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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.

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PURPOSES AND OBJECTS OF THE S. A. R.

(EXTRACTS FROM CONSTITUTION)

The purposes and objects of this Society are declared to be patriotic, historical, and educational, and shall include those intended or designed to perpetuate the memory of the men who, by their services or sacrifices during the war of the American Revolution, achieved the independence of the American people; to unite and promote fellowship among their descendants; to inspire them and the community at large with a more profound reverence for the principles of the government founded by our forefathers; to encourage historical research in relation to the American Revolution; to acquire and preserve the records of the individual services of the patriots of the war, as well as documents, relics, and landmarks; to mark the scenes of the Revolution by appropriate memorials; to celebrate the anniversaries of the prominent events of the war and of the Revolutionary period; to foster true patriotism; to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom, and to carry out the purposes expressed in the preamble of the Constitution of our country and the injunctions of Washington in his farewell address to the American people.

Qualifications for Membership

Any man shall be eligible to membership in the Society who, being of the age of twenty-one years or over and a citizen of good repute in the community, is the lineal descendant of an ancestor who was at all times unflinching in his loyalty to, and rendered active service in, the cause of American Independence, either as an officer, soldier, seaman, marine, militiaman or minute man, in the armed forces of the Continental Congress or of any one of the several Colonies or States, or as a Signer of the Declaration of Independence, or as a member of a Committee of Safety or Correspondence, or as a member of any Continental, Provincial, or Colonial Congress or Legislature, or as a recognized patriot who performed actual service by overt acts of resistance to the authority of Great Britain.

Provided, however, that any male person, above the age of 18 years and under the age of 21 years, whose qualifications in regard to ancestry and personal character are as above prescribed, shall be eligible to a qualified membership to be known and designated as junior membership.

Application for membership is made on standard blanks furnished by the State Societies. These blanks call for the place and date of birth and of death of the Revolutionary ancestor and the year of birth, of marriage, and of death of ancestors in intervening generations. Membership is based on one original claim; additional claims are filed on supplemental papers. The applications and supplementals are made in duplicate.

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LOUIS A. BOWMAN, 30 North La Salle Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Mississippi Valley, East District (Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, and Mississippi).

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

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The General Officers, together with one member from each State Society, constitute the Board of Trustees of the National Society. The following Trustees for the several States were elected at the Nashville Congress, May 22, 1923, to serve until their successors are elected at the Congress to be held at Salt Lake City, Utah, in June, 1924:

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ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER**President General**

Our newly elected President-General, Arthur Preston Sumner, was born in Providence, Rhode Island, on the 8th day of April, 1862. He was the son of Dr. Ossian Sumner and Kate A. (Sayles) Sumner. He was educated in the public schools of Providence, and graduated from Brown University in 1885 with the degree of A. B. He was admitted to the Rhode Island bar in July, 1888, and practiced before the State and Federal courts till February, 1920, when he was elected a Justice of the Superior Court. He served in the Rhode Island House of Representatives from 1912 to 1920, the last two years as Speaker of the House. He joined the Sons of the American Revolution, May 6, 1893, and has attended eight Congresses. He was Treasurer of the Rhode Island Society from 1898 to 1918; was elected Vice-President in 1918 and President in 1919. He served as a Director General of the National Society from 1920 to 1923, and was elected President General, May 22, 1923.

Judge Sumner married Sarah E. Potter in 1918. In politics he is a Republican, and is a member of the Congregational Church. He is descended from Benjamin Sumner, who served on Committees of Correspondence and as a Deputy to the General Assembly of Connecticut from 1769 to 1775, inclusive. Another ancestor is Earl Clapp, who served as a Captain of Minute Men, and afterwards as Major, in several Massachusetts regiments.

CHARLES HOWARD BANGS, M. D.**Vice-President General for New England District**

CHARLES HOWARD BANGS, physician and educator, elected Vice-President General for New England District at Nashville, Tenn., on May 21-22, 1923, was born in Limerick, York County, Maine, April 14, 1861, and was the only child of William B. and Martha Philpot (Swett) Bangs. He is ninth in line of descent from Edward Bang(e)s, who came to Plymouth in the *Ann* in 1623 and was the founder of the American branch of the Bangs family. Also he is a descendant from Elder William Brewster and Governor Thomas Prentice and his Revolutionary ancestor was Barnabas Bangs, of Gorham, Maine. Dr. Bangs was also elected a Trustee of the National Society upon nomination by the Massachusetts Society, but resigned the office in favor of the President of the Massachusetts Society, not desiring to hold two offices upon the same board. He resides in Swampscott, Mass.

He was a teacher in the public schools of Maine five years and studied medicine at Portland, Baltimore, and Brunswick, graduating from the Medical School of Maine (Bowdoin College) in June, 1892. After a few months' practice in Sanford, Maine, he removed to Lynn, Mass., where he has since practiced his profession, with an office in Boston, for the past fifteen years.

He has taken an active interest in public betterment as well as professional and educational affairs, and the attached memoranda indicate something of the field of his interest and activity: President Massachusetts Society, S. A. R., 1922-23, after serving for three years as Vice-President; Historian, Old Essex Chapter, S. A. R. (Lynn), since 1909; President University of Massachusetts, Inc.; Trustee Limerick Academy (chartered in 1808), from which he is a graduate;

Trustee, Middlesex Hospital; Dermatologist, fifteen years, Lynn Hospital; Trustee and Professor of Dermatology, Middlesex College of Medicine and Surgery; President Essex South District Medical Society during its centennial year; filled every elective office in Lynn Medical Fraternity; Vice-President Swampcott Historical Society, Inc.; Secretary The Edward Bangs Descendants, Inc.; Executive Vice-President Massachusetts Old Home Week Association for several years, and Secretary New England Old Home Week Association; a writer and public speaker on medical, educational, and historical subjects and a member of numerous social and professional clubs and societies.

In 1894 he married Eva A., daughter of George and Emma (Chase) Parcher, of Saco, Maine, former Secretary of the Maine Board of World's Fair Managers. They have a son, William Parcher Bangs, a member of the S. A. R., who is a teacher, and a daughter, Althea Bangs, who is fitting herself for teaching.

CARL MONTAIGNE VAIL

Vice-President General for Middle and Coast District

Carl Montaigne Vail, elected Vice-President General for the Middle and Coast District at the Nashville Congress, May 22, was born in New York city, is the son of the late Henry Clay and Caroline (Berg) Vail, and a great-great-grandson of Isaac Vail, who was a Captain in Col. Wm. Humphrey's 5th Dutchess County (New York) Regiment. Thomas Vail, first of the family to come to America from England, landed about 1629 and settled in Salem, Mass., later moving to Boston and then to Long Island, N. Y.

Mr. Vail was educated in public and private schools. His business is designing and constructing engineering, in his younger days being connected with Westinghouse, Church, Kerr and Company, of New York, becoming a member of the board of directors and an executive officer of that company. During the same period he was actively interested in and an executive officer of several interurban railroads and two trust companies. In 1914 he joined Mr. Henry R. Kent in establishing an engineering firm under the name of Henry R. Kent & Company, which business grew rapidly and now has headquarters at Rutherford, N. J., with branches in New York and Boston.

In 1914, Mr. Vail joined the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution, being one of the charter members of Paramus Chapter. The following year he was elected Vice-President of the Chapter and subsequently became its President; in 1917 he was elected Second Vice-President of the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and in 1918 its President, holding the latter office two terms. Mr. Vail has attended several National Conventions as chairman of the New Jersey delegation and was chairman of the War Service Committee of the National Society.

During the Great War, Mr. Vail was an inspector in the American Protective League, being in charge of the southern half of Passaic County and the western portion of Bergen County, N. J., and also was actively engaged in other War Service work.

Among the organizations of which Mr. Vail is a member are the Society of Colonial Wars, Founders and Patriots of America, American Flag Association, Rotary Club, Sulgrave Institution, New Jersey Historical Society, and Bergen County Historical Society, in several of which he has been or is an officer. Though

he has always refused to accept a political office, Mr. Vail is active in politics and was a delegate alternate to the Republican National Convention at Chicago in 1920.

Mr. Vail married Laura Louise Bain. Mrs. Vail is a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants and the Daughters of the Revolution. Their two sons served in the Great War, one being an ambulance driver, who was awarded a Croix de Guerre, and the other a naval aviator with the rank of ensign.

LOUIS A. BOWMAN

Vice-President General, Mississippi Valley, East District

LOUIS A. BOWMAN, elected Vice-President General for the Mississippi Valley, East District, at the Springfield Congress, May 16, 1922, and reelected at Nashville, May, 1923, is a native of Rock Island, Ill., removing to Chicago while still a boy and becoming actively identified with the civic, patriotic, and moral forces of the city at an early age. He became a member of the Sons of the American Revolution in 1903 and was elected Secretary of the Illinois Society in 1909, serving continuously since. During this time he has attended every National Congress of the Society save one and has served on various national committees. He was admitted to the bar in 1901 and is assistant attorney for the Northern Trust Company of Chicago.

In the Association of Commerce he served three years as chairman of the Banking Section and four years as a member of the Illinois Committee. He is Secretary of the Lions Club of Chicago, member of the Union League, Hamilton, and other clubs and treasurer of several civic and educational organizations. He has been an officer in the Young Men's Christian Association for many years, serving for nineteen years as Secretary of the State Association of Illinois and for fifteen years a director of the Central Association of Chicago. He is actively identified with the Presbyterian denomination, serving as elder and treasurer in his home church at Oak Park and as a director of various denominational institutions and as a commissioner to the General Assembly.

His associates in the Illinois Society have referred to his work there as characterized by zeal, courage, initiative, enthusiasm, and efficient leadership.

J. REID GREEN

Vice-President General for Mississippi Valley West District

J. REID GREEN, of Lincoln, Nebr., was born at De Witt, Nebr., in 1881, being the youngest son of Joseph Edwin Green and Corada Walrath Green. His parents were early pioneers of Nebraska, his father being the first school teacher in his District.

He graduated from the high school at Red Oak, Iowa, in 1901. He attended the University of Nebraska, and graduated from the Law School of the University in 1907. Has practiced law at Lincoln since 1909.

Believing it the duty of every citizen to be keenly interested in government and public affairs, Mr. Green has taken an active part in politics, being a Republican. He was secretary and for four years was chairman of the Lancaster County Republican Central Committee. In 1916 he was elected a delegate to the National Republican Convention at Chicago and was the Nebraska member of the com-

mittee to notify Vice-President Fairbanks of his nomination at that convention. He was an ardent supporter of Justice Hughes for President, having helped circulate and having filed the original Hughes-for-President petition in Nebraska, the first one filed in the country.

During the World War he was chairman of the Speakers Bureau and a member of the Executive Committee which had charge for Lancaster County of the campaign for selling Liberty bonds and the raising of funds for all war activities. Also, as the representative of the S. A. R., he served as a Vice-President of the Lincoln Chapter, American Red Cross. While the war was pending he saw the need for legislation along Americanization lines, and for that reason became a candidate for the Legislature in 1918. He was elected, and was reelected in 1920 and in 1922. While in the Legislature he gave special attention to Americanization and Child Welfare measures. Always a member of the House Committee on Committees, in the 1923 session he was chairman of that committee and also chairman of the Republican party (the majority party) caucus of the House.

Mr. Green is a genuine American, as he has had no foreign-born ancestors since the Revolution. He is a descendant of Surgeon John Greene, of Warwick, one of the associates of Roger Williams in the founding of the Rhode Island Colony. Surgeon John Greene was the progenitor of many distinguished Americans, among them General Nathaniel Greene. On his mother's side, he is descended from Adam Walrath, John Adam Walrath, and George Klock, all members of the New York Militia during the Revolution. He has been a member and the Registrar of the Lincoln Chapter, S. A. R., since its organization in 1914 and is also its Historian. He served two years as a member of the Executive Committee and for the past three years has been Historian of the State Society.

In 1910 he was married to Irene G. Courtney, of Lincoln, Nebr., only child of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Courtney, early residents of Lincoln. Her father was one of the well-known attorneys of the State, taking an active interest in public affairs. She is a member of Deborah Avery Chapter of the D. A. R.

GEORGE ALBERT SMITH

Vice-President General

GEORGE ALBERT SMITH, member of the Utah Society, was elected Vice-President General at Springfield, Mass., May 16, 1922, and reelected at Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923. Born in Salt Lake City, April 4, 1870. He is the son of John Henry and Sarah Farr Smith. His grandfather, George A. Smith, was one of the leaders in the first company of pioneers to settle in the Rocky Mountain region. This group was composed of one hundred and forty-three men, three women, and two children. They were the first Anglo-Saxons in America to raise crops by irrigation. This little group was the nucleus from which has come the settlement of the Commonwealths of Utah, Idaho, Nevada, California, and Arizona.

George Albert Smith is a descendant of Edward Winslow, of the *Mayflower*, who later became Governor of the Plymouth Colony. Among his ancestors are also the original families of Libbey, Freeman, Hovey, and Lord, all of New England. Some of the Revolutionary ancestors of George Albert Smith are: Samuel Smith, Chairman of the Committee of Safety at Topsfield, Mass.; Ashahel Smith, son of Samuel Smith, who was also of Topsfield, Mass.; Jonathan Farr, private; Timothy Chase, aid to General Washington, and Richard Lyman, orderly sergeant to General Putnam.

Having grown up in a pioneer country, George Albert Smith has witnessed much of the development of western America, in which, with many of his kindred, he has taken a very prominent part. While his scholastic training was received in the common schools of Utah and in the State University, his education has also been greatly enlarged by travel, taken extensively, both in Europe and America.

Mr. Smith was appointed Receiver of Public Money and Disbursing Agent for Utah by President McKinley, and later he was reappointed to this same position by President Roosevelt. During the World War he was a member of the Utah State Council of Defense and he was also Chairman of the Armenian and Syrian Relief.

Mr. Smith has served as Chaplain of the Utah Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, has served repeatedly as a member of the Board of Managers, and has been twice elected President. In the Congresses of the National Society he has frequently been Utah's representative.

Mr. Smith is president, vice-president, or director of some of Utah's largest banking and commercial enterprises. One of these institutions is the Zion's Coöperative Mercantile Institution, the first department store in America and today the largest wholesale and retail house in the Rocky Mountain region. Mr. Smith is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the *Desert News*, the oldest newspaper west of the Rocky Mountains.

George Albert Smith has served as both president and vice-president of the International Irrigation Congress, as president of the International Dry Farm Congress, as president of the International Farm Congress, and at this writing he is vice-president of the Western States Reclamation Association, which organization comprises the thirteen Western States which are so greatly interested in the work of the United States Reclamation Service.

In the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, of which Mr. Smith is a member, he has served in many important capacities. At the close of the World War he was made president of the Latter-Day Saints European Mission, with headquarters in England. Belonging to this mission, there are conferences or church organizations in nearly all of the European countries. Mr. Smith is a member of the Council of the Twelve of his church, which means he is one of the fifteen men who stand at the head of this organization, and he is also General Superintendent of the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association of the same church, which organization has a membership of nearly fifty thousand young men, most of whom are in America.

FRANK BARTLETT STEELE

Secretary General

FRANK BARTLETT STEELE, elected Secretary General May 17, 1921, at the Buffalo Congress, and reelected at Springfield, Mass., May 16, 1922, and at Nashville, Tenn., May 22, 1923, was born in Buffalo, New York, March 28, 1864. He is the son of Charles Gould Steele and Harriet Virginia Snyder, and great-grandson of Zenas Barker, who fought in the Revolutionary War with the New York troops in the battle of Oriskany. Mr. Steele was graduated from the State Normal School of Buffalo and studied law in the offices of George Clinton, grandson of De Witt Clinton. Mr. Steele joined the Buffalo Chapter of the Empire State

Society in 1897 and became its Secretary in 1901, which office he has held continuously since. He has been a delegate to every National Congress since 1906, except those held at Denver in 1907 and Portland in 1915, and has been on a number of important national committees.

Mr. Steele, in coöperation with the School Department of the City of Buffalo and the Daughters of the American Revolution, has been active in the work of Americanization, the field for this work being almost unlimited in Buffalo, due to its large foreign population.

Mr. Steele, shortly after his admission to the bar, became the Clerk of the Superior Court of Buffalo, and was thereafter transferred into the Supreme Court of the State of New York. He was at one time clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Erie County.

He is a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants in line from Governor William Bradford.

During the World War Mr. Steele was made Executive Secretary of the Home Defense Committee of Erie County, a body created by the State of New York, and during this period gave his time unstintedly to the many activities and responsibilities that were placed upon this committee by the National and State Governments. Under a statute of the State of New York creating local historians, Mayor Buck appointed Mr. Steele Historian of the City of Buffalo, and in this capacity he assisted in writing and compiling the History of the City of Buffalo and Erie County in the World War; also, at the suggestion of the State Historian, Mr. Steele has made a complete survey of the records and archives of Buffalo and Erie County, and upon his recommendations steps are now being taken by the City Commissioners to improve the conditions under which these records are being preserved.

Mr. Steele married Helen Cleveland Varian, of Titusville, Pa., in 1896. Mrs. Steele is also of Revolutionary ancestry, descending from the Atlees of Pennsylvania, the Varians of New York, and Litchfields of Connecticut. She was a daughter of Col. William Varian, Surgeon on the staff of Gen. Gordon Granger during the Civil War, now buried in Arlington Cemetery.

GEORGE MCKENZIE ROBERTS

Treasurer General

GEORGE MCKENZIE ROBERTS, of New York City, elected Treasurer General at the Springfield Congress, May 16, 1922, reelected at Nashville, May 22, 1923, is the son of George Simon and Florence Loise (McKenzie) Roberts, and was born December 28, 1886, in Vergennes, Vt. He is Assistant Treasurer of the International General Electric Company, Inc., 120 Broadway, New York City, and has been connected with the General Electric Company and its subsidiary company since 1901, except for the period from 1907 to 1913, when he was with the Bradstreet Company, in New Haven, Conn. He is a member of the Empire State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and a former Third Vice-President thereof. He is now on its Board of Managers and a member of the Finance Committee. He was originally a member of the Colonel Cornelius Van Dyck Chapter, Schenectady, N. Y., of which he was Second and later First Vice-President and is now an honorary member of that Chapter. He is Secretary of the New York Chapter, the largest Chapter in the National organization, and was

a delegate to the National Congresses of 1920, 1921, 1922, and 1923, from that Chapter. His Revolutionary ancestors were Sergeant Joseph Convers and Private Daniel Cummings, of Massachusetts; Sergeant Daniel Tallmadge, Corporal George McKenzie, and Privates John Roberts and Eli Denslow, of Connecticut.

Mr. Roberts is also a member of the Philip Livingston Chapter of the Sons of the Revolution in the State of New York, of Albany, N. Y.; also of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of New York, and of the Governor Thomas Dudley Family Association of Boston, Mass., membership in both of these being through descent from Governor Thomas Dudley, of Massachusetts Bay Colony. He is also a member of the New England Society in the City of New York, the Vermont Society of New York City, the New York State Historical Association, the National Geographic Society, the American Flag Association, and the Denslow Family Association; he is also a Trustee and former Recording Secretary of the Schenectady County (N. Y.) Historical Society. He is also a member and former Chairman of the Supervisory Committee of the Foreign Credit Interchange Bureau of the National Association of Credit Men and a member of the Ways and Means Committee of the New York Credit Men's Association.

He is interested in historical and genealogical subjects and has prepared a genealogy of the Denslow Family.

FRANCIS BARNUM CULVER

Registrar General

FRANCIS BARNUM CULVER, author and publisher, elected Registrar General at the National Congress at Springfield, Mass., in May, 1922, reelected at Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923, was born at Baltimore, Md., on November 12, 1868.

He is the son of the late William Edward Culver, a private banker and capitalist of Louisville, Ky., for many years prior to the Civil War, by his second wife, Jane McClintock, a native of Pennsylvania.

The father of the Registrar General was born near Wilkes-Barre, Pa., in 1803, and removed with his parents to Ohio in 1809, but on attaining his majority took up his residence in Bourbon County, Kentucky, and was appointed by Postmaster General John McLean, in 1825, postmaster at Centerville, being, perhaps, the youngest postmaster at that time in the service.

On the paternal side Mr. Culver traces back to the Puritan ancestor, Edward Culver (grandson of Rev. Edward Culver, Episcopal rector of St. Mary's Harmondsworth, Middlesex, under Queen Elizabeth), who came to Boston in 1635, but shortly afterward signed the Dedham Covenant of 1636, and married, at Dedham, Mass., Ann Ellyce, this marriage being the second, in order, to be entered upon the Family Church Register of Dedham by the Rev. John Allyn. Subsequently the family removed to Roxbury, Mass., and in 1652 to New London County, Connecticut.

Mr. Culver's paternal grandfather was Solomon Culver, born at Litchfield, Conn., in 1760, who removed with his elder brother, Captain Nathaniel Culver, to New York shortly before the Revolution. At the age of seventeen years Solomon Culver was enrolled in Colonel William Bradford Whiting's (17th New York) Regiment of King's District, Albany (now Columbia) County, which was attached to the Division of General Schuyler, embracing Berkshire County, Massachusetts, and Albany County, New York militia. He served at

Fort George and Fort Edward and was in the American retreat from General Burgoyne's advance toward Saratoga, where the battle took place that resulted in the capitulation of Burgoyne. Solomon Culver married Lodamia Burr, of Farmington, Conn., and through these two families the Registrar General is descended from such New England forebears as Backus, Burr, Pratt, Hibberd, Hinman, Stiles, Cadwell, Stebbins, Butler; and from Hon. John Clarke, Royal Charterer of Connecticut in 1662, and from Rev. Samuel Stone, who, along with Rev. Thomas Hooker, emigrated from England to Cambridge, Mass., and in 1636 removed to Hartford, Conn., founding the First Church in that settlement. Through his mother Mr. Culver is a descendant of William Shield, of Kent County, Md., who was one of the famous "Maryland 400" at the battle of Long Island.

Francis Barnum Culver was graduated from the Johns Hopkins University in the class of 1889, receiving the degree of B. A. He has devoted a great part of his life to genealogical and historical pursuits, has contributed numerous articles on these subjects to magazines, and is the author of certain books, such as "Blooded Horses of Colonial Days, or Classic Horse Matches in America before the Revolution" and a "Historical Sketch of the Militia of Maryland."

Mr. Culver is a member and officer in several patriotic societies, including the Scions of Colonial Cavaliers, Colonial Wars, Sons of the American Revolution, War of 1812, Order of Washington, Order of La Fayette, Knights of the Golden Horseshoe, as well as of the English-speaking Union and the Johns Hopkins Club, and represents his class as chairman in the Alumni Association of the Johns Hopkins University. He is Registrar of the Maryland Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

JOSEPH B. DOYLE

Historian General

JOSEPH B. DOYLE, elected Historian General at the 33d National Congress, at Springfield, Mass., on May 16, 1922, and reelected at Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923, is a descendant of Benjamin Doyle, who was born in Loudoun County, Va., in 1762. The latter's wife, Patience, born in 1771, was the daughter of John McGuire, of Winchester, Va., a member of the George Rogers Clark Expedition to the Ohio country in 1778-9, which secured the Northwest Territory to the Union.

The family were among the pioneer settlers of Steubenville, Ohio, going there from West Middletown, Pa., in 1798. John B. Doyle, son of Benjamin, was then four years of age; his son, Joseph C., was born at Steubenville on September 26, 1823, and the subject of this sketch dates from September 10, 1849. His life has been comparatively uneventful. Graduating from the Steubenville High School in his sixteenth year, a commercial college in Pittsburgh a few months later, he studied law and was admitted to the bar on September 29, 1870, being then just past 21 years of age. Shortly after he took up journalism, which he followed closely for thirty-four years. After a season of rest and travel abroad, he was appointed County Law Librarian, which position he still holds, to a certain extent, keeping up his journalistic and other literary work. His leading productions have been: Memorial Life of Hon. Edwin M. Stanton, General Frederick William Von Steuben and the American Revolution, The Church in Eastern Ohio, Twentieth Century History of Jefferson County, with numerous minor publications.

Mr. Doyle has been a participant in local activities, such as Red Cross, Chamber of Commerce, Chairman of Soldiers Bonus Board, Public Library, Union Cemetery, Past President and Historian of the Ohio Society, S. A. R., etc. He is a member of St. Paul's Church, Steubenville, and has been a vestryman in that organization for many years.

JAMES EDGAR BROWN

Chancellor General

JAMES EDGAR BROWN, elected Chancellor General at the 34th National Congress at Nashville, Tenn., May 22, 1923, was born in West Virginia, February 8, 1865, and is descended from Virginia Revolutionary ancestry through several lines on both the paternal and maternal sides. His ancestors have borne an important part in shaping the destinies of this country, in fighting its wars, in making its laws, and in educating its youth.

He was graduated from the West Virginia University, Class of 1889, with the degree, Bachelor of Science, and from the law School of the same institution in 1891. He has practiced his profession in the city of Chicago continuously for the past 31 years, and is admitted to all the State and Federal Courts, including the Supreme Court of the United States. He is a member of various legal, social, fraternal, and patriotic associations, among which are: The American Bar Association, the Chicago Bar Association, the Chicago Law Institute, Chicago Association of Commerce, Illinois Historical Society, Order of Elks, Order of Moose, Vice-President of the Hamilton Club of Chicago, member Sons of Veterans, Past President Illinois Society of the War of 1812, and President Illinois Society Sons of the American Revolution. He is also an officer and director in various corporations and is identified with the business interests of the city of Chicago.

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- UTAH—President, John Q. Cannon, *Deseret News*, Salt Lake City.
Secretary, Gordon Lines Hutchins, Dooly Building, Salt Lake City.
Treasurer, Elias Smith Woodruff, 2315 Winsor Street, Salt Lake City.
- VERMONT—President, Charles A. Plumley, Northfield.
Secretary-Historian, Walter H. Crockett, Burlington.
Treasurer, Clarence L. Smith, Burlington.
- VIRGINIA—President, Colonel Eugene C. Massie, Mutual Building, Richmond.
Secretary and Treasurer, William E. Crawford, 700 Travelers' Building, Richmond.
- WASHINGTON—President, William D. Totten, New York Block, Seattle.
Secretary, Kenneth P. Hussey, Leary Building, Seattle.
- WISCONSIN—President, Henry S. Sloan, 216 W. Water Street, Milwaukee.
Secretary, Emmett A. Donnelly, 1030 Wells Building, Milwaukee.
Treasurer, William Stark Smith, 373 Lake Drive, Milwaukee.
- WYOMING—President, David A. Haggard, Cheyenne.
Secretary, Maurice Groshon, Cheyenne.
Treasurer, James B. Guthrie, Cheyenne.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

We introduce the new officers of the Alabama Society:
President, Arthur C. Crowder, Birmingham.
Vice-President, R. L. Douglas, Box 584, Mobile.
Secretary-Treasurer, Harold W. King, 1609 N. 31st St., Birmingham.
Registrar, J. Riddick Estes, Jr., Birmingham.
Chapters are planned for Mobile, Selma, Montgomery, Tuscaloosa, Anniston,
Huntsville, Decatur, Florence, Birmingham.
The movement is sponsored jointly by the Louisiana and Tennessee Societies.

THE PRESIDENT GENERAL'S MESSAGE

Our Work of Today

Our Society is now entering upon the thirty-fourth year of its existence. Its purposes as declared by its constitution are patriotic, historical, and educational. It aims "to inspire its members and the community at large with a more profound reverence for the principles of the Government founded by our forefathers, * * * to foster true patriotism, * * * to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom."

How best can we live up to these notable purposes? We set up monuments and tablets commemorating the historic events of the Revolution and refresh our memories of the significant incidents connected with them. We do this that we may the more clearly picture the great scenes of that time, the hard-won battlefields of Bunker Hill, Saratoga, Yorktown; and we dramatize as we may the personalities of that era, men like Washington, Greene, Franklin, Jefferson, Hamilton, not forgetting that most important factor, the common soldier serving steadfastly in the ranks.

When one has really visualized these pictures of scenes and these personalities, then his imagination is touched; and when the imagination is aroused inevitably follow faith, inspiration, and action. As the descendants of Revolutionary sires, and mindful of their deeds, let us translate their purposes, their plans and ambitions into action. They aimed above all things to build a stable Government that should be at once republican, just, and representative. We can apply ourselves to no more beneficent work than the preserving of that Government in the precise form in which they gave it to us.

The modern revolutionist works insidiously in all ranks; he wears the garb of suffering humanity, and mouths hypocritical zeal for the helpless; among other things, he is now attacking the integrity of the courts and the righteousness of their decisions; he urges the recall of judges and the reversal of their opinion by popular vote. No more dangerous or vicious doctrine can be preached. None more subversive of the fundamental principles upon which our Constitution is based. Stamp it out, Compatriots, with all the voice, zeal, and power at your command, before it is too late.

THE NASHVILLE CONGRESS AND AFTER

When it was decided to go to Nashville last year from many sources came the rather pessimistic prediction that, because of the distance and that the city was so far south, there would not be a large attendance. If any of these pessimists attended the Congress and came back by way of Mammoth Cave they have no doubt hidden themselves there and will not be heard from again on this subject.

To think of having a Congress that in numbers alone stood up with some of the largest we have ever had, nearly one hundred and seventy-five, and that of that number nearly one hundred were from the New England and Middle States; that the special train that started from New York carried nearly one hundred delegates and ladies; that special cars brought the Pennsylvania party; and that last, but not least, the Congress was honored by having as its special guest Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, the newly elected President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who came all the way to this Congress at no little

sacrifice of her time, to bring greetings from our splendid sister organization, and by her gracious presence assist in making it the great success it was. Add to this the delightful and charming hospitality of the members of the Tennessee Society and the citizens of Nashville, together with the untiring and devoted Committee of Ladies that assisted them; then remembering the visit to the lovely homes of some of the city's most charming hostesses and finally the memorable visit to the Hermitage and tomb of one of America's great historic characters. When this is all summed up can there be any doubt that this Congress was a splendid success from the social side?

And what of the Congress itself and its work? As has been said before by observers and not by our own people, there never was a finer body of men that meet together each year, not for any personal gain or political advancement, but purely for the fostering of those ideals that were set forth by their forebears, and, if possible, to carry out those ideals and instill them into others that seem to need some such inspiration in these troublesome times. The members of the Sons of the American Revolution are men of affairs who are willing to give of their time and resources to promote these ideals and when they meet in Congress once each year it is with purpose in view and they are sincere and earnest in their endeavors.

Never before in the history of our organization has there been a better or more enthusiastic spirit shown than in Nashville. If there were differences of opinion they were honest differences and they were fought out fairly and openly. The one contest for office lent zest to the meeting and the two splendid men who were pitted against each other are the best of friends and are working together on the Executive Committee for the upbuilding of the Society this coming year.

The Compatriots everywhere are urged to read the synopsis of the Congress that is printed in this issue of the BULLETIN and the many resolutions and plans that were adopted. Of course the outstanding feature of the sessions was the report of the chairman on Patriotic Education, and it will be seen that the delegates spoke in no uncertain tones when it endorsed the important and far-reaching work that has been accomplished by this committee during the past year.

And now of the future. The past year has been one of progress and achievement. From all parts of the country there have come indications of renewed activities in our work and with the culmination of this work in the great Congress in Nashville, there can be no doubt but that the Society will grow as never before, both in numbers and accomplishment. Those who were present at the Congress will go home with their enthusiasm stirred and quickened and it is hoped that those that did not attend will be impressed with the same spirit and make this year the greatest in the history of the Sons of the American Revolution and when the Congress meets in Salt Lake City, in 1924, there will be a larger number present representing an organization that will be numbered far above the 20,000 mark.

WANTED.—National Society Year Books of 1890, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1899, 1900, 1901, and 1902, to complete a set to give to a Public Library, where they will be useful to our cause. Address FRANK HERVEY PETTINGELL, Stock Exchange, Los Angeles.

CONSTITUTION DAY

Mr. Ames, chairman, makes preliminary announcement to the effect that the President of each State Society will be the Director General of that State for all Constitution Day exercises. We ask that every State President request the Governor of the State and mayors of the principal cities in his State to issue proclamations for the fitting observance of Constitution Day and that the American flag on that day, September 17, be displayed on all public buildings, places of business, residences, and automobiles. Furthermore, we ask that every compatriot organize in his community a committee of citizens for ceremonies appropriate to the day; also that the Director General in each State solicit the co-operation of the Chambers of Commerce, boards of trade, and ask that the local clubs of Rotary, Kiwanis, Civitan, Lions, and other business associations have an address delivered on the Constitution at their dinner in the week beginning September 17; also that the local fraternal societies, such as Elks, Masons, etc., holding meetings during the week of September 17 have exercises that include an address on the Constitution of the United States.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Editor of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN is ambitious to have the BULLETIN reach the compatriots during the month of date of issue and to that end urges the co-operation of State secretaries or other contributors in sending in material for publication by the 20th of the month *preceding* the date, beginning with the October number. Kindly send in all copy by *September 20th* to the Secretary General.

The Secretary General announces for the benefit and information of State officers ordering application blanks and supplies, that no order for less than 100 application blanks or 50 supplemental blanks will be accepted at one time. It is to the advantage of the State Societies to order in larger quantities, as the printing rate for the second hundred is less than for the first one hundred blanks.

Judge Eugene C. Bonniwell, retiring Chancellor General, was signally honored on May 13 by the King of Italy, in being awarded the Insignia of the Chevalier of the Order of the Crown of Italy for his patriotic and friendly interest in Italy during the World War. This honor is rarely conferred upon any one but of Italian birth or descent.

As shown by the minutes of the Trustees, the next meeting place of the Congress will be Salt Lake City, Utah, and it is not too early for the compatriots to plan to attend this meeting, which will probably be held somewhat later in the spring in order to get the benefit of the special rates that are made for visiting Yellowstone Park and many of the wonders of the West during the summer months.

Any compatriots having issues of the BULLETIN or Year Books of the National Society which they do not care to keep and would be willing to turn over to the Secretary General or Registrar General for the files of the National Society will confer a favor by communicating with the Secretary General and sending the dates of any such copies. There are a number of copies of certain volumes missing in the files and it is desired to make these complete.

Minutes of the Executive Committee, held at the Hotel Hermitage on May 20, 1923, at 10 P. M.

There were present President General Adams, Directors General McCamant, Ames, Lewis, Lord, Pomeroy, and Sumner. Also Secretary General Steele, by invitation of the President General, Treasurer General Roberts and Registrar General Culver, and Vice-President General Smith, of Utah, Past Presidents General Thruston, Wentworth, Woodworth, Pugsley, and others.

The minutes of the meeting held in New York city on October 31, 1922, and the report of the Secretary General were approved.

Moved by Judge Sumner that the action of the Executive Committee by correspondence, that an additional allowance not to exceed \$25 per month be made to the Registrar General to reimburse him for such additional disbursements as he has been required to make for additional office assistance, be unanimously ratified by the Executive Committee. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General McCamant that the work of the present firm of printers be approved and that the Committee on Publication and Printing of the Executive Committee be authorized to continue their services for the ensuing year. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General Ames that the matter of the issuing and distribution of a smaller medal to be used in the public schools, as outlined by the Secretary General and published in the March BULLETIN, be referred to the Congress for consideration. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General Lewis that the Executive Committee recommend to the incoming Executive Committee that the charge for the certificate of membership be \$4 to State Societies. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General Lord that the matter of advertising be referred to the incoming Executive Committee.

FRANK B. STEELE,
Secretary General.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the National Society, S. A. R., held at the Hotel Hermitage on May 20, 1923, at 10.30 P. M.

Present: President General W. I. Lincoln Adams, presiding; Vice-Presidents General Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire; Philip F. Larner, of the District of Columbia; Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois; Henry B. Hawley, of Iowa, and George Alfred Smith, of Utah, Secretary General Frank B. Steele, of New York; Treasurer General George McK. Roberts, of New York; Registrar General Francis B. Culver, of Maryland; Chancellor General Eugene C. Bonniwell, of Pennsylvania; Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, of Massachusetts, and Chaplain General Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, of Massachusetts. State Trustees Charles T. Jewett, of Indiana; Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa; Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky; Col. C. Robert Churchill, of Louisiana; Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts; Wilbert H. Barrett, of Michigan; C. Symmes Kiggins, of New Jersey; Lewis Annin Ames, of New York; George E. Pomeroy, of Ohio; Linn Paine, of Missouri; Wallace McCamant, of Oregon; James A. Wakefield, of Pennsylvania; Arthur P. Sumner, of Rhode Island; Leland Hume, of Tennessee.

see; Walter S. Mayer, of Texas; Daniel S. Spencer, of Utah, and Eugene C. Massie, of Virginia.

The meeting was called to order by the President General and the minutes of the last meeting, held at Springfield, Mass., on May 17th and published in the June BULLETIN, were approved.

It was moved by Trustee Wentworth that the Trustees ratify and confirm all of the acts and proceedings of the Executive Committee that have taken place during the fiscal year beginning May 16, 1922, and ending May 20, 1923. Motion adopted.

It was moved that the President General and the Secretary General be authorized and empowered to grant a charter to the West Virginia Society when said Society shall comply with the constitutional provisions and make application for such charter.

Genealogist General Watkins presented the matter of preliminary blanks, which was referred to the incoming Board of Trustees.

FRANK B. STEELE,
Secretary General.

**SYNOPSIS OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 34TH ANNUAL CONGRESS,
NATIONAL SOCIETY, SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, HELD
AT HOTEL HERMITAGE, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, MAY 21, 22, 1923.**

Morning Session, Monday, May 20, 10 a. m.

The session was called to order by the President General, Washington I. L. Adams.

The President General invited all Past Presidents General in attendance at the Congress to occupy seats at the right of the platform, and all Vice-Presidents General at the left of the platform. The following responded: Past Presidents General R. C. Ballard Thruston, Elmer M. Wentworth, Louis Annin Ames, Cornelius A. Pugsley, Newell B. Woodworth, and Wallace McCamant; and Vice-Presidents General Harry T. Lord, Philip F. Larner, Louis A. Bowman, Henry W. Hawley, and George Albert Smith.

The Colors were borne to the platform under the direction of Capt. Rasselas W. Brown, acting chairman of the Committee on Colors and Ceremonies, who had prepared a special ceremony for this occasion. The Pledge to the Flag was given by Compatriot Frederick De G. Hahn, of New Jersey, followed by the singing of one stanza of the "Star Spangled Banner."

Chaplain General Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, D. D., invoked the divine blessing.

Mr. William K. Boardman, President of the Tennessee Society, welcomed the Congress and introduced Hon. Joseph Fort, representing Governor Peay, of Tennessee. Mr. Fort gave a most inspiring address of welcome to the delegates and their guests. An address of welcome was also given by His Honor Percy Sharp, Mayor of Nashville.

The President General responded in a few well-chosen and appreciative words to these addresses of welcome.

The following letter from the President of the United States was received and read by the Secretary General:

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 1, 1923.

MY DEAR MR. ADAMS:

Please be assured of my sincere regrets that it was impossible to receive you in person when you were in Washington, owing to my indisposition. I have now received, through your very kind letter, the invitation which you had intended to present in person, asking me to attend the National Congress of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, at Nashville, in the late days of May. I want you and the members of the Society to know how much I appreciate the invitation, and how greatly I regret that, owing to other arrangements which entirely dispose of my time at that period, acceptance is impossible. I have been particularly proud of my membership in this Society, and of the fact that I am eligible to such membership. I look upon it as one of the worthy and uniformly well directed engineerings of patriotism that have sought to crystalize into national sentiments and public policies the best thought and purpose of the American Nation; therefore I have pleasure in wishing the success of the forthcoming Congress and the continuance of the Society's splendid service.

Most sincerely yours,

WARREN G. HARDING.

The Secretary General also read messages from Alvin Owsley, Commander of the American Legion, and former Presidents Chancellor L. Jenks and W. A. Marble.

The President General then presented as the special guest of the Congress, Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who was received with cheers and applause, the delegates standing. Mrs. Cook made a short address, bringing greeting from the great organization which she represents, and said in part:

"Here we are, two great bodies, taking on responsibilities voluntarily, out of obligation for our inheritance, an inheritance of the most lofty and political imagination that the world has ever known, our Republic. (Applause.) Because we have recognized this we have our avowed aims and our ideals. Now, let us consider just one part of our work—the marking of historic sites and the preserving of sacred places. The value of this one thing alone seems to me incalculable in what we have cherished for ages, preserved to youth, and handed down to posterity. To mark these places is to visualize, to dramatize great events, the great personalities that were active there. It is to arouse the imagination and put imagination into history. And it is only when it is put there that history lives. Then, add to this the other parts of our work, and I believe we can say without boasting that we have had a vision, and we do have a vision, that has a concrete value for our country. And the thought that comes to me is this, that I wonder what will happen and what will come to pass when we realize our strength and our power. Surely nothing short of getting our vision of the whole world will satisfy us then. Can we get our new Americans to be citizens, the foreign-born? Can we get our school children as our co-workers? Can we get our own imagination and our own loyalty so clear and so simple that we can kindle theirs? Then if we can, our eyes shall see the glory of the fulfilment of the dreams of our fathers." (Applause.)

Past President General R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky, moved that a Committee on Resolutions be appointed by the Chair, to which all resolutions shall be referred without debate, and that such resolutions shall be presented in writing and signed by the mover. The motion was adopted.

The President General appointed as such Committee on Resolutions Compatriots Newell B. Woodworth, of New York, as chairman; Herbert A. Rice, of Rhode Island; Oliver B. Bridgman, of New York; Albert Phenix, of Maryland, and Chauncey P. Overfield, of Utah.

Col. John David Markey, of Maryland, moved the adoption of the following resolution:

That no one speaker shall speak more than twice on the same subject or for more than five minutes on the same subject, except in introducing a resolution or with the unanimous consent of the Congress.

The resolution was adopted.

The President General then addressed the Congress.

Annual Address of the President General

Our Constitution calls for an annual report by the President General. The present incumbent of that office is very much gratified to report that, notwithstanding the five dollars National initiation fee which the Congress established last year, we have made a very satisfactory increase in membership. We have gained about 1,500 new members during the year. We have lost perhaps 900 by death, resignation, and dropped from the rolls, leaving a net increase of 600 new members for the year.

