private Third Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia, Col. John Field.
- CHARLES HOLDEN PERRY, Waterbury, Conn. (29050). Great²-grandson of Rufus Landon, private and drummer, Capt. John Bigelow's Company Conn. Artillery and other service, pensioned.
- ANDERS MORRELL PETERSON, Bellevue, Pa. (29261). Great²-grandson of Isaac Morrell, drummer, Sergeant, Col. Philip Cortlandt's Second New York Regt.
- EDWARD ELISHA PHELPS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (29254). Great²-grandson of Elkanah Phelps, Sergeant and Ensign Conn. Militia.
- ARTHUR LLOYD PHILBRICK, Providence, R. I. (29086). Great²-grandson of Samuel Philbrick, Captain Fourth Company Ninth Regt. New Hampshire Militia.
- JAMES MICHAEL, PHILLIPS, Cumberland, Md. (D. C. 29384). Great²-grandson of Jesse Coleman, private, Captain Durkee's Company Conn. Militia.
- WALTER SWIFT PLACE, Boston, Mass. (29141). Great²-grandson of Zophar Rogers, private Fifth Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of Moses Swift, private Sixth Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of Stephen Sears, private, Captain Dutcher's Company, Maj. Elisha Sheldon's Conn. Regt.
- HAROLD GLEASON PRATT, Cleveland, Ohio (29152). Great²-grandson of Amos Pratt, private First Lynn Company Mass. Militia 1775; great³-grandson of Enoch Moody, recognized patriot, Chairman of Military Committee for protection of Falmouth, Me.; great³-grandson of Rossvell Blodgett, minute man, Col. Benjamin Hinman's Conn. Regt.; great²-grandson of Ayers Locke, private Mass. Line.

- ALEXANDER BURNS POPE, Laramie, Wyo. (20047). Great-grandson of Gershom Pope, private, Capt. Samuel Hall's Company of Light Horse Fourth Conn. Regt.
- HENRY BURNS POPE, Laramie, Wyo. (20048). Great²-grandson of Gersham Pope, private, Capt. Samuel Hall's Company of Light Horse Fourth Conn. Regt.
- ELMER ELLSWORTH PROWELL, Phoenix, Ariz. (23313). Great-grandson of William Prowell, Captain Fourth Company, Col. John Eyre's Artillery Battalion Penna. Militia; great²-grandson of Martin Houser, Jr., private, Capt. Hugh Robinson's Company Tenth Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia; great⁸-grandson of Martin Houser, private, Capt. John Rutherford's Company Penna. Militia.
- CLAUDE RAIBOURN, Chicago, Ill. (29407). Great²-grandson of *Joshua Caswell*, private, Col. Ebenezer White's and other Mass. Regts.
- WILLIAM JAMES RAND, Jr., San Francisco, Cal. (29122). Great⁸-grandson of Tilly Buttrick, Sergeant, Capt. Joshua Leland's Company Mass. Guards.
- HAROLD MARVIN RAYNER, 1st Lieutenant of Cavalry, U. S. Army, Rio Grande City, Tex. (N. J. 24297). Great²-grandson of *John Rayner*, private, Col. Henry Sherburne's Mass. Regt.
- CHARLES ARCHIBALD REFORD, Orange, N. J. (29246). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Carle*, private Dutchess County New York Militia.
- FRED RICH, Centerville, Utah (29279). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Knighton*, private, Colonel Knighton's South Carolina Regt. and other service, pensioned.
- VALENTINE RIKER, East Orange, N. J. (29232). Great-grandson of Samuel Logan, Major, Colonel Weissenfel's Regt. New York Levies.
- EDWARD JAMES RIPLEY, Dorchester, Mass. (29148). Great²-grandson of Galem Clapp, Captain Second Scituate Company, Col. Anthony Thomas's Mass. Regt.
- ISAAC THOMAS RIPLEY, Dorchester, Mass. (29147). Great²-grandson of Galen Clapp, Captain Second Scituate Company, Col. Anthony Thomas's Mass. Regt.
- GEORGE McKENZIE ROBERTS, Schenectady, N. Y. (29209). Great⁸-grandson of Daniel Cummings, private, Colonel Learned's Mass. Regt.; great⁸-grandson of Joseph Convers, Sergeant, Colonel Baldwin's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Eli Denslow, private Fifth Regt. Conn. Line; great²-grandson of Daniel Tallmadge, private Second Regt. Conn. Militia.