Among those whom we have lost by death during the past year were former Director General Albert M. Henry, of Detroit, Mich.; former President General Morris B. Beardsley, of Bridgeport, Conn., and Commander John H. Moore, of the U. S. Navy, retired, and formerly Vice-President General of our National Society. Representative committees were appointed by your President General in each case to prepare suitable memorials of these distinguished members of our organization. May I ask you all to stand for a single moment with me and thus testify by eloquent silence to the high esteem and sincere affection with which we held these honored members of our patriotic order.

What is of far greater import to the Sons of the American Revolution than the increase in the number of its members, however gratifying that may be, is the deepening sense of patriotic obligation on the part of its members which was everywhere revealed throughout the country, where official visits were made by your President General. Our members are everywhere active and useful in public and private ways in the life of the communities and the commonwealths where they reside. They are recognizing more than ever before the solemn responsibility which devolves upon them as descendants of patriotic ancestry, to acquit themselves in these present critical times like the Men of Seventy-Six, who were their heroic ancestors.

On his official trips the President General has visited thirty States of our Republic, traveling as far west and north as Portland, Oregon, and as far south as New Orleans, Louisiana, and covering in all over ten thousand miles. The current number of our OFFICIAL BULLETIN records in some detail these official journeys and other activities of your Chief Executive. He has regarded himself as "The Outside Man" of our Society and has tried faithfully to discharge the duties which devolved upon him in that capacity, as well as in many others. I have particularly endeavored to stimulate a greater interest in public affairs of our membership, as I conceive that to be a most proper, useful, and patriotic field for our activities.

As your official representative, I have everywhere been received with the most distinguished courtesies and attentions. I have thus realized with what high respect and appreciation our patriotic organization is held by our fellow-country-

men everywhere in the Nation. And may I say here, in passing, with most grateful appreciation, that no organizations not even our own S. A. R. Societies and Chapters, received me with greater cordiality or more courtesy than did various Societies of the Sons of the Revolution. I everywhere found the Sons most sincerely and actively interested in our work and our organization, and I am firmly convinced that no obstacle exists among the membership of either of the revolutionary societies to an eventual, and I hope, not distant, union in one great National Patriotic Organization. [Applause.]

I am also happy to report that I everywhere found a most loyal support of our National Society by our own State and local organizations. While here and there there may have been an occasional difference of opinion as to the wisdom of some policy or method of the National Society, I usually found that it was due to some misunderstanding of the matter rather than to any lack of sympathy for the aims and purposes of our National Organization. In most of our States recruiting is progressing actively, and our membership is loyally working for the advancement, not only of their local organization, but for our great National Society as well. While our finances have been improved by establishing the \$5 initial fee, as will be shown by the Treasurer's report, and by some material economies which we have been able to effect, particularly in our printing, they are not yet in an entirely satisfactory condition; and the question will come before you during this Congress to consider and act upon the amendment proposed last year, to increase the annual dues of each member from fifty cents to one dollar. I am confident that your decision will be a wise one.

Our quarterly OFFICIAL BULLETIN during the year, under the capable management of our faithful Secretary General, has become more interesting and valuable. Each number well repays the careful perusal of our membership. The Executive Committee has authorized the printing of a limited number of appropriate advertisements, which will not only bear part of the rather heavy expense for printing, but will also add interest and value to our publication. We have been considering the advisability of making more of a magazine of our OFFICIAL BULLETIN in the future, bringing it out eight or nine times every year, perhaps, with a suitably designed patriotic cover, and with other magazine features which would make it more generally interesting and useful. This is in line with some suggestions which have been made in these Congresses heretofore.

Other questions of importance will be proposed for your deliberation, and there will be many resolutions for you to consider and act upon; some are of rather unusual importance this year, as it seems to me.

In all that we do or say in these sessions, and in the honest differences of opinion which are always likely to arise, I am sure that we shall all be mindful of the outstanding fact that our aims and our purposes are the same; that we all desire the greatest good for our National Organization, to the end that it may be of the greatest possible service to our Republic; and that, however we may differ in opinion as to methods, we shall never forget that we are in our aims, hopes, and ideals one great band of American brothers, compatriots, Sons of the American Revolution [prolonged applause].

The President General's address was received with enthusiastic applause.

Past President General Louis Annin Ames moved that the Secretary General be instructed to convey the greetings of the Congress to the Past Presidents

General not in attendance at the Congress, some of whom were detained by illness or the infirmities of age. This was unanimously adopted.

Past President General Ames then presented the following memorial resolutions to Judge Morris B. Beardsley and moved their adoption, and that the Secretary be instructed to have them suitably engrossed and a copy sent to the family of Past President General Morris B. Beardsley.

The beloved compatriot of the Sons of the American Revolution, Judge Morris B. Beardsley, answered the summons to the higher life on Friday, March 2, 1923, and there passed from earth one who truly loved his fellow men.

Judge Beardsley served with distinction, efficiency, and faithfulness, in official capacity, for more than twenty years, the citizens of Bridgeport and the State of Connecticut. He rendered a larger service to the cause of humanity—he administered love, justice, and mercy. His daily actions were the realization of the ideals of all fine souls.

In 1896 he became interested in the Sons of the American Revolution, serving the National Society as chairman of committees that secured our National Charter and framed our present Constitution, as a member of the National Executive Committee for two terms; also as Vice-President General and as President General. He loved the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and was devoted to its interests. We shall miss him greatly, but we rejoice that he was one with and of us. Blessed be his memory.

"None knew him but to love him,
None named him but to praise."

LOUIS ANNIN AMES,
Past President General.
WILLIAM A. MARBLE,
Past President General.
CORNELIUS A. PUGSLEY,
Past President General.

Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, moved that the ceremony of the opening exercises of this Congress, which is in fact a report of the Committee on Ceremonies and Colors, be adopted and become the ceremony to be used at the opening of our National Congresses or any State or Chapter meetings.

This motion was unanimously adopted.

Past President General Ames moved that a Committee on Official Reports and Recommendations be appointed and that all reports of Officers and Committees shall go to this committee without debate. The motion was adopted.

The President General appointed the following as such committee: Past President General Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa, chairman; Col. Henry W. Sackett, of New York; Col. William K. Boardman, of Tennessee; Compatriot George V. Muchmore, of New Jersey, and Compatriot Burton H. Wiggin, of Massachusetts.

The President General then requested that resolutions be presented at this time.

The following resolutions were then presented and referred to the Committee on Resolutions:

By Director General Sumner, of Rhode Island, a resolution in reference to the use of family surnames by foreigners. Also a resolution in reference to the teaching of the Constitution of the United States in public schools.

By Judge Harvey F. Remington, of New York, a resolution in reference to the preservation of the Battlefield of Saratoga.

By Mr. W. S. Mayer, of Texas, a resolution in reference to the cost of large certificates.

By Col. Wm. G. Adkins, of Illinois, a resolution in reference to additional Vice-Presidents General.

By Col. Eugene C. Massie, of Virginia, a resolution in reference to amending the National Charter with regard to powers to hold and sell real and personal property.

By Maj. Overton C. Luxford, of District of Columbia, a resolution in reference to a National Headquarters Building in the city of Washington, and the uniting of the offices of Secretary and Registrar General.

Mr. Luxford asked the unanimous consent of the house to take this matter under consideration at this time. Objections being heard, the resolution took the usual course.

By Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, a resolution in reference to preliminary application blanks.

By Compatriot Harry H. Hoard of Ohio, a resolution in reference to school history text books.

By Col. Massie, of Virginia, a resolution in reference to a National Park at Yorktown, Va.

Reports of officers were then received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Secretary General Frank B. Steele was received.

The report of Registrar General Francis B. Culver was received.

The report of Treasurer General George McKenzie Roberts and Auditor's statement were received.

Report of Special Committee on Permanent Fund, Cornelius A. Pugsley, chairman, was read by the Secretary General.

A resolution by Director General Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky, was then presented and referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

Report of Vice-President General Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire, from the New England District, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

Upon motion the Congress took recess until 1.30 p. m.

Afternoon Session, May 21.

The President General called the session to order at 1.30 p. m.

Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, presented a resolution in reference to a uniform ceremony to be carried out in naturalization courts. Referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

The reports of Vice-presidents General Philip F. Larner, of the District of Columbia, Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois, Henry B. Hawley, of Iowa, and George Alfred Smith, of Utah, for their respective districts, were received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Chaplain General, Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, was received.

Mr. Woodworth, chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, moved that the telegram of greeting from Commander Owsley, of the American Legion, be acknowledged with great appreciation. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, moved that the resolution in relation to the charge for large certificates be referred to the Executive Committee, with power. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, moved that the following resolution be referred to the Chancellor General to report to the Executive Committee:

WHEREAS many of our family names are pregnant with the memories of heroic deeds performed or distinguished services rendered to this United States of America, or to the original Colonies from which it sprang; and

WHEREAS these memories should be preserved as far as possible pure and untarnished by commercial, criminal, or other incongruous associations; and

WHEREAS many immigrants with mistaken ideas of assimilation are changing their names to those more akin to the communities in which they live;

Now be it Resolved, That the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled, urges upon the Congress of the United States and the legislatures of the several States, that laws be enacted by them, forbidding any person to assume a family surname belonging to a family distinguished in the Colonial, Revolutionary, or Civic history of this country or its original Colonies; and also forbidding the use of the names of present or former Presidents of this country, in connection with the sale of, or as the name of an article of display or merchandise.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS the battlefield of Saratoga, in the State of New York—a battle stated by historians to be one of the fifteen decisive battles of the world and more recently referred to as the American Marne—has yet received but scant attention and recognition from historic and patriotic organizations; and

WHEREAS there has been pending before the Congress of the United States, Senate Bill No. 2381 and H. R. Bill No. 8644, providing for the acquisition and presentation by the United States of this famous battlefield; and

WHEREAS it is believed that the only adequate method to bring about the preservation of this property will be by control vested in some body corporate composed of patriotic citizens;

Now, therefore, be it Resolved, That a committee of seven be appointed by the incoming President General, who shall be charged with the duty of investigating the feasibility and practicability of forming a corporation under the laws of one of the States, or of securing a charter from the Congress of the United States, for the purpose of the purchase and preservation of such battlefield and that such committee take such steps as it may be advised to bring about its recommendations and that such committee be empowered to add to its number such other members as to it may seem practicable.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported that the resolution in regard to additional Vice-Presidents General was not in order, as it was in the nature of an amendment to the Constitution and that it might be offered as an amendment in the regular manner as provided by the Constitution. The following is the resolution:

WHEREAS the present geographic divisions of the country, for the convenience of supervision by the Vice-Presidents General have been found to be too large and so constructed as to be inconvenient of access in many instances; therefore, be it

Resolved, That such geographic divisions be revised and rearranged, and, if necessary, additional Vice-Presidents General be elected to the end that the work of the Society may be more easily done.

The President General: I suggest that it be returned to the mover and if he so wishes he may offer it as an amendment.

Mr. Adkins, of Illinois: As the mover of the resolution, I knew that such action was necessary, but I desired to get an expression of the sentiment. At the present time I will offer it as an amendment.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported the following resolution to amend the National Charter and moved that it be referred to the Executive Committee:

Be it Resolved, That Section 3 of the Act of Congress, incorporating the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, approved June 9, 1906, be amended as follows, upon due application to the Congress:

"Sec. 3. That said corporation shall have power to receive, purchase, hold, sell, and convey real and personal estate, so far only as may be necessary or convenient for its lawful purposes, to an amount not exceeding at any one time in the aggregate five million dollars; to sue and be sued, complain and defend in any court; to adopt a common seal, and to alter the same at pleasure; to make and adopt a constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations for admission, government, suspension, and expulsion of its members, and from time to time to alter and repeal such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations and to adopt others in their places; to provide for the election of its officers and to define their duties; to provide for State Societies or Chapters, with rules for their conduct, and to regulate and provide for the management, safe-keeping, and protection of its property and funds; *Provided always*, That such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations be not inconsistent with the laws of the United States or any of the States thereof."

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported the following resolution in reference to the Battlefield of Yorktown, was approved by the committee and moved that it be referred to the incoming President General for action:

WHEREAS the Battlefield of Yorktown, Virginia, is worthy of preservation as a National Park, in accordance with the suggestion heretofore made by the Daughters of the American Revolution;

Resolved, That the President General shall appoint a committee of five to urge this suggestion upon the Congress of the United States.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported in reference to the resolution making all Past Presidents General members *ex officio* of the Executive Committee, that this requires an amendment to the Constitution and that the committee recommended that this take the usual course of such amendment. The resolution referred to is as follows:

Resolved, That all Past Presidents General be *ex officio* members of the Executive Committee.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported with reference to the resolution regarding the establishment of a National Headquarters, the committee offers the following resolution as a substitute and moves its adoption:

Resolved, That the Executive Committee appoint, at the meeting following this Congress, a special committee to take under consideration the location of a National Headquarters and the acquiring or erection thereof of a suitable building, and the methods of financing, and to report to the next Congress.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Past President General Thruston rose and stated that when the time should come that plans for such a National Headquarters were more definite, he was prepared to make a contribution of \$500.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported the resolution relative to the teaching and study of the Constitution of the United States was approved by the committee and moved its adoption. The resolution is as follows:

WHEREAS it is especially important at this period of doubt and unrest among the peoples of the earth that the fundamental principles of our Republican form of government should become more fully known and understood by our own people; and

WHEREAS such knowledge is more readily and permanently acquired when the mind is plastic and receptive in youth;

Now be it resolved, That this National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled, hereby urges upon the legislatures of the several States that a law be passed requiring that all students in the normal schools and high schools shall be required to study the Constitution of the United States, and that no pupil in such schools shall receive a certificate of graduation without having previously passed a satisfactory examination upon the provisions and principles of this Constitution; and, it further requests that the State Societies of the Sons of the American Revolution take up this matter in their respective States and use every effort to procure the enactment of such a law.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

The report of the Chancellor General Eugene C. Bonniwell, which was printed in full in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, 1923 (see pp. 28, 29, 30), was received.

After some discussion in reference to the meaning and purport of this report and the statement by Judge Bonniwell that it was simply to clarify and harmonize the Constitution and By-Laws, the report was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, as chairman of the Special Committee on Grave Markers, reported and offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the disk form of official marker for designating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors as recommended at this Congress by special committee appointed to make recommendations, be approved and the form to be adopted by special committee hereinafter provided for it, is hereby approved.

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed with full power by the President General, one member of this committee to be selected from the Executive Committee, to prepare an official marker of the Sons of the American Revolution for designating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors in accordance with the recommendations made to this Congress by a special committee appointed to consider and make recommendations on this subject. This committee to determine the size of the disk, its material, and inscriptions, and to prepare regulations controlling its use, manufacture, and sale, all to be submitted to the Executive Committee for ratification and upon such ratification it shall become the official marker of this Society subject, however, to any change in the regulations included in said ratification by the Executive Committee and all resolutions heretofore adopted by this Society, inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution are hereby revoked and repealed.

After discussion the motion, as originally offered, was unanimously adopted.

The President General called Vice-President General George Albert Smith, of Utah, to the chair.

The report of Historian General Joseph B. Doyle, of Ohio, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, of Massachusetts, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

Col. David J. Markey, of Maryland, offered a resolution in reference to the appointment of a liaison officer. This was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

President General Adams resumed the chair.

The report of Past President General R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky, for the Committee on Memorials, was received. Col. C. Robert Churchill, of Louisiana, moved that this report be published in full in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN. The motion was adopted.

The report of the Committee on Patriotic Education, Judge Wallace McCamant, Past President General, chairman, was then received. Judge McCamant offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Sons of the American Revolution, in National Congress assembled, reiterate their declaration made at the Springfield Congress on the subject of textbooks on American history. Disclaiming any feeling of hostility to Great Britain or any disposition to punish the present generation of Britons for the sins of George III, we demand that the story of our past be taught in such a way as to assure that the next generation be Americans and not merely Anglo-Saxons; that they become patriotic citizens with a veneration for the fathers and an appreciation of our political heritage; that their loyalty be to country and not to class, bloc, or section.

Be it further resolved, That we approve the report of the Committee on Patriotic Education and request the assistance of all State Societies, Chapters, and individual compatriots in their efforts to expel and exclude from the schools all textbooks on American history which fail to measure up to the standard defined by the resolution adopted by the Springfield Congress.

Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky, Director General, moved that the matter be discussed on the floor of Congress. The motion was unanimously adopted. Col. Henry W. Sackett, President of the Empire State Society, spoke against the resolution, not because of the principles that are enunciated in it or the purpose and intent of the resolution, but because of the distinction that is made and the characterization of certain books which have been the subject of controversy, and also because of the misuse of this propaganda by those whose purposes and motives were not guided so much by a love for America as by hatred for England. Col. Sackett also defended Dr. Muzzey, with whom he has a personal acquaintance.

Judge McCamant replied vigorously and pointed out specific passages in the texts criticised to sustain his position in reference to Dr. Muzzey's history and others mentioned.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Do you wish to have further debate?

The question was called for, the motion was put, and upon request a rising vote was taken. The ayes were in the majority to the number of about one hundred and fifty, nine delegates voting in the negative. The resolution was declared adopted.

The President General introduced Mrs. Fleming Smith, who presented briefly the merits of the undertaking to preserve the home "Kenmore," at Fredericksburg, Virginia, in response to which pledges of financial assistance were made by several delegates.

Mr. Boggis, of Ohio, presented a resolution in reference to Patriotic Education, which was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

The report of the Committee on Naval and Military Records, Admiral George W. Baird, chairman, was read by the Secretary General and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Committee on Americanization, Judge Harvey F. Remington, of New York, chairman, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Flag Committee, Mr. Burton H. Wiggin, of Massachusetts, chairman, was received.

Maj. Alfred Pierce, of Massachusetts, spoke in reference to the Lexington Minute Men Memorial and presented a resolution with regard to this, which was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

The Report of the Committee on National Archives Building, Maj. Frederick C. Bryan, of the District of Columbia, chairman, was read by the Secretary General and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Committee on Observance of Flag Day was given verbally by Mr. Lewis B. Curtis, of Connecticut, chairman.

Mr. Ames, chairman of the Committee on Observance of Constitution Day, reporting for the committee, stated that this report had already been printed in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for December, 1922, and moved that it be adopted as printed. The motion was unanimously adopted.

The President General, in the absence of Mr. Pugsley, chairman, reported for the Committee to Amend the Charter, stating that the amendment to the charter was not passed by the United States Congress at the last session on account of the rush of business, but that it will be introduced at the beginning of the next session in December and undoubtedly will be promptly passed.

Judge Remington, of New York, reporting for the special committee to take up certain matters with a special committee of the Connecticut Society, stated that it had been impossible to arrange a joint meeting of the committees, but that both committees had presented their views by correspondence and that the committee of the National Society reported back unanimously against the adoption of the amendment to the Constitution desired by the Connecticut members. Mr. Ames moved that the standing committee appointed by this National Body to confer with a similar committee from the Connecticut State Society, at the request of the Connecticut Society, be discharged with thanks. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Upon motion recess was taken until 9.30 a. m., Tuesday, May 22.

Tuesday Morning Session, May 22, 1923

President General Adams in the chair.

The Colors were received.

Mr. Frederick de G. Hahn, of New Jersey, presented the following resolution and moved its immediate adoption:

Resolved, That the incoming President General immediately appoint a general committee of five or more live, responsible men to be called the Public Safety Committee, whose duty it shall be to devise ways and means to conduct an active anti-radical campaign with power to take the measures necessary to produce results.

By unanimous consent, Compatriot Henry L. Sloan, President of the Wisconsin State Society, was recognized and spoke for the resolution, showing some of the socialistic conditions that prevail in the State of Wisconsin.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Under the head of new business the Secretary General read the amendment to Section 2 of Article V of the Constitution, proposed by Past President General Ames at the Springfield Congress, May, 1922, as follows:

That Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the National Society be amended to read as follows:

Each State Society shall pay annually to the Treasurer General to defray the expense of the National Society, *one dollar* for each member thereof, unless intermitted by the National Congress.

Such dues shall be paid on or before the first day of April for the ensuing year, in order to secure representation in the Congress of the National Society. (Italic indicates amendments added or changed.)

After discussion, in the course of which an amendment was offered to refer the matter to a committee, which was laid upon the table, a further amendment was offered by Mr. Lewis B. Curtis, of Connecticut, as follows: To substitute, after the word "dollar," instead of the words "each member thereof," the words "for each member carried on the roll of the State Society." Mr. Mayer, of Texas, moved to insert the word "active" before the word "member." The motion was lost.

The question on the amendment of Mr. Curtis being put, the amendment was adopted, and the question on the amendment to the Constitution as amended being put, and the President General stating that a rising vote was necessary, more than two-thirds of the members present voting in the affirmative, the amendment as amended, was declared adopted, reading as follows:

SECTION 2. Each State Society shall pay annually to the Treasurer General, to defray the expense of the National Society, one dollar for each member carried on the roll of the State Society, unless intermitted by the National Congress.

The Secretary General presented a matter concerning medals for presentation to the pupils of grammar schools. This was fully outlined in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, 1923. Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, moved that the National Society endorse this plan and that the Secretary General be authorized to purchase these medals for the purpose of supplying the State Societies who will in turn reimburse the National Society as they are ordered. The motion was unanimously adopted.

The presentation of National Banners then took place.

The President General called Vice-President General Harry T. Lord to the chair.

The presentation of the Traveling Banner for the largest percentage of increase was made by Past President General Cornelius A. Pugsley, of New York, to the Tennessee Society, and was gracefully accepted by Mr. Frederick W. Millsbaugh, Vice-President of the Tennessee Society, on behalf of that Society.

The presentation of the Syracuse Banner for the greatest numerical increase of membership was made by Past President General Newell B. Woodworth, of New York, to the New Jersey Society, and accepted by Compatriot Harry F. Brewer, for the New Jersey Society.

President General Adams resumed the chair.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, the following resolution in reference to Past Presidents General and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That all Past Presidents General now living be hereafter designated Honorary Presidents General instead of Past Presidents General, and that all future Presidents General, upon retiring from that office, be designated Honorary Presidents General.

Past President General Wentworth, of Iowa, spoke against the resolution and also Past President General Thruston, of Kentucky, and upon the question being put the resolution was unanimously lost.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, moved the following resolution in reference to preliminary application blanks, be referred to the Trustees:

Resolved, That the Trustees be authorized to have printed a preliminary application blank to be furnished to the various State Societies for the purpose of increasing economically the membership.

The motion was adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, moved the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Ceremonials prepare a program for a uniform ceremony, to be carried out in the Naturalization Courts, with the co-operation of the judge thereof, to impress the newly-made citizen with the responsibilities of the obligation he has assumed and to felicitate him upon the forward step he has taken; which program shall be transmitted to the State Societies and they be urged to put the same into operation as widely as possible.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Resolutions Committee, presented resolutions, passed by the California State Society on April 19, 1923, and moved the approval of the Congress. This was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS the late World War has shown that the discoveries of science and the ingenuity of inventors have created appliances of war, which, during four years of carnage, suffering, and anxiety, made mankind doubt whether civilization could survive the forces which it had generated; and whereas, the achievement of our country in transporting millions of men to France in a short space of time revealed a danger to this country from without; and whereas, there exists among us a class of people who, taking counsel of their feelings, rather than of a sound judgment based upon the experience of mankind, decry all preparation for war; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the words of Washington in his farewell address "In time of peace prepare for war," which were true in his day when preparation was easy and rapid, have become imperative now that the accumulation of highly specialized materials of war and the previous training of men experienced in the use of them, have become the only pledge of safety; and be it further

Resolved, That we condemn as unpatriotic and dangerous to the welfare and preservation of our country and its government all pacifist movements or efforts to obstruct this government in creating and maintaining a state of adequate preparedness; and we demand of our representatives in our various legislative bodies their whole-hearted support of a policy of national preparedness to meet any possible emergency.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Resolutions Committee, reporting for the Committee, moved the following resolution be referred to the Executive Committee for such action as it deems wise to take:

WHEREAS in unity and co-operation there is power and strength, and

WHEREAS the leading organizations interested in perpetuating American ideals and keeping our country thoroughly American, are the Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Legion Auxiliary, the American Legion, and the Sons of the American Revolution, and

WHEREAS there are many national questions and problems of mutual interest that can be best considered and solved by the thorough co-operation of the above organizations.

Therefore, be it Resolved by the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled, in Nashville, Tennessee, this 22nd day of May, 1923, That the President General be hereby authorized to name liason officers to the Daughters of the

American Revolution, the American Legion Auxiliary, and the American Legion, who will function under the direction of the President General and help to coordinate the work of the above organizations on matters of mutual interest to our nation, and

Be it further Resolved, That the Congress suggest the appointment of similar liason officers by the respective State Societies to function in State matters along similar lines.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Resolutions Committee, moved the adoption of the following resolution in reference to the teaching of socialism in institutions:

WHEREAS many of our colleges, academies, and schools are either teaching or permitting the propagation of socialism and other similar doctrines contrary to the principles of our Constitution, and

WHEREAS there are several organizations and groups advocating giving to Congress the power to modify or annul decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, thus destroying the present provisions in our Constitution providing for an Independent Judiciary.

Now, therefore, be it Resolved by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in National Congress assembled, at Nashville, Tennessee, May 21st-23rd, 1923:

(1) That every effort be made by our organization, and by its individual members, to stop the propaganda and teaching of socialism in our schools and colleges, and that a more complete and definite study of our Constitution and its principles, be urged as a part of the curriculum.

(2) We most earnestly protest against any propaganda, legislation, or change in our National Constitution, designed to deprive us of our present independent National Judiciary, or to give Congress or any other power permission to modify or reverse its decision.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Resolutions Committee, reported the resolution in reference to certain changes by the United States Labor Department in issuing certificates given at the present time to newly made citizens, in which it was suggested that steps be taken to secure power for the National Society to issue such certificates. Mr. Woodworth moved the approval of the resolution and that it be referred to the Committee on Americanization.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, reporting for the Resolutions Committee in reference to the following resolution of the Ohio Society, moved its adoption:

Resolved, That no text-books shall be used in our schools which belittle the founders of our Government or minimize their achievements.

This motion was adopted by a rising vote.

Mr. Wentworth, of the Committee on Official Reports and Recommendations, reported for the committee and recommended the publication of such reports from time to time as space and expense will permit; including the full reports of the President General, the Secretary General, the Treasurer General, and Registrar General in the June BULLETIN, and moved the adoption of the report. This was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Charles Timothy Jewett, Trustee of the National Society for Indiana, presented the request of the Indiana Society that the National Society give serious consideration at this time to the establishment in the city of Indianapolis of the National Headquarters and offices of the National Society, and moved that this

request be referred to the committee already provided for the consideration of a National Headquarters.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

PRESENTATION OF INVITATIONS TO HOLD THE NEXT ANNUAL MEETING.

Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, tendered a hearty invitation to the National Society Sons of the American Revolution to meet in Memorial Continental Hall, at Washington, D. C., during the years of her administration. This was received with applause.

Mr. George Albert Smith, Vice-President General, of Utah, presented the invitation of the Utah Society for the next Congress to meet at Salt Lake City. Judge Wallace McCamant, of Oregon, and Col. Eugene C. Massie, of Virginia, and others seconded the invitation of the Utah Society.

Dr. Joseph H. Apple, of Hood College, Maryland, presented the invitation of the Maryland Society for the Congress to be held in Frederick, Maryland. This invitation was supplemented by Mr. James A. Wakefield, Trustee of the Pennsylvania Society, and many others.

A number of other invitations from chambers of commerce of other cities were also in the hands of the Secretary General.

Under the rules the decision of the next meeting place was referred to the incoming Board of Trustees.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, approved the following resolution in reference to a memorial to the Lexington Minute Men and moved its adoption:

Inasmuch as the American Revolution is the foundation of this Society, and the Lexington Minute Men ushered in the Revolution;

Be it Resolved in this Congress of the Sons of the American Revolution assembled, That the Trustees of the National Society take some action in reference to assisting financially the erection of a lasting bronze Memorial to the 77 Lexington Minute Men who were in action the morning of April 19, 1775, to be dedicated at the 150th anniversary of the birth of our nation, April 19, 1925. That this resolution be brought to the attention of each State Society and that each State Society bring it to the Chapters within its State so that in the end every State may contribute some testimonial to this lasting and worthy Memorial.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Resolutions Committee, reported favorably the following resolution of the Ohio Society, and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS the Committee on Patriotic Education has reported to this Congress the work for the past year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Congress empowers such Committee on Patriotic Education to take such further measures as are necessary and proper to carry into effect its foregoing resolutions.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

(The above resolution refers to the resolution of Judge McCamant, following the report on Patriotic Education.)

The election of officers then took place.

Judge Wallace McCamant presented the name of Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky, for President General. This nomination was seconded by Moulton Houk, of Ohio; Selden M. Ely, of the District of Columbia; James Edgar Brown,

of Illinois; W. S. Mayer, of Texas; R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky; C. T. Jewett, of Indiana; F. W. Millspaugh, of Tennessee; Col. Massie, of Virginia; Charles L. Wood, of Mississippi, and Michigan delegates.

Mr. Herbert A. Rice, of Rhode Island, presented the name of Judge Arthur P. Sumner, of Rhode Island, for President General. The nomination of Judge Sumner was seconded by Mr. Wentworth, of Iowa; Mr. Lord, of New Hampshire; Mr. Doolittle, of Connecticut; Mr. Woodworth, of New York; Mr. Hahn, of New Jersey.

Senator W. L. Love, of New York, placed in nomination to succeed himself, President General W. I. Lincoln Adams.

With Vice-President General George A. Smith presiding, President General Adams took the floor and declined reelection. Thereupon, the President General presiding, Mr. Love seconded the nomination of Judge Sumner.

It was moved and adopted that nominations be closed and Mr. Wentworth, of Iowa, moved that the President General appoint three tellers. The motion was adopted and the President General appointed Mr. James Edgar Brown, of Illinois; Lewis J. Gorin, of Kentucky, and Frederick de G. Hahn, of New Jersey.

Mr. Wentworth moved that the Secretary call the roll of delegates and as each name was called the delegate cast his vote. The motion was adopted.

The balloting for President General then followed.

The Congress proceeded with the election of other officers while the tellers retired to count the ballots.

Mr. Henry F. Punderson, of Massachusetts, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the New England District the name of Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts. There being no further nominations for this office, Dr. Bangs was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the First or New England District.

Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Second or Middle and Coast District, the name of Mr. Carl M. Vail, of New Jersey. There being no further nominations for this office Mr. Vail was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the Second or Middle and Coast District.

Mr. H. J. Stites, of Kentucky, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Third or Mississippi Valley East District the name of Mr. Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Bowman was unanimously elected to the office of Vice-President General for the Third or Mississippi Valley East District.

Mr. Linn Paine, of Missouri, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Fourth or Mississippi Valley West District the name of Mr. J. Reid Green, of Nebraska. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Green was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the Fourth or Mississippi Valley West District.

Mr. Chauncey P. Overfield, of Utah, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Fifth or Mountain and Pacific District the name of George Albert Smith, of Utah. There being no further nominations, Mr. Smith was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the Mountain and Pacific District.

The tellers being now ready to report, Mr. Brown, chairman, announced the result of the vote as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 157. Judge Arthur P. Sumner received 88 and Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, 59.

Mr. R. C. Ballard Thruston moved to make the election of Judge Sumner unanimous.

The motion was adopted and Judge Sumner was declared unanimously elected President General for the ensuing year.

The President General requested Past President General Elmer M. Wentworth to escort the President General elect to the platform. Judge Sumner accepted the office and expressed his thanks with a few words of grateful appreciation.

Judge Harvey F. Remington placed in nomination for the office of Secretary General the name of Mr. Frank Bartlett Steele, of New York. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Steele was unanimously reelected to the office of Secretary General.

Col. Henry W. Sackett, of New York, placed in nomination for the office of Treasurer General the name of Mr. George McKenzie Roberts, of New York. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Roberts was unanimously reelected to the office of Treasurer General.

Mr. George S. Robertson, of Maryland, placed in nomination for the office of Registrar General the name of Mr. Francis Barnum Culver, of Maryland. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Culver was unanimously reelected to the office of Registrar General.

Mr. Carl M. Vail, of New Jersey, placed in nomination for the office of Historian General the name of Mr. Joseph B. Doyle, of Ohio. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Doyle was unanimously reelected to the office of Historian General.

Mr. Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois, placed in nomination for the office of Chancellor General the name of Mr. James Edgar Brown, of Illinois. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Brown was unanimously elected to the office of Chancellor General.

Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts, placed in nomination for the office of Genealogist General the name of Mr. Walter K. Watkins, of Massachusetts. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Watkins was unanimously reelected to the office of Genealogist General.

Mr. Burton H. Wiggin, of Massachusetts, placed in nomination for the office of Chaplain General the name of Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, D. D., of Massachusetts. There being no further nominations for this office, Dr. Perkins was unanimously reelected to the office of Chaplain General.

The Secretary General read the list of nominations for National Trustees. It was moved by Mr. Thruston, of Kentucky, that the names as read by the Secretary General be elected Trustees. The motion was adopted and the gentlemen named were elected Trustees for the ensuing year. (The names of the Trustees will be found on page 4.)

Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts, asked permission to resign as Trustee for the State of Massachusetts, in view of his recent election as Vice-President General, and nominated Mr. Burton H. Wiggin, President of the State Society of Massachusetts in his place.

The President General ruled that it was so ordered.

Chairman Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, offered a vote of thanks to the Tennessee State Society and moved that the Secretary General be instructed

to officially convey to the Tennessee Society to the Ladies' Committee and to the local committee the deep appreciation of the Congress of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution of the many courtesies extended during this meeting. In seconding the motion, Mr. Thruston asked to have it include the ladies who came as guests from the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. The motion was unanimously adopted.

The President General announced that the incoming President General calls for a brief meeting of the Board of Trustees immediately after adjournment.

Mr. Pugsley, of New York, moved that a vote of thanks be tendered our splendid presiding officer of this Congress, Maj. W. I. Lincoln Adams. This was unanimously carried by a rising vote.

Thereupon, at 1.28 p. m., the Thirty-fourth Annual Congress of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution adjourned *sine die*.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Trustees, held at the Hermitage, Home of Andrew Jackson, Tuesday, May 22, 1923, at 4.30 P. M.

The meeting was called to order by the President General Arthur P. Sumner. Upon roll call, the following members of the Board of Trustees responded: Vice-Presidents General Bangs, Vail, Bowman, and Smith; Secretary General Steel, Treasurer General Roberts, Registrar General Culver, Genealogist General Watkins, Chancellor General J. Edgar Brown, of Illinois; Trustees Selden M. Ely, of the District of Columbia; Charles T. Jewett, of Indiana; Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa; Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky; Col. C. Robert Churchill, of Louisiana; Burton H. Wiggin, of Massachusetts; W. H. Barrett, of Michigan; C. Symes Kiggins, of New Jersey; Louis Annin Ames, of New York; Wallace McCamant, of Oregon; James A. Wakefield, of Pennsylvania; Daniel S. Spencer, of Utah, and Walter S. Mayer, of Texas; Linn Paine, President of Missouri Society.

The President General presented the following names for members of the Executive Committee and asked for their confirmation: W. I. Lincoln Adams, of New Jersey; Louis Annin Ames, of New York; Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky; Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire; Herbert A. Rice, of Rhode Island, and Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa. It was moved by Col. Churchill that the names submitted be confirmed by the Trustees. Motion adopted.

The matter of the next meeting place of the Congress was then taken up and it was moved by Mr. Wentworth that the Trustees proceed to ballot for the next place of meeting. Motion adopted.

The President General appointed the Secretary General and the Treasurer General tellers. The result of the ballot was as follows: Salt Lake City received 13 and Fredericksburgh 7. Salt Lake City was declared the next meeting place of the Congress, in 1924.

Moved by Mr. Wentworth that the usual appropriation of \$500 be made for the expenses of the next Congress. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Ames that the Executive Committee be empowered to carry on the work of the Society during the year. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Wentworth that the proceedings of the Congress be approved in all respects and that the report of Judge Bonniwell, in respect to the changes in the By-Laws making them conform to the Constitution be adopted. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Lewis that the traveling expenses of the Secretary General be paid for his attendance at the meetings of the Executive Committee and National Congress, and that the expenses of the Registrar General, Treasurer General, and the chairman of the Committee on Credentials be paid for attendance at the National Congress. Motion adopted.

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The President General appointed Major Adams such Liaison Officer.

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CONGRESS OF THE S.A.R.
NASHVILLE, TENN. MAY 21-22, 1923
HERMITAGE, HOME OF PRESIDENT ANDREW JACKSON

Social Features of the Congress at Nashville.

Probably never before in the history of the National Society have the social features been so extensive or so delightful, especially those given to the ladies accompanying the delegates. The spirit of the South, as embodied in its well-known hospitality, permeated everywhere and the delegates and members will never forget the reception given to them by the members of the Tennessee Society, the Nashville compatriots, and the charming ladies that assisted in the entertainment of the Congress.

On Sunday evening, May 20th, a special patriotic service was held at First Presbyterian Church, a most historic edifice and unique in its decorative effect. The delegates, led by the local committee, marched in body to the church, headed by the National Colors and our own standard. The beautiful and impressive service was conducted by the Rev. James I. Vance, D. D., who, in introducing Chaplin General Frederick W. Perkins, gave an interesting sketch of the history of the church. Doctor Perkins, our Chaplain General, gave a most eloquent and inspiring address on "The American Adventure."

The ladies accompanying the delegates, the representatives of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and invited guests, were given a most delightful luncheon at the Belle Meade Country Club on Monday noon, while the delegates were being entertained at luncheon at the Hotel Hermitage. The luncheon for the ladies was most charming and was presided over by Mrs. Benton H. McMillan who welcomed the guests in a clever speech and introduced the several speakers. Mrs. George Washington was introduced as one that is "all that is beautiful, lovely, and feminine but refuses to talk." Mrs. F. W. Millsbaugh welcomed the guests to the home of Andrew Jackson, James K. Polk, and Alvin C. York, Mrs. W. I. L. Adams, wife of the President General, was presented as a gold star mother, and expressed her deep appreciation for the warmth of the hospitality shown her, her husband, and the entire delegation. Mrs. Marvin H. Lewis, of Louisville, spoke on "What Women Can Do for the Sons of the American Revolution." The entire company rose when Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was presented. It was a signal honor to have Mrs. Cook as the guest of honor at these functions and her graciousness and personality charmed all with whom she came in contact. Mrs. Cook paid tribute to the welcome given the delegates and ladies to this Congress and brought greetings from her splendid society. Mrs. L. S. Gillentine, State Regent of the Tennessee D. A. R., answered the toast "Woman, Challenger Extraordinary," and made a witty and clever address. Mrs. Burton H. Wiggin, of Lowell, Mass., spoke for "New England."

After the luncheon to the ladies a welcome truly Southern in its character was extended to the delegates and visitors, Mrs. James C. Bradford entertaining in their honor at her beautiful home "Woodstock." The entire home built in 1820, with its store of colonial furniture, paintings, and other art treasures, was opened to the guests. Much of the hospitality centered in the lovely gardens, and in the summer house, for the benefit of the guests, the Fisk Jubilee singers were stationed and gave a program of old Southern melodies and Negro spirituals.

On Monday evening the Centennial Club, the Women's Club of Nashville, gave a delightful reception to the delegates and guests. Both floors were devoted to the entertainment and were decorated elaborately with spring flowers. Many

expressions of appreciation were heard of the kindness and cordiality of this splendid body of women.

On Tuesday afternoon, after the adjournment of the Congress, the delegates and guests were driven out to the Hermitage, the home of Andrew Jackson, and there a most interesting ceremony was held. After being given the privilege of inspecting the mansion, the grounds, and the gardens, the procession formed and preceded by the standard bearers, Major Adams, retiring President General, with Mrs. Caldwell and Judge Sumner, newly elected President General, marched to the tomb of General Jackson. There Major Adams placed a wreath on the grave of the great President and paid the hero of New Orleans a beautiful tribute. The Revolutionary marker was unveiled by Judge Sumner and the flag was placed on the marker by Miss Alice L. McDuffie, of Michigan, Vice President of the Daughters of the American Revolution. It was truly an impressive and delightful occasion and one that will remain in the memory of the members for many years.

The guests were driven through the country to the beautiful country place of Mrs. E. W. Cole, "Colemere" where a visit to the famous rose gardens was made. The hostess received her company on the front veranda and an inspection of the home and gardens was made. Refreshments were served in the large dining room.

The annual banquet was held in the ball room of the Hotel Hermitage and was a most brilliant affair, nearly four hundred delegates and guests attending. The toastmaster was the Honorable Joseph Wellington Byrns, who, with a clever wit and brilliant stories, introduced the several speakers of the evening. In the unavoidable absence of Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Miss Alice L. McDuffie was called upon to give greetings from our sister society and spoke at length on the work of the D. A. R. The presentation of World War service medals to eighteen young compatriots of the Tennessee Society, by Major W. I. Lincoln Adams, Past President General of the Society, was a feature of the evening. Major Adams spoke as one comrade to another, and in a few impressive and earnest words told his fellow-compatriots what the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution stands for now and in the future. Judge Arthur P. Sumner, the newly elected President General, gave a brief but brilliant address, outlining some of the ideals for which we stand and pledging a renewed effort to carry on the great work of the Society, Mrs. L. S. Gillentine, of Murfreesboro, State Regent of Tennessee D. A. R., also spoke briefly in most happy vein. Dr. J. H. Kirkland, Chancellor of Vanderbilt University, who was to give the address of the evening, because of the lateness of the hour, gave but a part of his speech. It was regretted by his hearers that this was so, for if the short but brilliant address was any criterion of what this eloquent gentleman is capable of the guests would have been willing to listen to him for any length of time. The Fisk Jubilee Singers gave selections during the evening.

**Officers and Delegates Present at the 34th Annual Congress, S. A. R.,
Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923.**

President General W. I. Lincoln Adams, First Vice President General Hon. Harry T. Lord, Second Vice President General Philip F. Lerner, Third Vice President General Louis A. Bowman, Fourth Vice President General Henry B. Hawley, Fifth Vice President General Hon. George Albert Smith, Secretary General Frank B. Steele, Treasurer General George McK. Roberts, Historian General Joseph B. Doyle, Registrar General Francis B. Culver, Chancellor General Eugene C. Bonniwell, Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, Chaplain General Frederick W. Perkins, D. D.

Past Presidents General.

Hon. Cornelius A. Pugsley, Hon. R. C. Ballard Thruston, Newell B. Woodworth, Elmer M. Wentworth, Col. Louis Annin Ames, Judge Wallace McCamant.

Directors General and National Trustees.

Marvin H. Lewis, George E. Pomeroy, Charles Timothy Jewett, Col. C. Robert Churchill, Wilbert H. Barrett, C. Symmes Kiggins, Hon. James A. Wakefield, Hon. Arthur P. Sumner, Leland Hume, Daniel S. Spencer, Col. Eugene C. Massie.

DELEGATES.

Arkansas.

Thomas M. Cory.

Connecticut.

Leverett Belknap, Orlando H. Brothwell, Frederick A. Doolittle.

District of Columbia.

John S. Barker, Seldon Marvin Ely, Joseph Riddick Estes, Jr., Dr. Mark F. Finley, Clarence A. Kenyon, Major Overton C. Luxford, J. McDonald Stewart, Milo C. Summers.

Illinois.

Major W. G. Adkins, Bert P. Biggs, James Edgar Brown, Eugene D. Burbank, George A. Cameron, Harry G. Colson, Enoch H. Fudge, Judge Eben B. Gower, Henry L. Green, Charles A. Parker, William Reed, Dixon C. Williams, George A. Wright.

Indiana.

Stuart Eagleson, Edmund L. Parker.

Iowa.

Ezra Potter, Parley Sheldon.

Kentucky.

Lewis J. Gorin, Capt. E. T. Hutchings, Dr. Curran Pope, Lt.-Col. Henry J. Stites, Col. J. Swigert Taylor, Alex. W. Tippet.

Louisiana.

Harold W. King.

Maine.

Charles L. Hutchinson.

Maryland.

Joseph Henry Apple, Benson Blake, Jr., Albert Phenis, Col. David John Markey, T. Murray Maynadier, John Henry Orem, Jr., George Sadtler Robertson, Edward D. Shriner.

Massachusetts.

Charles Howard Bangs, M. D., Seth H. Clark, Edward Jones Cox, Horace A. Edgecomb, Henry Chapin Haile, John S. Kirkham, Major Alfred Pierce, Henry F. Punderson, Samuel Fuller Punderson, Eben Putnam, T. Julian Silsby, Richard H. Stacy, Burton H. Wiggin.

Michigan.

Almon B. Atwater, Roy Vorhees Barnes, Dr. Frank Ward Holt, Stoddard S. More, Albert H. Tippens.

Mississippi.

Charles L. Wood.

(Robert H. Wood as a guest)

Missouri.

Linn Paine, J. Alonzo Matthews.

Nebraska.

J. Reid Green, George A. Loveland.

New Hampshire.

Charles Arthur Holden.

New Jersey.

Madison Alling, Harry F. Brewer, Alpheus L. Brown, William J. Conkling, Dwight P. Cruikshank, James L. Garabrant, Frederic de Garmer Hahn, Joseph Holmes, William Clarkson Hope, Henry L. Kent, Charles J. Maxwell, George Vail Muchmore, Thomas A. Painter, David Lawrence Pierson, Stephen B. Ransom, William T. Sharpe, Oscar Stanley Thompson, Sr., Carl Montaigne Vail.

New York.

Col. William P. Alexander, George D. Barney, M. D., Ward Belknap, Leslie J. Bennett, Brig.-Gen. Oliver B. Bridgman, George Royce Brown, Lewis B. Curtis, Harold S. Hull, Herbert S. Kellogg, Hon. William Lathrope Love, M. D., Chester Pugsley, Hon. Harvey F. Remington, Col. Henry W. Sackett, George B. Sage, P. Valentine Sherwood, Charles H. Wight, John C. Wight, Charles P. Wortman.

Ohio.

Robert P. Boggis, Dr. E. R. Booth, Henry H. Hoard, Moulton Houk, Miles S. Kuhns.

Oregon.

Col. Henry C. Cabell.

Pennsylvania.

William J. Askin, Jr., Ira B. Blain, Col. Isaac B. Brown, Capt. Rasselas W. Brown, Omar S. Decker, Dr. Theodore Diller, Herman W. Fernberger, Frank J. Forsyth, R. C. Schanck, John A. Simeral.

Rhode Island.

Dr. Forrest G. Eddy, Mahlon Myron Gowdy, Herbert Ambrose Rice.

Tennessee.

W. K. Boardman, James M. Cox, Dr. L. W. Culbreath, Paul De Witt, M. D., John Tyree Fain, Carey A. Folk, A. L. Hayes, George Sharp Lannon, E. A. Lindsey, Charles S. Martin, Frederick W. Millsbaugh.

Texas.

Col. Walter Scott Mayer.

Utah.

Hon. Chauncey P. Overfield, Hon. William D. Riter.

Virginia.

Fred E. Emerson.

Wisconsin.

Henry S. Sloan.

Recapitulation.

National Officers.....	13
Past Presidents General.....	6
Directors General.....	2
Delegates	149
Total	170

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL FOR 1923

In making my report last year I said that it was neither possible nor desirable to give a complete review of the work accomplished by the Society or this office, and this year it will be the endeavor of the Secretary General to tell of some of the outstanding achievements of the Society during the year, and following the custom of our talkative friends in Congress, ask leave to print anything that may have been left out and that seems essential for the good of the organization.

Again, it must be said that the most important duty of the Secretary is the compiling and editing of the BULLETIN. Never has it seemed so important than at this time to have this magazine (for that is what it is now) the chief disseminator of our news and an influence to draw our many State societies and local chapters closer together.

First, let it be said again that this BULLETIN is the organ of the whole Society and not of any particular State, chapter, or locality. It has been the endeavor of the editor to give the widest scope and publicity to the State societies and their activities, and if some of the societies seem to have much more than others printed in the BULLETIN, it is only because these State societies sent in copy for publication and the others did not and the editor did not have any data to insert. In this connection it is again urged that the officers of the several State societies see to it that at least notes of their meetings and activities be sent in promptly. It would be an excellent idea if every State Society, and for that matter every chapter, have a publicity man, not only to gather items for the BULLETIN, but also for their local papers. Our Society does not get nearly the publicity it deserves for the work it is doing.

As you have no doubt noticed, the last publication of the BULLETIN contained a few desirable advertisements. This plan, suggested by the President General, was tried out and though small in this issue, it netted about \$150. It is felt that if a definite, comprehensive plan is carried out, enough advertisements may be secured to very materially lessen the cost of the publication of the BULLETIN. The members can very easily assist in this work. There are no doubt many of the compatriots who are in touch with national advertisers, either on account of personal interest or business connections, and a word spoken to the proper officials of the business house might assist in securing the advertisement. The

circulation of the BULLETIN is now nearly 20,000 and of a class that should appeal to many advertisers on account of its wide distribution and the quality of its readers.

That the OFFICIAL BULLETIN is an influence that is being felt, not only throughout our own organization, but also among others, is shown by the number of letters received from many parts of the country in reference to matter published in the magazine.

Another matter that has been started this year is the distribution of medals to the pupils of the grammar schools. This idea, which is somewhat different from the one that has been carried on by many of our societies for some years, was worked out by the Secretary and Mr. Ernest Hartwell, superintendent of the Buffalo Public Schools, and was set forth tentatively in the March BULLETIN. It has no doubt made a fine impression among the societies and if carried out will do much to forward the work of the patriotic education of this country.

In the matter of the list of members and their upkeep, it must be said that this is the most arduous and continuously strenuous job that the Secretary General has to cope with. The constant changes of addresses that come in after every BULLETIN is issued, the difficulty in obtaining the correct address of many of the members who have moved, and the lack in a few cases of co-operation of certain State societies in not sending in their changes, is a never-ending and sometimes irritating proposition and one that necessitates continuous and careful attention.

The list that was handed over to the Secretary General when he took hold was a geographical one only, and after struggling for a year to use this for all purposes, including the answering of many inquiries for names and addresses, it was decided to have a definite and purely alphabetical list so that these two together now make as perfect a list as could be under the circumstances. This work was started in January of this year and was only completed the week before this Congress. As it meant the refileing of some twenty thousand names and the checking them up with the other twenty thousand, the members may readily see that this was something of a job. Without the help of a remarkably able and energetic assistant, it will be frankly admitted that it would have taken twice as long and your Secretary might have been living in a home for incurables instead of enjoying the hospitality of Nashville at this time. However, it was well worth while, and if it is kept up to date will be a valuable and necessary asset to the Society.

As the activities of the Society in general will be set forth in the several reports of the President, the Vice-Presidents General, and the chairmen of the several committees, it is but necessary to mention some of them in passing. The chief efforts that have made a deep impression on the country and demonstrated what our Society can do when it goes after something are the Constitution Day celebration and the fight for the elimination of unpatriotic school histories from some of our public schools. The celebration of Constitution Day this year was even more general than ever before, and under the leadership of Past President General Ames was carried on with enthusiasm in every part of the country. A fine report of this was published in the December BULLETIN.

The BULLETIN has published in every number this year something about the school history matter, and that this has been a live subject and the articles have

been read is shown, as said before, by the number of letters received by the editor. The delegates will have a comprehensive report on this subject from Judge McCamant, who, it is known, has come to this Congress chiefly on account of his deep interest in this most important and vital subject.

The activities of the President General this year have been most far-reaching and strenuous. Major Adams has never refused a call upon him if it was possible to answer it. His tour to the coast in January was one that few men who did not have the splendid physical stamina and personal poise could have stood. The story of this trip is most interestingly told in the March BULLETIN and every member is urged to read it carefully, for it not only shows in detail where the President General visited, but if carefully digested will demonstrate how splendidly our members get together and the lasting effect of such occasions. To be made the guest of honor on numerous occasions; to be asked to speak before State legislatures; to be hailed in many cities by the public press as our "distinguished guest," and have reports of his speeches given outstanding publicity, all go to show that the places visited not only honored the man, but through him the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

The co-operation of the officers of the Society has been as pleasant and friendly as heretofore and a special word must be said for the careful and painstaking work of the Treasurer General, who has let nothing escape his searching eye and has his records in perfect condition.

That the Society is going ahead as never before is demonstrated to the Secretary General by the enthusiasm that seems to be permeating our organization on every side. The most remarkable evidence of this is right here in this State of Tennessee and in this city of Nashville. No one who has not had contact with Compatriot Millspaugh during the past year or so can realize what a splendid, enthusiastic booster he is. It was largely through his efforts that this Congress was held in this city; that Tennessee won the Traveling Banner last year and probably this year; that a chapter of nearly 50 is likely to be organized in another Tennessee city. And now, just as this report is being written, comes a letter from him saying that there is an excellent chance of reorganizing Mississippi, which has lain in a state of comor for several years past. These are but a few of his accomplishments, and if every State in the Society could have such a member the results would be far beyond our greatest hopes and desires. It is impossible to make a report of this kind without a tribute to such a man and his work.

From Minnesota comes reports of new chapters in Minneapolis and Duluth; from California of new chapters being organized in Sacramento and Fresno; from Ohio one in Akron, and from North Dakota one in Grand Forks.

From Texas, through Mr. Walter S. Mayer, who has been so long actively carrying on the work of the Texas Society, comes word of the election of officers of the State society in Houston and the formation of a new chapter in Galveston. Mr. Mayer has recently written that Texas has started upon a new and definite plan for the increase of interest and members, and to demonstrate their earnestness he has wired for 150 new application blanks for membership.

West Virginia is well on the way toward the formation of a new Society in that State, and Pennsylvania, after holding a most enthusiastic meeting on February 22, at which time new officers were elected, headed by Mr. R. C.

Schanck, of Pittsburgh, is out to show what it can do by sending for 500 application blanks. Mr. Schanck is another of those splendid men who have recently helped our Society grow and increase both in numbers and activities. New chapters have been formed in Middletown and McKeesport and one is about to be formed in Johnstown. With leadership of this kind it is certain that this great State will be well up on the list of accomplishments by the end of another year.

There are many other societies of a similar enthusiasm and interest. New Jersey is still leading in numbers and activities. One has but to read of the constant and continuing meetings of the many chapters in that State, of the large and enthusiastic meetings of the State society and its active participation in all the patriotic events of the year, of the increase in numbers in every quarter, to realize that this State, whose activities are so well handled by its enthusiastic and deeply earnest secretary, is in the van of the whole Society and it will take herculean efforts to dislodge it from its well earned position.

With these few examples it is felt that the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, is well on its way toward a period of growth, prosperity, and accomplishment that will in a few years make it an organization whose influence will be felt more and more in these troublesome times and one that will go a long way toward keeping our country close to the ideals that were set by our Revolutionary ancestors.

FRANK B. STEELE,
Secretary General.

REPORT OF TREASURER GENERAL, MAY 15, 1923

President General and Compatriots:

In submitting his first annual report, the Treasurer General desires to acknowledge the whole-hearted co-operation and assistance rendered by the former Treasurer General, Mr. John H. Burroughs, whose advice and help have been greatly appreciated. He also wishes to express his thanks to the officers of the various State societies for their co-operation and for their promptness in forwarding remittances.

With the approval of the President General, it has been decided to install a new and complete set of double-entry books, beginning with the new fiscal year.

As will be seen from the figures submitted, of the present cash balance of \$5,266.03 only \$4,014.66 is available for current expenses, the balance consisting of uninvested cash in the Permanent Fund. There are accounts payable of \$2,010.60 not yet due, leaving only a working balance of \$2,004.06. It is evident we will be obliged to again borrow, as our only additional income during the current year will be from membership fees, interest, rebates, etc. The Society should not be obliged to expend the amount received for membership fees to meet ordinary expenses. In the opinion of your Treasurer General, this should be placed in a special fund for other purposes.

If the increase in annual dues is not granted, your finances will be in a serious state, and even if they are increased, the treasury will not benefit for another year.

Balance on hand May 10, 1922..... \$3,392.01

RECEIPTS

Annual Dues:		
1920.....	\$39.00	
1921.....	40.00	
1922.....	527.00	
1923.....	8,547.50	
		<u>\$9,153.50</u>
Membership fees	2,645.00	
Supplementals	443.00	
Certificates	1,443.17	
Application blanks	412.96	
Year books and bulletins.....	21.56	
Stationery	3.00	
Membership cards	40.00	
Insignia die60	
Rosettes and ribbon.....	53.67	
Medals and service bars.....	304.22	
Rebates on insignia, rosettes, and ribbon.....	347.32	
Advertising	45.00	
Interest:		
On balances	\$55.65	
On investments	558.75	
On Moses Greeley Parker Fund.....	244.99	
		<u>859.39</u>
Deposit on account London Chapter.....	90.00	
Loan Corn Exchange Bank.....	3,500.00	
Refund unpaid P. O. M. O. Indiana Society.....	\$1.00	
Refund unpaid check District of Columbia Society	5.00	
		<u>6.00</u>
		<u>19,368.39</u>
		<u>\$22,760.40</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Secretary General:		
Salary	\$1,800.00	
Postage	132.07	
Telegrams	14.61	
Express charges	26.96	
Rent of typewriter.....	36.00	
Filing cabinets	29.00	
Office supplies	52.77	
Sundries	8.89	
Expenses attending Springfield Congress.....	77.02	
Expenses attending Executive Committee meeting, October 31, 1922, New York City.....	43.08	
		<u>\$2,220.40</u>

Registrar General:		
Salary	\$1,200.00	
Postage	71.37	
Express charges	9.03	
Office supplies	3.51	
Sundries	21.32	
Clerical assistance	54.75	
Expenses attending Springfield Congress.....	81.80	
		1,441.78
Treasurer General:		
Postage	\$15.22	
Stenographic services	25.00	
Expenses attending Springfield Congress.....	42.37	
		82.59
Rent of office at Washington, D. C.....		630.00
Bulletin:		
Printing and binding.....	\$5,458.07	
Half-tones and electros.....	19.25	
Stencils	259.19	
Envelopes	570.48	
Postage and express.....	426.19	
		6,733.18
Certificates:		
Engraving and lithographing.....	\$520.00	
Engrossing	447.43	
Seals	3.00	
Carriers	4.65	
Record book	3.50	
		978.58
Blanks:		
Application	\$389.43	
Transfer application	19.00	
Registration	11.00	
Credential	7.25	
Membership cards	50.50	
Invoice	7.50	
Registrar General	14.00	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	505.56	
Circulars	115.40	
		1,119.64
Rosettes	43.49	
Ribbon	126.34	
Medals	73.93	
Copper shell for official seal.....	14.60	
Small official seal for certificates.....	20.25	
Emblem electros	4.25	
Signature die	3.25	
Certificate and insignia electros.....	2.00	

Miscellaneous postage	\$2.00
Recording and transcribing proceedings Springfield Congress.....	100.00
Record book for Congress.....	4.50
Safe-deposit rent	6.00
Indemnity bond	25.00
Expenses Acting Chairman Credentials Committee attending Springfield Congress	27.60
Expenses of organization North Carolina and South Carolina Societies	29.67
Wreath for Washington Monument.....	10.00
Wreath for Past President General Beardsley's funeral.....	15.00
American Flag Association membership on account.....	5.00
National American Council assessment.....	100.00
Refund deposit account of London Chapter.....	90.00
Refund account of unaccepted supplemental application Indiana Society	1.00
Corn Exchange Bank:	
Demand loan	\$3,500.00
Interest on demand loan.....	67.09
	3,567.09
Refund unpaid P. O. M. O. Indiana Society.....	\$1.00
Refund unpaid check District of Columbia Society.....	5.00
	6.00
Exchange on out of town checks.....	11.23
	\$17,494.37
	=====
Balance on hand May 10, 1922.....	\$3,392.01
Receipts for year	19,368.39
	=====
	\$22,760.40
Disbursements	17,494.37
	=====
Balance on hand May 15, 1923.....	\$5,266.03
	=====
In Corn Exchange Bank.....	\$4,014.66
In Broadway Savings Institution.....	1,251.37
	=====
	\$5,266.03
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	
Arizona, May 9, 1923, blanks.....	\$6.63
District of Columbia, May 15, 1923, supplementals.....	2.00
Illinois, May 11, 1923, supplementals.....	7.00
Indiana, May 3, 1923, overpayment.....	2.22 cr.
Iowa, April 1, 1923, dues (no report).....
Iowa, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	1.67
Kansas, April 13, 1923, certificate.....	2.24
Louisiana, February 10, 1923, blanks.....	\$8.41
Louisiana, April 13, 1923, certificates.....	50.90

Louisiana, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	\$2.73	
Louisiana, May 4, 1923, supplementals.....	4.00	
		\$66.04
Maine, April 13, 1923, certificates.....		4.26
Minnesota, July 12, 1921, overpayment.....	3.60	cr
Minnesota, January 23, 1922, supplementals.....	2.00	
Minnesota, February 10, 1923, blanks.....	6.29	
Minnesota, April 1, 1923, dues.....	161.00	
Minnesota, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	10.46	
		176.15
Nebraska, May 8, 1923, blanks.....	6.36	
Oklahoma, May 8, 1923, blanks.....	6.45	
Utah, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	6.60	
Washington, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	6.63	
Wyoming, April 1, 1923, dues.....	22.50	
Western Reserve Chapter:		
May 21, 1920, certificate.....	\$2.00	
February 24, 1921, supplemental.....	1.00	
April 19, 1921, supplemental.....	2.00	
December 6, 1921, certificate.....	2.00	
February 15, 1923, certificate.....	.22	
		7.22
J. E. Caldwell & Co., April 25, 1923, advertising.....		100.00

\$419.53*

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

H. S. P. Clark, May 5, 1923, clerical services Registrar General's office	\$9.25	
Francis B. Culver, April 30, 1923, postage.....	4.40	
Judd & Detweiler, Inc.:		
April 9, 1923, application blanks	\$54.86	
April 9, 1923, letterheads and envelopes.....	26.47	
		81.33
May 7, 1923, application blanks	\$10.31	
May 7, 1923, stencils	36.25	
May 7, 1923, BULLETIN envelopes	36.75	
		83.31
May 7, 1923, printing March BULLETIN.....	\$1,436.60	
May 7, 1923, half tones	13.64	
May 7, 1923, postage and express for BULLETINS...	160.92	
		1,611.16
J. T. Lynam Co.:		
April 17, 1923, credential blanks	\$6.50	
April 17, 1923, registration blanks	8.75	
April 17, 1923, certificate blanks	3.25	
April 17, 1923, half tones	12.95	

* Not including Iowa Society dues. Amount not reported.

J. T. Lynam Co.:		
April 17, 1923, letterheads and envelopes.....	\$4.85	
April 17, 1923, circular letters	5.50	
		\$41.80
The National Union Insurance Co., April 30, 1923, rent for May...		52.50
Frank B. Steele:		
May 12, 1923, postage	\$9.18	
May 12, 1923, telephone	3.80	
May 12, 1923, rent of typewriter.....	3.00	
		15.98
Styles & Cash:		
April 30, 1923, BULLETIN envelopes	\$86.80	
April 30, 1923, envelopes	16.02	
April 30, 1923, ledger	3.75	
		106.57
		\$2,010.60
Otto Ulbrich Co., May 1, 1923, office supplies.....		4.30
Audited and found correct.		
HENRY V. CONDUCT,		
For Finance Committee.		

GEORGE MCK. ROBERTS,
Treasurer General.

Report on Permanent Fund

MAY 15, 1923.

PRESIDENT GENERAL AND COMPATRIOTS:

The Treasurer General has the honor to submit the following report on the Permanent Fund:

Since the report of May 10, 1922, there has been received \$347.32 from rebates on insignia, rosettes, and ribbons, making the amount uninvested, including interest, \$1,251.37.

The amount of securities now held is \$14,500, par value. A special report on these securities will be made by Hon. Cornelius A. Pugsley, Chairman of the Permanent Fund Investment Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE MCK. ROBERTS,
Treasurer General.

Report of Committee on Investment of Permanent Funds

MAY 12, 1923.

I have examined the securities in the safe deposit vault in New York City held by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and find the securities are as follows:

- \$1,000 4¼ per cent Liberty Bonds (4th).
- 2,500 4¼ per cent Liberty Bonds (3d).
- 1,000 3½ per cent Liberty Bonds (1st).

1,000 Keokee Cons. Coke Co. 5 per cent Bonds.
 1,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe 4 per cent.
 2,000 State of New York 4 per cent.
 4,000 4 per cent Bonds, City of New York.
 1,000 4½ per cent City of New York.
 1,000 New York Railway Adjustment 5's.

Total, \$14,500

C. A. PUGSLEY,
Chairman of Committee.

AN INTERESTING SOUVENIR

In response to many requests, former President General Adams has allowed his short address on "The Responsibility of the Well-born," which appeared in the October number of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN last year, to be reprinted on card-boards for more permanent and convenient preservation.

The card-boards are eleven by fourteen inches in size, and contain also the official portrait of the President General, which appeared as a frontispiece to our December, 1922, number. The whole is surrounded by a neat border, printed in Continental blue on Colonial buff; and they make appropriate subjects for framing.

Only fifty of these cards have been printed from hand-set type, which has been distributed. Major Adams has signified his willingness to sign a few in India ink, and present them, with his compliments, to those State societies, or chapters, which have permanent headquarters and would like to frame a copy for their walls.

One copy has already been sent to our National Headquarters in Washington and one to Continental Memorial Hall, the National Headquarters of the D. A. R., in the same city. Another copy has gone to the historic Old Barracks at Trenton, N. J., while a Masonic lodge in Texas liked so well the sentiments expressed in this patriotic address they caused it to be engrossed and hung it up on the walls of their lodge-room.

The Secretary General, who is also editor of our OFFICIAL BULLETIN, will gladly forward to Major Adams any request for this interesting souvenir of his administration which he may receive; or applications for it may be sent directly to Major Adams himself, at Montclair, N. J.

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL, 1923

Your Registrar General has the honor to report a year of progress for the Society. There has been no abatement of interest in the work. The influx of new members has been steady and constant.

Immediately preceding October 1, 1922, the date on which the National Society initiation fee became operative, we enrolled an unusual number of new members. This was followed by a brief period of comparative quiescence; and thereafter, as the several State organizations became adjusted to the new order of things, accessions to our membership have been coming in steadily.

There was enrolled from April 1, 1922, to April 1, 1923, a total of 1,424 members. The decrement by deaths, resignations, etc., exceeds that of the preceding year (approximately 1,175 as against 850), being occasioned chiefly by losses in two or three of the larger State societies.

The membership on our rolls as of April 1, 1923, was 18,074, and with 188 additions since the date to May 15, shows a total of 18,262. On account of the losses already noted, our net gain in membership has not been commensurate with our expectations, however.

Besides the admission last year into the Massachusetts Society of Dr. Crosby Perry, a "real son," of whom notice was published in the last June BULLETIN, and who was present at the Springfield Congress, the Maine Society has added to its membership Mr. Peter Brackett, of Biddeford, a son of William Brackett, who was born at Falmouth, Mass., in 1752, and was a sergeant in the Massachusetts Militia and Continental Troops. Compatriot Brackett was born March 4, 1838.

Among our hopes held out for the immediate future, is the organization of a "London Chapter" of the S. A. R., upon which thought and effort have been directed for some time past, and credit must be given the Louisiana and New York Societies for their activities in this undertaking. Since the close of the fiscal year, the nucleus of a revived Society in South Carolina is in process of formation, the old South Carolina Society of twenty members having passed out of existence in 1912. Alabama, also, is expected to be heard from shortly, and the outlook for West Virginia is promising and within the range of certainty.

In the year's necrology we record with regret the following notable losses: Judge Morris B. Beardsley, Past President General; Captain John H. Moore, U. S. N., Past Vice-President General; Colonel Robert W. Guthrie, of Pennsylvania Society, member of the Board of Trustees and a constant attendant at the congresses of the National Society; Paris B. Bartley, President of the Montana Society; Hon. Morgan G. Bulkeley, Past President of the Connecticut Society, former U. S. Senator, etc.; Albert M. Henry, Past President of the Michigan Society and member of the Board of Trustees; James Polk Willard, faithful Secretary of the Colorado Society for a number of years; Colonel George T. Wood, U. S. A., Treasurer of the Kentucky Society and member of the Board of Trustees; Arthur B. Clarke, President of the Virginia Society and member of the Board of Trustees; Charles E. Rittenhouse, Past President of the Minnesota Society; and others whose services as well as their presence in their respective societies will be missed. One "real son" of a Revolutionary soldier, a member of the Colorado Society, passed away last June in the person of William Thomas Eubank.

Since the suspension in 1920 of the publication of our rather expensive Year Book, the Registrar General has published in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN (quarterly) a complete pedigree, as well as the Revolutionary services, of the ancestor of each new member and likewise for all Supplementals; and from the many letters received in this connection, we are convinced that the interest in this section of the BULLETIN is keen and that its publication is of great benefit to an ever-widening circle of individuals seeking genealogical data with the object of gaining admission to our American Revolutionary patriotic societies.

As there was a large number of copies of the Year Books of certain periods lying idle in this office, it was deemed opportune to offer some of the surplus copies to members desiring to possess them. A notice to this effect in the December

BULLETIN was followed by the delivery of 105 copies to officers and members, some of the copies being purchased.

In this connection it may be stated that the archives in the Registrar General's office are of great historical and genealogical value, as they contain the application papers of more than 38,000 members who have been admitted since the organization of the Society in 1889.

There is a card index for each of these members, so that any paper may be found upon short notice. There is, likewise, a card index of the Revolutionary ancestors of each member, as well as of Supplemental ancestors, comprising a total list of approximately 50,000 patriot forebears whose actual services can be readily obtained from these papers. The necessity of a fire-proof protection for such valuable archives is patent. It may be a wise and practical provision, to be borne in mind when the time arrives that we can afford a more commodious housing for our valuable records, to have the application papers of our members bound in book form, with durable covers, so that they may be saved from the wear occasioned by the constant, but necessary use of the present files.

One of the most interesting manuscript records in our possession is the volume containing the names of the founders and earliest members of our Society. Among these members are to be met the names of men of national and international reputation a generation ago, the men who devised our Society's Constitution and By-Laws, and whose wisdom and foresight are evident to any one who is familiar with the conduct of the Society's business. The aforementioned volume and some of the later ones are sorely in need of proper binding to preserve their contents.

In addition to these suggestions, it may be remarked that a volume containing an alphabetical list of all Revolutionary ancestors should be published from our files, with such additional data as may appear to be relevant and practicable. A compilation of this kind would constitute a valuable reference work which should be in great demand and could be sold at the price of the cost of publication per volume.

During the year, the Registrar General has received certain donations of books and pamphlets for the office library, including a biography and genealogical history of compatriot Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, of the Massachusetts Society, who died in 1917, compiled by Frederick W. Coburn and presented through the Moses Greeley Parker trust; also a copy of "The Keller Family," by Dr. D. H. Keller, of the Louisiana Society; and numerous State Society compilations. This office will appreciate and utilize for the benefit of our members, any donations of books on family genealogy, county and State histories, or any pamphlets and other material bearing on these subjects, and due acknowledgment will be made.

In the course of the year hundreds of letters have been written in the regular order of the Society's business, and numerous replies have been sent in answer to all sorts of inquiries more or less pertinent, from outsiders. The number of supplemental applications approved during the year is 363; about 500 certificates of membership were issued; and the six months of the operation of the new fee system, 387 original applications (on which the \$5.00 fee had been paid) were approved and registered. Under the new system a free certificate is issued to the new member, but certain State Societies, such as Louisiana, New York, and Texas, have decided to purchase the old-style or larger and more elaborate certificate of membership.

The greatest percentage of net gain by Societies numbering 100 members and upwards, was attained by the Tennessee Society, which commenced on April 1, 1922, with a membership of 157 and ended the present year with a net membership of 226—a gain of 67, or 43.4 per cent. The next highest percentage was made by the Minnesota Society, with 20.6 per cent, and Indiana ranks third highest with 18.5 per cent. Tennessee, therefore, is entitled to the Traveling Banner for the second consecutive time.

The Syracuse Banner, to be awarded to the Society enrolling the greatest number of new members, will be retained by the New Jersey Society, with an enrollment of 167. The next in order are the "Empire State" Society, with 118; Massachusetts, with 104; Pennsylvania, with 96, and Illinois, with 89.

The Registrar General desires to express his thanks for the unfailing co-operation that has existed during the past year on the part of his fellow officers and his appreciation of their many courtesies. In the immediate work of this office he can not fail to mention the invaluable assistance rendered by Mrs. Clark, whose years of experience in this work and whose faithful performance of duty well done have made her an indispensable aid. The Registrar General's office closes the year with a virtually clear track for his successor, and with a record established for economy in the administration of business.

In conclusion, I may add that when I first entered upon the duties of the office to which I was elected at the last National Congress of this Society, I had, perhaps, the notion which is usually in the mind of the tyro, the novice, or whatever you may chose to term the fresh unsophisticated individual who has been looking on the inside from without, that I would discover many things that should be remedied, many innovations that could be made, etc., etc.

But during twelve months of more or less intimate association with this phase of the work of the National Society, I have grown to appreciate the admirable "foresight" of the founders of this great organization in the framing of its Constitution and the working out of its By-Laws, and have felt that my feeble efforts could be confined more advantageously to the conservation of the old landmarks and to a strict adherence to the rules and regulations foreordained by the Society's founders and incorporators, who boasted such names as Porter and Clark of the District of Columbia, Otis of New York, Webb of Vermont, Hoar of Massachusetts, Deming of Connecticut, McDowell of New Jersey, Hayes of Ohio, Wade Hampton of South Carolina, Buckner of Kentucky, Gordon of Georgia, Fitzhugh Lee of Virginia, and Taylor of Tennessee; besides others of equal caliber whose names space and time forbid me to mention here.

FRANCIS B. CULVER,
Registrar General.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL, 1923

	March 31, 1922.	Ad- ditions.	Losses.	March 31, 1923.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	New Members.
Arizona	48	---	1	47	---	1	---
*Arkansas	68	4	9	63	---	5	4
California	529	70	33	566	37	---	62
Colorado	328	7	22	313	---	15	7
*Connecticut	1,172	27	30	1,169	---	3	27
Delaware	107	8	1	114	7	---	7
District of Columbia	515	54	14	555	40	---	48
Florida	43	15	---	58	15	---	15
Georgia	28	5	---	33	5	---	5
Idaho	125	6	14	117	---	8	6
Illinois	1,220	100	132	1,188	---	32	89
Indiana	265	56	7	314	49	---	49
Iowa	490	31	109	412	---	78	30
Kansas	124	16	30	110	---	14	15
Kentucky	220	18	14	224	4	---	18
Louisiana	335	45	31	349	14	---	44
Maine	346	13	30	329	---	17	13
Maryland	496	55	15	536	40	---	51
†Massachusetts	1,848	121	143	1,826	---	22	104
Michigan	702	59	84	677	---	25	53
Minnesota	267	67	12	322	55	---	65
Missouri	220	23	8	235	15	---	21
Montana	34	4	6	32	---	2	3
*Nebraska	250	22	(?)	272	22	---	22
New Hampshire	185	8	10	183	---	2	8
New Jersey	1,852	175	78	1,949	97	---	167
New Mexico	64	7	7	64	---	---	6
New York	1,770	134	126	1,778	8	---	118
North Dakota	83	17	4	96	13	---	15
Ohio	853	64	17	900	47	---	62
Oklahoma	119	3	6	116	---	3	3
Oregon	260	27	11	276	16	---	25
Pennsylvania	763	100	69	794	31	---	96
Rhode Island	386	30	16	394	14	---	29
South Dakota	78	5	12	71	---	7	5
Tennessee	157	74	5	226	69	---	66
Texas	98	15	28	85	---	13	14
Utah	212	14	7	219	7	---	11
†Vermont	198	2	9	191	---	7	2
Virginia	263	11	7	267	4	---	10
*Washington	295	12	(?)	307	12	---	12
†Wisconsin	172	14	6	180	8	---	14
Wyoming	44	2	1	45	1	---	2
Hawaiian	79	1	10	70	---	9	1
Total	17,707	1,541	1,174	18,074	630	263	1,424

*Alabama, Far East, France, Mississippi, Nevada, North Carolina, South Carolina.

*No report. Figures when given are based upon incomplete data.

†Figures for March 31, 1922, are revised.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PATRIOTIC EDUCATION

Mr. President General and Gentlemen of the Nashville Congress, S. A. R.:

Your Committee on Patriotic Education makes the following report:

The subject of patriotic education is closely related to the purposes for which this Society exists. The subject is a large one; many forms of activity are properly comprehended by it. It is obviously better for your committee to concentrate on one line of activity in which it is possible to secure results than to spread our activities over so large a field as to preclude the accomplishment of anything practical.

A resolution adopted at the Springfield Congress charged us particularly to take all needful measures to eliminate from our schools text-books on American history which undervalue the services rendered by the men of the American Revolution or which teach class hatred.

Your committee has reviewed a large number of the books in use in our schools. We have found a great deal of inaccuracy and considerable propaganda bearing on political questions which still divide the people. The fundamental defects and those which are most clearly subject to criticism at the hands of a patriotic society are inadequate and unsympathetic treatment of the American Revolution and a treatment of events in our recent history in such manner as to inculcate loyalty to class rather than to country.

The matter is one of great importance. Most Americans go through life with little knowledge of their country's past save such as they learn in school. If this knowledge is tainted, the quality of their citizenship is impaired.

The American Revolution is an event of outstanding significance. We are not mistaken in our contention that it should be adequately covered in a school history.

Nor is a superficial treatment of this epoch to be excused on the ground that the author is writing a book for the use of advanced students who are supposed to have learned the details in more elementary text-books. It is conceded that a history intended for high school students should be adapted to their intelligence, and should differ from elementary histories in style and scope. But any American history is lacking in proportion if it fails to treat adequately the war which made the Declaration of Independence effective and which made possible government under the Constitution. Fiske, Schouler, Lodge, and Trevelyan all wrote for adults who are supposed to have studied the history of our country in their student days. They all tell the stories of Bunker Hill and Bennington, of Trenton, Princeton, and Valley Forge, of King's Mountain, the Cowpens, and Yorktown with a wealth of detail which grips the imagination and convinces the reader that our free institutions are a treasure bought with a great price. An author who devotes ten pages out of five hundred to the Revolutionary War invites the censure of such a Society as ours. Still more is he to be condemned if his account of the Revolution is colorless, if the heroic element is eliminated and if matter is published which will cause indiscriminating school children to feel unkindly to the great men to whom we owe our national independence.

Hero worship is one of the mightiest and most wholesome of ethical influences. A veneration for the great men of our past is the best antidote for radical and disintegrating propaganda. A school history which does not inspire this veneration does not belong in our schools.

The chief purpose to be subserved in teaching American history is the inculcation of patriotism. It is believed by your committee that the subject can be taught in such a way as to insure that the bulk of the students will go through life good Americans and that the appeals of demagogues will find little favor with them.

Your committee is actuated by no feeling of hostility to Great Britain. The present generation of Britons has rendered so magnificent a service in the preservation of civilization that all good Americans should have a feeling of comradeship for them. They should not be punished for the sins of George III. But school histories, while properly stressing the part played by Great Britain in the World War, should also tell with colorful emphasis the story of the heroism of our forefathers in resisting the tyranny of a British king and winning for this country a place among the nations. Our desire for friendly relations with Great Britain must not induce us to bring up a generation of Americans to whom Bunker Hill and King's Mountain will be meaningless names and who will have a feeling of criticism, rather than of gratitude, for such men as John Hancock and Alexander Hamilton. The rising generation must be Americans, not merely Anglo-Saxons.

Your committee has found the McLaughlin & Van Tyne, O'Hara, Everett Barnes, Hart, James and Sanford, Muzzey and West histories objectionable in their treatment of the American Revolution. The Muzzey, West and Burnham histories are also open to criticism on the score of class hatred. The Muzzey and West histories being objectionable on both grounds, we have published criticisms pointing out some of the respects in which we object to them. These pamphlets have been widely circulated.

In our attack on the objectionable books we have been favored with assistance from a number of other organizations, notably the Daughters of the American Revolution, especially in the States of Ohio, Tennessee, and Washington, the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in the Southern jurisdiction, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Patriotic Order Sons of America in Pennsylvania, and the Knights of Columbus Historical Commission, especially in Massachusetts.

So many individuals have co-operated with us in our work that we cannot name them all and we hesitate to name any for fear that we shall seem unappreciative of the work done by others. It is nevertheless true that this report would be inadequate if it failed to mention the scholarly brief printed and circulated by S. T. Cameron, of the District of Columbia on the Muzzey history. It is believed that no open minded man can read this argument without reaching the conclusion that Muzzey is hopelessly unfit for school use.

Captain A. H. Conner, President of the Idaho Society and Attorney General of that State, published in the Boise *Statesman* an attack on the Willis Mason West history which has so much value that we have republished it in pamphlet form. Under his leadership the Idaho Society has succeeded in displacing from all but three of the schools in that State the text-books to which we object.

It is not surprising that we have had difficulties in our work and that we have met with opposition. The publishers of school books have a strong organization reaching into every corner of the Union. It is a part of their business to establish cordial relations with educators influential in the selection of text-books. Wherever an objectionable book is in use there is a board or committee responsible for its presence in the schools. It is to be expected that these men will defend their work.

It is unfortunately true that radical propoganda has distorted the point of view of many of our teachers. This was the keynote of the address of Mrs. George Maynard Minor, President General of the D. A. R., in her address at the Congress of her organization held at Washington on the 16th of April. Publishers of the objectionable books appreciate the radical tendencies of many of the teachers charged with the duty of selecting text-books.

The new edition of Muzzey makes some changes in deference to our criticism of the way in which the Revolution is treated. No concessions whatever are made in eliminating the matter which arouses class hatred. The author cuts out the quotation marks about the word "patriots," by which he indicated that Hancock, Warren, and the Adamases were pseudo or pretended patriots; he continues to publish his attack on the Supreme Court for its decision rendered in May, 1895, declaring the income tax law unconstitutional. Under the lash of criticism of his work as unfair to the South, Muzzey inserts in paragraph 140 a bare mention of Marion, Sumter, and Pickens; he continues to characterize a certain presidential campaign, which most of us remember vividly, as "a bitter battle between the western plowholder and the eastern bondholder."

There are unfortunately many jurisdictions in which radical tendencies in a school book make it more acceptable.

Notwithstanding the opposition which we have encountered, the evidence is abundant that our school-book campaign is accomplishing something. The Everett Barnes history has been amended and the author has removed from it the aspersions on John Hancock to which we objected. This text-book must not be confounded with the old Barnes history, which has always been sound in its Americanism. The Wm. B. Guiteau history has been revised in such a way as to meet all legitimate objections. We can unhesitatingly recommend it for high school use.

The American Book Company, publisher of the objectionable Hart history, has just put on the market a highly meritorious high school history, written by Reuben Post Halleck, of Louisville, Kentucky. The author of this book has agreed to meet our views in several respects and we have no hesitation in saying that the influence of the book will make for higher civic ideals and better citizenship.

Ginn and Company, publisher of Muzzey, within the last month has brought out an excellent grammar-school history, written by Rev. Wm. J. Long, of Stamford, Connecticut. Muzzey has also been amended, but the book is hopelessly wrong. No amendment can fit it for school use.

The Channing history is worthy of special mention. The author is professor of history at Harvard and is a son of William Ellery Channing. He is a man of great ability and ripe scholarship. His work gives abundant evidence of his loyalty to American fundamentals and its general influence in the schools would be good. Unfortunately he refers to the Master Masons who participated in the Boston Tea Party as a mob and he uses the word "riot" in characterizing the measures taken to oppose the Stamp Act and other oppressive measures of the Crown. His work also contains an objectionable reference to Alexander Hamilton. We have written the author in the hope that he can be induced to amend his history in the few respects in which it is open to serious objection.

Your committee recommends for grammar-school use the Gordy, and Thwaites & Kendall histories. For high-school use we approve of the amended Guiteau and the Halleck histories. It has not been possible during the past year to read and

review all of the histories which are in use. Your committee is ready, however, to advise members of the organization on this subject and to review other books from time to time as such review is called for.

The legislatures of Wisconsin and Oregon have enacted statutes which will make it unlawful to use in the schools of those States books of the character objected to.

The school board of Portland, Oregon, has created the office of Instructor in American Ideals and Patriotism. The superannuated teacher who holds this position goes about from school to school emphasizing the lessons to be drawn from our heroic past. The children always welcome him and his work has been of value in inculcating high civic ideals. It is believed that this practice should be followed in other cities.