- LAWRENCE DOWSE ROCKWELL, Chicago, Ill. (28964). Supplementals. Great⁸-grandson of Edward Davis, Member of Mass. Provincial Congress 1775; great²-grandson of Eleaser Dowse, Jr., matross, Col. Richard Gridley's Mass. Artillery Regt.; great⁸-grandson of Peter Shumway, private and drummer, Col. William Sheppard's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Bezaleel Beebe, Colonel Conn. Militia; great²-grandson of William Walker, Adjutant, Col. John Paterson's Mass. Regt., Lieutenant Fifteenth Regt. Continental Infantry.
- HOWARD CORTLAND ROWLEY, San Francisco, Cal. (29123). Great-grandson of Nathan C. Rowley, private Tarpaulin Cove Company Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of Cornelius Lament, private, Col. Benjamin Simonds's Regt. Mass. Militia.
- JOHN LAKEMAN RUSSELL, Ipswich, Mass. (29149). Great²-grandson of Richard Sutton, Lieutenant Third Essex County Regt. Mass. Militia, Col. Timothy Pickering.

- WALDO PUTMAN RUSSELL, Glen Rock, N. J. (29240). Great⁸-grandson of Israel Putnam, Major General Continental Army.
- CHARLES OLIVER SAHLER, Kingston, N. Y. (D. C. 28431). Great²-grandson of Abraham Sahler, private Third Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.
- JUDSON BLAKE SALISBURY, Ridgewood, N. J. (29237). Great²-grandson of Ezra Blake, Corporal, Col. John Smith's Mass. Regt.
- ALBERT FRANCIS SARGENT, Malden, Mass. (29150). Great-grandson of Amos Sargent, private, Colonel Brooks's Regt. Mass. Militia and seaman on privateer brigantine "Hazard."
- CLARENCE AUGUSTUS SAUL, Watertown, Mass. (29142). Great²-grandson of Silas Gates, Corporal, Col. Josiah Whitney's Regt. Mass. Militia.
- WALTER AUGUSTINE SAUNDERS, Pueblo, Colo. (28070). Great²-grandson of Samuel Washington, Colonel Virginia Line.
- RULEF COMBS SCHANCK, Pittsburgh, Pa. (29256). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Combs*, Captain Monmouth County New Jersey Militia; great²-grandson of *Aaron Reid*, private, Captain Walton's Troop of Light Horse of Monmouth County, N. J.
- NATHANIEL, W. SCOTT, San Jose, Cal. (29124). Grandson of Henry Scott, private, Col. Ithamar Spencer's and other New York Regts., pensioned.
- WALTER DUDLEY SEED, Jr., U. S. Navy, Bethlehem, Pa. (Md. 27866). Greategrandson of John Foster, Sergeant, Capt. Benjamin Spillman's Company Second Virginia Regt.
- SPRIGG SHACKLEFORD, Gunnison, Colo. (28073). Grandson of James Shackleford, private Virginia Militia; great-grandson of Rowland Chambers, Captain First Somerset County Battalion New Jersey Militia.
- KENNETH R. SHAND, Montclair, N. J. (29355). Great²-grandson of Samuel Dean, private Seventh Regt. Conn. Line, Col. Heman Swift.
- HOWARD RUSSELL SHROYER, Portland, Ore. (29057). Great²-grandson of Josiah Maples, private, Capt. Peter Comstock's Company Conn. Militia, pensioned.
- ARTHUR JAY SMITH, La Grange, Ill. (29408). Great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Fogg*, Adjutant, Col. Enoch Poor's New Hampshire Regt., Paymaster Second Regt.
- CARLETON WHITNEY SMITH, New York, N. Y. (29213). Great³-grandson of Silas Whitney, private, Capt. Amasa Cranston's Company Mass. Militia.
- EUGENE RUSSELL SMITH, Carbondale, Ill. (29409). Great⁸ grandson of John Alexander, Sergeant, Lee's Legion Continental Troops.
- FRANK AUSTIN SMITH, Elizabeth, N. J. (29233). Great-grandson of James Bacheller, private, minute man, Second Lynn Company Mass. Militia.
- HAROLD WARD SMITH, Somerville, Mass. (29143). Great²-grandson of Josiah Smith, private, Colonel Parsons's Conn. Regt., pensioned; great³-grandson of John Jewett, scout in New Hampshire Militia.
- HENRY LEE SMITH, Baltimore, Md. (27867). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Marshall*. Colonel Third Virginia Regt.
- J. HASKINS SMITH, Wilmette, Ill. (29410). Great-grandson of William Carroll, private New Jersey State Line, pensioned.

- WILFORD KNOX SMITH, Crete, Nebr. (28398). Great²-grandson of Phineas King, drummer Second Hampshire County Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of Douglass King, private Second Hampshire County Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Joseph Allen, private Rhode Island Militia; great³-grandson of John Sprague, private, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Mass. Regt.