Individual members of our Society in Rhode Island, New Jersey, the District of Columbia, Ohio, South Dakota, and California have taken issue publicly with the work of your committee. While this has weakened our position, it is recognized that each member of the Society is entitled to his opinion and his freedom of action on all subjects. In a membership of twenty thousand difference in point of view is inevitable and is to be expected.

The activities of your committee have been based on the resolution adopted a year ago at Springfield. It is competent for this Congress to recede from the position taken at that time. If it is the desire of this Congress that we accept as satisfactory the text-books which we have been endeavoring to ban, let that desire find expression in a suitable resolution. If, on the other hand, you approve of the work of your Committee of Patriotic Education, let it have the prestige of an endorsement in unequivocal terms. In other words, the position of the Society on this important subject should be made so clear that no individual member can in the future impair the effectiveness of work undertaken by its official representatives.

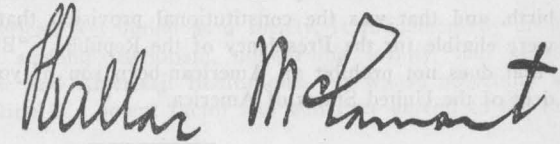
Your committee recommends that this Society continue to insist on the elimination from our schools of all text-books on American history which give to the Revolutionary War and the formative period a space and emphasis less than their importance demands; which tell the story of the Revolution without colorful portrayal of its heroic features or which speak of any of the great men of that time in a manner likely to evoke unkindly feeling on the part of school children; which fail to treat of any of the outstanding events of the contest or which contain a mere mention of such incidents as Bunker Hill, King's Mountain, and the partisan warfare in the Carolinas; also all text-books whose tendency is to breed economic discontent and to divide the people into hostile classes. We recommend that this Society insist on the use of text-books which instill loyalty to country rather than to class and which encourage students to affiliate with the patriotic societies and not with the I. W. W. or the socialistic and communistic parties. In carrying out these purposes the Committee on Patriotic Education should be authorized to call upon the State Societies and the various Chapters for assistance and to speak officially for the Society at all hearings on text-books.

The attention of the public has been directed to the subject of school histories. It is our belief that no publishing house will in the future find it profitable or satisfactory to bring out new books similar to those which are under fire. We must expect continued opposition in our efforts to eject from the schools any of the books which are now in use. But our motives will be recognized as dis-

interested, and if we are persistent the results will surely justify the effort put forth.

The objectionable books have been removed from a good many schools. Sometimes this has been accomplished without publicity; in other cases it has been necessary to evoke assistance from the press. With proper newspaper support public opinion will be with us everywhere and an aroused public opinion will compel proper action by the authorities.

Respectfully submitted,



Chairman.

MAY 9, 1923.

NOTE.—In a letter dated May 10th, Dr. Channing has agreed to amend his history in all the respects objected to by Judge McCamant, and The Rev. William J. Long, of Stamford, Conn., in a letter to Judge McCamant, uses these significant words: "What I missed in our histories, especially those of recent date, was that spirit of devotion without which mere facts of history have little interest or consequence to my boy or your boy."

PAST PRESIDENT GENERAL ADAMS TO NATURALIZED CITIZENS

The Montclair Chapter, S. A. R., as well as the local chapter of the D. A. R. in the former President General's home town, together with the local post of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Red Cross, held a very interesting and successful meeting and reception for recently naturalized citizens in the largest hall of Montclair, Thursday evening, April 26.

President Gibson, of the local chapter, presided; there was folk singing, dancing, orchestral music, and refreshments. The ritual of the Colors, with the eloquent Pledge to the Flag of the New Jersey Society and reading of The American's Creed, opened the ceremonies.

Then former President General Adams briefly addressed the newly naturalized citizens. He said, among other things, that it was "eminently fitting that the descendants of the oldest citizens should welcome the newest," and that he personally was "gratified to officially extend the right hand of fellowship and welcome to foreign-born citizens who have recently been naturalized."

He pointed out that "no son of the American Revolution should feel that he was a better citizen than one who was foreign-born just because he happened to be descended from a long line of American ancestry;" he had a "right to be proud of his ancestry, if it was patriotic," said the President General; "but he acquired no personal merit by virtue of his descent." On the other hand, he did inherit "a most solemn obligation from his American ancestors to acquit himself, in these present critical times, like the men of Seventy-six."

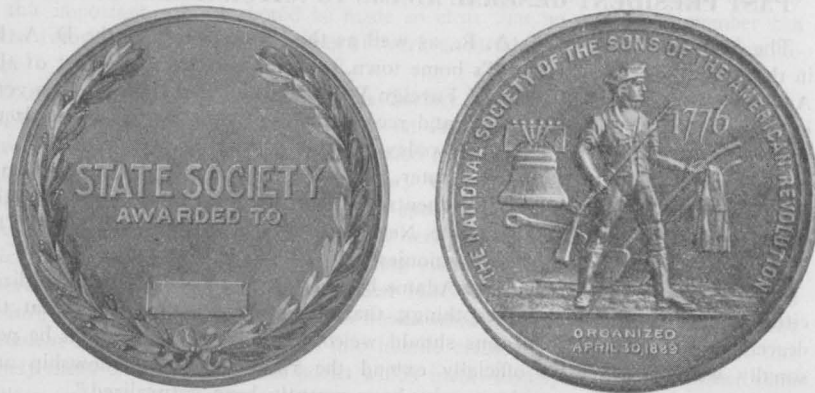
He then went on to explain how "our Revolutionary ancestors came to America originally from foreign shores, and were assisted in their struggle for independence by distinguished representatives of foreign nations, such as Pulaski,

Kosciusko, De Grasse, Rochambeau, and the gallant Lafayette. We are proud of them and of our ancestors; but no more so than your descendants, five or six generations from now, may, and I hope will, be proud of you." He declared that "true American citizenship is measured by its quality, not by its descent"; and that "all are true Americans who have the American spirit, whether native or foreign born."

Major Adams then called the "Roll of the Nations," and cordially grasped the hand of each representative as his native land was named. He reminded them that there was only one limitation to their citizenship, because of foreign birth, and that was the constitutional provision that only native-born citizens were eligible for the Presidency of the Republic. "But," said he, in conclusion, "that does not prohibit an American-born son of yours from becoming President of the United States of America."

THE SCHOOL MEDALS

The Congress at Nashville unanimously approved the project to issue and present medals to school pupils for achieving the highest standing in citizenship as outlined in the March BULLETIN and many delegates pledged that their State Societies would take a number of these medals. The Secretary General was authorized to contract for the medals and they will be available within the next month. The plan is to start the competition in the public schools next fall and award the medals at the end of a term or the year, as desired. It is believed that



MEDALS FOR PUPILS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

this plan, if carried throughout the country, will have a great effect in stimulating the teaching of better citizenship along the lines that our Society is trying to develop. The price of the medals will probably not be over \$1 each and the design and workmanship will be of the best. This very reasonable price is given because of the initial order of 1,000.

Societies and Chapters are asked to correspond with the Secretary General for further information and it is hoped that before the fall the first order will be exhausted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CEREMONIES AND COLORS, WITH CEREMONIES ADOPTED AND INAUGURATED BY THE NASHVILLE CONGRESS

Recently as per advices from your office it has been learned that Colonel George V. Lauman could not make the report of the Committee on Ceremonies and Colors, of which committee he was appointed Chairman at the Springfield Congress, and now in compliance with directions given, the undersigned, being second on said committee, has prepared and respectfully submits the following report.

The Sons of the American Revolution as a society, is fundamentally an embodiment of the most sterling patriotism, unswerving loyalty, and ceaseless devotion to the Republic and American Institutions, for whose perpetuity and supremacy the organization is a potent factor and will ever defend to the limit of human possibilities.

The sentiment that eternal vigilance is the price of our liberties justifies the addition of all features to our ceremonies which will increase our vigilance and accentuate our powers as the greatest of all loyal organizations. Therefore your committee submits the following for adoption, as the Opening Ceremonies of the Congresses of the National Society.

It is proper to state that the tribute to the flag as given in the opening ceremonies appears to be identical with that adopted by the State Society of New Jersey, which will be found in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN of March, 1923, at page 16. The sentiment is grandly heroic and the phraseology is most beautiful.

Respectfully submitted,

RASSELAS W. BROWN,
Acting Chairman.

OPENING AND CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION TO BE USED AT ALL ORGANIZATION MEETINGS

At five minutes before the hour fixed for the opening of the meeting, buglers will sound "Assembly."

Immediately after "Assembly" the Presiding Officer and Official Staff will assume their respective positions and members will be seated.

Color bearers and color guard carrying the American Flag on the right, and S. A. R. Flag on the left, with bugler will march from the corridors into the Assembly Hall, and come to a halt at rear of hall facing the station of the Presiding Officer.

PRESIDING OFFICER: Attention! Salute the colors.

NOTE: At the command "Salute the colors," all compatriots will face the colors and hold the military salute. The bugler will sound "To the Color." (If no bugler be present, the "Star Spangled Banner" will be played). At the last note all will resume attention by dropping the hand.

PRESIDING OFFICER: "Color Guard, advance the colors."

Color Guard National colors followed in column by other standards will advance to Presiding Officer, execute column left, halt and face to the left. National colors on right of Presiding Officers, S. A. R. color on left. As the colors pass each compatriot will give the courtesy due the flag by executing the military salute.

After the colors have arrived in position, the Presiding Officer will face the American Flag and deliver the following tribute:

"Flag of our great republic, hallowed by noblest deeds and loving sacrifice, guardian of our homes and inspiration in every battle for the right, whose stars and stripes stand for beauty, purity, truth, patriotism, and the Union, we salute

thee, and for thy defense, the protection of our country, and the conservation of the liberty of the American people, we pledge our hearts, our lives, and our sacred honor."

Announced by the Presiding Officer, the last verse of "America" will be sung. The Presiding Officer will announce a prayer by Chaplain or other person.

Here the Presiding Officer will announce the opening of the meeting for the purpose for which it was called.

CLOSING EXERCISES

PRESIDING OFFICER: "Color Guards, retire the colors."

Color guard will retire the colors in same order of march as advanced retiring to corridors, compatriots saluting, after which the Presiding Officer will announce the closing of the meeting.

THE SURRENDER OF THE BRITISH TO GALVEZ AT BATON ROUGE IN 1779.

The following story and letters are taken from the *Morning Chronicle and London Advertiser*, published in London April 3, 1780. This paper was found by Mr. William Beer, of the Howard Memorial Library of New Orleans, in an old book shop and turned over to Colonel C. Robert Churchill. Mr. Beer, who is deeply interested in all work of this character, has helped Colonel Churchill to unearth the history of the Galvez organization, and when one reads this most interesting description of the surrender and the definite statements of both General Campbell and Colonel Dickson, there can be no doubt that most valuable and convincing historical facts concerning this event are brought to light. The articles of capitulation are published in this article, but because of lack of space are not printed in the BULLETIN at this time; possibly later they will be used in another article.

THE MORNING CHRONICLE AND LONDON ADVERTISER (LONDON, ENGLAND,
APRIL 3, 1780.)

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE, OF SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1780.

Whitehall, April 1.

*Extract of a Letter from Major-General Campbell to Lord George Germain,
Dated Penfacola, December 15, 1779.*

What a grievous mortification must it be to me to have to relate to your Lordship, for my Sovereign's information, the conquest of the Western part of this province, by the arms of Spain, in consequence of their early intelligence of the commencement of hostilities. Having in my dispatches of the 14th of September, prepared your Lordship for the events which have followed, I shall refer for particulars to Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson's letter to me of the 20th of October from New Orleans, to the Articles of Capitulation between him and his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, Governor of Louisiana, at Baton Rouge, the 21st day of September, to the list he furnishes of the killed, wounded, and prisoners, and to a paper containing the reasons assigned by him for preferring Baton Rouge for a post whereat to make a stand, as comprising all the additional intelligence that appears to be requisite, of this unfortunate disaster.

I cannot help observing, that facts have demonstrated, that Spain had predetermined on a rupture with Great Britain long before the declaration made on the 16th day of June last by their Ambassador at the Court of London; had laid their plans, and prepared all their Governors abroad for such an event; and it would appear, had even fixed on the day, or at least nearly the time, on

which it was to take place; for we are here informed, that war was declared at Porto Rico in a few days after the 16th of June. English vessels are known to have been carried into the Havannah as prizes in the beginning of August last. And from New Orleans I have the Governor's own acknowledgment of his being apprized of the commencement of hostilities on the 9th day of August last; but how much earlier his intelligence of that event really was, is uncertain. However that be, it is now uncontrovertibly known, that he has long ago been secretly preparing for war. That having previously collected the whole force of the province of Louisiana, the independency of America was publicly recognized by beat of drum at New Orleans on the 19th day of August; and everything being in readiness for that purpose, he immediately marched against our forces of the Mississippi; and he so effectually succeeded by the capture, by stratagem, of a King's loop in Lake Pontchartrain, by the seizure of a schooner in the river Mississippi on her way with rum and provisions for Manchack, and of six other small vessels on the lakes and in the river Amite. One of these last with troops of the regiment of Waldeck, and another with provisions, and by preventive precautions in stopping any communication of intelligence of his movements, being sent to this place; that he had nearly effected the reduction of the Western part of this province, before we at Penfacola were apprized, or had the smallest communication of his having commenced hostilities; the information of that event having only reached me on the 14th of September, as intimated to your Lordship in my letter of that date; and Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson, it appears, was forced to capitulate on the 21st day of that same month.

*Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson to Major-General Campbell,
Dated New Orleans, October 20, 1779.*

SIR:

I send by Lieutenant Wilfon, for your information, a copy of a journal which I kept ever since the commencement of hostilities with the Spaniards. The dangerous and disagreeable situation I was in ever since that period will be fully related to you by him, and I hope will in every particular justify me, by convincing you that I have used my utmost efforts, even to the last minute, against a great superiority of forces, with every other advantage an enemy could desire. I send by Lieutenant Wilfon the Capitulation in English, as proposed by me to his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, and the original one in the French language, as finally concluded on between us. The terms are honourable to the troops and favourable to the inhabitants, and I hope will meet with your full approbation. Engineer Graham, who has obtained leave from his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez to go to Penfacola on private business, was very useful to me in drawing up the terms of Capitulation, and since our arrival here, on many occasions, from his perfect knowledge of the French language.

It is with pleasure I assure you, that all the officers and men under my command, behaved exceedingly well, and did every duty they were ordered with great cheerfulness and exactness. Lieutenant Wilfon and the detachment of the Royal Artillery, as well as the additional gunners, distinguished particularly, the day the enemy offered their batteries against the redoubt.

I must, in justice to his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, say, that the officers and soldiers, who are prisoners of war at this place, are treated with the greatest generosity and attention, not only by the officers, but even the Spanish soldiers seem to take pleasure in being civil and kind to the prisoners in general.

I am, &c.

(Signed)

ALEX. DICKSON,
Lieutenant-Colonel 16th Regiment of Foot.

Copy of Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson's Reasons for Removing to Baton Rouge.

BATON ROUGE REDOUBT, Sept. 22, 1779.

The various reports, seemingly well founded, that the rebels were in force above, and meditated in a short time an invasion of this part of the country, made it necessary without delay to fix upon some spot where works might be

thrown up and fortifications erected, so as to prevent, if possible, the troops under my command, and the country I was sent to protect, from falling into the hands of the enemy. The situation of Manchac was unanimously condemned, and the fort there considered as indefensible against cannon. Accordingly, on the 30th day of July, 1779, agreeable to my own sentiments, and those of the engineer and other officers I consulted on this occasion, it was determined to take post at Meff. Watts and Flowers's Plantation at Baton Rouge, the situation of which, and large quantity of cleared ground, pointing it out as the only place where I could have a reasonable prospect of accomplishing the intent of my command. I accordingly sent Engineer Graham with a letter addressed to the inhabitants, requesting them to cooperate with me in throwing up a redoubt on that place, with which they cheerfully complied.

Having intelligence which I could depend upon, on the 3d day of September, that his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez was approaching in force to attack me, and that the redoubt at this place was in pretty good forwardness, it was determined in a council of war to remove the troops, artillery, and stores, as soon as possible, to the redoubt, which was accordingly done. On the 12th day of September the redoubt was invested, and early in the morning of the 21st a battery of heavy cannon was opened against it; and after an incessant fire on both sides for more than three hours, I found myself obliged to yield to the great superiority of his artillery, and to surrender the redoubt to his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, who commanded the troops of his Catholic Majesty.

I am confident I should not have been able to have made so good a defence at Manchac, and of course to have procured such favourable terms for the troops under my command, and the country I was sent to protect.

On account of the redoubts being erected thereon, Governor Galvez, considering the plantation of Meff. Watts and Flowers as belonging to the King, has accordingly taken it; and unless Government shall make them a recompense, by reason of their loyalty and readiness to promote the protection of the country, they will lose a very valuable property; I therefore most strongly recommend them to Government for a generous satisfaction.

(Signed)

ALEX. DICKFON,

Lieut. Colonel 16th Regiment of Foot.

I do hereby certify, That having been consulted by Lieut. Col. Dickfon, when it was reported that the Rebels were coming down for to attack his Britannick Majesty's possessions on the Mississippi, it appeared to me, that in our actual circumstances nothing better could be done than to erect a field redoubt in the clearing of Meff. Watts and Flowers, who had been generous enough to offer the use of the land provisionally for that purpose; and that hearing that the Spanish forces under Don Bernardo de Galvez were coming to attack us, that it appeared to me that nothing else was left but to make our stand in the said Field Redoubt, the Stokade Fort at Manchac being untenable against cannon.

(Signed)

F. F. GRAHAM,
Assistant-Engineer.

THE PRESIDENT GENERAL'S SPECIAL

For the first time in the annals of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, a special train transporting delegates to the annual Congress was run over the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio and the Louisville & Nashville lines to Nashville, Tennessee, on May 19-20. It was named the President General's Special and carried representatives, accompanied by members of their families, from New England, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and the District of Columbia; also a number of the national officers, including President General Major Washington I. L. Adams. He appointed David L. Pierson as the traffic manager, who, after arranging the preliminaries, was assisted by Compatriots George McK. Roberts, Treasurer General, John C. Wight,

of the Empire State Society, Harry F. Brewer, delegate-at-large, and William C. Hope, of the New Jersey Society. All of these compatriots rendered most valuable service and made possible the success of the trip.

Special cars left the Pennsylvania Terminal, New York, at 9:30 a. m. and passengers were taken on en route till Washington was reached, when the train was made up as the special. At the National Capital the party spent several hours in sightseeing, the new memorial of Abraham Lincoln being visited, which made a most wonderful impression upon all the members of the party. Its ideal setting, magnificent proportions, and artistic feeling were all in thorough harmony, and it is truly a worthy memorial of the great life commemorated.

A stop was made at Harper's Ferry, and then the trip was continued to Nashville, where the Reception Committee of the Tennessee Society was in waiting to receive the party. Transportation was provided from the train to the hotel and the entire trip from the beginning to the end was most successful. J. B. Scott, General Eastern Passenger Agent, and E. J. O'Hearn, City Passenger Agent Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, and Richard Corry, City Passenger Agent Louisville & Nashville Railroad, were most faithful in looking after the wants of the travelers.

On the return trip the party was accompanied by Judge Arthur Preston Sumner, the newly elected President General, of Providence, R. I. The train left Nashville at 2:31 Wednesday morning, stopping at the Glasgow Junction, where breakfast was in waiting at 7 o'clock, after which the narrow-gauge line was taken to the Mammoth Cave. The mysteries of this nature wonder were explored by nearly all in the party for several hours and experiences, unique and in some respects hazardous, were the portion of all who took the trip. About eight miles were traveled and when daylight was again seen at 12 noon there was one general exclamation of thankfulness that the trip was over, but which had not been without its profit in promoting a fine spirit of good-fellowship, and in permitting of the inspection of the strange formations underneath the surface of the earth.

Early in the afternoon the train left Glasgow station for the remainder of the trip and New York was reached at 9 o'clock on Thursday evening, May 24.

THE WONDERS OF THE DUNES

"The Wonders of the Dunes," the long-promised book by Compatriot George A. Brennan, of the Illinois Society, representing the work of forty years as a naturalist and historian of the Dune-Chicago Region, is now completed. It is written in a very simple and pleasing style, and the boys and girls will enjoy reading it as much as the grown folks will.

This book contains about 300 pages, with illustrations and maps, and will be appreciated by all lovers of nature. It describes the beauties of the Dunes, its rare plants, birds and animals, and its wonderful history, from the Mound Builders to the present time, including the discovery near Waverly Beach of the site of the little French fort, Petite Fort, 1750-1800, and also the correct location of the Revolutionary battle of December 5, 1780, which was fought at Michigan City, instead of South Chicago. It tells about the old French fort at Chicago,

and also explains why Chicago, the Dunes, etc., were claimed by Spain in 1781. It describes the Dune-Chicago Region.

"The Wonders of the Dunes" contains a great deal of new information, especially Revolutionary history of northern Illinois and Indiana, as well as the Northwest territory. It shows how Major de Linctot, General Clark's great commissioner, organized a great Indian alliance, that extended from Pennsylvania to the Mississippi River, and how it collapsed at the Major's death in August, 1781. He was General Clark's right-hand man, and held Illinois and Indiana for the Americans until his death, when the Indians, who had been loyal to him, swung over to the British, and for years killed the Americans, including General Harmar and his army, and defeating General St. Clair with great slaughter.

It shows also how General Washington picked out Mad Anthony Wayne to command the western army, and personally drilled Mad Anthony in the way to fight Indians, insisting that he must march in open order, must camp every afternoon, must put a log barricade around his camps, and never to have his cavalry dismount to act as infantry. Mad Anthony drilled his men in all kinds of Indian tactics for two years, until he had a force of nearly 5,000 soldiers, many of whom were frontiersmen, that were ready to take the field and whip the Indians at their own game, just as Washington planned.

When Mad Anthony was ready, he started north from Cincinnati, building forts at strategic points, and when the Indians tackled him at Fallen Timbers he gave them such a thrashing that for a number of years they dared not trouble an American. It is not generally known that Washington planned this Indian Campaign.

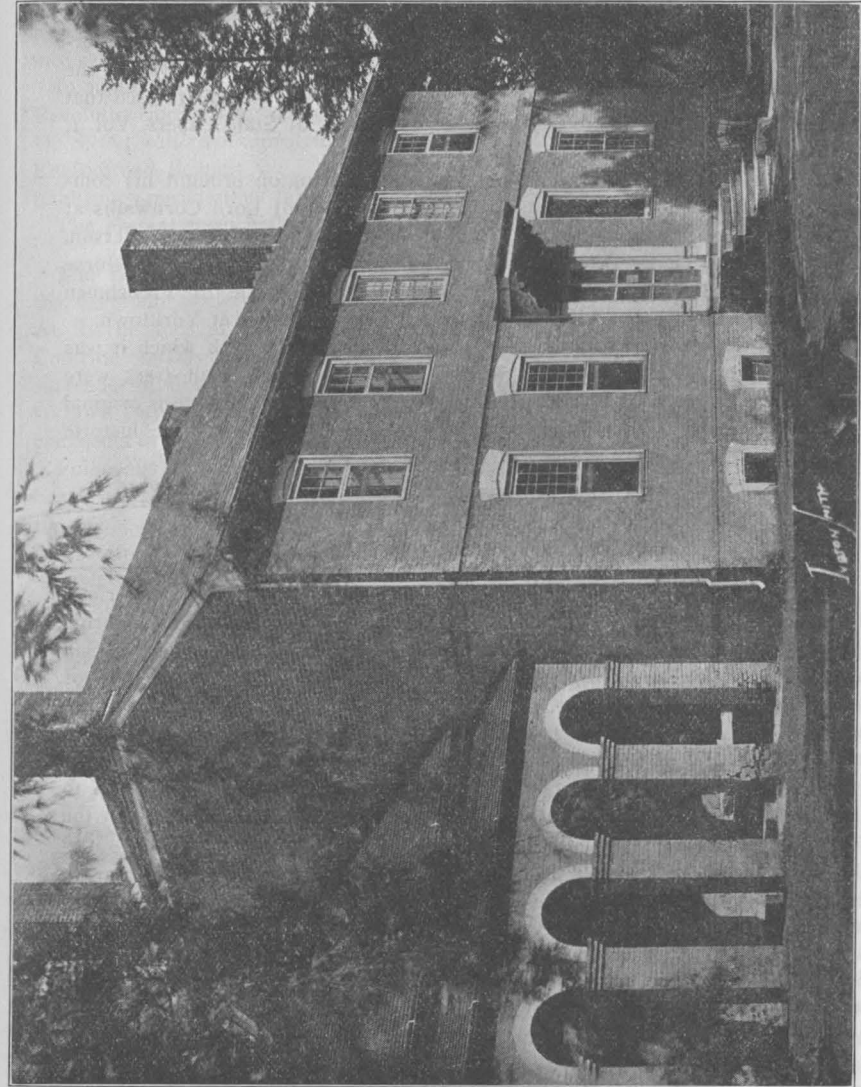
Bobbs-Merrill Co., Indianapolis, Ind., are the publishers of this valuable book.

KENMORE

This beautiful old Colonial home was built about the middle of the eighteenth century by Col. Fielding Lewis for his bride, Betty Washington, who was the only and much-loved sister of George Washington. It is adorned by unique ceilings and mantels which were suggested and designed by Washington himself.

This fine old historic homestead was constructed of solid brick, and is now and will be for generations to come a magnificent example of this type of Colonial architecture—the type consistent with the culture, wealth, and attainments of its illustrious occupants. The most striking feature of this famous old mansion is its interior decoration. George Washington took the deepest interest in his sister's home, which he loved next to Mount Vernon. The mantel in the reception room, which he designed—the fox, the crow, and the piece of cheese—was to teach his nephews to beware of flatterers.

Colonel Fielding Lewis was a man of large fortune, fine family, and great prominence in the Colony, and when the Revolutionary War came on there were none more fervently patriotic than he. His two older sons were with their uncle, the General. Ill health prevented him from taking the field himself, but his great influence was used and his fortune freely given for the cause of Liberty.



KENMORE, BUILT 1740 BY FIELDING LEWIS, WHERE HE TOOK BETTIE WASHINGTON (GEORGE'S SISTER) AS A BRIDE, FREDERICKSBURG, VA.

The Virginia Assembly, July, 1775, appointed Colonel Lewis chief commissioner for the manufacture of small arms ordered to be established in Fredericksburg, said to have been the first one established for the Colonies. It was in working order before the first of the year and continued throughout the war, furnishing arms and ammunition for the troops. He advanced seven thousand pounds (thirty-five thousand dollars) of his own money for this vital enterprise. In a letter written in February, 1781, he said: "But for my advances the factory must have been discontinued." At one time he was so embarrassed that he could not raise the money to pay his taxes (Calendar of State Papers, Vol. 1, p. 503).

It was to this home of his sister that General Washington brought his comrades in arms, French and American, after the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown. Its spacious and elegant rooms have echoed the voices of Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Henry, Richard Henry Lee, John Paul Jones, Light Horse Harry Lee, Count de Rochambeau, and that brilliant coterie of Frenchmen which went with him to Washington's home after the surrender at Yorktown.

It adjoined the home of Mary, the mother of Washington, with which it was connected by an old-fashioned box walk. Thirteen horse-chestnut trees were planted on the grounds by Washington himself to represent the thirteen original Colonies, and three of these fine old trees are still living on these historic grounds.

EVENTS OF STATE SOCIETIES

The California Society.—Condemnation of all pacifist movements as unpatriotic and dangerous to the welfare of the United States was voiced by the California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at its annual meeting at San Francisco, April 20, in which resolutions were adopted demanding a state of adequate preparedness for war. The resolution was made public today in connection with the announcement of the new officers of the organization. The meeting was held in Odd Fellows' Hall and the resolution, presented by George C. Sergeant, was unanimously adopted. These Resolutions were presented to the Congress at Nashville and endorsed by that body and will be found in the Synopsis of the Proceedings.

The newly elected officers for the ensuing year were: President, Fred L. Barry; Vice-Presidents, E. Delos Magee and Leon L. French; Secretary and Registrar, Thomas A. Perkins; Treasurer, Col. John C. Currier; Historian, Howard C. Rowley.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER observed Lexington Day with a dinner at the San Diego Hotel, on Thursday evening, April 19, with ladies, and the attendance was commensurate with the importance of the anniversary thus observed. The speaker of the occasion was Capt. Thomas T. Craven, U. S. N., commanding officer at the Naval Air Station, North Island, who used as his topic, "Aviation—Its History and Progress."

The officers of this Chapter for the current year are: President, David W. Shick; First Vice-President, Dr. Leon R. Briggs; Second Vice-President, Robert C. Stone; Secretary, Allen H. Wright; Treasurer, Franklin P. Reed; Historian,

Francis O. Dort; Registrar, Willis W. Brown; Chaplain, Alfred H. Haines; Marshal, Lieut. Edward J. Beakes, U. S. N., retired.

It is with much regret that announcement is made of the death of Dr. Paul Wegeforth, in Colorado Springs, Colo., on March 29, after a long illness. During the World War Dr. Wegeforth served his country in an able manner, winning high commendation for the manner in which he handled important problems in the medical branch of the military service.

In addition to those heretofore listed as being awarded the Sons of the American Revolution medal for service in the World War are: Lieut. Lawrence E. Schick, U. S. A., son of Compatriot and President David W. Schick; George Frank Kerfoot and Bennett W. J. Kerfoot, and Lieut. Butler E. Ward. These make a total of 19 medals thus far awarded.

The present membership of the Chapter is 53, with two applications pending.

The Colorado Society.—The following outline of the work accomplished by the Colorado Society during the year 1922-1923 is of interest to Compatriots: At the instance of the Colorado Society, Governor Oliver H. Shoup issued a Constitution Day proclamation, setting October 19, 1922, the anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown, as a fitting day for the observance of Constitution Day. The day was generally observed by exercises in the schools and by comments in the newspapers and pulpits of the State.

Following the lead of the National Society, the officers of the Colorado Society began a state-wide campaign for scrutinizing the United States histories used in the public schools of the State. It was found that seven of the histories which had been condemned by the National Society were being used in Colorado. Through the efforts of Compatriot L. G. Carpenter, of Denver, the Society invited Generalissimo Joffre, of France, to make a stop in Denver. State officials, city officials, and all patriotic organizations joined in giving him a hearty welcome. A new constitution and by-laws were drafted and adopted. Changes concerning revenues, suspensions, the personnel of the Board of Managers, and the re-election of the State President for consecutive terms were made. State President Judge George H. Bradfield visited all of the local chapters in the State. Local conditions were considered and definite progressive programs were carried out.

The annual meeting of the State Society was held on February 22, at which time the following officers were elected: President, Judge George H. Bradfield, Greeley; First Vice-President, Lathrop M. Taylor, Fort Collins; Secretary and Registrar, R. Harvey Boltwood, Denver; Treasurer, Walter D. Wynkoop, Denver; Chaplain, Rev. Leon C. Hills, Denver; Historian, Charles B. Toppan, Denver; Board of Managers: Clinton Enos, A. Lincoln Fellows, Clarkson N. Guyer, Malcolm Lindsey, Charles B. Toppan, Lester C. Wheeler, and Benjamin F. Young.

Judge George H. Bradfield, of Greeley, was reelected State President and outlined three definite objectives for the ensuing year—the wider observance of Constitution Day, greater Americanization work among our newly created citizens, and a concentrated drive against the treasonable text-books in use in the schools. Treasurer Walter D. Wynkoop was reelected for the fifteenth time. Compatriot Simpson D. Butler was elected a member of the Board of Managers for the thirteenth time. He was a member for four years, and is now serving his ninth term as Chairman. In addition to this Compatriot Butler served two terms as State President.

The Colorado Society suffered an irreparable loss in the death of Dr. James Polk Willard, who served as Secretary of the State Society for eight years. The Colorado Society sustained the loss of two own sons, William Thomas and Joseph James Eubank, aged 89 and 84 respectively. Their father, Achilles Eubank, engaged in the Battle of Yorktown and was present when Cornwallis surrendered.

The Society's Committee on Americanization, with Vice-President Herbert Monroe as chairman, is engaged in the writing of text-books on American history and government in simple language for the use of aliens. This is a commendable work, but takes considerable time for its performance. The committee hopes to have these books ready for publication within the next year.

The annual memorial service of the Society was held Sunday evening, April 22, at the Capitol Heights Presbyterian Church. Special music, eulogies, and a sermon on "The Spirit of Sacrifice," by Compatriot Rev. Leon C. Hills, comprised the program.

This is a brief résumé of the activities of the Society during the past year. To the date of this report, there are seven Chapters in the State, with a total membership of approximately 345.

Connecticut Society.—DAVID HUMPHREYS BRANCH NO. 1, NEW HAVEN.—The annual meeting of this Chapter was held in the Foot Guard Armory May 16. After a buffet lunch, Chaplain Orville A. Petty told of some of his interesting experiences in France and Lieut. Edwin Barnes and Percival Barnes gave personal experiences of their war service, which included a period as prisoners of war, and gave tribute to the administration of the American Red Cross. The following officers were elected: President, Earnest C. Simpson; Vice-President, Clarence Blakeslee; Secretary and Treasurer, George F. Burgess; Chaplain, Rev. Harris E. Starr; Historian, A. McClellan Mathewson. This Chapter has recently had the gratification of learning of the final consummation of the matter of naming of Humphreys Lake, which has been controversy for some time. A sketch of David Humphreys and an account of this effort to have the lake at Stevenson, Conn., named for him was given in a previous BULLETIN. The United States Geographic Board has now rendered a decision and this action means that all maps accepted by the Government as standard authority will designate this body of water as Humphreys Lake, in memory of the loyal and active patriot and citizen, David Humphreys. The General David Humphreys Branch of the Connecticut Society was the chief advocate of this and feels justly proud to have been instrumental in restoring the honor of having his name perpetuated in the region to which he was such a benefactor.

Delaware Society.—This Society held its annual meeting on April 19 for the election of officers. The following gentlemen were elected for the ensuing year: President, Herbert H. Ward, Wilmington; Vice-Presidents, Dr. Willard Springer, Wilmington; James H. Hughes, Dover; Edwin C. Marshall, Lewes; Secretary-Treasurer-Registrar, Charles A. Rudolph; Historian, Willard Springer, Jr.; Chaplain, Rev. Richard W. Trapnall; Managers, John Bancroft, William B. Megear, and Claude W. Sutton, all of Wilmington.

The Hawaiian Society held a meeting on May 7. Officers of the Society are: President, Donald S. Bowman; Vice-President, Dr. C. B. Cooper; Treasurer, Elmer T. Winant; Registrar, Gerrit P. Wilder; Secretary, James T. Taylor.

The Society deeply mourns the recent death, on April 27th of Compatriot Bernard Rudolph Banning, and adopted resolutions in his memory, which have been suitably printed and presented to members of his family.

Iowa Society.—The annual meeting of the Iowa Society of the Sons of the American Revolution was held at the Grant Club April 19, Frank D. Harsh, President, presiding. There was a fine attendance from all over the State. The report of Treasurer W. E. Barrett showed a balance of \$638.70 on hand and Liberty bonds to the amount of \$300, making a total of \$938.70. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Roger Leavitt, Cedar Falls; Vice-President, Geo. C. White, Nevada; Second Vice-President, Sidney A. Foster, Des Moines; Treasurer, W. E. Barrett, Des Moines; Historian, A. H. Davison, Des Moines; Registrar, H. H. Griffiths, Des Moines; Secretary, Geo. A. Jewett, Des Moines; Chaplain, Dr. Frederick W. Long, Keokuk. Delegates were appointed for the National Congress at Nashville.

A vote of thanks and appreciation was adopted for Capt. Eldridge Drew Hadley, retiring Secretary. Captain Hadley has been Secretary for 25 years, and on motion he was elected permanent Secretary *emeritus* and a life member without dues. This Society has, through coöperation of various members, granted several medals for best essays on American History to eleven girls and four boys throughout the State.

Since this meeting the Iowa Society has been called upon to mourn the death of Captain Hadley, its long-time Secretary. His long years of service and loyalty to the Society's interests endeared him to all who knew him, and made him well known far beyond the confines of the State. The loss will be felt by the Society at large, as well as by the Iowa compatriots. His successor in office, Mr. George A. Jewett, is President of the Jewett Family of America, Inc., and has been a student of genealogy for years, a member of the London Genealogical Society and the Iowa Historical Society, the New England Genealogical and Historical Society and the National Historical Association, and is well qualified for his duties in the Iowa State Society, S. A. R.

The Maine Society held a meeting on May 11, at Portland, and elected the following new members: Carl C. Parcher of Saco, Judge Harold H. Bourne of Kennebunk, Frank P. Ayer of Bangor, and Edward T. Richardson of Peaks Island. Delegates to the Nashville Congress were also elected and included Charles L. Hutchinson, President and Wm. B. Berry of Gardiner, Past President and Trustee, and Wm. K. Sanderson and Frederick S. Vaill of Portland. The Society took action in favoring the candidacy of Judge Sumner of Rhode Island for President General.

The Massachusetts Society.—The thirty-fourth annual meeting of the Massachusetts State Society was held at 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, Thursday, April 19. The meeting was convened in Wilder Hall at 10 o'clock a. m. The business of the annual meeting was transacted in accordance with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, and included action on an amendment to the Constitution and By-Laws and the election of delegates to the Congress of the National Society, at Nashville, Tennessee, and the nomination as Trustee of the National Society of Dr. Charles H. Bangs, retiring President of the Society. A delegation with the colors of this Society participated in the patriotic parade at 10:30 o'clock. Twenty

volunteers for the Color Guard responded to the call. The Board of Managers met immediately after the close of the annual meeting. Guests who participated in this meeting included Governor Channing H. Cox and Mrs. Cox, President General Washington I. L. Adams and Mrs. Adams, Chaplain General Rev. Frederic W. Perkins, D. D., and Mrs. Perkins.

Extracts from the President's annual communication will show the splendid condition of the Society and its many activities.

"Our present headquarters is a great improvement in every respect over the small room previously occupied and is maintained at considerable less expense. The Wilder Halls (large and small) and the John Foster Memorial Room, to which this Society has access, affords desirable meeting places for the Society, its Board of Managers, and the Chapters of Greater Boston. Many courtesies have been extended to this Society by the officers of the New England Historic Genealogical Society in the use of its rooms and access to its unrivaled library for genealogical research.

"The Society has had one bequest of \$250.00 through the will of our late Com-patriot George Lambert Gould, and now has over \$18,000.00 in hand or in trust for its permanent fund. Material additions have been made by gift and purchase to the office furnishings and equipment and the office inventory now amounts to fully \$2,500.00. We have many priceless documents, relics and pictures that could not be replaced if destroyed; therefore we appreciate the advantages of a fire-proof office and building. Contributions to our collection of reference books are solicited.

"There have been added to the membership during the past year by election, 104; by transfer from other State Societies, 6; and by reinstatement, 11—making a total of 121. The total number enrolled April 1, 1923, is 1,826, with twelve applications awaiting action at the next meeting of the Board and several uncompleted applications on our files.

"There have been 40 additions to the enrollment of the Washington Guard during the year and the total membership is 512.

"Markers have been furnished by the Society for the graves of about 30 Revolutionary soldiers during the year.

"About 160 Massachusetts high schools and academies were provided with Washington and Franklin Medals to be awarded to the pupils showing the highest proficiency in the study of United States History in the school year closing in June, 1922, and the Society has provided for supplying 200 schools this year. This is an activity that is most commendable and is worthy of an endowment.

"Constitution Day and week was observed by the display of special series of lantern slides in many of the moving picture theaters of the Commonwealth, in schools, and before this Society. It is estimated that audiences totaling 75,000 were reached by this method of instructive display. These slides are available free for Chapters, schools, churches, and clubs upon application to the office of this Society.

"Samuel Adams Day, September 17, was observed in accordance with the proclamation of Governor Cox. This Society decorated the site of his birthplace on Purchase Street, and of his home on Winter Street, took part in the parade, attended the "town meeting" in Faneuil Hall and the public memorial meeting at Old South Meeting House. In this observance we were joined by the Society of Colonial Wars, who contributed one-half of the cost of the decorations.

"New Bedford Chapter, at New Bedford, was organized January 26 and is the first Chapter in this Commonwealth to receive a charter since 1915. It bids fair to become one of the most flourishing in the State.

"Never before has the Society received better or more general publicity through the Press than during the past year and the work of the Committee on Co-operation between the Massachusetts Society and the Chapters throughout the Commonwealth has been received with especial favor.

"The expenditures for the year will be within the total of the budget, and the Society has no indebtedness.

"Your President believes that the active local Chapter is vital to the development of the State and the National Society to the position to which each has the right

to aspire. He believes that the local Chapter, encouraged and assisted if necessary by the parent organization, is a vital necessity to our progress. Fees and dues are a secondary consideration. Create the interest—serve the individual and the community and an interested membership will regulate all other matters. Where active Chapters exist our membership flourishes and increases and the beneficial influence of the Society is felt.

"It is inconsistent with the character and dignity of this Society that it has no policy for active encouragement of local Chapters and no appropriation for meeting the necessary expense of regular visitations to the nineteen existing Chapters, or for promoting the formation of other centers of patriotic activity in our Commonwealth.

"Founded upon the most intimate personal history of those who helped to establish American Independence, this Society should make emphatic our avowed aim to develop an enlightened public opinion; to maintain the institutions of American freedom, and to develop in old and young the largest capacity for performing the duties of American citizens through making every Chapter a center of patriotic influence and example."

BOSTON CHAPTER.—The meetings of the Boston Chapter of the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution during the year 1922-'23 were as follows:

The annual meeting, which was the 189th of the Chapter, was held at 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, on Friday evening, May 19, 1922, at 8 o'clock. Reports of the Treasurer and Secretary were read, officers elected, and other business transacted.

The next meeting was an outing at Pemberton Inn, Nantasket, on June 14, to celebrate the 146th anniversary of the reopening of the Port of Boston on June 17, 1776, when the last of the British ships were driven out of the lower harbor. A poem by Mrs. C. H. Bangs and a letter from her husband, Dr. Bangs, President of the Massachusetts Society, were read; and Secretary of the State Society, Walter Kendall Watkins, read a paper on the final evacuation of the harbor by the British. All enjoyed the shore dinner and boat ride.

On September 27, 1922, the Chapter helped celebrate the two hundredth anniversary of Samuel Adams' birthday by taking part in the parade and town meeting at Faneuil Hall.

The fall meeting was at 9 Ashburton Place, on November 9, 1922, at 8 p. m., the 191st of the Chapter, and Mr. Walter Kendall Watkins gave a lantern slide lecture on the Great Boston fire on 1872, after which were refreshments. The guests were members of the State Society.

The December meeting was on the evening of the 18th, with guests including ladies, and Mr. Watkins described lantern views of the Boston Tea Party of December 16, 1773. Capt. Guy H. Empey, author of "Over the Top," spoke on the moving-picture industry, after which refreshments were served.

On the evening of January 17, 1923, the Chapter meeting was in celebration of Franklin's birthday, and lantern slides relating to Franklin were shown by Mr. Watkins and Mr. W. B. Russell, Director of the Franklin Union, who gave a very interesting talk about that institution.

Evacuation Day meeting was on the evening of March 17, and Professor Albert de Martin, of Belgium, gave a lantern-slide lecture on war scenes, after which there were refreshments.

The April meeting, the 195th of the Boston Chapter, was held on the afternoon of the 18th, and President William O. Comstock read his paper on "Four Mounted

Messengers of the Revolution." By-laws were passed reducing the annual dues to three dollars and the initiation fee to two dollars. Light refreshments were served. The Chapter took part the next day in the State Society celebration at the dinner of which Vice-President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge, Governor Cox and Mrs. Cox, and President General Adams were honor guests.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, of Springfield, held on April 17 an enthusiastic meeting. Frank P. Forbes, the newly-elected President, presided and introduced some matters of business, notably the contribution of \$20 to the Girl Scouts toward their work of beautifying Cherry Lane Cemetery, where three Revolutionary heroes lie buried.

Dr. Crosby A. Perry, of Pittsfield, a member of the State Society, was elected an honorary member of the Springfield Chapter. John K. Joy was appointed chairman of the committee to arrange the summer outing, and H. C. Haile chairman of the membership committee. Plans were made for a good representation at the State Society gathering in Boston on April 18.

It was announced that the money remaining from the congress held here will be used for memorial purposes. Following the business Prof. Horace H. Morse, head of the department of history in Mt. Hermon School, spoke on the character and work of Paul Revere.

Professor Morse was heard appreciatively by about sixty members who joined in tribute to the Revolutionary patriot.

A meeting of the Board of Managers of the Massachusetts Society was held June 8. President Wiggin is inaugurating the custom of having the Board meeting preceded by a luncheon at the Boston City Club, at 12:30, at which some guest speaks briefly, and to which interested members can come. A Report of the Nashville Congress was given by Dr. Charles H. Bangs, newly elected Vice-President General for New England.

Since returning from Nashville Dr. Bangs has represented the Society at the dedication of the tablet placed to mark the old residence of Brigadier General John Glover at Marblehead, delivering the address. He has also spoken before the Brookline Historical Society at Devotion House, Brookline.

Sunday, June 17, Dr. Bangs delivered the Bunker Hill Day address at Charlestown, taking the subject, "The Spirit of Bunker Hill." Monday, June 25, he will attend the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Society, S. A. R., at Concord. Saturday, June 16, President Burton H. Wiggin, with a suite, attended the Field Day of Berkshire County Chapter. President Benjamin Newhall Johnson, of Old Essex Chapter, has invited the Compatriots to hold their Fall Field Day as his guests at Burkhart Camp, his summer place at Saugus.

The following account of the John Glover House and the service of the "Amphibious Regiment" mentioned above is of historical interest. Upon the former home of Brigadier General John Glover, the Revolutionary leader, in Glover street, Marblehead, a bronze tablet was unveiled by the chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Lynn that bears his name. General Glover led what was known as the "Amphibious Regiment." It was composed of sailors from Marblehead and vicinity and operated upon the sea as well as on the land. General Glover had charge of ferrying Washington and his army across the Delaware. He gave not only his services, but his personal fortune

to the cause of the Revolution. Entering the war a prosperous shipowner, he was obliged to open a cobbler's shop, after peace was declared, to support himself.

The inscription on the tablet is as follows: "In this house lived John Glover, Brigadier General in the Continental Army, leader of the celebrated amphibious regiment of Marblehead, which rowed Washington and his army safely across the Delaware at Trenton, Dec. 25, 1776, and served with distinction at Long Island and Valley Forge. This tablet erected 1923 by Brigadier General John Glover chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution."

THE SETH POMEROY CHAPTER of Northampton met for luncheon at Boyden's in observance of Memorial Day. Prof. H. H. Morse, head of the history department of Mt. Hermon School, gave an address on "John Quincy Adams," and Prof. Karel Roessingh, of Leiden, Holland, President of the International Congress of Free Christians, spoke briefly. Before the introduction of either speaker, President Henry G. Smith conducted a short business meeting.

At this time the volume being compiled by the Chapter in memory of Thomas Munroe Shepherd was reported upon by Secretary Walter H. Hadley, and the resolutions were read.

The officers for the coming year were then elected, as follows: President, Rev. Henry G. Smith; Vice-President, Luman S. Drowne; Secretary, Walter H. Hadley; Treasurer, Louis L. Campbell; Historian, Dr. E. H. Copeland; Chaplain, Rev. T. A. Emerson; Auditor, C. H. Chase; Directors, Dr. F. H. Smith, R. E. Edwards, and J. L. Harrison.

The Michigan Society.—Dr. Frank Ward Holt, of Detroit, was elected President of the Michigan Society at the annual meeting, April 16, in the banquet-room of the Detroit Club. Other officers elected were: Vice-President, Edward C. Parsons, Kalamazoo; Vice-President, Thaddeus D. Seeley, Pontiac; Secretary, Raymond E. Van Syckle, Detroit; Treasurer, Frank G. Smith, Detroit; Registrar, Franklin S. Dewey, Detroit; Historian, William L. Jenks, Port Huron; Chaplain, Rev. George Paul Torrence Sargent, Grand Rapids.

Delegates to the Congress of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, at Nashville, Tenn., May 20-22, were chosen. Wilbert H. Barrett, of Adrian, was elected National Trustee.

Tribute to the memory of the founders of the Republic was rendered by Louis A. Bowman, of Chicago, Vice-President General of the Sons of the American Revolution. "The explanation of the success of the Continental Army can be found only in the indomitable spirit which pervaded its ranks—the spirit of '76—devotion to the right, and the conviction of the men in buff and blue that it was part of the divine plan that the Colonies should be free." Mr. Bowman pointed out the deepness of the foundation of law and order laid by the Americans of the Revolutionary period. "Some of the problems of today," he stated, "they foresaw effectually; others they did not. But the idea of loyalty to serve and to sacrifice they gave clearly and unmistakably to posterity."

The purpose of the existence of the Sons of the American Revolution, Mr. Bowman concluded, was to keep alive the memory of deeds and sacrifices of those patriots who achieved American independence.

Dr. Holt outlined in the course of his address, the growth of the National Society since its beginning in San Francisco in 1876, the hundredth year of American independence.

William L. Jenks, of Port Huron, Historian, read a paper on conditions in Detroit when the British under Colonel Proctor ruled the town; and when the only whites in Michigan were to be found in the eastern part of the State and in the small settlements at Mackinaw and Sault Ste. Marie.

Reports from various State Chapters were presented to the meeting by Edward C. Parsons, of Kalamazoo; L. F. Bean, of Adrian; Thaddeus D. Seeley, of Pontiac; Roy V. Barnes, of Royal Oak; William L. Jenks, of Port Huron; Milton E. Osborn, of Ann Arbor, and Carl F. Clarke, of Detroit. Secretary Raymond E. Van Syckle and Treasurer Frank G. Smith presented their annual reports.

DETROIT CHAPTER.—The annual meeting and election of officers of the Detroit Chapter was held Thursday, June 14, 1923 (Flag Day), at the University Club, 1411 Jefferson Avenue East, at 6.30 p. m. Dinner was first served, followed by election of officers and transaction of business, after which an address on "Old Americans and New" was given by the guest of the evening, Charles D. Cameron, of the *Detroit News*.

The following officers were elected: President, George E. Bushnell; First Vice-President, Julius E. Thatcher; Second Vice-President, Norman B. Conger; Secretary, Raymond E. Van Syckle; Treasurer, Frank B. Smith; Historian, Edgar M. Bosley; Chaplain, Rev. Joseph A. Vance; Board of Governors, Roland B. Barrett, Clarence M. Dickerson, Frederick T. Ducharme, Lewis Le Baron Goodwin, Dr. Howard L. Jones, Dr. Carl C. McClellan, Howard A. Sleeper, Francis M. Sessions, Jefferson T. Wing.

Reports of the National Congress were presented by Almon B. Atwater and Dr. Frank Ward Holt, delegates, and Secretary Raymond E. Van Syckle and Treasurer Frank G. Smith and Historian Allen G. Ludington presented their reports. Chaplain Rev. Joseph A. Vance pronounced the invocation and Com-patriot George E. Bushnell presided.

The Minnesota Society.—MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER, No. 1, of Minneapolis, held a Lexington Day Observance, with a dinner at the Curtis Hotel, on April 19. The special guest and speaker was Judge Frank M. Nye and a feature of the evening was the minuet presented by the Children of the American Revolution.

The New Jersey Society held its annual meeting on April 21, when officers for the new year were chosen as follows: President, Adrian Lyon; Vice-Presidents, Elvord G. Chamberlin and Sylvester H. M. Agens; Secretary, David L. Pierson; Treasurer, Frank E. Quinby; Registrar, William J. Conkling; Assistant Registrar, Edward H. Lum; Genealogist, Samuel C. Worthen; Historian, Rev. M. S. Waters; Chaplain, Rev. Dr. Frank A. Smith; Chancellor, Raymond T. Parrot; Librarian, Russell B. Rankin.

A stirring address was delivered by Rev. George P. Eastman, Chaplain of the Orange Chapter, on "Some Lessons to be drawn from the Anniversaries of the Battles of Lexington and Concord" and the Newark Chapter quartet rendered a number of selections most satisfactorily. This only musical organization within the National Society has, in the year and a half of its organization, proved a most worthy auxiliary of the work in New Jersey. On the following day, Sunday, the Society, accompanied by a number of the members of the D. A. R., met at the headquarters and marched to the Trinity Cathedral, where the annual service

in remembrance of Lexington and Concord was held, the sermon being preached by the Rev. Dr. H. Percy Silver, of the Church of the Incarnation, of New York city. A feature of the service was the massing of the colors in front of the chancel and the giving of the Pledge to the Flag, composed by Rev. John Hobart Egbert, member of the New Jersey Society, whose father, it may be interesting to know, was born during the War for Independence, in 1777.

The patriotic luncheons, which proved very successful during the winter, have been discontinued until the early autumn.

On Thursday, April 12, the Captain Abraham Godwin Chapter, of Paterson, gave a reception in honor of Major Washington I. L. Adams, President General, at the First Presbyterian Church, in that city.

NEWARK CHAPTER held its annual meeting at the headquarters of the State Society on April 19, and re-elected Sylvester H. M. Agens President for the third consecutive year. Other officers chosen were: Vice-President, Col. Charles A. Andrews; Historian, John Willis Weeks; Registrar, Russell B. Rankin; Secretary, John W. Halsey; Chaplain, Rev. Charles L. Reynolds. "What Lexington and Concord Means to Us" was the subject of the address by Christopher P. Connelley, the speaker of the evening. A membership of 210 members was reported by Registrar Rankin.

Judge Adrian Lyon, accompanied by Compatriots O. Stanley Thompson, Sr., and David L. Pierson, State Secretary, journeyed to Haddonfield, N. J., from the State headquarters, on Saturday, May 26, for the purpose of presenting the new charter to South Jersey Chapter, which has its headquarters at the Indian King Inn, located in that town. After the serving of dinner the entire party made an automobile trip to Fort Mercer, or Red Bank, on the Delaware River, by both of which names the reservation is known. It was here that the famous battle was fought on October 22, 1777. Two monuments have been erected upon the plot and there is a house built in 1747 in an excellent state of preservation standing at the easterly end of the enclosure. On the return trip to the headquarters the party was caught in a jam of automobile and fire apparatus, caused by a dwelling-house fire which deranged completely the ceremony of presentation. It was hurriedly presented, however, by Judge Lyon, and then the visitors made an exit for their train, and home was reached about midnight without further mishap.

The annual meeting of Montclair Chapter was held on the evening of May 8, when J. Stewart Gibson was re-elected President, and Gilbert D. Maxwell and Arthur H. Churchill, Vice-Presidents; Secretary, William H. Sutton, Jr.; Treasurer, Albert W. Ballentine; Registrar, Philip T. Heartt; Historian, Charles B. Alling; Chaplain, Rev. Luke M. White. The Newark Chapter quartet sang very acceptably and the work of Gilbert D. Maxwell, as chairman of the Americanization Committee, was extolled. He had worked up a very successful meeting for the reception of newly-made citizens, which was held in the town hall on April 26.

David L. Pierson, State Secretary, arranged an order of exercises at the Old First Presbyterian Church, Orange, upon invitation of the pastor, Rev. H. H. McQuilkin, for the evening of May 27, when the individuals of the community who had sacrificed in all the wars in which the United States have been engaged were remembered. The sermon was preached by Dr. McQuilkin and the tribute was given by Secretary Pierson.

Secretary Pierson conducted a walk through the Old Burying Ground, Sunday

afternoon, June 10, when the older memorials were explained to a group of citizens for an hour or more. This is a revival of a custom inaugurated twenty years ago, but abandoned at the time of the war, for the purpose of remembering the lives and deeds of the early years of the Republic.

Representatives of the New Jersey Society who attended the dedication of the boulder and tablet at the Parsippany Cemetery, under the auspices of Parsippany Chapter, D. A. R., were Secretary Pierson and Compatriots Rev. S. Ward Righter, O. Stanley Thompson, father and son, Rev. Charles B. Bullard, and Charles R. Banks.

WEST FIELDS CHAPTER has elected officers for the new year as follows: President, C. Milton Tremaine; Vice-President, Milton E. Loomis; Treasurer, John J. High; Secretary, Lawrence A. Clark; Registrar, Rutherford O. Pierson; Historian, Major Ray E. Mayham; Chaplain, Rev. William W. Coe.

The Board of Managers of the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution, held its final meeting of the season on Friday night, June 8, and was attended by an unusually large number of members. Dinner was first served at the Essex Club, on Park Place, to which the delegates to the Nashville Congress and Chapter Presidents were invited. Many of them responded. After the menu had been discussed, President Adrian Lyon presented former President General Major Washington I. L. Adams, who spoke of the constructive features of the Congress and of the delightfully hospitable welcome given by the Tennessee Society and the D. A. R., which assisted largely in making the entertainment features a great success. He was followed by Harry F. Brewer, delegate-at-large, William C. Hope, who assisted in managing the President General's special train; Vice-President General Carl M. Vail, and David L. Pierson, all of whom spoke of various features of the annual S. A. R. gathering.

At the meeting which convened at the headquarters, 33 Lombardy Street, the reports of the Secretary, Treasurer, and Registrar all indicated the Society was in a flourishing condition.

Thomas W. Williams suggested that a tablet be placed on the house standing near Princeton where John Witherspoon, a New Jersey Signer of the Declaration of Independence, lived. This was referred to the Committee on Monuments and Memorials. David L. Pierson, chairman of this committee, suggested also that a system be adopted of placing tablets at each cemetery where there are soldiers of the Revolutionary War buried, of which there are a large number in New Jersey. It was also suggested that a boulder and tablet be placed on the common in the town of Bloomfield, named for Governor Joseph Bloomfield, who was an officer in the War for Independence, and who was Governor of New Jersey at the beginning of the War of 1812. These will all be taken care of by the committee.

Major Adams secured the passage of a motion granting an appropriation of fifty dollars toward the purchase of the Kenmore home at Fredericksburg, Va. Reports from a majority of the chapters indicated a healthy, vigorous forward movement. The next meeting of the Board will be held on September 14.

The NEWARK CHAPTER held a very interesting meeting on May 28, when Col. Lewis B. Ballentine gave a talk on "Preparedness and Patriotism." There were contributions to a well-rounded program from the New Chapter quartet, Rev. M. S. Waters, Rev. Warren P. Coon, and others.

On Memorial Day, May 30, the Chapter took part in the local ceremony of decorating the graves of soldiers and sailors and remembered the sixty patriots

buried in the Old Cemetery used in the colonial period. Passaic Valley Chapter also decorated the graves of Revolutionary soldiers.

CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER, of Paterson, has elected Ide Gill Sargeant President; Walter J. Doremus, Vice-President; Dr. William H. Rauchfuss, Secretary; Fred. W. Wentworth, Treasurer; Dr. Frank R. Sandt, Registrar; Albert H. Heusser, Historian; Rev. George W. Labaw, Chaplain.

John Willis Weeks, Historian of the Newark Chapter, broadcasted a message to the people on the afternoon of Memorial Day. He told of the sacrifices made that the country might go on in its great mission.

Secretary David L. Pierson delivered an address on Friday, June 1, before the Girls Continuation School, Newark, and because of the patriotic spirit aroused he was invited to deliver four additional addresses during the month. This is an excellent form of Americanization work, the story being told of the creation of the Republic and its mission among the powers of the world.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER held its annual meeting on June 21, and on Saturday, June 16, it joined with Passaic Valley, West Fields, and Roselle Chapters in an automobile pilgrimage to the Wallace House at Somerville, where Washington made his headquarters in the winter of 1778-1779.

ORANGE CHAPTER, at its annual meeting on April 19, selected officers for the new year as follows: President, James L. Garabrant; Vice-President, L. Woodruff Faulks; Secretary, Schuyler G. Harrison; Treasurer, Oscar Stanley Thompson, Jr.; Historian, Rev. Charles B. Bullard; Registrar, Rev. S. Ward Righter; Chaplain, Rev. George P. Eastman. On May 25 the Chapter met for the first time in its new quarters in the building occupied by the Dr. William Pierson Medical Library Association, in Hillyer Street, Orange. Reports from its four delegates to the annual Congress were received and among the features of the evening's entertainment was a brief address on "Humorists of the Revolutionary War." A. P. Bachman, who arranged the program, George W. Benton, and Cornelius C. Vermeule contributed toward the entertainment.

ORANGE CHAPTER observed Flag Day in the evening of Thursday, June 14, with special exercises at its new headquarters. The address was given by Rev. S. Ward Righter, on "The Religious Spirit in the Flag." Patriotic selections were sung, refreshments were served, and a very enjoyable evening ensued, ladies also being present. David L. Pierson, former President of the Chapter, is chairman of the Independence Day celebration, and Rev. Charles B. Bullard is his assistant. They are planning to hold an old-fashioned Independence Day celebration in Elmwood Park, where thousands of persons can be reached with the patriotic message where it will do the most good. It is expected that Judge Adrian Lyon, State President, will be the speaker.

On the morning of Flag Day, June 14, David L. Pierson, Secretary of the State Society, who is also President of the Old Burying Ground Association, of Orange, arranged and conducted exercises at the statue of the Dispatch Rider at the Old Burying Ground, at 8.45 o'clock. Several hundred children of the Orange schools were present, and besides singing the Star Spangled Banner and America, passed by the statue in single file, saluting in remembrance of the soldiers of the war buried within the enclosure. A wreath was placed upon the statue in the name of Orange Chapter. The statue was dedicated sixteen years ago on this very day and it was the privilege of Compatriot Pierson to arrange the first public Flag Day exercises in Orange on this day in 1903, twenty years ago.

Under the direction of a special committee of Orange Chapter, of which Rev. George P. Eastman is chairman, a bronze tablet will be placed upon the outer wall of the Orange Post-office Building, on September 17 next, in remembrance of Constitution Day, the anniversary of which will be held on that day.

Awards of prizes of gold pieces were made by Newark Chapter to the various students of the Newark High Schools on Flag Day, in return for the essays submitted on "New Jersey Women in the American Revolution." The response was very general, and after the usual process of elimination it was found that the essay pronounced to be the best submitted in the entire city was won by a young woman, Anne Coulter, of the East Side School, the prize for the second time going to this institution. The Rev. Joseph F. Folsom made the award of \$10 in gold in behalf of the Chapter; John Willis Weeks, chairman of the committee, presented the prize of \$5 to Sadie Shifman, of the South Side School, and Rev. Warren Patten Coon officiated at the Barringer High School, where the award was made to Charles Reynolds. Mr. Folsom also presented the prize to Helen Rabin, of the Central High School.

Rev. Dr. Lyman Whitney Allen, former Chaplain General of the National Society, and past President of the New Jersey Society, broadcasted from the WOR station in Newark, on Wednesday night, June 13, telling the story of the birth of the flag. Rev. Warren P. Coon performed a similar service for Memorial Day, May 30.

Arrangements are being made by the officials of Orange, at the request of Secretary David L. Pierson, to throw a spotlight on the beautiful statue of the Dispatch Rider at the Old Burying Ground, erected to the memory of the men and women of the community who assisted in establishing the independence of the United States. The light will glow every night, beginning, it is hoped, with the anniversary of the Battle of Springfield, which occurs on June 23.

The New York (Empire State) Society.—The annual meeting of the Society was held at the Army and Navy Club, New York City, on April 19, for the election of officers for the ensuing year. The death, a few days previous to the meeting, of President George D. Bangs, who it had been expected was to succeed himself in the presidency, was a great shock to the whole membership of the Empire State Society. Fitting tribute to his sterling worth as a banker and citizen as well as chief officer of the Society was paid by messages from over the State and Nation as well as in eloquent tributes in addresses to the meeting by the Vice-President (and succeeding President) of the Society, Colonel Henry W. Sackett; by Colonel Louis Annin Ames, Director General of the National Society; Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the New York Chapter, and others.

The officers elected to serve one year were: President, Col. Henry W. Sackett; First Vice-President, Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman; Second Vice-President, George B. Sage; Third Vice-President, Harold S. Hull; Secretary, Major C. A. Du Bois; Treasurer, James de la Montanye; Registrar, Teunis D. Hunting; Historian, Hon. James B. Laux; Chaplain, Joseph Fort Newton, D. D.

A very active interest in the purposes of our Society has been manifested by the Officers and Board of Managers, as well as by many of the compatriots as individuals, to whom patriotism and all that it implies is something very real and vital, and bespeaks a splendid future of achievement in the development of high

ideals of civic duty and government, not only among those citizens born in less favored lands, but among our own native-born Americans, whose patriotism has often been of a perfunctory character.

It is a great pleasure to record generous responses to the appeal made last year by the Historian in his annual report, for donations of books and manuscripts for the library. A number of very valuable publications have been received from compatriots and from the State and National governments.

The collections of the Society have also been enriched by Revolutionary arms: One flintlock rifle, two flintlock pistols, one cutlass, and one powder-horn, the gift of Mrs. Slauson, of Kingston, New York, the widow of our late compatriot, A. M. Slauson.

It is earnestly hoped that many other relics of Colonial and Revolutionary days may find their way into the library and museum, a very appropriate repository for such precious memorials of heroic days.

It is also a great pleasure to record that two battle flags, splendid examples of patriotic art, the gifts of compatriots Colonel Henry W. Sackett and William L. Allen, will in the near future be formally dedicated to patriotic service by the Society.

NEW YORK CHAPTER.—The Chapter held its annual meeting on April 19 at the Army and Navy Club. Dinner was served previous to the meeting. The same officers were re-elected for the coming year.

The special church service to commemorate the 134th anniversary of the inauguration of Washington was held at St. Paul's Chapel, under the auspices of the New York Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, on Sunday, April 29, at 4 p. m.

The organization of the Color Guard on military lines has been perfected by its very able and energetic commander, Compatriot Harold S. Hull. The Guard now numbers twenty-five, with seventeen flags and banners. Its members are distinguished when on duty by the wearing of a brassard on the left arm, presented by Compatriot George R. Brown, which adds greatly to the appearance of the Guard.

The perfect drill of the Guard was shown at the annual church service of the Church of the Divine Paternity and at the banquet by the New York Chapter on the evening of February 21 at the Army and Navy Club. The alignments and beautiful evolutions of the Guard were a revelation to the compatriots present and received the heartiest praise from all.

April 30, 1923, a detachment of the Color Guard of the Chapter, under the command of Mr. Joseph P. Knight, Jr. attended the service in connection with the ceremony of unveiling a tablet to the memory of Colonel Morgan at Broadway and 181st Street, under the auspices of the Society of American Wars.

May 24th, at the unveiling of Alexander Hamilton's bust at the Hall of Fame, the Chapter was represented by Dr. James B. Laux and Compatriot Franklin B. Huntington.

May 30th a delegation represented the Chapter at the Decoration Day exercises of McKeel's Post, G. A. R., at Katonah, N. Y.

Memorial Day, representatives of the Color Guard, carrying the White Plains battle flag and the Bunker Hill flag, attended the ceremonies in connection with the placing of a wreath on the Crawford Monument at Tuckahoe, N. Y. This wreath was sixteen feet in diameter and was composed of sprays of evergreen

sent by President and Mrs. Harding and the Governors of the 48 States. The U. S. Army was represented by Major McKenney, aide to General Pershing. The S. A. R. Colors had as escort the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The D. A. R. undertook the decoration of the Revolutionary Burying Ground. Taps were sounded and a squad of ten rifles fired salutes.

In the evening of May 30 the Secretary of the Color Guard, B. H. Whitman, Jr., attended the Memorial exercises under the auspices of the G. A. R. at Carnegie Hall.

June 1, at the graduating exercises of the New York State Nautical School, the Chapter was officially represented.

New York Chapter took part in the celebration of Flag Day, Thursday afternoon, June 14, at City Hall Park. Flag Day was impressively celebrated in the evening of June 14 by the ceremonies in commemoration of the 146th Anniversary of the Adoption of the Flag of the United States by the American Congress, June 14, 1777, under the auspices of the New York Chapter, with the co-operation of the municipal authorities of the City of New York, on the Mall in Central Park. The Celebration of Flag Day was instituted by the Sons of the American Revolution in 1890, and this was the 24th celebration of the day under their auspices. General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the Chapter, presided at the ceremonies. The committee consisted of Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President; William C. Demorest, chairman; Col. Louis Annin Ames, George Royce Brown, Major Charles A. Du Bois, Captain Reginald Fay, Dr. Edward Hagaman Hall, Harold S. Hull, Messmore Kendall, George McK. Roberts, and J. Henry Smythe, Jr.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER.—The Annual Washington's Birthday dinner of the Chapter was attended by about thirty members, with Compatriots G. L. Hutchins, of Salt Lake City; J. Henry Smythe, Jr., of New York City, and Warren Cobb, of Fairport, N. Y., as guests. The principal speaker was Senator-elect Royal S. Copeland, of New York City, who called attention to the added responsibilities that American ancestry has laid on Sons of the American Revolution and of our duty toward the alien-born citizen, and stated that we should take more than ordinary interest in conditions in this country and abroad and at all times make the influence of our organization felt in the halls of Congress for the passage of all just laws.

COLONEL CORNELIUS VAN DYCK CHAPTER (Schenectady) took part in the Memorial Day parade. Compatriots assembled at the Union College, Charles H. Huntley, President, leading.

The annual meeting of the Chapter was held in the rooms of the Schenectady County Historical Society, the President, Charles H. Hunting, presiding.

The following officers were elected for the year: P. S. Miller, President; George E. Young, First Vice-President; Horace S. Van Voast, Jr., Second Vice-President; Hanford Robison, Secretary; H. S. Stedman, Treasurer; J. L. Hall, Judge Frank Cooper, H. S. Van Voast, Henry Van Horne, and J. W. Collamer, Executive Committee. Various plans for work for the coming year were discussed. The next meeting will be held the first Wednesday in September.

GENESEE CHAPTER, BATAVIA.—The following quotation from a circular report issued by Genesee Chapter to its members shows what a commendable undertaking this little chapter is engaged in, and the results achieved so far. The example might well be followed:

"Soon after our Chapter was organized we endeavored to locate and learn the condition of the graves of Revolutionary Soldiers who are buried in Genesee County. We immediately became impressed with the fact that there were many rural cemeteries in a most disgraceful condition. Most of these were the older cemeteries, in many of which there had not been a burial in many years. The conditions found were such as being unfenced, grown up to weeds, briars, underbrush and trees, some infested with woodchucks, many stones broken and lying on the ground. These cemeteries are unincorporated, have no means of income for work to be done and some where no one is directly interested to care for them by private means.

"We invoked the aid of Section No. 332 of the Town Law, a copy of which is given herewith. To a considerable extent we found the town officials and the superintendents of highways, who have direct charge of the carrying out of these provisions, in a co-operative mood. We made considerable progress during the season of 1922 and several cemeteries were cleaned up and in a few years at the most will be fenced and present a much improved appearance. Early in 1922 we appointed committees, giving each committee a town to look after, to see the authorities and, if possible, have work begun where needed. We expect to continue this work in 1923. In case the officials of any town refuse to carry out the provisions of the law, such action as may be necessary to secure its enforcement will be taken. This would seem to be in the nature of a supreme court order. We trust we will not have to resort to this action. If our Chapter can succeed in having our cemeteries put in a neat, clean condition and not be an eyesore to those who pass by them and a disgrace to the town in which located we will feel that our time has been well spent and our efforts well directed.

"*Rural Cemeteries Law. Section No. 332 of the Town Law.*—The title to every lot or piece of land which shall have been used by the inhabitants of any town in this State as a cemetery or burial ground for the space of fourteen years shall be deemed to be vested in such town, and shall be subject in the same manner as other corporate property of towns to the government and direction of the electors in town meeting. In any town in which trustees of burial grounds have not been chosen as provided in sections 330 and 331 of this chapter, the town board may adopt regulations for the proper care of any such cemetery and burial ground and regulating the burial of the dead therein. It shall be the duty of the superintendent of highways of any such town to remove the grass and weeds from any such a cemetery or burial ground in any such town at least three times in each year, and to erect and maintain suitable fences around such cemetery or burial ground at a cost of not to exceed one hundred dollars unless authorized by a majority vote of such town. The town board of any town must also provide for the removal of grass and weeds at least twice in each year from any cemetery or burial ground by whomsoever owned, in such town, where such control is not vested by other provisions of law in the town or in trustees or other corporate body and provide for the presentation, care, and fencing of any such cemetery, all at a cost of not to exceed \$100 in any one year, unless authorized by a majority vote of such town, and such duties shall be performed under the supervision of the superintendent of highways of the town, or a person whom the town board may designate; provided, however, that such duties shall not be exercised in respect to any private ground or particular lot or lots therein after the true owners thereof file written objections thereto with the town clerk. The cost and expenses of any officer or person performing any duties under or pursuant to the provisions of this section, shall be a town charge, and the town board shall appropriate and provide annually the moneys necessary for carrying out the provisions of this section, and make the same available for the proper officer or person by whom the moneys are required to be expended."

(Took effect May 20, 1920.)

BUFFALO CHAPTER met on Thursday evening, May 10, for a dinner at the Lafayette Hotel, Commander Thomas W. Harris, the President, presiding. The guest of the evening was Admiral John K. Robison, Chief of the Bureau of

Engineering, and seldom has the Chapter been given the opportunity to hear a gentleman of Admiral Robison's high attainments. His address dealt largely with some of the achievements of the United States Navy during the war and was replete with anecdotes and thrilling stories of that trying time. The annual meeting of the Chapter will be held during the month of June, with the ladies as guests.

N. Y. CHAPTER'S NEW COLOR GUARD

On November 18, 1922, a call for the reorganization of the Color Guard of New York Chapter, S. A. R., was sent out by the Board of Managers of New York Chapter, and on November 22, 1922, the reorganization was effected. The Code of Regulations was ratified by the Board of Managers December 7, 1922.

The Color Guard consists of a commander and "not more than four compatriots for each color possessed by the Empire State Society." For tactical purposes, the Guard is divided into sections, each of which is under a Chief Color Bearer. The commander and the chief color bearers constitute the executive committee. Of this executive committee, one member is chosen as Secretary, in charge of the roster and the records, and one member as treasurer. The entire activities of the Color Guard are subject to the direction of the Board of Managers of New York Chapter. Election of chief color bearers, secretary, and treasurer are held the same day as the election of the Officers of New York Chapter.

The duties of the Color Guard as defined by the Code of Regulations are "to parade and display the colors of the Empire State Society, S. A. R., in connection with any civic, patriotic, memorial, or commemorative ceremony or escort in which the Empire State Society or New York Chapter may see fit to participate, either directly as a Society or Chapter or by representation of delegates or detachments."

For identification, the Color Guard has adopted a brassard consisting of a dark-blue silk band, on which is a white disk with the National Color and the Society standard in regulation colors, and with the letters "S. A. R.—N. Y." embroidered in buff silk. These brassards were very generously donated by Mr. George Royce Brown, of the Board of Managers.

The Guard also wears white gloves and makes every effort to have its appearance at all times worthy of the organization it represents. Members of the Guard are urged to wear the Insignia or the Ceremonial Badge of the Society.

In order that strangers viewing the Guard on parade may understand the significance of the various battle flags and standards which it carries and in order to spread information as to the proper use and care of the Colors, the Guard is undertaking the preparation of a Manual of the Colors, which will be available for distribution.

Aside from appearing at the regular meetings of the New York Chapter, the Guard has also been represented at the Second Annual Victory Ball of the American Legion; the service of the Massing of the Colors at the Church of the Heavenly Rest; the Amity Service at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, and the Annual Church Service of the New York Chapter.

The present officers are: Harold S. Hull, Commander; B. H. Whitman, Jr., Secretary, and R. B. Wiedemann, Treasurer.

North Dakota Society.—The 12th annual meeting and banquet of this Society took place at the rooms of the Commercial Club at Fargo on the evening of April

19th. Ladies were guests of the Society, as well as new applicants for membership. Professor Howard E. Simpson, of Grand Forks, State President, was the guest of honor and speaker and addressed the Society on "The Geography of the American Flag." A charter was presented to the newly organized chapter at Fargo, to be known as the George Washington Chapter, Vice-President John O. Hanchett, of Valley City, making the presentation, which was accepted by Compatriot Charles A. Pollock, of Fargo. Mrs. O. A. Stevens, secretary of the Dacotah Chapter, D. A. R., of Fargo, gave greetings. War Service medals were presented by Compatriot B. F. Spalding, of Fargo, first President of the State Society. Compatriot Frank Drew Hall, Historian, gave a report on the Americanization work and the distribution of the American's Creed. The Society has done an outstanding piece of work through the efforts of Compatriot Hall in distributing over 15,000 pamphlets "Fundamentals of American Citizenship," a very attractively arranged booklet, containing the Declaration of Independence, the United States Constitution, Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, "America the Beautiful," and other patriotic sentiments as well as the American's Creed. The latter is also printed separately in colors for personal distribution suitable for framing. This pamphlet was given to every newly admitted citizen and each public school in the State in the name of the North Dakota Society. The coöperation of the North Dakota Society for the Advancement of Education made this work possible in unselfishly financing and giving the largest part of the credit to the North Dakota S. A. R. The Society elected officers at this meeting as follows: President, Walter R. Reed, Fargo; Vice-President, John O. Hanchett, Valley City; Secretary-Registrar, Charles E. Boyden, Fargo; Historian, Frank D. Hall, Fargo; Chaplain, William J. Clapp, Fargo; Treasurer, Willis E. Fuller, Grand Forks. Prof. Howard E. Simpson, of Grand Forks, retiring President, was nominated for Trustee.

The Ohio Society held its annual meeting at Cleveland, May 1. The guest of honor was Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, of Louisville, Ky., Director General of the National Society, who led the discussion on School History Textbooks, which resulted in a very lively debate. The Springfield, Ohio, *Sun* comments in a long editorial upon the discussion at this meeting in part as follows:

"The Sons of the American Revolution in their convention at Cleveland have raised an interesting question. It is, in effect, whether history should tell the truth about the heroes of the Revolution, when that truth would tend to impair their greatness and perhaps to decrease the respect in which we have held them. One is wholly in sympathy with the Sons of the American Revolution on this score. Already our children know too little about the motives of the fathers of the Republic, and to have those ideas perverted and poisoned, either by design or because some historian wants to demonstrate the keenness of his critical faculty, is nothing short of a crime. The Sons of the American Revolution may well dedicate a large part of their energies to attacking such things, and in the work they should be encouraged and aided by the newspapers, albeit their knowledge of history may be a little dim and indistinct."

A resolution adopted by the convention declared the opinion of the organization that no textbook should be used in the schools "which belittles the founders of our Government or minimizes their achievements."

Newly-elected officers attending the National Convention at Nashville, Tenn., May 20, were instructed to carry the resolution with them, and to leave action,

aside from individual remonstrance of members with school officials, to the National Convention.

The officers elected at this meeting were: Harry H. Hoard, Cleveland, President; J. P. Wilson, Youngstown, Vice-President; Col. W. L. Curry, Columbus, Registrar and Secretary; Col. S. G. Harvey, Toledo, Treasurer; Rev. Dr. E. P. Whallon, Cincinnati, Chaplain; Col. Moulton Houk, Delaware, Historian.

Colonel Curry and Coloney Harvey were both re-elected. Colonel Curry has held office since 1889 and Colonel Harvey since about 1900.

Muzzey's history has not been used as a textbook in Cleveland high schools since 1916, Charles H. Lake, assistant superintendent of schools, said when he was told of the discussion at the convention. A work by Charles E. and Mary R. Beard, formerly of Columbia University, is used in high schools, and a text by McLaughlin is used in junior high schools.

State officers of the Sons of the American Revolution have recently visited Springfield for the purpose of organizing a Chapter of the S. A. R. there. It is estimated there are nearly fifty local men eligible to membership in the organization. E. L. Shuey, Sr., Dayton, Past President of the Ohio Society, has been in the city looking over the field and hopes to organize a chapter early in the fall.

GENERAL FRANCIS MARION CHAPTER, Marion.—This Chapter held a supper and rally in the Gray Room of Beecher's Cafeteria, Wednesday evening, April 25. The State Secretary and Registrar, Col. W. L. Curry, of Columbus, was an honor guest and delivered his famous lecture "Battle Fields of Ohio." Colonel Curry also read an original poem "Our Patriotic Sires," written for this occasion. This being the first social affair given by this Chapter, the program committed provided many attractive features for the evening's entertainment, including special music. Col. Moulton Houk, of Delaware, Ohio, was also special guest and speaker on this occasion and brought before the Chapter the need to examine and supervise the school history text books now being used and the work of the National Society along these lines. Both speakers emphasized the importance of teaching more intensively the history of Ohio and the battles fought in this State. The officers of General Francis Marion Chapter, elected on March 5, are: President, James A. Knapp; Vice-President, James E. Phillips; Registrar, Harry W. Haberman; Chaplain, C. C. Fisher; Secretary-Treasurer, H. B. Cooper. The Chapter is very much alive and making earnest efforts to increase its membership.

The Oklahoma Society.—The *Daily Oklahoman* substituted the full text of the American Creed for an abbreviated form that had been running about fifteen months ago, and has run it every day since then at the head of its editorial page. This paper also gives the Oklahoma Society splendid co-operation in anything undertaken for the advancement of the cause of patriotism or Americanism. Its running of the Creed in full was at the request of our Society. True to this spirit of patriotism and co-operation was the editorial which appeared on Lexington Day, and of which brief extracts are here given:

"This is the anniversary of Lexington. One hundred and forty-eight years ago this morning a band of Massachusetts militia withstood the scarlet troops of Major Pitcairn and precipitated the war of the revolution. In a large sense this is the natal day of American freedom. The flag we revere, the Constitution

we respect, and the nation we idolize, all had a common origin amid the death-winged rifle volleys of Lexington green.

"In remembering the details of the Lexington battle we should also remember the ideals that motivated the minute men of Massachusetts. They preferred death to despotism. They picked up their muskets rather than relinquish the constitutional guarantees of English citizens. Knowing their rights as British subjects they dared maintain those rights against the trained troops of King George.

"Such is the lesson of Lexington. It teaches the people of this Republic that life is less precious than liberty, that freedom is the world's dearest possession. It teaches the descendants of the minute men to guard with religious vigilance the privileges won at Lexington and Valley Forge and keep forever and forevermore the prerogatives of the people in the hands of the people. Every drop of blood that fell on that glorious April morning pleads like angels trumpet-tongued for the maintenance and preservation of American ideals."

The Pennsylvania Society—MIDDLETOWN CHAPTER.—Washington's Birthday was fittingly observed by the Middletown Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, on Friday evening, February 23, in the Parish House of the Lutheran Church. A goodly number of the Sons and their friends were present when the meeting was opened by the singing of "America" and, after the pledge of Allegiance to our Flag, Rev. Bergstresser led in prayer. Patriotic solos and community singing followed, after which President Raymond introduced the speaker of the evening, Compatriot the Rev. Dr. Fuller Bergstresser, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. The subject being George Washington, Dr. Bergstresser traced his life from its beginning, through the wars with the Indians, the Revolution, and the years spent as President of these United States until his death, which came upon him while he was living as a private citizen at Mount Vernon.

After the stirring address, a short business session was held for the purpose of electing officers and other business. Officers were re-elected to serve for the ensuing year as follows: Robert P. Raymond, President; Truman P. Ettele, First Vice-President; Colin S. Few, Second Vice-President; W. K. Lemon, Jr., Secretary; H. B. Etter, Assistant Secretary; Robert F. Keiper, Registrar; Le Roy H. Markley, Treasurer; Joseph Montgomery, 2d, Chaplain and Historian.

After a discussion as to markers to be placed on the graves of Revolutionary soldiers the matter was referred to the President and Secretary. After refreshments, the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" and prayer by Rev. Bergstresser, the meeting adjourned.

The Middletown Chapter held a meeting in the American Legion home, April 17. Compatriot R. C. Schanck, of Pittsburgh, President of the Pennsylvania State Society, was the guest of honor.

The meeting was opened by President R. P. Raymond. After singing "America" and pledging allegiance to our country's flag, Compatriot Rev. Dr. Fuller Bergstresser offered prayer.

President Schanck was then introduced and gave an outline of the work of the S. A. R., of its wonderful advantages in curbing the Red propaganda being spread throughout the United States and urged all to do their best toward stopping this. He also dwelt at length on the bill introduced by C. M. Barr in the legislature making it a law that the Constitution of the United States be taught in all public and private schools.