- IRVING SOUTHWORTH, Columbia, S. C. (Mass. 29137). Great² grandson of Jedediah Southworth, Lieutenant, Col. Joseph Read's Mass. Regt.
- EDGAR MILTON SOUZA, New York, N. Y. (29214). Great²-grandson of Beniamin Mendez Seixas, Lieutenant New York City Militia.
- WILLIS HAROLD SPINNING, Springfield, N. J. (29228). Great²-grandson of Caleb Comstock, private, Col. John Mead's Regt. Conn. Militia, pensioned.
- HAROLD LAWRENCE SPOONER, Grand Rapids, Mich. (28840). Great²-grandson of Wing Spooner, Captain, Colonel Sparhawk's Mass. Regt.
- WILLIAM LEDYARD STARK, Aurora, Nebr. (28393). Great-grandson of Daniel Stark, 3rd, private, Capt. John Williams's Company Conn. Militia.
- GEORGE STEIGER, Washington, D. C. (28432). Great²-grandson of David Shriver, Member of Frederick County Maryland Committee of Observation and Lieutenant Colonel Maryland Militia.
- ROBERT HAMILTON STERRETT, Ridgewood, N. J. (29244). Great²-grandson of John Morrison, Signer of the "Pledge of Associators" of New Jersey.
- WILLIAM GILMORE STEVENSON, Des Moines, Iowa (29177). Great²-grandson of Samuel Noyes, Member of Committee of Correspondence, Inspection, and Safety of Newbury, Mass.
- ORVILLE J. TAYLOR, Jr., Chicago, Ill. (29411). Great²-grandson of Samuel Lewis, private Hampshire County Mass. Militia.
- GILBERT AARON TEEGARDIN, Circleville, Ohio (29159). Great²-grandson of Aaron Teegardin, private Westmoreland County Penna. Militia.
- HERBERT BEUNER THOMPSON, Aurora, Colo. (28066). Great-grandson of Othneil Looker, private, Colonel Ogden's and Colonel Martin's Regts. New Jersey Militia.
- JAMES ALNER TOBEY, Summit, N. J. (28998). Great³-grandson of James Shapleigh, First Lieutenant Second York County Regt. Mass. Militia.
- JOHN WESLEY TOWNSEND, Crete, Nebr. (28395). Great-grandson of John Saxton, private, Col. Albert Pawling's New York Regt.
- FRANK DEAN TUBBS, Lewiston, Me. (24915). Supplementals. Great²-grandson of *John Babbitt*, private, Col. Josiah Whitney's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *Stilworthy Waters*, Major, Col. Heman Swift's Conn. Regt.
- WARREN TUCKER, Jr., Salt Lake City, Utah (28195). Great⁴-grandson of Bezaleel Bristol, Captain Twelfth Company Seventh Regt. Conn. Militia.
- WILLIS NORMAN TULLER, Cambridge, Mass. (29138). Great²-grandson of Samuel Tuller, private Eighteenth Regt. Conn. Militia; great²-grandson of Benajah Strong, Captain Conn. Militia.
- THOMAS EDWARD TUTTLE, Summit, N. J. (29249). Great-grandson of Joseph Tuttle, private, Capt. Samuel Sprague's Chelsea Company Mass. Militia.
- HEMAN AUGUSTUS TYLER, Hartford, Conn. (29326). Great²-grandson of Matthew Noble, Second Lieutenant, Col. John Moseley's Third Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of Elizur Talcott, Colonel of Conn. Horse Troops.

- FRANK ROSSITER VALENTINE, Woodbridge, N. J. (29356). Great²-grandson of *Nathan Wilkison*, First Lieutenant, Quartermaster, Third Regt. New Jersey Line.
- ALLEN HAINES VANCE, Sausalito, Cal. (29125). Great²-grandson of Isaac Stoutenburgh, Member of New York Provincial Congress, Lieutenant Colonel of Militia.
- SUTTON VAN PELT, Chicago, Ill. (29412). Great²-grandson of Ellis Squire, private Essex County New Jersey Militia.
- LEROY FIELD VERMEULE, Belleville, N. J. (29227). Great⁸-grandson of Cornelius Vermeule, Member of New Jersey Provincial Congress and Committee of Correspondence.
- EDWARD SEELYE VROOMAN, Schenectady, N. Y. (29206). Great-grandson of Simon Volkertt Vrooman, private, Col. Abraham Wemple's Second Albany County Regt. New York Militia.
- WILLIAM CURTIS WAKEFIELD, Detroit, Mich. (28838). Great-grandson of Joel Wakefield, private, Col. John Rand's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Timothy Rockwood, Jr., Second Lieutenant, Colonel Bullard's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Timothy Rockwood, private, Captain Stone's Company Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Lott Marsh, private, Col. Jonathan Holman's Mass. Regt.