The Chapter unanimously adopted resolutions to endorse this bill and a copy of the endorsement and urging our county representative to support the bill was ordered sent to each one. Mr. Schanck also talked on the manner in which some school teachers of the United States are teaching Red propaganda in the schools, and paid a great tribute to the Daughters of the American Revolution in hunting up this evidence and having it stopped as far as possible.

After his address the meeting was thrown open for questions on the work of the Chapter and addresses were made by Dr. Bergstresser, E. C. Leber, H. B. Garver, and others. It was unanimously agreed that the charter of the Middletown Chapter be closed on July 4, 1923, with appropriate ceremonies. It is earnestly hoped that a large number of members will be added by this time.

After a buffet luncheon the Chapter adjourned to meet on Flag Day, June 14, when an appropriate program will be rendered.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER.—The Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington and Concord was celebrated by the Philadelphia Chapter with a banquet at the Adelphia Hotel. The affair was highly successful, there being a large attendance. The meeting was presided over by Mr. Walter Gabell, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, and the speakers included Mr. R. C. Schanck, President of the Pennsylvania Society, of Pittsburgh; Miss Eugenie Goldsmith, President of the Muhlenberg Chapter, Children of the American Revolution, and Hon. Benjamin H. Ludlow, member of the Pennsylvania Legislature. This, so far as is known, was the only celebration in commemoration of Lexington Day in the city of Philadelphia.

On Tuesday, May 8, a special committee of the ladies of the Philadelphia Chapter, S. A. R., gave a card party. The proceeds were appropriated by the Chapter for prizes to be given for patriotic essays in our public schools. Over one hundred ladies attended the party, which was held at the rooms of the Emergency Aid of Pennsylvania, and it has done much to stimulate the interest on the part of their brothers and husbands in the work of the Chapter. Mrs. Walter Gabell, wife of the President of the Philadelphia Chapter, was chairman of the committee, assisted by Mrs. John H. Edwards, Mrs. Warren Matlack, and Mrs. Lawrence C. Hickman.

Flag Day observance was quite general in Philadelphia, the Philadelphia Chapter taking a most prominent part. The first celebration consisted in a noonday luncheon, which was attended by a number of the members and guests. The Chapter was presented with a gavel by the Past President, Mr. Fernberger, who obtained it from a hickory tree on the plantation of Andrew Jackson, at Nashville, Tenn. The speaker for the occasion was Mr. J. H. Mitchell, who delivered a stirring address. In the evening the Chapter joined forces with the P. O. S. of A. in a very large street parade. Some of the members carried the beautiful colors of the Chapter, consisting of one Original 13-State Flag and another of the 48-State Flag, together with the Chapter banner. These were at the head of the column and were regarded as one of the most handsome sets of colors in the city. The route of procession ended in front of the Betsy Ross House, where an elaborate ceremony took place. Mr. Walter Gabell, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, delivered one of the orations.

MCKEESPORT CHAPTER took a very active part in the celebration of Flag Day, June 14, by joining with the Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Legion, the Elks, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Boy Scouts. The day was

fittingly observed by a very general display of the Stars and Stripes and by exercises in Market Street and at the home of Mrs. C. N. Shaw. A surprise feature of the observance was the presentation to the local Scout Council of a handsome silk streamer from President Harding. The speaker at the Market Street exercises was Dr. H. C. Westervelt, of Pittsburgh, Senior Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Sons of the American Revolution, and chairman of the State Flag Committee of the S. A. R. At the Shaw home the speaker was S. B. McCormick, of Pittsburgh, former, chancellor of the University of Pittsburgh and a Past President of the Pennsylvania State Society, S. A. R. At the conclusion of his address, Mr. Westervelt presented handsome silk flags for 20 troops of Scouts to Reed Albig. They were given by the McKeesport Chapter of Sons of the American Revolution. He also presented the President Harding streamer, in recognition of the McKeesport Council gaining a stipulated membership increase of 25 per cent.

(NOTE.—An excellent photo of this flag presentation ceremony by the McKeesport Chapter was received too late for insertion with this article.—EDITOR.)

In Pittsburgh, on June 29, the State Society joined with the United Spanish War Veterans in presenting to the Merrill W. Allen Camp, No. 15, U. S. W. V., a stand of colors consisting of one United States Flag, one Union Jack, and one State Camp Flag, on which is the seal of the State of Pennsylvania. Compatriot James A. Wakefield, Past President and National Trustee of the Pennsylvania State Society, was the speaker.

The Rhode Island Society.—To honor Judge Arthur Preston Sumner, recently elected President General of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, a reception was given in Churchill House by the Rhode Island Society, at Providence, on the evening of June 12. The event was of more than passing interest, for Judge Sumner is the first President General of the national organization to be elected from this State.

For an hour or more Addison P. Munroe, President of the State Society; Mrs. Munroe, and Judge and Mrs. Sumner received the guests, who were presented by four former Presidents of the Society, Messrs. Frederick D. Carr, former Governor Charles Dean Kimball, William A. Viall, and Francis E. Bates.

Also in the receiving line was Mr. Henry Allen Burlingame, of Pawtucket, the only "real son" in Rhode Island and the youngest son in the United States. As the formal reception concluded, Mr. Mahlon M. Gowdy introduced President Addison P. Munroe, who referred to the honor given to Rhode Island in the election of Judge Sumner, who, he said, being an eminent jurist, and a man prominent in public affairs, his leadership was bound to bring success to his administration.

In response, the President General, after expressing his appreciation of the event and his pleasure in greeting representatives of the Daughters of the American Revolution, said the members of patriotic organizations had been criticised for worshipping their ancestors. On the contrary, he likened the respect and admiration of our "forebears" to the love we bear to our parents, and, if we study carefully, he said, we can find many things to emulate in the pioneers of this country and the Government which they established. As a closing word, President Sumner urged all to perpetuate the Government of our forefathers and to preserve it in its entirety. Refreshments were served. Excellent music enlivened the affair, which was concluded with dancing.

The Rhode Island Society conducted Memorial Day exercises at Hopkins Park, on the morning of May 30, assisted by the Esek Hopkins School. A patriotic program of music and an address by President Addison P. Munroe, placing of the Flag and a wreath on the grave and statue of Commodore Hopkins by pupils of the school comprised the program.

The Tennessee Society has not allowed the passing of the 34th Annual Congress of the National Society, so successfully completed within the portals of hospitable Nashville, to be a signal for settling down and resting on its laurels, but has taken on, if possible, even new impetus, so far as membership increase is concerned. A number of new members have been accepted since the Congress and Vice-President Millspaugh promises a net gain of at least one hundred this year. The Memphis Chapter held ceremonies in connection with the marking of Revolutionary graves on June 14 and on the 15th were the guests of the Memphis Chapter, D. A. R., at a garden party and the recipients of a silver-mounted gavel as a token of co-operation and loyal service in the allied work.

The Texas Society.—The annual meeting of the Society at Galveston should have been held on the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, but as a matter of fact it was held upon the anniversary of the Battle of San Jacinto, one of the special anniversaries celebrated by the State of Texas, April 21. The meeting this year was the best attended of any meeting held since the year 1911, there being about thirty present. The members were full of enthusiasm and adjourned with a firm determination to double the membership this year. Mr. George Dickenson Morgan, one of the members attending the annual meeting, was one of the organizers of the Texas Society. This Society was organized at the Tremont Hotel, Galveston, Texas, on December 8, 1896, and Mr. Morgan was one of the men who helped make the Society possible. He was one of the first secretaries, and is still very active in the affairs of the Society.

It was the sense of the meeting that the annual convocation should be held each year in a different city and that the principal officers of the Society should be chosen in the city where the meeting should be held; and the next meeting was appointed to be held in the city of Houston on the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1924.

The following officers were elected to serve for one year and until their successors are chosen: John Charles Harris, of Houston, President; Samuel Moore Gaines, of Ft. Worth, First Vice-President; William F. Beers, of Galveston, Second Vice-President; Walter S. Mayer, of Galveston, Third Vice-President and Genealogist; E. E. Rice, of Galveston, Registrar (re-elected); James T. Huffmaster, of Galveston, Chaplain (re-elected); Robert L. Sonfield, of Houston, Secretary-Treasurer; Edward F. Harris, of Galveston, C. B. Dorchester, of Sherman; F. F. Downs, of Temple, and S. B. Robedeaux, of Austin, Directors.

The officers and directors together constitute the Board of Managers, who are in entire charge of the affairs of the Society between the annual convocations; but because the different members of the Board of Managers are scattered all over the State of Texas, the President was authorized to appoint an Executive Committee, a majority of whose members should reside in the city of the President's residence, so that at all times the Executive Committee could be in full charge. In pursuance of this authority, the President has appointed the fol-

lowing Executive Committee: John S. Hoover, Houston; C. B. Gillespie, Houston; William F. Beers, Galveston; Walter S. Mayer, Galveston; John Charles Harris, Houston, ex-officio Chairman of the Executive Committee; Robert L. Sonfield, Houston, ex-officio Secretary of the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee will meet on the last Saturday in each month at the University Club in Houston.

The President was authorized to present a bronze World War Medal to each member of the Society who saw service in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States during the war with Germany, upon such member filing the required proof under oath with the Secretary; and in pursuance of such authority the President has made the following presentations:

Colonel John S. Hoover, of Houston, Texas who saw service on the firing line in France as Colonel of the 143d Regiment of Infantry, 36th Division.

Lieutenant Robert L. Sonfield, who saw service on the firing line in France as a Lieutenant in Company B, 143d Infantry Regiment, 36th Division.

Lieutenant Grover Rees, who saw service on the firing line in France as an Artillery Officer with the 21st Field Artillery, 5th Division, Regular Army.

The action of the Board of Managers and officers in raising the initiation fee of this Society, so as to meet the initiation fee of the National Society, and the furnishing of every member with one of the large, handsome Certificates of Membership, was ratified. The initiation fee is now \$10 and the annual dues \$3 per annum, payable yearly in advance on the first of January of each year.

The decision was reached to issue each member in good standing a membership card, of the size to be carried in a pocketbook; and upon a supply of cards being received from the printer the Secretary was ordered to mail one to each member whose dues are paid up through 1923.

After much discussion a resolution was passed, that text-books setting forth the true facts regarding American history be used in the schools. The resolution calls for text-books in the schools which will give facts from an American standpoint regarding all conflicts and periods in American history.

Plans for increasing the membership of the Texas Society by stimulating interest among eligibles in every community in the State where the Society now has representation were discussed at some length. Mrs. Samuel Moore Gaines, a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Fort Worth, Texas, addressed the meeting and suggested that the Daughters in every section of the State be asked to co-operate, and that they be asked to submit to the Texas Society, Sons of the American Revolution, the names of their male relatives who are eligible to membership and that the Society make an effort to secure their membership. Mrs. Gaines' suggestions were received with enthusiasm, and the officers and executive are now making plans to work along the lines suggested.

It was decided to elect officers from different communities each year and by this system of rotation strive to increase interest in the Society's activities.

Mr. Walter S. Mayer, of Galveston, for fifteen years the active Secretary of the Texas Society, was nominated Trustee for the Texas Society and elected to represent the Society as delegate-at-large to the Annual Congress at Nashville.

The publication of a monthly bulletin outlining the activities of the Society and the policies of the Executive Committee, to be distributed to all members, was another outstanding and progressive decision of this conference. Altogether, the

Texas Society feels that it has started on a new lease of life and hopes that this successful meeting will prove the incentive to constant future progress.

Vermont Society.—At the present time there are 189 members. During the past year this Society has cooperated with other patriotic societies in observance of Constitution Day and Washington's Birthday.

At the annual meeting held in Montpelier on February 28, the following list of officers were elected: President, Charles A. Plumley, Northfield; Vice-President, Wallace G. Andrews, Montpelier; Secretary, Walter H. Crockett, Burlington; Treasurer, Clarence L. Smith, Burlington; Registrar, Dorman B. E. Kent, Montpelier; Historian, Walter H. Crockett, Burlington; Chaplain, Rev. I. C. Smart, D. D., Burlington; Board of Managers, George M. Hawks, Bennington; Frank L. Fish, Vergennes; Wellington E. Aiken, Burlington; Maurice W. Dewey, Montpelier; Abram W. Foote, Cornwall; James M. Hamilton, Rutland, and Mortimer R. Proctor, Proctor.

ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP

There have been enrolled by the Registrar-General from March 1, 1923, to June 1, 1923, 320 new members, distributed as follows: Arizona, 1; California, 11; Colorado, 5; Delaware, 3; District of Columbia, 10; Hawaii, 1; Idaho, 2; Illinois, 21; Indiana, 4; Iowa, 3; Kentucky, 3; Louisiana, 13; Maryland, 9; Massachusetts, 35; Michigan, 15; Minnesota, 13; Missouri, 1; Montana, 1; Nebraska, 5; New Hampshire, 2; New Jersey, 39; New Mexico, 1; New York (Empire State), 22; North Dakota, 8; Ohio, 16; Oklahoma, 1; Oregon, 2; Pennsylvania, 27; Rhode Island, 4; South Carolina, 4; Tennessee, 15; Texas, 5; Utah, 2; Vermont, 1; Virginia, 12; Washington State, 2; Wyoming, 1.

In Memoriam

- WALTER ASPINWALL, Empire State Society, died March 24, 1923.
 GEORGE D. BANGS, President, Empire State Society, died April 16, 1923.
 BERNARD R. BANNING, Hawaiian Society, died April 27, 1923.
 EDWARD P. BARTLETT, M. D., Illinois Society, died May 11, 1923.
 FRANK E. BLAKEMAN, Connecticut Society, died February 18, 1923.
 RALPH DELAFLAINE BRITTON, Connecticut Society, died March 1, 1923.
 GEORGE WASHINGTON CAMPBELL, New Jersey Society, died March 9, 1923.
 DAVID DEXTER CLARKE, Oregon Society, died March 3, 1923.
 ALONZO COLE, Oregon Society, died January —, 1923.
 JOHN R. DAVIDSON, Empire State Society, died March 9, 1923.
 EDWARD MANSFIELD DEXTER, Connecticut Society, died March 19, 1923.
 CHARLES HERBERT DU BUISSON, New Jersey Society, March 16, 1923.
 ARTHUR WINSHIP EARLE, Connecticut Society, died February 26, 1923.
 JOHN R. FISHER, New Jersey Society, died February 26, 1923.
 HON. JOSEPH W. FOLK, former Governor of Missouri, member Missouri Society, died May 29, 1923.
 ALBERT LABERGE GEER, Connecticut Society, died December 31, 1921.
 ROBERT BEARDSLEY GOODYEAR, Connecticut Society, died January 31, 1923.
 DAVID RAMSEY GRAY, Past-President Utah Society, died May 11, 1923.
 FRANKLIN MASTON GREELEY, Connecticut Society, died January 2, 1923.
 HENRY STRONG GULLIVER, Connecticut Society, died April 13, 1923.
 CAPT. ELBRIDGE DREW HADLEY, Secretary Iowa Society for twenty-five years, died May 27, 1923.
 SIDNEY E. HAWLEY, Connecticut Society, died March 17, 1923.
 FRANCIS ANDREW HOADLEY, Connecticut Society, died February 26, 1923.
 WILLIAM AUGUSTUS HOWELL, New Jersey Society, died March 12, 1923.
 BURT P. HOVER, Empire State Society, died August 3, 1922.
 E. FELLOWS JENKINS, Empire State Society, died May 16, 1923.
 HENRY PHINEAS JONES, New Jersey Society, died March 17, 1923.
 RILEY L. JONES, Michigan Society, died April 25, 1923.
 FRANK W. KENT, New Jersey Society, died February 27, 1923.
 JACOB F. KIRK, Pennsylvania Society, died March 27, 1923.
 ADDISON ALEXANDER LINDSLEY, Oregon Society, died April 13, 1923.
 GEORGE WELSH LOOMIS, Empire State Society, died November 8, 1922.
 HENRY W. LYON, Connecticut Society, died January 24, 1923.
 EDWARD CARRINGTON MAYO, Virginia Society, died September 4, 1922.
 CHARLES H. MEKEEL, Pennsylvania Society, died October 13, 1921.
 ALBERT MORRIS, Empire State Society, died March 20, 1923.
 JOHN GRAHAM MOSELEY, Massachusetts Society, died February 14, 1923.
 ADRIAN JAMES MUZZY, Connecticut Society, died January 2, 1923.
 WILLIAM F. OSBORNE, Empire State Society, died April 13, 1923.
 JONATHAN RIDER PHELPS, Empire State Society, died March 20, 1923.
 WALTER POND, Connecticut Society, died January 12, 1923.
 CHARLES C. ROYCE, District of Columbia Society, died February 11, 1923.
 CHARLES P. SANDERS, Empire State Society, died June 1, 1923.
 THOMAS H. SIMPSON, Michigan Society, died May 9, 1923.
 ELMER ELLSWORTH SPENCER, Connecticut Society, died July 9, 1922.
 CARLYLE E. SUTPHEN, New Jersey Society, died March 7, 1923.
 LOT Q. SWEETLAND, Oregon Society, died April 9, 1923.
 STEPHEN A. THAYER, Illinois Society, died May —, 1923.
 PAUL FITZHUGH THORNTON, Texas Society, died March 7, 1923.
 GEORGE NEWTON TILLMAN, Tennessee Society, died May 15, 1923.
 HORACE ABRAM TOMPKINS, Pennsylvania Society, died February 10, 1923.
 JOHN C. WARD, Illinois Society, died February —, 1923.
 PAUL WEGEFORTH, California Society, died March 29, 1923.
 CHARLES M. WILLIAMS, Empire State Society, died May 14, 1922.
 DEMICK WILLIS G. WISER, Connecticut Society, died April 19, 1923.
 MICHAEL CARNAHAN ZAHNISER, Pennsylvania Society, died March 10, 1923.

RECORDS OF 320 NEW MEMBERS AND 108 SUPPLEMENTALS APPROVED AND ENROLLED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL FROM MARCH 1, 1923, TO JUNE 1, 1923.

- CHARLES ELMER ADAMS, Grand Junction, Colo. (36349). Son of William Chauncey and Amy (Morris) Adams; grandson of Samuel and Orra Ann (—) Adams; great-grandson of *John Bradford Adams*, private, Fourth Co., Col. Israel Putnam's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- CARLOS D. AINGER, Cleveland, Ohio (38088). Son of Charles D. and Myra (Barber) Ainger; grandson of Amherst H. and Rhoda (Drake) Barber; great-grandson of *Lory Drake*, private, Fifth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- GEORGE OLIVER ALEXANDER, Stanton, Tenn. (38389). Son of Oliver and Martha Gertrude (Stanley) Alexander; grandson of I. N. and Mary Louise (McMahen) Stanley; great-grandson of W. V. and Cathrine (Hill) McMahan; great²-grandson of William and Nancy (Peebles) Hill; great³-grandson of *Green Hill*, Member Halifax, N. C., Provincial Congress and Second Major North Carolina Light Horse.
- REGINALD W. ALEXANDER, Orange, N. J. (38240). Son of William H. and Esmorald A. (Waldron) Alexander; grandson of Henry Peter and Mary A. (Harris) Waldron; great-grandson of Russell D. and Rebecca (Carl) Harris; great²-grandson of *Squire Harris*, private, New Jersey Militia.
- JOHN HOWARD ALLEN, Lieutenant-Colonel U. S. Army (Tenn. 38392). Son of John Douglas and Clarissa Van Horn (Burford) Allen; grandson of David and Elizabeth W. (Alexander) Burford; great-grandson of Richard and Nancy (Cunningham) Alexander; great²-grandson of *William Alexander (Rowan Bill)*, Captain of North Carolina Volunteer Spies and in Col. Wade Hampton's South Carolina Cavalry, pensioned.
- ALBERT BOSWELL ALSOP, Richmond, Va. (36565). Son of Boswell and Maria T. (Pollard) Alsop; grandson of Benjamin and Camilla M. (Price) Pollard; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Doswell) Price; great²-grandson of *Thomas Price*, Captain, Hanover County, Va., Militia, and provision commissary, pensioned.
- BENJAMIN POLLARD ALSOP, Richmond, Va. (36566). Same as Albert Boswell Alsop, Va. (36565).
- MARK PERCIVAL ANDREWS, Montclair, N. J. (38482). Son of Mark and Ellen (Clark) Andrews; grandson of Josiah and Lucy (Frazer) Andrews; great-grandson of *Mark Andrews*, private, Massachusetts Militia.
- HARRIS LYON AWL, Duquesne, Pa. (38367). Son of John Loughry and Mary (Rogers) Awl; grandson of William Maclay and Rebecca (Loughry) Awl; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Maclay) Awl; great²-grandson of *William Maclay*, Assistant Commissary Cont'l Army, Member Pennsylvania Assembly and Supreme Executive Council.
- FRANK PERCY AYER, Bangor, Me. (38184). Son of James Curtis and Mary Armine (Bennett) Ayer; grandson of John Perkins and Armine (Whitten) Bennett; great-grandson of Simon Jordan and Mary B. (Pike) Whitten; great²-grandson of *Richard Whitten*, private, Col. Joseph Prime's Regt., York County, Massachusetts Militia.
- LEWIS HENRY BADGER, Fairmont, Nebr. (37000). Son of Henry Lewis and Mary Azubah (Phelps) Badger; grandson of William and Jane (Watt) Phelps; great-grandson of *Edward Phelps*, private, Eighth Co., First Regt., Connecticut Train Band.
- AMBROSE MOODY BAILEY, Wash. (30312). Supplemental. Son of Orange James and Louisa Burr Robbins (Porter) Bailey; grandson of Amos and Mary (Abbot) Bailey; great-grandson of *Bancroft Abbot*, private, Col. Timothy Bedell's Regt., New Hampshire Troops, widow pensioned.
- WILLIAM EDGAR BAILEY, Lisbon, N. H. (36263). Son of John Martin and Sarah (Brown) Bailey; grandson of Zalmon and Hannah (Martin) Bailey; great-grandson of Timothy and Hannah (Clifford) Bailey; great²-grandson of *Timothy Bailey*, private and Ensign, Col. Bedell's and Col. Nicholl's Regts., New Hampshire Militia.
- ALBERT BREWER BAKER, Md. (34991). Supplemental. Son of Henry Fenimore and Cora (Warman) Baker; grandson of Milton and Henrietta (Boozer) Baker; great-grandson of William and Susanna Pettinger (Maxwell) Boozer; great²-grandson of Joseph and Rachel

- (Fenimore) Boozer; great³-grandson of *Jonathan Fenimore (Fenimore)*, Artificer, Flower's Pennsylvania Cont'l Artillery, and Matross, Fourth Regt. Con'tl Artillery.
- HENRY FENIMORE BAKER, JR., Md. (34992). Supplemental. Same as Albert Brewer Baker, Md. (34991).
- EVELYN BRIGGS BALDWIN, Washington, D. C. (38013). Son of Elias Briggs and Julia Cornelia (Crampton) Baldwin; grandson of Jacob and Abigail (Briggs) Baldwin; great-grandson of Elisha and Jemima (Ryder) Baldwin, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Elisha Baldwin*, private, Seventh Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia; great²-grandson of Elisha and Elizabeth (Cornwell) Baldwin; great³-grandson of *Daniel Cornwell*, private, Seventh Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia; great²-grandson of Joshua and Fanny (Pugsley) Ryder; great³-grandson of *William Pugsley*, private, Sixth Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia; grandson of Nathaniel and Lucy Hart (Dudley) Crampton; great-grandson of David and Julia (Davis) Crampton, Jr.; great²-grandson of David and Rachel (Stone) Crampton; great³-grandson of *Nathaniel Crampton*, private, Guilford, Connecticut Seacoast Guards; great³-grandson of *Seth Stone*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned; great²-grandson of *Solomon Davis (III)*, private, East Haven, Connecticut Militia; great³-grandson of *Solomon Davis (II)*, private, Connecticut Militia, Corporal on Galley "Shark"; great-grandson of Jediah and Charlotte (Cowles, or Cole) Dudley; great²-grandson of *David Cowles (Cole)*, private, Col. Wolcott's Connecticut Regt. at Boston, Minute Man at Danbury Raid; great²-grandson of David and Eunice Treat (Paine) Cowles (Cole); great³-grandson of *Abner Paine*, private, Col. Sprout's Massachusetts Regt., at Rhode Island Alarm.
- WILLIAM H. BARBER, Cleveland, Ohio (38089). Son of Charles H. and Clementina (Parsons) Barber; grandson of Henry and Emily Terry (Osborn) Barber; great-grandson of George and Betty (Wolcott) Barber; great²-grandson of *Noah Barber*, Lieutenant, Eleventh Co., Nineteenth Regt., Connecticut Troops.
- LE ROY HANSON BARNARD, Washington D. C. (38014). Son of Harry F. and Emma (Belfield) Barnard; grandson of Le Roy and Mary E. (Spilman) Belfield; great-grandson of Thomas Meriweth and Francis (Santord) Belfield; great²-grandson of Thomas Wright and Anne H. (Beale) Belfield; great³-grandson of *John Belfield*, Captain and Major, First and Third Virginia Cont'l Dragoons.
- EDGAR ALLAN BARRY, Minneapolis, Minn. (38309). Son of William Palmer and Henrietta (Dorman) Barry; grandson of John and Sarah (Palmer) Barry (Berry); great-grandson of *Jonathan Berry (Barry)*, private, Lincoln County, Massachusetts Militia.
- JOSEPH HENRY BATCHELDER, Peoria, Ill. (37891). Son of Mark Daniel and Mary Alvina (Williams) Batchelder; grandson of James Henry and Phebe Hannah (Gove) Batchelder; great-grandson of Mark and Mary (Martin) Batchelder; great²-grandson of Nathaniel and Martha (Duncklee) Batchelder; great³-grandson of *Joseph Batchelder*, private, New Hampshire Militia and Second Regt., Cont'l Troops.
- JAMES HARRIS BAUGHMAN, Danville, Ky. (38576). Son of Samuel and Sally Wallace (Harris) Baughman; grandson of James Anderson and Susan (Taylor) Harris; great-grandson of Christopher and Sally (Wallace) Harris; great²-grandson of John and Margaret (Maupin) Harris; great³-grandson of *Christopher Harris*, private, Albemarle County, Virginia Militia.
- ALFRED HOLMES BEACH, Minneapolis, Minn. (38318). Son of Middleton Sumner and Elnora Cynthia (Smith) Beach; grandson of Hatten Middleton and Mary (Bow) Beach; great-grandson of Noah H. and Eunice (Cooley) Beach; great²-grandson of John and Mary (—) Beach; great³-grandson of *Gershom Beach*, private and Armourer, Vermont Militia.
- HARRY BEAL, New Bedford, Mass. (38447). Son of Joseph and Helen Clymena (Clark) Beal; grandson of Hiram R. and Sophia O. (Wilcox) Clark; great-grandson of Sanford and Clymena Allen (Hunt) Wilcox; great²-grandson of Charles and Jerusha (Newcomb) Hunt; great³-grandson of *Daniel Newcomb*, Lieutenant, Fifth Regt., Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia, Member Committee of Correspondence.
- HENRY LEE BEECHER, New Ulen, Minn. (38316). Son of Hezekiah and Pauline Eugenia (Morrison) Beecher; grandson of Abraham and Harriet (Wooding) Beecher; great-grandson of *Hezekiah Beecher*, private, Connecticut Militia, at Lexington Alarm.

- WARREN SYLVANUS BELLOWS, Oklahoma City, Okla. (35247). Son of George Elihu and Stella (Ferris) Bellows; grandson of Warren Smith and Edith Alvord (Smith) Bellows; great-grandson of Jesse and Betsy (Smith) Bellows; great²-grandson of Elihu and Sarah (Phelps) Bellows; great³-grandson of *Jesse Bellows*, private, Col. Woodbridge's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- GEORGE HENCH BERNHEISEL, Hartsdale, N. Y. (38413). Son of Samuel Herman and Anna Rachel (Hench) Bernheisel; grandson of Solomon and Hannah (Dunkleberger) Bernheisel; great-grandson of *John Bernheisel*, private, Fifth Regt., Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia; great-grandson of John and Catherine (Sunday) Dunkleberger; great²-grandson of *Clemens Dunkleberger*, private, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia; great-grandson of John and Catherine (Loy) Bernheisel; great²-grandson of *Michael Loy*, private, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- EDWARD I. BERRY, Merchantville, N. J. (38488). Son of Francis H. and Harriet (Irwin) Berry; grandson of Daniel and Louisa (Haskell) Berry; great-grandson of Merrill and Hannah (Brackett) Berry; great²-grandson of *Peter Brackett*, private, Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- LEON MEREDITH BETTS, Washington, D. C. (38015). Son of Frank F. and Florence Grant (Stillman) Betts; grandson of Edwin Amos and Jane (Craig) Stillman; great-grandson of Amos and Susanna Sumner (Trench) Stillman; great²-grandson of *Amos Stillman*, Ensign, Fourth Co., Hopkinton, Rhode Island Militia.
- STEPHEN TAYLOR BEVERIDGE, Richmond, Va. (36567). Son of John Williams and Lucinda (Carter) Beveridge; grandson of Thomas Francis and Frances (Greene) Carter; great-grandson of *Robert Carter*, private, Fourteenth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- GEORGE FREDERICK BLACKIE, Nashville, Tenn. (38381). Son of George S. and Marie E. (Cheatham) Blackie; grandson of Leonard and Elizabeth D. (Robertson) Cheatham; great-grandson of Jonathan Friar and Ciddy (Davis) Robertson; great²-grandson of *James Robertson*, Captain, Washington County, Virginia Militia.
- LOUIS L. BLAUVELT, Newark, N. J. (38241). Son of Jacob E. and Mary Elizabeth (Clapp) Blauvelt; grandson of William Henry and Hester (Patterson) Clapp; great-grandson of John K. and Christine (Acker) Clapp; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Acker*, private, Westchester County, New York Militia, and Cont'l Troops; grandson of John Tallman and Susan B. (Coe) Blauvelt; great-grandson of Jacob I. and Maria (Van Houten) Blauvelt; great²-grandson of Isaac Abraham and Martha (Onderdonk) Blauvelt; great³-grandson of *Rem Onderdonk*, private, Orange County, New York Land Bounty Rights; great²-grandson of Roelof and Helanah (Tallman) Van Houten; great³-grandson of *Resolvert Van Houten*, Lieutenant, Orange County, New York Militia.
- HERBERT CHARLES BLISS, Attleboro, Mass. (38430). Son of Charles E. and Sarah H. (Newcomb) Bliss; grandson of Zeba and Lepha (Peck) Bliss; great-grandson of *Oliver Peck*, private, Rehoboth, Massachusetts Militia.
- RALPH WAGENER BLIVEN, San Francisco, Calif. (38159). Son of Samuel Nelson and Katherine (Wagener) Bliven; grandson of Samuel and Mary (—) Bliven; great-grandson of George and Vashiti (Gavitt) Bliven; great²-grandson of *Edward Bliven*, Captain, Col. Joseph Noyes' Regt., Rhode Island Militia, died on prison ship "Jersey."
- ALVA EGBERT BOATRIGHT, Chicago, Ill. (37892). Son of George Wesley and Nannie Jane (Keeney) Boatright; grandson of Egbert Garnet and Terese Ann (Oldaker) Boatright; great-grandson of Isaac W. and Eliza Barnes (Russell) Oldaker; great²-grandson of *William Russell*, Matross, Col. Charles Harrison's Regt., Virginia Cont'l Artillery.
- FRANK PERRYMAN BOLTON, Alexandria, La. (38121). Son of George H. and Tennessee (Wade) Bolton; grandson of Elisha Perryman and Eliza (Burbridge) Bolton; great-grandson of *Matthew Bolton*, private, Virginia Militia; grandson of Absalom and Malinda Kennedy (Porter) Wade; great-grandson of William and Hannah (Kennedy) Porter; great²-grandson of William and Sarah (Purcell) Porter; great²-grandson of *William Porter*, Captain, Second Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- WILLIAM GOODYEAR BOND, Holly Oak, Del. (35671). Son of William Vinton and Alice Saxton (Goodyear) Bond; grandson of John and Caroline (Flennard) Goodyear; great-grandson of John and Anna (Burkholder) Goodyear; great²-grandson of *Ludwick Goodyear*, private, Col. George Feather's Regt., Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- CHARLES LEWMAN BOTTORFF, New Iberia, La. (Ky. 36548). Son of Edmond M. and Mary Ann (Lewman) Bottorff; grandson of Samuel and Susan Ann (Beadle) Bottorff; great-grandson of Henry and Catherine (Hikes) Bottorff; great²-grandson of *Henry Bottorff*, Ensign, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia; grandson of John and Mary (Grisemer) Lewman; great-grandson of Moses and Elizabeth (Cash) Lewman; great²-grandson of *John Cash*, private, Fourth Battalion, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia; great²-grandson of *John Lewman*, Sergeant, Sixth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line; great-grandson of Jacob and Mary (Treichler) Grisemer; great²-grandson of *Jacob Grisemer*, Second Lieutenant, Col. Hunter's Battalion, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HAROLD HUBBARD BOURNE, Kennebunk, Me. (38185). Son of Herbert E. and Marcia Antonette (Jordan) Bourne; grandson of Edward Emerson and Mary Russell (Nason) Bourne; great-grandson of Edward Emerson and Mary (Gilpatric) Bourne; great²-grandson of *John Bourne*, private, Capt. Sawyer's Co., York County, Massachusetts Militia.
- HAROLD KING BOWEN, Iowa (35608). Supplementals. Son of William Walker and Lydia May (King) Bowen; grandson of David Wood and Lydia Ann (Hall) King; great-grandson of William and Persis (Wood) King; great²-grandson of David and Abigail (Keep) Merrick Wood; great³-grandson of *Stephen Wood*, private, Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia; great-grandson of Phineas and Lydia (Huntley) Hall; great²-grandson of Stephen Russell and Hannah (Wilson) Hall; great³-grandson of *Jesse Wilson*, Captain, Col. Moses Nichol's Regt., New Hampshire Militia.
- FRANK M. BRADBURY, Richmond, Va. (36568). Son of Charles M. and Cora L. (Lafferty) Bradbury; grandson of John W. and Anne Eliza (Wells) Bradbury; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Leighton) Bradbury; great²-grandson of William and Mirriam (Fernald) Leighton; great³-grandson of *William Leighton*, private, York County, Massachusetts Militia, at Siege of Boston, and Selectman of town of Kittery.
- EDWARD WILD BRADFORD, Washington, D. C. (38019). Son of Laurence and Hattie Homans (Phipps) Bradford; grandson of Joseph Hobson and Laura Matilda (Wild) Phipps; great-grandson of Charles and Mary Joanna (Rhodes) Wild; great²-grandson of William Nehemiah and Mary T. (Jenckes) Rhodes; great³-grandson of *John Jenckes*, Member Rhode Island General Assembly, Council of War, Committee of Safety, and other War Committees.
- CHARLES ELMER BRAINARD, Somerville, Mass. (38144). Son of James Sidney and Lucy Fuller (Chase) Brainard; grandson of James Smith and Maria (Cone) Brainard; great-grandson of *Robert Cone*, private, Col. Henry Shelburne's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- WILLIAM WALKER BRAINARD, New York City, N. Y. (38218). Son of Frank and Esther (Silver) Brainard; grandson of Calvin Cone and Sophia (Fitch) Brainard; great-grandson of David and Marcia (Porter) Fitch; great²-grandson of *Haynes Fitch*, private, Capt. Jabez Gregory's Co., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of John and Anna (Cone) Brainerd; great²-grandson of Henry and Mary Hosmer (Bidwell) Brainerd; great³-grandson of *Phineas Brainard*, Haddam Deputy to Connecticut Assembly of '76.
- ROSCOE HARP BRANE, Dayton, Ohio (38095). Son of C. I. B. and Clara M. (Harp) Brane; grandson of Henry and Margaret (Lauman) Brane; great-grandson of *Jacob Lauman (Lowman)*, private, Lieutenant-Colonel Abram Hubble's Regt., Pennsylvania Troops, pensioned.
- LEON THOMAS BRANHAM, Minneapolis, Minn. (38310). Son of Delaney Ezra and Nettie Irene (—) Branham; grandson of Jessie Vawter and Mollie (Stark) Branham, Jr.; great-grandson of Jessie Vawter and Mary (Butler) Branham; great²-grandson of John and Frances (Vawter) Branham; great³-grandson of Jesse and Elizabeth (Watts) Vawter; great⁴-grandson of *David Vawter*, private, Col. George Gibson's First Regt., Virginia State Troops.
- ALEXANDER WALTON BREINGAN, New York City, N. Y. (38404). Son of Alexander Smillie and Elizabeth Stephens (Walton) Breingan; grandson of William Marsh and Frances Cordelia (Stephens) Walton; great-grandson of Isaac and Prudence (Webster) Walton; great²-grandson of *William Walton*, private, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HARRY C. BRENTON, Clarion, Iowa (37664). Son of Archibald Glenn and Lydia Ann (Weems) Brenton; grandson of James Baird and Elizabeth (Glenn) Brenton; great-

- grandson of Henry and Esther (Baird) Brenton; great²-grandson of *James Brenton (Brinton)*, Major, Monongahela, Virginia Militia.
- ALBERT NEWTON BRIGGS, East Grand Forks, Minn. (N. D. 38651). Son of Albert Newton and Maria (Andrews) Briggs; grandson of Newton and Lucena (Stephens) Briggs; great-grandson of *Zephaniah Briggs*, Lieutenant, Ninth Co., Fifth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops.
- FREDERICK BRINGHURST, Wilmington, Del. (35672). Son of John Richardson and Elizabeth (Tatnall) Bringhurst; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Richardson) Tatnall; great-grandson of Edward and Margery (Paxson) Tatnall; great²-grandson of *Joseph Tatnall*, Delaware patriot and miller who furnished flour to the Army.
- EUGENE CLIFFORD BRISON, Newark, N. J. (38242). Son of James W. and Martha L. (Cole) Brison; grandson of William and Hannah A. (Biddle) Cole; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Van Dyke) Biddle; great²-grandson of *Aaron Biddle*, Captain, First Battalion, Salem County, New Jersey Militia.
- WILLIAM AVERY BRODHEAD, Hailey, Idaho (35118). Son of William H. and Eliza (Avery) Brodhead; grandson of William and Susannah (Coolbaugh) Brodhead; great-grandson of Richard and Hannah (Drake) Brodhead; great²-grandson of *Garret Brodhead*, Ensign, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHARLES E. BROSSMAN, Columbus, Ohio (38081). Son of John H. and Rebecca Irene (Brown) Brossman; grandson of Joseph and Rebecca L. (Foster) Brown; great-grandson of Job and Hannah (Packard) Foster; great²-grandson of *James Foster*, private, New Hampshire Militia, pensioned.
- EDWIN CLINTON BROWN, Mansfield, Ohio (38122). Son of James Newton and Mary Jane (Crittenden) Brown; grandson of George and Rebecca (McLaughlin) Brown; great-grandson of James and Mary (Sellars) McLaughlin; great²-grandson of *John McLaughlin*, private, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Trooper, Col. Marlberry's and Col. Dixon's Regts., North Carolina Troops.
- HAROLD CANT BROWN, Buffalo, N. Y. (38403). Son of Henry Morris and Rosalia A. (Cant) Brown; grandson of Daniel and Catherine A. (Bagley) Brown; great-grandson of George and Eliza (Smith) Brown; great²-grandson of *William Brown*, Lieutenant, Col. Jacob Stafford's Regt., Massachusetts Volunteers.
- IRVING L. BROWN, Chicago, Ill. (38455). Son of Francis L. and Blanche (McFarlane) Brown; grandson of William and Margaret (Hanna) McFarlane; great-grandson of Samuel and Susan (Miles) Hanna; great²-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (—) Miles; great²-grandson of *James Miles*, Ensign, First Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- OLIVER FRANKLIN BROWN, New Bedford, Mass. (38439). Son of Oliver Hazard Perry and Mary Penfield (Hathaway) Brown; grandson of Ephraim and Mary Robeson (Penfield) Hathaway; great-grandson of Eleazar and Anna (Pope) Hathaway; great²-grandson of *Eleazar Hathaway*, Captain, Twelfth Co., Second Regt., Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- LEEMON RICHARD BROWNE, Cranford, N. J. (N. Y. 38406). Son of Enos C. and Charlotte Catherine (Curtis) Browne; grandson of Philander C. and Ann Elizabeth (Medrell) Curtis; great-grandson of Carlos and Polly (Sample) Curtis; great²-grandson of Philo and Huldah (Hubbell) Curtis; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Curtis, Jr.*, private, Col. Samuel Elmore's Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- JOHN STEWART BRYAN, Richmond, Va. (36562). Son of Joseph and Isobel (Stewart) Bryan; grandson of John Randolph and Elizabeth Tucker (Coalter) Bryan; great-grandson of Joseph and Delia (Froman) Bryan; great²-grandson of Josiah and Elizabeth (Pendarvis) Bryan; great³-grandson of *Jonathan Bryan*, Member Georgia Provincial Congress of '75 and of Council of Safety, prisoner.
- GEORGE MACLAREN BRYDON, Richmond, Va. (36569). Son of Robert and Ellen Page (Dame) Brydon; grandson of George Washington and Mary Maria (Page) Dame; great-grandson of Carter and Lucy (Nelson) Page; great²-grandson of *Thomas Nelson*, Signer of Declaration of Independence, Governor of Virginia, and Major-General of Militia.
- HAROLD F. BUDINGTON, Springfield, Mass. (38431). Son of Justin L. and Ida Bertha (Van Aken) Budington; grandson of Henry Aaron and Zadel (Barnes) Budington;

- great-grandson of Aaron Olmsted and Annie (McClure) Budington; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Budington*, Master of Connecticut Brigantine "Favourite"; grandson of Cornelius Du Bois and Barbara Caroline (Dibble) Van Aken; great-grandson of Bowdewine and Jane C. (Ekert) Van Aken; great²-grandson of Abraham and Catherine (Terpenning) Van Aken; great³-grandson of *Pieter Van Aken*, private, Ulster County, New York Militia.
- LE ROY NEWTON BUNCE, Omaha, Nebr. (36999). Son of Grosvenor George and Jenny Maria (Hupp) Bunce; grandson of Charles William and Sabrey Maria (Dowd) Bunce; great-grandson of Isaac and Anna (Sherwood) Bunce; great²-grandson of *John Bunce*, private, Woodbury, Connecticut Militia.
- HENRY PROCTOR BURT, New Bedford, Mass. (38448). Son of Samuel Proctor and Amanda Almy (Taber) Burt; grandson of Daniel Crane and Susan (Jenney) Burt; great-grandson of Levi and Susanna (Proctor) Jenney (Jenne); great²-grandson of *Levi Jenne*, private, Col. Hathaway's Second Bristol County Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WARREN CLINTON BURT, New Bedford, Mass. (38145). Son of William Albert and Fannie Estella (Walsh) Burt; grandson of Stephen Albert and Clara Amelia (French) Burt; great-grandson of Stephen Godfrey and Maria (Burt) Burt; great²-grandson of Edmond and Rebecca (Macomber) Burt; great³-grandson of *Stephen Burt*, private, Col. Edward Pope's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ARTHUR DERMONT BUSH, Grand Forks, N. Dak. (36948). Son of William and Mary Amanda (Davis) Bush; grandson of James and Azubah F. (Withington) Davis; great-grandson of Seth and Nabby (Bartlett) Davis; great²-grandson of *William Bartlett, 2nd*, private and wagoner, Col. Timothy Bigelow's Regt., Massachusetts Continental Troops.
- CHARLES EGNER CABELL, Guilford, Surrey, Eng. (La. 38117). Son of Robert Hervey and Lillian (Egner) Cabell; grandson of Robert Hervey and Alice (Oliver) Cabell; great-grandson of Edward Blair and Harriet Forbes (Monroe) Cabell; great²-grandson of Joseph and Pocahontas Rebecca (Bolling) Cabell, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Joseph Cabell*, Colonel, Virginia Militia.
- ROBERT HERVEY CABELL, Guilford, Surrey, Eng. (La. 38118). Son of Robert Hervey and Alice (Oliver) Cabell; grandson of Edward Blair and Harriet Forbes (Monroe) Cabell; great-grandson of Joseph and Pocahontas Rebecca (Bolling) Cabell, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Joseph Cabell*, Colonel, Virginia Militia.
- ROBERT HERVEY CABELL, JR., Paris, France (La. 38119). Same as Charles Egner Cabell (La. 38117).
- ROBERT MASON CADMAN, Summit, N. J. (38232). Son of Robert and Nellie (Hills) Cadman; grandson of Augustus Utley and Mari Anna (—) Hills; great-grandson of Jacob and Mary (—) Hills; great²-grandson of *Elijah Hills*, private, Col. Moseley's and Col. Belden's Regts., Connecticut Militia.
- WILLIAM H. CAMFIELD, Newark, N. J. (38233). Son of William Henry and Anna J. (Krumeich) Camfield; grandson of David James and Catherine (Mead) Camfield; great-grandson of Jabez and Elizabeth (Johnson) Camfield; great²-grandson of *Abiel Camfield*, Quartermaster, New Jersey Troops.
- JOHN CARGILL, Chicago, Ill. (37893). Son of William and Harriet Shaw (Rose) Cargill; grandson of Solomon and Mary (Adams) Rose; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Marcie (Rose) Adams; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Adams*, Captain, Col. Elliott's Regt., Rhode Island Artillery.
- ARTHUR JAY CARRUTH, Kansas (36741). Supplementals. Son of Uri and Lucy Ann (Robinson) Carruth; grandson of Levi and Lucy (Hager) Carruth; great-grandson of *James Carruth*, private, Col. Nathan Sparhawk's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great-grandson of *John Hager*, private, Col. Spooner's and Col. Putnam's Regts., Massachusetts Militia; grandson of Ira and Polly (Kibbee) Robinson; great-grandson of Ambrose and Sallie (Belknap) Kibbee; great²-grandson of *Moses Belknap*, private, Col. Peter Olcott's Regt., Vermont Militia.
- THOMAS ARCHIBALD CARY, JR., Richmond, Va. (36570). Son of Thomas Archibald and Maria B. (Abert) Cary; grandson of John Baytop and Columbia (Hudgins) Cary; great-grandson of Gill Armistead and Sally (Baytop) Cary; great³-grandson of *John Cary*, Captain, Elizabeth City, Va., Militia and Member Committee of Safety.

- CHARLES SILAS CHAMPLIN, Baldwinsville, N. Y. (38414). Son of Albert Benton and Ruth Wood (Ellsworth) Champlin; grandson of Hallam C. and Annie B. (Hitchcock) Champlin; great-grandson of Pownol and Sally A. (Knowlton) Hitchcock; great-grandson of *Elijah Hitchcock*, private, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm; grandson of Nathan and Arksah (Carpenter) Ellsworth; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Lousana (Loomis) Ellsworth; great-grandson of *Reuben Loomis*, private, Connecticut Militia.
- DAVID CAMPBELL CHAPLIN, Sewickley, Pa. (38357). Son of James Crossan and Fanny (Campbell) Chaplin; grandson of James Crossan and Martha (Harris) Chaplin; great-grandson of William Craig and Sarah Jane (Crossan) Chaplin; great-grandson of John Huntington and Harriet (Craig) Chaplin; great-grandson of *Isaac Craig*, Lieutenant on battleship "Andrew Doria" and Captain and Major, Col. Thomas Proctor's Regt., Pennsylvania Continental Artillery.
- CHARLES MCCOY CLARK, Globe Gila County, Ariz. (36605). Son of Russel Erskin and Sarah Philena (Howland) Clark; grandson of Lucius and Mary (Polly) (Childs) Howland; great-grandson of Eliphaz and Ruth (Gibbs) Childs; great-grandson of *Timothy Childs*, Captain, Deerfield, Mass. Militia.
- ROBERT CRAWFORD, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38359). Son of James P. and Mary (McClintock) Crawford; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Rea) Crawford; great-grandson of John and Salome (Jennings) Crawford; great-grandson of *William Crawford*, Captain, Virginia Militia.
- JAMES CROSSAN CHAPLIN III, Sewickley, Pa. (38358). Same as David Campbell Chaplin, Pa. (38357).
- CAROLUS THOMAS CLARK, Westfield, N. J. (38479). Son of Salter Storrs and Caroline M. (Goddard) Clark; grandson of James Edward and Catherine (Jennings) Goddard; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Eunice (Rathbone) Goddard; great-grandson of *Daniel Goddard*, Lieutenant, Sixth Regt., Worcester County, Massachusetts Militia.
- JOSEPH HENRY CLINE, Chicago, Ill. (38456). Son of Henry Miller and Mary (Shepherd) Cline; grandson of Michael and — (—) Cline; great-grandson of *Philip Kline (Cline)*, private and Corporal, Berks County, Penna. Militia and German Regt.
- LOGAN COATES, Memphis, Tenn. (Ind. 38281). Son of J. Edward and Eliza (Hart) Coates; grandson of John and Sarah (Sallie) (Yeates) Coates; great-grandson of *John Coates, Sr.*, private, Spotsylvania County, Virginia Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of *John Yeates*, Lieutenant, Col. Thomas Marshall's Regt., Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- WINFIELD SCOTT SCHLEY COCKEY, Cockeysville, Md. (37694). Son of Joshua Frederick and Anna (Bussey) Cockey; grandson of Clement and Mary Ridgely (Cockey) Bussey; great-grandson of Henry Green and Elizabeth (Harris) Bussey; great-grandson of *Bennett Bussey*, Captain, Col. Hall's Battalion, Maryland Flying Camp.
- DON BYRON COLTON, Vernal, Utah (37556). Son of Sterling D. and Nancy (A—) Colton; grandson of Philander and Polly Matilda (Merrell) Colton; great-grandson of Charles and Polly (Jones) Colton; great-grandson of *Eli Colton*, private, Hampshire County Regts., Massachusetts Militia; great-grandson of *Benjamin Colton*, drummer, Col. Rufus Putnam's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- LEWIS COMPTON, Perth Amboy, N. J. (38234). Son of James I. and Emma (De Bow) Compton; grandson of George Alfred and Emma Eugenia (Disosway) Compton; great-grandson of Lewis and Abigail (Golding) Compton; great-grandson of *James Compton*, private, First Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line.
- DONALD RICHMOND COMSTOCK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38219). Son of Herbert Courtney and Stella Louise (Fullerton) Comstock; grandson of Thomas Anthony and Bertha Edith (Giles) Comstock; great-grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Clock) Comstock; great-grandson of *Abijah Comstock*, Member Connecticut Militia at Tryon's Invasion and Member Committees on procuring provisions and clothing; great-grandson of *Johnathan Clock*, private, Col. Waterbury's and Col. Elmore's Regts., Connecticut Militia.
- HERBERT COURTNEY COMSTOCK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38220). Son of Thomas Anthony and Bertha Edith (Giles) Comstock; grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Clock) Comstock; great-grandson of *Abijah Comstock*, Member Connecticut Militia at Tryon's Invasion and Member Committees on procuring provisions and clothing; great-grandson of *Johnathan Clock*, private, Col. Waterbury's and Col. Elmore's Regts., Connecticut Militia.

- HERBERT COURTNEY COMSTOCK, JR., Brooklyn, N. Y. (38221). Same as Donald Richmond Comstock, N. Y. (38219).
- FRANKLN THOMAS CONDIT, Newark, N. J. (38492). Son of Franklin I. and Mary J. (Thomas) Condit; grandson of Israel B. and Susan R. (Butler) Condit; great-grandson of Samuel Wheeler and Sarah (Brundage) Condit; great-grandson of Joel and Sarah (Wheeler) Condit; great-grandson of *Daniel Condit*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia, Second Establishment State Troops and in Cont'l Line.
- CLIFTON HOVEY CORNISH, New Bedford, Mass. (38437). Son of Ivory S. and Frances S. (Perkins) Cornish; grandson of Spooner and Ruth (Hovey) Cornish; great-grandson of Aaron and Sarah (Griffiths) Hovey; great-grandson of *Dominicus Hovey*, Lieutenant, Plymouth County, Massachusetts Militia and Cont'l Troops.
- GEORGE MALTBY COWAN, Pa. (29641). Supplemental. Son of Andrew Jackson and Jane W. (Smith) Cowan; grandson of William and Catherine (McIntosh) Cowan; great-grandson of *Henry Cowan*, private, Fourteenth Regt., Virginia Troops.
- FLOYD GUY CRANDELL, Toledo, Ohio (38092). Son of Theodore and Laura Ely (Benton) Crandell; grandson of Youngs Elliot and Mary Ann (Ely) Benton; great-grandson of John and Mary (Lord) Ely; great-grandson of *Seth Ely*, Captain, Third Co., Third Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- JOHN CARR CRENSHAW, Hartsville, Tenn. (38378). Son of James C. and Clarissa (Brevard) Crenshaw; grandson of Alfred and Mary (Alexander) Brevard; great-grandson of *John Brevard, Jr.*, Lieutenant, Ninth Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Line, Delegate to Halifax Constitutional Convention.
- GEORGE WASHINGTON CRITCHLOW, Meadville, Pa. (38368). Son of Thomas and Eliza (Dodds) Critchlow; grandson of John and Sophia (Gray) Critchlow; great-grandson of *William Critchlow*, private, Capt. Lusk's Co., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.
- PAUL NISBET CRITCHLOW, Sewickley, Pa. (38369). Son of George Washington and Felicia (Nisbet) Critchlow; grandson of Thomas and Eliza (Dodds) Critchlow; great-grandson of John and Sophia (Gray) Critchlow; great-grandson of *William Critchlow*, private, Capt. Lusk's Co., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.
- GEORGE IRWING CROLIUS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38407). Son of John Austin and Sarah Elizabeth (Whitney) Crolius; grandson of William Austin and Levinia (Munson) Crolius; great-grandson of William and Jane (De Grove) Crolius; great-grandson of *John Crolius*, private, Col. John Lasher's Regt., New York Militia.
- WILLIS ORLANDO CURTISS, Ohio (34146). Supplemental. Son of Orlando F. and Angeline (Lewis) Curtiss; grandson of Samuel B. and Amy (Ferris) Lewis; great-grandson of *John Lewis*, Captain, Col. William Douglas' Connecticut State Regt.
- GOODMAN RICHARD DAVIS, II, New York City, N. Y. (38415). Son of Goodman Richard and Benvenida (Brickner) Davis; grandson of Michael Marks and Miriam (Peixotto) Davis; great-grandson of Daniel Levi Maduro and Rachel (Seixas) Peixotto; great-grandson of *Benjamin Mendez Seixas*, Officer, New York Militia.
- HARRY ALEXANDER DAVIS, D. C. (38004). Supplementals. Son of David R. W. and Mary T. (Deering) Davis; grandson of David Rogerson Williams and Mary White (Norris) Davis; great-grandson of Henry H. and Elizabeth (—) Davis; great-grandson of *Henry Davis*, Lieutenant, Col. Powell's Regt., Marion County, South Carolina Militia; great-grandson of *Benjamin Davis*, private, Marion County, South Carolina Militia.
- PAUL GARDNER DAVIS, Ben Avon, Pa. (38360). Son of John Julian and Maud (Frink) Davis; grandson of William M. and Minerva (Jones) Davis; great-grandson of John Leftridge and Ann (Lewis) Jones; great-grandson of *John Jones*, Captain, Sixth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- JOHN CRANE DAY, Newark, N. J. (38235). Son of Wilbur F. and Sarah Elizabeth (Kinsey) Day; grandson of Samuel L. and Elizabeth (Crane) Day; great-grandson of Stephen and Elizabeth Coe (Wood) Day; great-grandson of *Daniel S. Wood*, Captain, First Regt., Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- EDWARD M. DEANE, Grand Rapids, Mich. (37960). Son of Charles H. and Maria (McReynolds) Deane; grandson of A. F. and Elizabeth Morgan (Brewster) McReynolds; great-grandson of Jonah and Betsey (Belcher) Brewster; great-grandson of *William Belcher*, Captain, Gen. Wadsworth's Brigade, Connecticut Cont'l Line.

- CALVIN DECKER DECKER, Minneapolis, Minn. (38311). Son of Jacob Smith and Mary Ann (Smith) Decker; grandson of Calvin and Christina (Smith) Decker; great-grandson of Thomas and Susannah (Shoemaker) Decker; great²-grandson of *Henry Shoemaker*, Teamster, Capt. Hallybirt's New Jersey Team Brigade.
- JOHN THOMAS DIBRELL, Capt. U. S. Army, Tenn. (38390). Son of Sydney Stanton and Narcissa (Rhea) Dibrell; grandson of George Gibbs and Mary N. (Leftwich) Dibrell; great-grandson of Anthony and Milly (Carter) Dibrell; great²-grandson of *Charles Dibrell*, Ensign, Virginia Militia and Convention Guards, pensioned.
- EDWARD CHAPMAN DOUGLAS, Springfield, Mass. (38146). Son of Edward and Caroline Elizabeth (Chapman) Douglas; grandson of Charles and Elizabeth Hanford (Porter) Chapman; great-grandson of Obadiah and Eliza (Hanford) Porter; great²-grandson of Levi and Mary (Mead) Hanford; great³-grandson of *John Mead*, Brigadier-General, Fourth Brigade, Connecticut Militia.
- JAMES ALEXANDER DOWDY, Chicago, Ill. (38457). Son of James Hamond and Emma Frances (Runyan) Dowdy; grandson of Gerardus Bennett and Lavina Hertman (Reeve) Runyan; great-grandson of John and Martha (Bennett) Runyan; great²-grandson of *Hugh Runyan*, New Jersey Quartermaster.
- JOSEPH BEATTY DOYLE, Ohio (20918). Supplemental. Son of Joseph C. and Eliza Ann (McFeely) Doyle; grandson of Eli H. and Elizabeth (Ward) McFeely; great-grandson of John and Anna (McClellan) Ward; great²-grandson of *Alexander McClellan*, Member First Pennsylvania Legislature, Justice of the Peace, and Officer, Westmoreland County Rangers.
- WILLIAM RAYMOND DUNCAN, Chicago, Ill. (37894). Son of William David and Sally Ann (Raymond) Ayres Duncan; grandson of Thomas Bell and Katy (Bunnell) Raymond; great-grandson of *Isaac Raymond*, private, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- EDWIN WESLEY DUNLAVY, Denver, Colo. (36350). Son of Howard Houston and Hannah E. (Oliver) Dunlavy; grandson of John Wesley and Nancy Jane (Straughan) Dunlavy; great-grandson of Francis and Mahala (Steward) Dunlavy; great²-grandson of Daniel and Martha (Yocum) Dunlavy; great³-grandson of *Anthony Dunlavy*, private, Frederick County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- CHARLES RAYMOND DUNN, Westfield, N. J. (38250). Son of David and Evelyn (Taylor) Dunn; grandson of Isaac H. and Hannah A. (Dunham) Dunn; great-grandson of David and Mary (Holton) Dunn; great²-grandson of Joel and Rachel (Runyon) Dunn; great³-grandson of *Micajah Dunn*, Lieutenant-Colonel, First Regt., Middlesex County, New Jersey Militia.
- FREDERICK ELI EDMANDS, Springfield, Ill. (37895). Son of Charles Henry and Mary Ellen (Cook) Edmands; grandson of Charles H. and Mahitabel (Barker) Edmands; great-grandson of David and Mercy (Burdette) Edmands, Jr.; great²-grandson of *David Edmands*, Bombardier and Corporal, Charlestown, Massachusetts Militia; grand-grandson of David and Rebecca (Burdette) Barker; great²-grandson of *Samuel Burdette (Burditt)*, Second Lieutenant, Col. Wheelock's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HENRY E. EDWARDS, Jackson, Mich. (37974). Son of Randolph and Harriet M. (Powers) Edwards; grandson of Isaac and Hannah (Foster) Powers; great-grandson of *Isaac Powers*, private, Westford, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- WILLARD WEBSTER EGGLESTON, Washington, D. C. (Vt. 38029). Son of Romaine James and Mary Elizabeth (Squier) Eggleston; grandson of Eleazer Harwood and Charity Mary (Hathaway) Squier; great-grandson of *Daniel Squier*, Minute Man and Drummer, Connecticut Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of *James Hathaway*, Sergeant, Col. Green's Regt., Rhode Island Cont'l Line, pensioned; grandson of James and Lydia Jackman (Tenney) Eggleston; great-grandson of *Benjamin Tenney*, private, Rowley, Massachusetts Militia for defense of Gloucester Harbor, and of Col. Rufus Putnam's Regt., Cont'l Line.
- EDWARD OWEN ELDRED, Pueblo, Colo. (38551). Son of George and Carrie (Owen) Eldred; grandson of Sylvester and Nancy Jane (Cook) Owen; great-grandson of Jabez Crooke and Sarah (Gainey) Owen; great²-grandson of William and Sally (Crooke) Owen; great³-grandson of *John Crooke*, private, Col. Elias Edmond's Regt., Virginia Troops, pensioned.

- JOHN TOWSON ELSROAD, Laurel, Md. (D. C. 38016). Son of John T. and Ella (Hallock) Ellsroad; grandson of Erasmus Darwin and Mary (Latting) Hallock; great-grandson of Warring and Sally Anne (Sperry) Latting; great²-grandson of James and Fannie (Pixley) Sperry; great³-grandson of *Isaac Pixley*, private and Captain, Berkshire County, Massachusetts Militia.
- IRWIN C. ELLSWORTH, Orrville, Ohio (38087). Son of Irvin H. and Anna J. (Mawer) Ellsworth; grandson of E. D. and N. J. (Overmyere) Ellsworth; great-grandson of Jacob and M. M. (Hommell) Overmeier; great²-grandson of David and B. (Hockhacker) Overmeier; great³-grandson of *John George Overmeier*, Captain, Third and First Battalions, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Member Committee of Safety.
- RALPH CALEB ESTES, Attleboro, Mass. (38432). Son of Frank C. and Nellie F. (Bradbury) Estes; grandson of Joseph W. and Laura J. (Huntress) Bradbury; great-grandson of Aaron and Jemima (Sampson) Huntress; great²-grandson of *James Sampson*, private, Col. Jacobs' Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- CHESTER WILLIAM EVANS, San Francisco, Calif. (38162). Son of Chester Hepburn and Margaret Wallace (Craib) Evans; grandson of Chester Burke and Clara (Hepburn) Evans; great-grandson of James and Rebecca (Cowden) Hepburn; great²-grandson of *William Hepburn*, Captain of Fort Muncy, Pennsylvania Militia.
- SAMUEL DICKEN EWART, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38370). Son of William McKibben and Alice N. (Dicke) Ewart; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Brackenridge) Ewart; great-grandson of Alexander and Mary (Porter) Brackenridge; great²-grandson of *Hugh Henry Brackenridge*, Chaplain, Pennsylvania Troops.
- LEWIS MEAD FAGELEY, East Orange, N. J. (38493). Son of Warren C. and Juliete M. (Mead) Fageley; grandson of Lewis Walter and Juliette M. (Worden) Mead; great-grandson of Norman and Margaret A. (Luvry) Mead; great²-grandson of Peter and Alice (—) Mead; great³-grandson of John and Mary (Coe) Mead; great⁴-grandson of *John Mead*, Member Connecticut Legislature, Colonel and Brigadier-General Connecticut Militia.
- GEORGE BURNSIDE FLOOD, North Adams, Mass. (38440). Son of Nathan Beman and Addie E. (Millard) Flood; grandson of Roger Alexander and Maria (Pearson) Flood; great-grandson of Luke and Lecena (Alexander) Flood; great²-grandson of *Roger Alexander*, private, Col. Peck's Regt., Rhode Island Militia, also seaman, U. S. Navy.
- WALTER TROTTLER FLORENCE, Ohio (37030). Supplementals. Son of John and Blanche (Morgridge) Florence; grandson of Joshua Baily Emerson and Harriett Esther (Tuttle) Morgridge; great-grandson of Azor and Sarah (Hoyt) Tuttle; great²-grandson of *Jacob Hoyt*, private, Westchester County, New York, also Connecticut Militia; great³-grandson of *David Hoyt*, private, Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia; great²-grandson of *Enos Tuttle*, private, Col. Meigs' Regt., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of Richard and Sally (Emerson) Morgridge; great²-grandson of Jonathan and Rhoda (Baily) Emerson; great³-grandson of *Joshua Baily*, Steward on Capt. John Curtis' galley in 1781; grandson of Robinson and Elizabeth (Williams) Florence; great-grandson of William and Fanny (Robinson) Florence; great²-grandson of *William Florence*, private, Col. Buford's Regt., Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- NELSON H. FOOKS, Preston, Md. (37696). Son of George W. and Sarah Emily (Causey) Fooks; grandson of Irving and Charlotte J. (Coulbourn) Fooks; great-grandson of Uriah and Eliza Jane (Johnson) Fooks; great²-grandson of Seth and Matty (—) Fooks; great³-grandson of *Jesse Fooks*, private, Wicomico County, Maryland Militia.
- ARTHUR WHITTON FORBES, New Bedford, Mass. (38147). Son of Charles H. and Emeline (Whitton) Forbes; grandson of Henry Hall and Cynthia (Macomber) Forbes; great-grandson of Joshua and Hannah Harriet (Hall) Forbes; great²-grandson of *James Hall*, private, Guilford, Connecticut Cont'l Troops, died on prison ship.
- JOSEPH WARREN FORDNEY, Saginaw, Mich. (37961). Son of John and Achsah (Cotton) Fordney; grandson of Melchior and Mary (Michael) Fordney; great-grandson of *Jacob Fortneux (Fordney)*, private, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JOSEPH WELLER FORSYTHE, Carnegie, Pa. (38371). Son of George B. and Lettie (Weller) Forsythe; grandson of George and Margaret (Henry) Forsythe; great-grandson of *James Forsythe, Jr.*, private, Capt. Raucher's Regt., Virginia Militia; great²-grandson of *James Forsythe*, private, Fourth Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- ROMULUS ADAMS FOSTER, Washington, D. C. (38017). Son of Adams and Sarah Jane (Burch) Foster; grandson of James and Cynthia (Adams) Foster; great-grandson of *James Foster*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- STANLEY ALFRED FOSTER, Lowell, Mass. (38441). Son of Alfred Joel and Stella Frances (Kelly) Foster; grandson of Joel and Elizabeth Jane (Porter) Foster; great-grandson of Joel and Louisa W. (Page) Foster; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Foster*, private, Col. Parker's and Col. Bridge's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.
- BURT CORNELIUS FOWLER, Omaha, Nebr. (38502). Son of Francis and Eveline (Van Vechten) Fowler; grandson of Cornelius and Caroline (Thayer) Van Vechten; great-grandson of Walter and Jane (Fonda) Van Vechten; great²-grandson of *Derrick Van Vechten*, Major, New York Militia.
- WILLIAM BYRAM FOSTER, Detroit, Mich. (Mo. 37615). Son of John Byram and Arabella (McMahan) Foster; grandson of John and Sarah (Julien) Foster; great-grandson of John and Ann (Vanoy) Foster; great²-grandson of *Thomas Foster*, private, Virginia Cont'l Line; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Vanoy*, private, Capt. Andrew Vanoy's Co., Col. Benjamin Cleveland's Regt., North Carolina Troops.
- WILLIAM ERIC FOWLER, D. C. (36147). Supplemental. Son of John Calhoun and Emma Smith (Peden) Fowler; grandson of Riley and Susan (Crane) Fowler; great-grandson of *William Crane*, private, Third Regt., South Carolina Cont'l Troops.
- BURROWS HOLCOMBE FRASCH, Bremen, Ohio (38086). Son of George J. and Nina May (Holcombe) Frasche; grandson of Calvin Burrows and Jane Reed (Shelhamer) Holcombe; great-grandson of Burrows and Sarah (Ogg) Holcombe; great²-grandson of John and Rachel (Burrows) Holcombe; great³-grandson of *Elijah Holcombe*, private, Capt. Beatty's Pennsylvania Troops and Capt. Anderson's Co. of New York Troops, pensioned.
- JAMES WILLIAM FRAZIER, Charleston, Ill. (37896). Son of Thomas Ellsberry and Lou Alice (Swango) Frazier; grandson of James William and Mary Florence (O'Hair) Frazier; great-grandson of Thomas and Anna (Stark) Frazier; great²-grandson of *John Frazier*, Sergeant, Virginia Cont'l Line; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Hardwick) O'Hair; great²-grandson of *Michael Oharro (Ohara)*, private, Gen. Green's Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- ADRIAN MARTIN FULLER, Sugar Grove, Ohio (38083). Son of Louis Samuel and Marietta Elizabeth (Linn) Fuller; grandson of Ezra Buell and Josette (Smith) Linn; great-grandson of Andrew and Theodate (Buell) Linn; great²-grandson of Alexander and Hannah (Armstrong) Linn; great³-grandson of *Joseph Linn*, Adjutant, Second Regt., Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- SAMUEL LINN FULLER, Columbus, Ohio (38093). Son of Louis Samuel and Mariette Elizabeth (Linn) Fuller; grandson of Ezra Buell and Josette (Smith) Linn; great-grandson of Andrew and Theodate (Buell) Linn; great²-grandson of Alexander and Hannah (Armstrong) Linn; great³-grandson of *Joseph Linn*, Adjutant, Second Regt., Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- ADDISON LEMAN GARDNER, JR., Oak Park, Ill. (37897). Son of Addison L. and Jeanie A. (Black) Gardner; grandson of Lemman and Eliza (Knapp) Gardner; great-grandson of William Wilkinson and Fanny (Yeomans) Gardner; great²-grandson of Gilbert and Sarah (Bullock) Yeomans; great³-grandson of *Eliab Yeomans*, private, Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- EARL DAVID GETMAN, North Adams, Mass. (38150). Son of Charles and Elizabeth (C—) Getman; grandson of David and Margaret (Shaw) Getman; great-grandson of Bartlett and Elizabeth (Grant) Getman; great²-grandson of *Mark Grant*, private, First Regt., New York Troops.
- WILLARD MERCEREAU GILMAN, Newark, N. J. (38243). Son of Frank Gaylord and Lena (Mercereau) Gilman; grandson of James Lyman and Sarah (Kenyon) Gilman; great-grandson of William and Marcia (Templer) Gilman; great²-grandson of Jonathan and Charity (Downs) Gilman; great³-grandson of *Antipas Gilman*, signer of New Hampshire Association Test.
- LUDWELL HARRISON GILMER, Philadelphia, Pa. (Md. 37700). Son of George Walker and Frances Harrison (Brown) Gilmer; grandson of George Christopher and Leanna

- D. (Lewis) Gilmer; great-grandson of George and Elizabeth (Hudson) Gilmer, 3d; great²-grandson of *George Gilmer, 2d*, Lieutenant, Albemarle County, Virginia Volunteers.
- BENJAMIN ANTHONY GILMORE, Acushnet, Mass. (38426). Son of Abiel P. R. and Ruth Emma (Anthony) Gilmore; grandson of Adomiam and Chloe Caroline D. (Robinson) Gilmore; great-grandson of Abiel Peirce and Chloe (Dean) Robinson; great²-grandson of Godfrey and Hannah (Peirce) Robinson; great³-grandson of *Abial Peirce*, Captain, Middleborough, Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM GORDON, New Bedford, Mass. (38427). Son of Thomas Pope and Carrie Swain (Richmond) Gordon; grandson of William and Clarissa H. (Nye) Gordon, Jr.; great²-grandson of *William Gordon*, Lieutenant, Col. Craft's and Col. Crane's Regts., Massachusetts Artillery, prisoner.
- HARRY WILSON GOSSER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38372). Son of George W. and Mary Emma (—) Gosser; grandson of Henry and Delilah (Wilson) Gosser; great-grandson of James and Majory (Means) Wilson; great²-grandson of Robert and Martha (McGill) Means; great³-grandson of *James McGill*, private, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Third Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- JOHN HOWARD GRAVES, San Jose, Calif. (38163). Son of Edmund A. and Catherine Hardenis (Merriwether) Graves; grandson of David and Sarah Hoar (Leonard) Meriwether; great-grandson of *William Meriwether*, Ensign, Virginia Militia.
- JULIUS STANLEY GRAVES, Foxboro, Mass. (38442). Son of William Hubbard and Jennie S. (Fisk) Graves; grandson of William and Mary E. (Davis) Graves; great-grandson of Thaddeus and Mary (Mann) Graves; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Graves*, private and Corporal, Massachusetts Militia.
- OLIVER HERALD GRIFFIN, Columbus, Ohio (38084). Son of William Henry and Lillian Dale (Ferguson) Griffin; grandson of Thomas Frazier and Elnora Fedora (Woods) Griffin; great-grandson of Worden and Pamela (Moore) Griffin; great²-grandson of *James Moore*, private and Sergeant, Vermont and Massachusetts Militia.
- ALBERT AVERY GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37962). Son of Willis and Laura M. (Avery) Grinnell; grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great²-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Troops, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- CHARLES H. GRINNELL, Highland Park, Mich. (37963). Son of Clayton and Catherine (Thorpe) Grinnell; grandson of Major and Delilah (—) Grinnell; great-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great²-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- CLAYTON ALBERT GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37964). Son of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great²-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- ELMER W. GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37965). Son of Ira L. and Ellen (Parks) Grinnell; grandson of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; great-grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great²-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great³-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- FREDERICK A. GRINNELL, Pontiac, Mich. (37966). Son of Herbert and Lucy (Ward) Grinnell; grandson of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; great-grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great²-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great³-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia and in Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- HERBERT JAY GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37967). Same as Frederick A. Grinnell, Mich. (37966).
- LEONARD E. GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37968). Son of Elmer W. and Cecile C. (Crosby) Grinnell; grandson of Ira L. and Ellen (Parks) Grinnell; great-grandson of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; great²-grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great³-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great⁴-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.

- ZADOC LAWRENCE GRIESEMER, Roselle, N. J. (38236). Son of Milton Henry and Clara M. (Weber) Griesemer; grandson of Zadoc and Margaret (Purst) Weber; great-grandson of John Peter and Susannah (Reber) Weber; great²-grandson of *John Henry Weber*, Captain, Sixth Battalion, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JOHN ELISHA TRIMBLE GRISBY, Honolulu, H. T. (28537). Son of Elish L. and Sue D. (Vandeventer) Grigsby; grandson of John Trimble and Sarah L. (White) Grigsby; great-grandson of Elisha and Elizabeth H. (Porter) Grigsby; great²-grandson of *John Grigsby*, Captain, Thirteenth Regt., Virginia Line.
- HAROLD LELAND GROESBECK, Salt Lake City, Utah (37555). Son of Frank and Nellie (Young) Groesbeck; grandson of Brigham H. and Francis (Gibson) Young; great-grandson of Phineas H. and Clarissa (Hamilton) Young; great²-grandson of *John Young*, private, Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- DANIEL PAUL GROSSCUP, Spokane, Wash. (36668). Son of Daniel and Fianna (Stober) Grosscup; grandson of Paul and Rebecca (Shearer) Grosscup; great-grandson of *Paul Grosscup*, Captain Col. Balzar Gheer's Regt., Berks County, New Jersey Militia.
- FRANK E. GROVE, Columbus, Ohio (38082). Son of John H. and Rhoda (Brown) Grove; grandson of Joseph and Rebecca L. (Foster) Brown; great-grandson of Job and Hannah (Packard) Foster; great²-grandson of *James Foster*, private, New Hampshire Militia, pensioned.
- GEORGE IRVIN GUNCKEL, Ohio (34600). Supplementals. Son of O. I. and Harriet (Suthin) Gunckel; grandson of George W. and Julia (Ayers) Gunckel; great-grandson of Michael and Barbia (Shuey) Gunckel; great²-grandson of Philip and Catherine Lorisch (Schaeffer) Gunckel; great³-grandson of *Peter Schaeffer*, private, York County, Pennsylvania Militia; great⁴-grandson of *George Schaeffer*, Lieutenant, Col. Nicholas Haussenger's Pennsylvania German Battalion; great²-grandson of *Martin Shuey*, private, Second Battalion, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia; grandson of Joseph and Caroline (Johnston) Sutphin; great-grandson of John and Jane (Potter) Sutphin; great²-grandson of Abram and Deborah (Nichols) Sutphin; great³-grandson of *Derrick Richard Sutphin*, private and Sergeant, Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia and Artillery; great⁴-grandson of *Abram Sutphin*, private, Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia; great²-grandson of *Moses Potter*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia; great-grandson of William and Mary (Shaw) Johnston; great²-grandson of *John Shaw*, private, Col. John Stone's First Regt., Maryland Troops.
- CALLENDER FAYSSOUX HADDEN, New Orleans, La. (38526). Son of George Robert and Leonora (Fayssoux) Hadden; grandson of Callendar Irvine and Sarah A. (McLellan) Fayssoux; great-grandson of Peter S. and Rebecca (Irvine) Fayssoux; great²-grandson of *Peter Fayssoux*, Surgeon-General for South Carolina; great²-grandson of *William Irvine*, Colonel, Seventh Pennsylvania Regt., Brigadier-General Cont'l Line.
- CHARLES WESLEY HAGAR, Newark, N. J. (38481). Son of Charles Luther and Elizabeth (Annabel) Hagar; grandson of Luther and Sarah (Addoms) Hager; great-grandson of *John Addoms*, New York Engineer and Surveyor, rank of Major.
- ELLERY ALLEN HALL, Providence, R. I. (38333). Son of Oliver Davis and Susan Anna (Smith) Hall; grandson of Preservid and Eunice (Browning) Hall; great-grandson of *Caleb Hall*, private and Captain, Connecticut Militia.
- WYLIE CICERO HAMRICK, Gaffney, S. C. (23348). Son of Street and Almira (—) Hamrick; grandson of Moses and Sallie (Robinson) Hamrick; great-grandson of *Isaac Robinson*, private, Rutherford County, North Carolina Militia.
- RUTLAND HARDY, Orland, Calif. (38160). Son of Eugene Atwood and Ruth (Dibble) Hardy; grandson of George and Francis J. (Harkness) Hardy; great-grandson of Thomas and Susan G. (Hall) Harkness; great²-grandson of *John Harkness*, Second Lieutenant, Third Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops.
- EUGENE TRUETT HARRIS, Sr., Houston, Tex. (37535). Son of James Ambrose and Roberta Matilda (Wilson) Harris; grandson of Legrord Whitehall and Catherine Matilda (Bourdon) Wilson; great-grandson of *Nicholas Joseph Bourdon*, cannon-assistant to M. de Barras and M. de Bougainville, French troops.
- SAMUEL JAMES HART, Charlottesville, Va. (36563). Son of Mathew Garland and Jane Lewis (Anderson) Hart; grandson of Frank Hart and Lavina Frances (Richardson) Anderson; great-grandson of Mathew Garland and Jane Lewis (Hart) Anderson; great²-

- grandson of Archibald and Martha Callis (Winston) Anderson; great³-grandson of John and Mary (Johnson) Winston; great⁴-grandson of *John Winston*, Captain, Fourteenth and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- SAMUEL STEEL HAUDENSHIELD, Carnegie, Pa. (38373). Son of John Edward and Mary Holmes (Burk) Haudenshield; grandson of William Henry and Susan (Steel) Burk; great-grandson of Samuel and Nancy (Detrich) Steel; great²-grandson of Andrew and Mary (Stitt) Steel; great³-grandson of *John Steel*, Captain, Eleventh Regt., Pennsylvania Independent Co., and Delegate to Pennsylvania Convention of Associated Battalions.
- JOHN B. HAVILAND, Portland, Ore. (37496). Son of William King and Caroline M. (Boys) Haviland; grandson of Joseph and Sarah Jane (King) Haviland; great-grandson of Stephen and Rebecca (Haviland) Haviland; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Haviland*, private, Third Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- WILLIAM CHASE HAWES, Fairhaven, Mass. (38428). Son of William Thatcher and Ann Maria (Eldridge) Hawes; grandson of Ebenezer and Thankful (Thatcher) Hawes; great-grandson of *William Thatcher*, Corporal, Col. Nathaniel Freeman's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- EDWARD LIVINGSTON HAZEN, East Orange, N. J. (38489). Son of Joseph Kerr and Jennie E. (Johnson) Hazen; grandson of Aaron Coursen and Sarah (Young) Hazen; great-grandson of Joseph Kerr and Phebe (Primrose) Hazen; great²-grandson of Nathan and Gertrude (Kerr) Hazen; great³-grandson of *Thomas Hazen*, Orderly Sergeant, Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- JOSEPH KERR HAZEN, East Orange, N. J. (38490). Son of Aaron Coursen and Sarah (Young) Hazen; grandson of Joseph Kerr and Phebe (Primrose) Hazen; great-grandson of Nathan and Gertrude (Kerr) Hazen; great³-grandson of *Thomas Hazen*, Orderly Sergeant, Second Regt., Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- EDGAR FRANKLIN HEFFNER, Lock Haven, Pa. (38362). Son of William W. and Alice (Fritz) Heffner; grandson of John W. and Mary (Schwartz) Heffner; great-grandson of John and Maria (Dalritsch) Heffner; great²-grandson of *Jacob Heffner*, private, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania Militia, Court-Martial Man, Sixth Battalion, Berks County Militia.
- LAURENCE TUNSTALL HERON, Urbana, Ill. (38458). Son of Carl Clark and Marian (Wright) Heron; grandson of Paul and Laura (Tunstall) Wright; great-grandson of John F. and Jane (Meriwether) Tunstall; great²-grandson of David Wood and Mary (Lewis) Meriwether; great³-grandson of *William Meriwether*, Captain, Virginia Militia.
- JACKMAN HERRICK, Duchesne, Utah (38020). Son of Edward and Ella F. (Jackman) Herrick; grandson of Castle Hopkins and Rachael (Mead) Herrick; great-grandson of Samuel and Margaret Howard (Davidson) Herrick; great²-grandson of Samuel and Margaret (Per-Lee) Herrick; great³-grandson of *Rufus Herrick*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- CHARLES BORLAND HILL, Jr., Montclair, N. J. (38483). Son of Charles Borland and Sarah Cooper (Rogers) Hill; grandson of Augustus and Julia Miller (Knapp) Hill; great-grandson of Nathaniel Peter and Matilda (Crawford) Hill; great²-grandson of *Peter Hill*, Captain, Orange County, New York Minute Men in 1775.
- GEORGE WALDO HILLMAN, New Orleans, La. (38529). Son of John Wesley and Rosalie (Frye) Hillman; grandson of Frederick and Matilda (Brooks) Frye; great-grandson of Daniel Mackey and Anne (Butler) Frye; great²-grandson of *Frederick Frye*, Ensign, Col. Joseph Vose's Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Troops; great³-grandson of *James Frye*, Colonel, Essex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM JAMES HOLLOWAY, Baltimore, Md. (37699). Son of Daniel James and Gertrude C. (Adkins) Holloway; grandson of Elisha and Sallie (McGee) Holloway; great-grandson of Joshua and Elizabeth (Adkins) Holloway; great²-grandson of *Joshua Holloway*, private, Worcester County, Maryland Militia.
- WILLIAM HUBON HOLTON, Nashville, Tenn. (38382). Son of William Henry and Annie (Ansley) Holton; grandson of William David and Priscilla Smith (Williams) Holton; great-grandson of Samuel Z. and Elizabeth (Smith) Williams; great²-grandson of Robert and Priscilla (Parker) Smith; great³-grandson of William and Kitty (Mathews) Parker; great⁴-grandson of *John Parker*, private, Delaware Militia.