- SELDEN WALKE, Richmond, Va. (2881). Great²-grandson of Anthony Walke, 3rd, Member of Princess Anne County Committee.
- EL,MER FRANKLIN WALKER, Tumwater, Wash. (28947). Great²-grandson of Gideon Walker, private, Colonel Warren's and other Vermont Regts.
- HORACE MILTON WALKER, San Francisco, Cal. (29426). Great²-grandson of Samuel Paine, Captain, Col. Jonathan Chase's New Hampshire Regt.; great²-grandson of Jonathan Chase, Colonel of New Hampshire Militia; great²-grandson of Jerathmel Cumings, Lieutenant Third Regt. Vermont Militia; great²-grandson of Israel Converse, Captain, Col. Levi Wells's Regt. Conn. Minute Men; great³-grandson of Josiah Converse, Lieutenant, Capt. Amos Walbridge's Company Conn. Militia; great³-grandson of Amos Walbridge, Captain Seventh Conn. Regt., Major Second Conn. Regt.; great²-grandson of James Walker, Signer of Association Test at Concord, N. H., 1776; great³-grandson of Isaac Walker, Jr., Signer of Association Test Oath at Concord, N. H., 1776.
- FRANKLIN EMMETT WALLACE, Pueblo, Colo. (28071). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Anderson*, private Third Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.
- RAYMOND SAWYER WARD, Montclair, N. J. (29351). Great*-grandson of Samuel Johnson, private, Col: James Reed's New Hampshire Regt.
- GEORGE RUSSELL WARNER, Grand Junction, Colo. (28074). Great-grandson of Elijah Hyde, Major Second Regt. Conn. Light Horse.
- HERBERT O'TIS WARNER, Hartford, Conn. (29327). Great-grandson of Robert Warner, Corporal, Colonel Chester's Sixth Conn. Regt.
- BENJAMIN MARTIN WASHBURN, New York, N. Y. (29208). Great⁸-grandson of Seth Washburn, Second Major, Col. Samuel Denney's Mass. Regt., Member of Mass. General Court.
- ARTHUR JOHN WELD, New Haven, Conn. (29328). Great²-grandson of Solomon Leete, private, Captain Vail's Company Coast Guards 1781.
- JOHN KING WETTER, Baltimore, Md. (27870). Great²-grandson of Enoch Bayley, bombardier, Col. Thomas Craft's Artillery Regt.

- HENRY WARREN WHIPPLE, Hackettstown, N. J. (28995). Great²-grandson of Charles Smith, Major Essex County New Jersey Militia.
- WALTER GRANT WHITEHEAD, Crown Point, Ind. (27722). Great⁸-grandson of Aaron Stone, Sergeant, Col. Nehemiah Beardsley's Conn. Regt.
- OSCAR LE ROY WHITSON, Pueblo, Colo. (28068). Great³-grandson of John Piatt, minute man Middlesex County New Jersey Militia; great⁴-grandson of Mathias Williamson, Brigadier General and Quartermaster General New Jersey Militia.
- GEORGE SMITH WILLIS, Shelton, Conn. (29329). Great⁸ grandson of Peter Dickerson, Captain Eastern Battalion Morris County New Jersey Militia and Third Battalion New Jersey Line.
- FREDERIC SCHERER WITHINGTON, Des Moines, Iowa (29187). Greatzgrandson of Josiah Porter, private, Col. Solomon Lovell's Mass. Regt.; greatzgrandson of Micah Porter, private, Col. Solomon Lovell's Mass. Regt.
- FRANKLIN NEILL, WOOD, Chicago, Ill. (29413). Great²-grandson of Ebenezer Wood, private Second Orange County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of Isaac Cole, private Second Orange County Regt. New York Militia.
- MILTON WOODWORTH, Washington, D. C. (28448). Great-grandson of William Woodworth, Lieutenant Sixteenth Regt. New York State Militia.
- HORACE CHESTER WYMAN, Manchester, N. H. (25396). Great²-grandson of Hosea Sturtevant, private, Colonel Jacobs's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of Church Sturtevant, private, Col. Thomas Lothrop's Mass. Regt.
- HIRAM L. WYNNE, Philadelphia, Pa. (29260). Great² grandson of *Thomas Wynne*, Lieutenant, Colonel Montgomery's Regt. Penna. Flying Camp.
- GEORGE HARFORD YOUNG, Portland, Ore. (29058). Great*grandson of Robert Young, private, Col. Walter Stewart's Second Penna. Regt.
- WILLARD FREEMAN YUILLE, Seattle, Wash. (28944). Great²-grandson of James Alston, officer of North Carolina Militia, prisoner.