- ELMORE DELOS HOTCHKISS, II, Richmond, Va. (36571). Son of Elmore Delos and Alice (Starke) Hotchkiss; grandson of Nelson Hill and Harriett (Russell) Hotchkiss; great-grandson of Stiles and Lydia (Beecher) Hotchkiss; great²-grandson of Amraphel and Appaulina (—) Hotchkiss; great³-grandson of David and Abigail (Douglass) Hotchkiss; great⁴-grandson of *Gideon Hotchkiss*, Captain, Connecticut Militia at the attack on Danbury, Member Committees of Safety and for collecting clothing.
- HENRY HERBERT HOWARD, Brockton, Mass. (38433). Son of Charles and Lavina (Rounds) Howard; grandson of Asa and Eunice (Thayer) Howard; great-grandson of *Benjamin Howard*, Sergeant, Braintree, Massachusetts Militia.
- ROBERT WADE HUMPHREYS, Galveston, Tex. (37536). Son of Benjamin F. and Edna V. (Wade) Humphreys; grandson of Josiah Phillip and Frances Virginia (Reiley) Wade; great-grandson of Robert and Esther (Stevens) Reiley; great²-grandson of *John Reiley*, private, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- LOUIS GROW HUNTLEY, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38374). Son of Charles Louis and Antoinette (Grow) Huntley; grandson of George Bartley and Alma A. (Chamberlain) Grow; great-grandson of Hiram H. and Elizabeth (Bartley) Grow; great²-grandson of *Peter Grow*, private, Capt. King's Co., Col. Marshall's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- WILLIAM J. HUTCHISON, Kittanning, Pa. (36769). Supplemental. Son of Joseph H. and Mary Ellen (Poster) Hutchison; grandson of Joseph C. and Eliza (Mathews) Hutchison; great-grandson of John and Esther (Brown) Mathews; great²-grandson of *Isaac Brown*, private, Second Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- PHILIP BAILEY INGRAHAM, Ho-Ho-Kus, N. J. (38494). Son of Clark S. and Alice H. (Ryon) Ingraham; grandson of George L. and Hannah (Hammond) Ryon; great-grandson of David and Polly (Tubbs) Hammond; great²-grandson of John and Hannah (Tubbs) Hammond; great³-grandson of *Amariah Hammond*, private, Connecticut Militia, at Wyoming Massacre, killed.
- CARTER COLEMAN JETT, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38363). Son of William Wills and Sarah Ellen (Coleman) Jett; grandson of James Carter and Ann Eliza (Mills) Coleman; great-grandson of Edward Spilsbe and Margaret (Blanton) Coleman; great²-grandson of *James Coleman*, private and Sergeant, Twelfth and Eighth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Line; great-grandson of Charles Henry and Tabitha Buckner (Daniel) Mills; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Mills*, Captain, Orange County, Virginia Militia.
- ALBERT JACKSON JEWETT, Terre Haute, Ind. (38279). Son of Charles Timothy and Gracia Agatha Milton (Custer) Jewett; grandson of Albert Follett and Mahala Ann (Roberts) Jewett; great-grandson of Timothy and Harriet (Follet) Jewett; great²-grandson of Abel and Susanna (Munson) Jewett, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Abel Jewett*, private, Col. Enoch Hale's Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops.
- CHARLES MILTON JEWETT, Terre Haute, Ind. (38280). Same as Albert Jackson Jewett, Ind. (38279).
- GEORGE ANSON JEWETT, Des Moines, Iowa (37661). Son of George Enoch and Patty Maria (Mathews) Jewett; grandson of David Lewis and Marie (Rostedo) Jewett Jewett; great-grandson of Joseph and Huldah (Fenton) Jewett; great²-grandson of *John Jewett*, Hopkinton, New Hampshire Scout, and Signer of "Fidelity Test Oath."
- LEWIS FRANKLIN JOHNSON, Frankfort, Ky. (38577). Son of William Priestly and Mary Elizabeth (Cardwell) Johnson; grandson of William and Sarah Priestly (Arnold) Johnson; great-grandson of Stephen and Martha (McBride) Arnold; great²-grandson of *William McBride*, Major, Virginia Troops, killed at battle of Blue Licks.
- RODNEY KNOX JOHNSON, Ann Arbor, Mich. (37971). Son of Albert Litle and Elizabeth (Patmore) Johnson; grandson of Andrew and Mary Ann (Litle) Johnson; great-grandson of *Benjamin Johnson*, private, Col. Thomas Stickney's Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- CHARLES WILLIAM JOHNOT, Newton Upper Falls, Mass. (38434). Son of Artemus Robbins and Mary Elizabeth (Blake) Johonnot; grandson of William Bill and Betsey (Robertson) Blake; great-grandson of Bill and Polly (Wait) Blake; great²-grandson of *Seth Blake*, private, Col. Knox's Massachusetts Artillery; great-grandson of John and (Clendenning) Robertson; great²-grandson of William and Mary (Swan) Robertson; great³-grandson of *Archibald Robertson*, Delegate to Fifth New Hampshire Provincial Congress of 1775.

- FLOY CARLETON JONES, Manor Township, Armstrong County, Pa. (38356). Son of James F. and Frances Maria McGill (Haft) Jones; grandson of John and Mary (Dumars) McGill; great-grandson of James and Sophia (Roberts) Dumars; great²-grandson of *Robert Morgan Roberts*, private, Kent County, Maryland Militia.
- JAMES BROOKS JONES, Albuquerque, N. M. (37829). Son of Edward Joseph and Ellie (Brooks) Jones; grandson of James Carroll and Sarah Crawford (Robert) Brooks; great-grandson of Whitfield and Mary Parsons (Carroll) Brooks; great²-grandson of *Zachariah Smith Brooks*, Lieutenant, South Carolina Troops; great³-grandson of *Zachariah Smith and Elizabeth (Butler) Brooks*; great³-grandson of *James Butler*, Captain, South Carolina Militia, killed in service.
- FREDERICK PHILLIP KARNS, Franklin, Pa. (38355). Son of Augustine Snowden and Florence (Kribbs) Karns; grandson of Phillip F. and Catharine (Knight) Kribbs; great-grandson of George and Susannah (Sheffer) Kribbs; great²-grandson of Christian and Maria Susanna (—) Kribbs; great³-grandson of *George Kribbs (Krebs)*, private, York and Lancaster Counties, Pennsylvania Militia.
- ORION ALLEN KENNEDY, Omaha, Nebr. (38501). Son of Frank A. and Etola Kate (Reed) Kennedy; grandson of James W. and Mary Jane (Hendricks) Reed; great-grandson of Adam R. and Rachael Bowles (Stephens) Hendricks; great²-grandson of Emos Jefferson and Elizabeth Bowles (Hanna) Stephens; great³-grandson of Thomas Fulton and Jane (Jefferson) Stephens; great⁴-grandson of *Thomas Stephens*, private, Baltimore County, Maryland Militia.
- THOMAS HALL KEYES, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38222). Son of William Henry and Susan Brown (Miller) Keyes; grandson of Morris and Laura M. (Carlow) Miller; great-grandson of Gilbert and Susan (Brown) Miller; great²-grandson of *Joseph Miller*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., New York Grenadiers.
- THOMAS HALL KEYES, JR., Brooklyn, N. Y. (38223). Son of Thomas Hall and Lillian May (Runyon) Keyes; grandson of William Henry and Susan Brown (Miller) Keyes; great-grandson of Morris and Laura M. (Carlow) Miller; great²-grandson of Gilbert and Susan (Brown) Miller; great³-grandson of *Joseph Miller*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., New York Grenadiers.
- HORACE OGDEN KILBOURN, Englewood, N. J. (38246). Son of Joseph Austin and Sarah Alacoque (Dooley) Kilbourn; grandson of Horace and Mary (Young) Kilbourn; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Sellew) Kilbourn; great²-grandson of *Philip Sellew*, Committeeman to purchase clothing for Army, Collector of Army Tax, and Representative to Connecticut General Assembly.
- HENRY PRICE KNIGHT, Chicago, Ill. (37898). Son of George Edward and Maud St. Leon (Price) Knight; grandson of Henry William and Frances Irene (Warner) Price; great-grandson of Myron and Harriett (Smith) Warner; great²-grandson of Ebenezer and Lucinda (Chamberlin) Smith; great³-grandson of Harvey and Elizabeth (Warren) Chamberlin; great⁴-grandson of *Ephraim Warren*, Captain, Fifth Co., Eleventh Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- EZRA McFALL KUHN, Ohio (18288). Supplemental. Son of Daniel Y. and Leanora (McFall) Kuhns; grandson of Jesse and Mary (Shull) McFall; great-grandson of Thomas and Anna (Murdock) McFall; great²-grandson of *William Murdock*, private, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Associators, and Ninth Regt., Pennsylvania Line.
- MILES S. KUHN, Ohio (18555). Supplemental. Same as Ezra McFall Kuhns, Ohio (18288). Supplemental.
- CHARLES WARREN LAKE, JR., Providence, R. I. (38334). Son of Charles William and Annie Eliza (Franks) Lake; grandson of Williams and Mary Carpenter (Wheaton) Lake; great-grandson of Joseph and Eleanor (Williams) Lake; great²-grandson of *Laban Lake*, private, Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- FREDERICK DE FORREST LAMB, Rochester, N. Y. (38412). Son of F. D. and Margaret (Richards) Lamb; grandson of Darius and Lydia (Graves) Lamb; great-grandson of Ira and Alice (Gates) Lamb; great²-grandson of *Isaac Lamb*, private, Col. Charles Burrell's Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- ROBERT SCOTT LAMB, Washington, D. C. (38011). Son of Daniel Smith and Elizabeth (Scott) Lamb; grandson of Jacob Matlock and Delilah Mick (Rose) Lamb; great-

- grandson of William and Priscilla Ellis (Matlock) Lamb; great²-grandson of *Jacob Matlock*, private, Gloucester County, New Jersey Troops.
- ARTHUR MORELAND LAZIER, Pa. (24118). Supplemental. Son of Henry Bayard and Mary Agnes (Moreland) Lazier; grandson of William and Mary Ann (Lazier) Lazier; great-grandson of Henry and — (Berkshire) Lazier; great²-grandson of *John Lazier*, private, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Rangers.
- JEREMIAH CROPSEY LEAMING, Highland Park, Ill. (37899). Son of Joseph Faulkenberg and Katherine Mae (Cropsey) Leaming; grandson of Jeremiah and Harriet (Seovel) Leaming; great-grandson of Abigail (Faulkenberg) Leaming; great²-grandson of Persous and Charlotte (Eldridge) Leaming; great³-grandson of *Aaron Leaming, Jr.*, Chairman, Cape May County, New Jersey Committee of Safety; grandson of John Henry and Elizabeth Charlotte (Ballard) Cropsey; great-grandson of John Griffith and Catherine (Du Colon) Cropsey; great²-grandson of Jacob and Anne (Griffith) Cropsey; great³-grandson of *John Cropsey, Jr. (Cropsey)*, private, Col. John Van Rensselaer's Regt., New York Militia, pensioned.
- LEON LOCKE, Lake Charles, La. (38527). Son of James and Sophia (Douglas) Locke; grandson of James and Marcia (Stowe) Locke; great-grandson of Samuel Barron and Hannah (Russell) Locke; great²-grandson of *James Locke*, Member of Massachusetts Constitutional Convention of 1779 and Member of Legislature of '83.
- GEORGE DAVID LOCKIE, Springfield, Ill. (37900). Son of George and Cynthia (Bachelder) Lockie; grandson of Nathan and Mary (Nelson) Bachelder; great-grandson of *James Bachelder*, private, Poplin, New Hampshire Cont'l Troops.
- JEREMIAH TALCOTT LOCKWOOD, White Plains, N. Y. (38416). Son of Jeremiah Talcott and Jane (Shurragar) Lockwood; grandson of James and Nancy J. Alvin (Voorheis) Lockwood; great-grandson of *Jacob Lockwood*, Drummer, Third Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- ARTHUR HAMMOND LOZIER, Oakland, Calif. ((N. J. 38237). Son of De Forest Parsons and Ada Louise (Storrs) Lozier; grandson of Abram and Mary (Cronkrite) Lozier; great-grandson of John Peck and Hannah (Guest) Lozier; great²-grandson of *Abram Lozier*, Sergeant, Col. Van C. Holmes' Regt., New York Troops, pensioned.
- DOUGLAS ELLSWORTH LURTON, Grand Forks, N. D. (36944). Son of Freeman Ellsworth and Alice (Babbitt) Lurton; grandson of Clinton and Sarah S. (Johnson) Babbitt; great-grandson of Nathan Godfrey and Eunice (Brewster) Babbitt; great²-grandson of *Nathan Babbitt*, Surgeon's Mate, Providence, Rhode Island Hospital Department.
- CHARLES HANA LUSK, San Francisco, Calif. (38165). Son of Salmon Brooks and Isabelle (Walton) Lusk; grandson of Samuel and Sarah Fales (Brown) Walton; great-grandson of Samuel and Patty (Brainard) Walton; great²-grandson of *Timothy Brainard (Brainerd)*, Sergeant, Col. McCobb's and Col. Lithgow's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE ASA LYON, Minneapolis, Minn. (38319). Son of Orlo Henry and Belle (Bradford) Lyon; grandson of Asa and Sabra (Skinner) Lyon; great-grandson of *Thomas Lyon*, private, Capt. Ingall's Co., Eleventh Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- BENJAMIN BROWN MANCHESTER, JR., Cranston, R. I. (38335). Son of Benjamin Brown and Martha Harris (Angell) Manchester; grandson of Silas H. and Ellen F. (Munroe) Manchester; great-grandson of Jonas and Julia Ann (Smith) Munroe; great²-grandson of Abraham and Sarah (Knight) Munroe; great³-grandson of *Nathaniel Munroe*, Captain, Second Co., Second Worcester County Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HAROLD JACKSON MANCHESTER, Pawtucket, R. I. (38336). Same as Benjamin Brown Manchester, Jr., R. I. (38335).
- WILLIAM ARTHUR MARCUS, Mill Valley, Calif. (38166). Son of Morris and Jean (Douglas) Marcus; grandson of José Arnaldo and Emma Clara (Willcocks) Márquez (Marcus); great-grandson of Lewis and Margaret Ellinor (Morris) Willcocks; great²-grandson of *William Willcocks*, Captain, First Battalion, New York City Troops, Aide-de-Camp to Gen. Stirling.
- HARRY HALPINE MARLIN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38375). Son of Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Hutchinson) Marlin; grandson of Jesse and Ann (McLaughlin) Marlin; great-grandson of *Joshua Marlin*, private, Second Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- HARRY AVERY MARR, Denver, Colo. (36348). Son of Nicholas and Lillian May (Avery) Marr; grandson of William Lane and Suphronia Caroline (Williams) Avery; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Greene) Avery; great²-grandson of John Washington and Rachel (Mackey) Greene; great³-grandson of *Jarvis Greene*, private, Tryon County, North Carolina Militia, killed at Blue Licks; great-grandson of John Washington and Nancy (Lane) Williams; great²-grandson of *John Williams*, private, Col. Jairus Hogan's Regt., North Carolina Militia, pensioned.
- HARRY ALFRED MARSHALL, Summit, N. J. (38496). Son of Philip M. and Anna Amelia (Crane) Marshall; grandson of Samuel Muchmore and Joanna Lyon (Woodruff) Crane; great-grandson of Matthias and Phebe (Lyon) Woodruff; great²-grandson of *David Lyon*, private, Col. Philip Van Cortlandt's Regt., Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- GEORGE F. MAXFIELD, New Bedford, Mass. (38449). Son of George Foster and Mary (—) Maxfield; grandson of William and Maria Palmer (Bourn) Maxfield; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Palmer) Bourn; great²-grandson of *Joseph Palmer*, Captain, Barnstable County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CARL ROSS MCKENRICK, Baltimore, Md. (37695). Son of Joseph Francis and Margaret Eleanor (Read) McKenrick; grandson of Ross and Mary (Thompson) Read; great-grandson of Alexander and Martha (Jordan) Read; great²-grandson of *Alexander Read*, private, Captain Richard Smith's Regt., Maryland Flying Camp.
- HERBERT ROWE MCKINNEY, Detroit, Mich. (37970). Son of Peter and Jessie Lavinia (Bellows) McKinney; grandson of Charles Fitzroy and Julia E. (Walter) Bellows; great-grandson of William Edwy and Lavinia A. (Harris) Bellows; great²-grandson of Solomon and Mary Norvil (Hoyt) Bellows; great³-grandson of *Peter Bellows*, private, Col. Benjamin Bellows' Regt., New Hampshire Militia at Ticonderoga, pensioned.
- ANDREW McLEAN, JR., Passaic, N. J. (38484). Son of Andrew and Sarah Belle (Cridge) McLean; grandson of Andrew and Virginia (Kipp) McLean; great-grandson of John and Eleanor (Weaver) Kip; great²-grandson of John and Jane (Van Keuren) Weaver; great³-grandson of Abraham and Nellie Petrie (Wiley) Van Keuren, Jr.; great⁴-grandson of *Abraham Van Keuren*, Second Lieutenant, Fourth Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- GEORGE EDMUND McLEAN, Passaic, N. J. (38485). Same as Andrew McLean, Jr., N. J. (38484).
- FREDERICK GORDON MEAD, Springfield, Mass. (38443). Son of Frederick St. John and Hannah Mary (Avery) Mead; grandson of Russell and Mary Ann (Dunning) Mead; great-grandson of Nehemiah and Anna (Bartram) Mead; great²-grandson of *Joseph Mead*, private, Col. Chandler's, also Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- GEORGE GORDON MERRILL, Eagle Grove, Iowa (37663). Son of John Smith and Sarah (Hasty) Merrill; grandson of Ezra and Rhoda (Rich) Merrill; great-grandson of William and Mary (Stevens) Merrill; great²-grandson of *Malatiah Merrill*, private, Capt. Ollivar Tijcomb's Co., Salisbury, Massachusetts Militia.
- THEODORE BALDWIN MILLARD, U. S. M. C., Porte-au-Prince, Haiti (Mass. 38446). Life Member. Son of Sterling Eldon and Annie Maria (Baldwin) Millard; grandson of William H. and Annie (Madden) Baldwin; great-grandson of Benjamin and Anna Maria (Crippen) Baldwin; great²-grandson of *James Baldwin*, private, Col. John Ashley's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ERWIN CURTIS MILLER, Hanover, N. H. (36262). Son of Henry A. and Mary A. (Parlin) Miller; grandson of Enoch and Lucy (Child) Miller; great-grandson of Sanford and Polly (Conant) Child; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Conant*, Sergeant, Col. Carpenter's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM HENRY HAYDN MILLER, New York City, N. Y. (38408). Son of William Henry Hecht and Elizabeth V. (Hammet) Miller; grandson of Henry S. and Camilla (Clemens) Miller; great-grandson of Peter and Mary C. (Seiple) Miller; great²-grandson of *Conrad Seiple*, Lieutenant, Second Co., First Battalion, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHARLES HENRY MILLS, Corsicana, Tex. (37537). Son of Roger Q. and Carrie R. (Jones) Mills; grandson of Charles Henry and Tabitha Buckner (Daniel) Mills; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Mills*, Captain, Orange County, Virginia Militia.

- FRED GORDON MINER, Chicago, Ill. (38451). Son of Cyrus and Esther Cornelia (Hart) Miner; grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Potter) Hart; great-grandson of James and Lydia Gates (Smith) Potter; great²-grandson of *Levi Potter*, Connecticut Mattross at Tryon's Invasion and Artillery Guard.
- HOMER WADDINGTON MONAHAN, Minneapolis, Minn. (38312). Son of James G. and Helen (Waddington) Monahan; grandson of Joseph and Nancy (Pilling) Monahan; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Stitt) Monahan; great²-grandson of *William Stitt*, private, Sixth Regt., Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHADWICK H. MOORE, Hampton, Eng. (La. 38531). Son of Henry John and Harriet (Chadwick) Moore; grandson of John Chapman and Mary Ann (Thomas) Moore; great-grandson of Ephraim and Ruth S. (Chapman) Moore, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Moore*, private, Col. Thomas Poor's Regt., Essex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CLYDE BENNETT MOORE, Greensburg, Pa. (38361). Son of John Alexander and Papsie Drenora (Kefer) Moore; grandson of John and Mary Ann (Bell) Kefer; great-grandson of Walter and Polly (Finley) Bell; great²-grandson of *Andrew Finley*, Lieutenant, Eighth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- CECIL MORGAN, Shreveport, La. (38532). Son of Howell and Thisba Ann (Hutson) Morgan; grandson of Thomas Gibbes and Lydia Anne (Carter) Morgan, Jr.; great-grandson of Thomas Gibbes and Sarah (Fowler) Morgan; great²-grandson of John and Margaret (Bunyan) Morgan; great³-grandson of *George Morgan*, Deputy Commissary-General of Purchases and Agent for Indian Affairs with rank of Colonel; great-grandson of Albert Gallatin and Frances Priscilla (Howell) Carter; great²-grandson of Charles Burr and Priscilla (Kirkland) Howell; great³-grandson of *Richard Howell*, Major, Second Regt., New Jersey Troops.
- ARTHUR GIBSON MORSE, Lakewood, Ohio (38090). Son of Seth Gibson and Lucy (Cooley) Morse; grandson of *Seth Morse*, private, Col. Jonathan Brewer's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- RAY MAYNARD MOSIER, Elizabeth, N. J. (38486). Son of Cleveland Horton and Elizabeth Abbey (Kelley) Mosier; grandson of Edwin T. and Harriette Jane (Abbey) Kelley; great-grandson of Orrin and Demmis C. (Tucker) Abbey; great²-grandson of Joshua and Polly (Crane) Tucker; great³-grandson of James and Lydia (Squares) Crane; great⁴-grandson of *Esra Crane*, private, Col. Swift's Seventh Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- ROBERT JONES MOULTON, Baltimore, Md. (37697). Son of James Du Hamel and Grace Irene (Jones) Moulton; grandson of John Du Hamel and Margaret Anne (Owings) Moulton; great-grandson of James F. and Araminta (Du Hamel) Moulton; great²-grandson of James and Martha (Seth) Du Hamel; great³-grandson of *William Clayland Seth*, Adjutant, Second Infantry, Count Pulaski's Regt., Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- BENJAMIN FRANKLIN MULKEY, Portland, Ore. (37497). Son of Isaac Newton and Sarah Frances (—) Mulkey; grandson of Jonathan and Talitha (—) Mulkey; great-grandson of John and (—) Mulkey; great²-grandson of Jonathan and (—) Mulkey; great³-grandson of *Philip Mulkey*, private, Halifax County, North Carolina Militia.
- MATTHIAS BRICKELL MURFREE, Murfreesboro, Tenn. (38383). Son of James Brickell and Ada Juliett (Talley) Murfree; grandson of Mathias Brickell and Mary Ann (Roberts) Murfree; great-grandson of *Hardy Murfree*, Lieutenant-Colonel, First Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Troops.
- LORENZO DOW NICHOL, JR., Chicago, Ill. (38459). Son of Lorenzo Dow and Emma Belle (Simmons) Dow; grandson of Robert Miller and Julia Frances (Leftwich) Simmons; great-grandson of William and Frances (Otey) Leftwich; great²-grandson of *John Otey*, Colonel, Bedford County, Virginia Rifleman; great-grandson of John and Naomi (Jarrard) Simmons; great²-grandson of *William Jarrard*, Captain, Berkeley County, Virginia Militia; great³-grandson of *William Leftwich*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Bedford County, Virginia Militia.
- WILLIAM ALANSON NILES, Oak Park, Ill. (38452). Son of Franklin Adolphus and Mary Ann (Turner) Niles; grandson of Alanson and Phebe (Newell) Niles; great-grandson of John and Eunice (Doty) Newell, Jr.; great²-grandson of *John Newell*, Captain, Massachusetts Militia, stationed at Boston.

- HOMER LINCOLN NIXON, Crafton, Pa. (38676). Son of S. S. and Jennie (B—) Nixon; grandson of Samuel and Jane (Steel) Nixon; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Russell) Steel; great²-grandson of *David Steel*, Captain, Thirteenth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- DWIGHT COGGSHALL PAGE, Mass. (38450). Supplementals. Son of Frank Dwight and Tacie Lyda (Johnson) Page; grandson of Albert Gallatin and Sarah Cummings (Swallow) Page; great-grandson of Edmund and Betty (Dwight) Page; great²-grandson of *John* and Susanna (Harris) *Dwight, Jr.*, private, Col. Brook's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great³-grandson of *Francis Harris*, Selectman and Shirley, Mass., Delegate to Provincial Congress; great²-grandson of *Phineas* and Hannah (Stone) *Page*, Sergeant, Col. John Jacob's Regt., Massachusetts Light Infantry; great³-grandson of *Deacon James Stone*, Member Groton, Mass., Committee of Inspection; grandson of Albert Gallatin and Sarah Cummings (Swallow) Page; great-grandson of Amaziah and Asenath (Cummings) Swallow, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Amaziah Swallow*, Lieutenant, Seventh Regt., Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia; great²-grandson of *Simon Cummings*, Corporal, Col. Reed's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, Second Lieutenant, Seventh Regt., Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CARL CLIFTON PARCHER, Saco, Me. (38186). Son of Sumner Chase and Ida (Stockman) Parcher; grandson of George and Emma (Chase) Parcher; great-grandson of George and Eunice (Gould) Parcher; great²-grandson of *Samuel Gould*, Corporal and Sergeant, Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE JOSEPH PARKE, Norfolk, Va. (36572). Son of George Motter and Mercy White (Neal) Parke; grandson of Joseph Maxwell and Amanda (Motter) Parke; great-grandson of George Washington and Mary (Fleming) Parke; great²-grandson of *Joseph Parke*, Lieutenant-Colonel, First Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Associators, and Member of War Committees.
- EDWARD GARFIELD PARVIN, Roselle, N. J. (38248). Son of Robert Crouch and Caroline (Smith) Parvin; grandson of Ephraim L. and Hattie (Lummis) Parvin; great-grandson of George and Rachel (Ogden) Lummis; great²-grandson of *John Ogden*, private, New Jersey Militia.
- ROBERT HUMPHREYS PEARSON, East Orange, N. J. (38238). Son of Charles G. and Josephine E. (Nichols) Pearson; grandson of Robert Humphreys and Hannah Ann (Demuth) Nichols; great-grandson of *Isaac Nichols*, Lieutenant, Col. James Livingston's Regt., New York Additional Continentals.
- JOSEPH HENRY PENDLETON, Coronado, Calif. (38167). Son of Joseph Rhodes and Martha Jane (Cross) Pendleton; grandson of Gilbert and Margaret (Rhodes) Pendleton; great-grandson of Amos and Anna (Foster) Pendleton; great²-grandson of *William Pendleton*, Member, Westerly, Rhode Island Recruiting and other War Committees.
- GARDNER KING PETTEE, Dorchester, Mass. (38444). Son of Warren Nichols and Mary Emma (King) Pettee; grandson of Mozart Asbury and Mary Ann (Williams) King; great-grandson of David Clifford and Mary Ann (Hunton) Williams; great²-grandson of Peter and Betsey (Turner) Hunton; great³-grandson of Peter Hunton; great⁴-grandson of *Samuel Hunton*, private, Col. James Frye's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CHARLES JOHN PETTIBONE, Lumberton, Miss. (38528). Son of F. W. and Ann (Early) Pettibone; grandson of Chauncey and Emily M. (Goddard) Pettibone; great-grandson of Dean M. and Livia Jerusha S. (Kirener) Pettibone; great²-grandson of Chauncey Pettibone; great³-grandson of *Samuel Pettibone*, private, Capt. Mills' Co., Connecticut State Troops in 1776.
- HENRY TILLINGHAST PHILLIPS, New Bedford, Mass. (38601). Son of Allen and Sarah Helen (Briggs) Phillips; grandson of Tillinghast and Parnell (—) Briggs; great-grandson of *Thomas Briggs*, private, Col. Crary's Regt., Rhode Island Troops.
- JOHN FOWLER PHILLIPS, Baltimore, Md. (38626). Son of J. Wilmer and Maria Elizabeth (Dashiell) Phillips; grandson of Benjamin Jones and Esther Wilson (Ker) Dashiell; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Jones) Dashiell; great²-grandson of *Arthur Dashiell*, Lieutenant, First Battalion, Maryland Militia.
- HARRY LAWRENCE POPE, Fairhaven, Mass. (38602). Son of Nathaniel and Ada (L—) Pope; grandson of John Irving and Anna S. (Barstour) Pope; great-grandson of

- Nathaniel Pope*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia, and Commanding Officer of Volunteers on Sloop "Success."
- ORION GATES POPE, Pueblo, Colo. (38552). Son of Eliphalet Stickney and Prudence (Shaver) Pope; grandson of Gersham and Almira (Miller) Pope; great-grandson of Timothy and Hannah (Stickney) Pope; great²-grandson of *Gersham Pope*, private, Capt. Hall's Co., Major Backus' Regt., Connecticut Light Horse.
- CHARLES SIDNEY PRESCOTT, Snohomish, Wash. (36669). Son of Ulysses Sidney and Nellie L. (Huntoon) Prescott; grandson of Rufus and Sarah Ann (Wells) Prescott; great-grandson of Perrin and Susanna (Sanborn) Prescott; great²-grandson of John and Elisabeth (Nichols) Prescott; great³-grandson of *John Prescott*, private, New Hampshire Militia, killed at Bunker Hill.
- GEORGE POND PROCTOR, Lewistown, Ill. (38460). Son of Charles and Harriet (Phelps) Proctor; grandson of Charles and Cornelia H. (Pond) Proctor; great-grandson of Benjamin and Anna (Lambert) Proctor; great²-grandson of *Elijah Proctor*, Lieutenant, Col. Jonathan Reed's Regt., Massachusetts Guards.
- THORPE LAUROS PURCELL, Va. (34220). Supplemental. Son of John Nelson and Laura Lillian (Thorpe) Purcell; grandson of George W. and Flora M. C. (Mease) Thorpe; great-grandson of Levi Achey and Sarah Jane (Patton) Mease; great²-grandson of Robert and Mary (Wagner) Patton; great³-grandson of *John Patton*, private, Capt. Thomas Robinson's Regt., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.
- CALVIN RAYBURN, Bloomington, Ill. (38453). Son of William Kerr and Amanda M. V. (Dungan) Rayburn; grandson of William Wilson and Sarah Milburn (Groves) Dungan; great-grandson of Jesse and Jane (Wilson) Dungan, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Jesse Dungan*, private, Second Battalion, Philadelphia Troops.
- CHARLES EUGENE RAYMOND, Hinsdale, Ill. (38454). Son of Darius Milton and Charlotte (Stilson) Raymond; grandson of Thomas Bell and Katy (Bunnell) Raymond; great-grandson of *Isaac Raymond*, private, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- JOHN WILLIAM RAYMOND, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38224). Son of Charles H. and Abby Brown (Martin) Raymond; grandson of Elhanan and Sarah Olney (Brown) Martin; great-grandson of Elhanan and Mary (Hawkins) Martin; great²-grandson of Joseph and Abigail (Hopkins) Hawkins; great³-grandson of *Esek Hopkins*, Providence, R. I., Commander-in-Chief of American Fleet.
- CHARLES CLARENCE READ, Arlington, Mass. (38148). Son of Charles Freeman and Catherine Augusta (Wright) Read; grandson of Calvin and Catherine (Baxter) Read; great-grandson of Caleb and Sarah (Richardson) Read; great²-grandson of *Eleazer Read*, private, Dunstable, Massachusetts Militia.
- RICHARD SILL READE, Romeo, Mich. (37973). Son of Samuel A. and Helen E. (Sill) Reade; grandson of Richard and Mary (Harris) Sill, Jr.; great-grandson of Joseph and Lucretia (Ford) Harris; great²-grandson of *Israel Harris*, Captain, Second Co., Col. Simond's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- ELLIS REED-HILL, Lieutenant, U. S. Coast Guard, Detroit, Mich. (37969). Son of George Earing and Georgianna Lavina (Ellis) Reed-Hill; grandson of Myron H. and Lavina W. (Burroughs) Ellis; great-grandson of George Holland and Rebecca J. (Bell) Burroughs; great²-grandson of Tyler and Anne (Pratt) Burroughs; great³-grandson of *David Burroughs*, private, Worcester County, Massachusetts Militia.
- JOHN THOMAS REESE, Nashville, Tenn. (38393). Junior Member. Son of John Thomas and Annie (Butler) Reese; grandson of James Thomas and Sarah Jane (Butler) Reese; great-grandson of Augustine Wyatt and Mary Duke (Hyde) Butler; great²-grandson of Edward and Martha Starke (Williamson) Butler; great³-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Starke) Williamson; great⁴-grandson of *Bolling Starke*, Member Virginia Convention of 1776, Governor's Council in '81, and State Auditor.
- STANLEY BELL REID, Tenn. (36797). Supplemental. Son of Francis Thorpe and Josephine (Woods) Reid; grandson of John and Margaret Louise (Trimble) Reid; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth Branch (Maury) Reid; great²-grandson of *Nathan Reid*, Captain, Fourteenth and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- EDWARD THOMPSON RICHARDSON, Portland, Me. (38187). Son of Daniel Thompson and Nellie Frances (Gurney) Richardson, Jr.; grandson of Daniel Thompson and Eliza

- Ann (Sawyer) Richardson; great-grandson of Joseph and Charlotte (Thompson) Richardson; great²-grandson of Isaac Snow and Charlotte (Hay) Thompson; great³-grandson of *Daniel Thompson*, Massachusetts patriot, killed at Concord, April 19, 1775.
- JOHN HARRIMAN RICE, Wilmington, Del. (35673). Son of Charles Richard and Juliette (Blanchard) Rice, grandson of John and Judith (Merrill) Blanchard; great-grandson of *Ozias Blanchard*, Second Lieutenant, Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia.
- EUGENE E. RIDER, Lincoln, Nebr. (38503). Son of George E. and Julia Franklin (Martin) Rider; grandson of George Clinton and Ellen Jane (—) Martin; great-grandson of Presley Neville and Margaret (Clinton) Martin; great²-grandson of *Charles Martin*, Sergeant and Sergeant-Major, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- GRANVILLE SUMNER RIDLEY, JR., Murfreesboro, Tenn. (38391). Son of G. S. and Mildred (Thomas) Ridley; grandson of C. O. and Elizabeth Reid (Williams) Thomas; great-grandson of John Philip and Mildred (Hopson) Williams; great²-grandson of George B. and Eliza (Read) Hopson; great³-grandson of *Joseph Hopson*, Lieutenant, Seventh Regt., Virginia Troops, pensioned.
- EVERETT WILLIAM RISING, Hailey, Idaho (35119). Son of Isaac Adams and Charlotte Amanda (Everett) Rising; grandson of Jesse and Mary Ann (Root) Everett; great-grandson of Jesse and Sally (Pitt) Everett; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Everett*, private, Massachusetts Militia, at Lexington.
- CLAUDIUS GREEN RIVES, JR., New Orleans, La. (38123). Son of Claudius Green and Mary Lane (Williams) Rives; grandson of Nathan Lane and Lucy (Williamson) Williams; great-grandson of Gideon Glenn and Mary (Lane) Williams; great²-grandson of Levin and Nancy (Bryan) Lane; great³-grandson of Nathan and Winnifred (Bryan) Bryan; great⁴-grandson of *Needham Bryan*, Delegate to Needham and Hillsboro, North Carolina, Congresses.
- FRANK BOYD ROBBINS, New Bedford, Mass. (38445). Son of Ansel and Francis (Boyd) Robbins; grandson of Ansel and Susan (Perry) Robbins; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Raymond) Robbins; great²-grandson of *Joseph Robbins*, private, Middleborough, Massachusetts Militia.
- FREDERICK AVERILL ROBBINS, Sansalito, Marin County, Calif. (38168). Son of Nelson Barnard and Mary Jane (Averill) Robbins; grandson of Levi and Eliza (Botsford) Robbins; great-grandson of *Levi Robbins*, private, Major Sheldon's Regt., Connecticut Light Horse.
- JAMES EDWIN ROBINSON, Bloomington, Ill. (38462). Son of James Edwin and Georgiana (Ford) Robinson; grandson of Henry Mortimer and Nancy (Allison) Robinson; great-grandson of James and Amelia (Wood) Robinson; great²-grandson of *William Robinson*, Adjutant and Major, Ninth and Fifth Regts., Virginia Troops; grandson of Hiram and Roselia (Hunt) Ford; great-grandson of John Chandler and Sarah Ann (Coomes) Ford; great²-grandson of Alexander and Cornelia (Leonard) Coomes; great³-grandson of John and Joanna (Colton) Coomes, Jr., private, Col. Benjamin Hinman's Regt., Connecticut Militia; great⁴-grandson of *John Coomes*, private, Enfield, Connecticut Militia at Siege of Boston; great⁴-grandson of *Thomas Colton*, private, Col. David Leonard's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great³-grandson of Robert and Lucy (Stephens) Leonard; great⁴-grandson of *John Stephens (Stevens)*, Captain, Connecticut Militia; great²-grandson of Adam and Susanna (Hersey) Ford; great³-grandson of *Luke and Hannah (Reed) Ford*, private, Col. Hawes' Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great⁴-grandson of *Jacob Ford*, private, Col. Mitchel's and Col. Cary's Regts., Massachusetts Militia; great³-grandson of *John Hersey*, private, Gen. Thomas' Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CHARLES BELCHER RUGG, Worcester, Mass. (38603). Son of Arthur Prentice and Florence May (Belcher) Rugg; grandson of Prentice Mason and Cynthia (Ross) Rugg; great-grandson of Luther and Ruth (Jewett) Rugg; great²-grandson of *Amos Rugg*, private, Col. Josiah Whitney's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, 1776.
- CEPHAS BRIGHAM RUSS, JR., St. Paul, Minn. (38317). Son of Cephas Brigham and Mariatt (Martin) Russ; grandson of Artemas and Sally (Brigham) Russ; great-grandson of *Nathan Russ*, private, Mansfield, Connecticut Militia, at Lexington Alarm.
- CHARLES EDGAR APPLEBY SAWYER, Westfield, N. J. (38480). Son of William Snowhill and Sarah F. (Appleby) Sawyer; grandson of Leonard L. F. and Harriet Amanda

- (Appleby) Appleby; great-grandson of Leonard and Ann Amanda Fitz Allen (Van Wickle) Appleby; great-grandson of Jacob and Sarah (Morgan) Van Wickle; great-grandson of *James Morgan*, Ensign and Captain, Middlesex County, New Jersey Militia, and State Troops.
- HARRY BATEMAN GOE SCOTT, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38677). Son of William A. and Elizabeth Jacobs (Morris) Scott; grandson of Benjamin West and Mary (Jacobs) Morris; great-grandson of David and Mary (Fulton) Morris; great-grandson of *Jonathan Morris*, private, Third and Sixth Battalions, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Member Committee of Observation.
- JAMES KNIGHT SCOTT, JR., St. Paul, Minn. (38313). Son of James Knight and Anna M. (Grant) Scott; grandson of Thomas M. and Felicite E. (Tillman) Grant; great-grandson of Charles and Julia (Jarrot) Tillman; great-grandson of Nicholas and Julia (Beauvais) Jarrot; great-grandson of *Vetal Beauvais*, Kaskaskia, Virginia Magistrate and furnished flour to Virginia Troops.
- CORNELIUS D. SCULLY, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38678). Son of John Sullivan and Mary Elizabeth (Negley) Scully; grandson of Felix Casper and Margaret Ann (Dickson) Negley; great-grandson of John and Anna Elizabeth (Patterson) Negley; great-grandson of *Alexander Negley*, private, Capt. Samuel Moorhead's Independent Co., Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia, also a gunsmith.
- EDWARD TUCKER SEAY, Nashville, Tenn. (38384). Son of George Edward and Mary Jane (Landerdale) Seay; grandson of Edward T. and Mary B. (Seawell) Seay; great-grandson of Benjamin and Abigail (—) Seawell; great-grandson of *Benjamin Seawell*, Colonel, North Carolina Militia, and Member Provincial Congress.
- EDWARD ISAAC SEYBURN, Patterson, La. (38124). Son of Isaac D. and Mary Anne (Rogers) Seyburn; grandson of John Michael and Elizabeth (Reynolds) Rogers; great-grandson of Bernard and Monica (McKeen) Reynolds; great-grandson of *Bernard Reynolds*, private, Virginia State Line.
- ROBERT BAYLOR SHACKELFORD, Major, U. S. Army, New Orleans, La. (38533). Son of Robert B. and Dora (Sampson) Shackelford; grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Campbell) Sampson; great-grandson of Joseph W. and Amanda (Rogers) Campbell; great-grandson of *William Campbell*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Second Regt., Second Brigade, Orange County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- ELISHA DOUGLAS PERKINS SHAW, San Francisco, Calif. (38169). Son of Joseph Prentice Turner and Mary Duick (Perkins) Shaw; grandson of Elisha Backus and Emily (Pope) Perkins; great-grandson of Elisha and Eunice (Backus) Perkins, Jr.; great-grandson of *Elisha Perkins*, Surgeon, Col. Douglass' Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- LEWIS MANNING SHEFFIELD, San Francisco, Calif. (38164). Son of Pitt M. and Sadie (Meade) Sheffield; grandson of Richard H. and Sarah A. (Manning) Sheffield; great-grandson of Jacob and Anna (Fuller) Manning; great-grandson of Jacob and Lucy (Andrews) Manning; great-grandson of *Jacob Manning*, private, Col. Green's Massachusetts Militia, at Lexington Alarm, and Member Bellirica, Massachusetts War Committees.
- IRA SHEPPARD, Newark, N. J. (38239). Son of Richard D. and Rhoda (D—) Sheppard; grandson of Isaac and Mary (Truitt) Sheppard; great-grandson of James and Ellen (Shepherd) Truitt; great-grandson of *Lawrence Shepherd*, private, Gloucester County, New Jersey Militia, and Col. Somers' Regt., State Troops.
- SYDNEY LATHAM SHONTS, Washington, D. C. (38012). Son of James and Emma (Clement) Shonts; grandson of Charles C. and Sarah (Latham) Clement; great-grandson of Cyrus and Betsy (Stinchfield) Latham; great-grandson of George and Sarah (Mathews) Latham; great-grandson of *Jabez Mathews*, Second Major, Fourth Regt., Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia.
- BERRY DON SHRIVER, Tenn. (38074). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Abraham and Betty (Holt) Shriver; grandson of Don Carlos and Susan (McGuire) Shriver; great-grandson of Abraham and Frances (Moore) Shriver; great-grandson of *John Moore*, private, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- FRANK DOHRMAN SINCLAIR, Steubenville, Ohio (38080). Son of Dohrman J. and Mary (Donaldson) Sinclair; grandson of Thomas and Catherine (Dohrman) Sinclair; great-

- grandson of Peter Arnold and Margaret (Garrett) Dohrman; great-grandson of *Arnold Henry Dohrman*, patriot who equipped a regiment at his own expense and United States Agent to Lisbon, Portugal, in 1780.
- WILLIAM ANDREW SMILEY, Lemoyne, Pa. (38364). Son of L. C. and Ida S. (Loy) Smiley; grandson of William A. and Martha A. (Adair) Smiley; great-grandson of William and Ann (Wilson) Smiley; great-grandson of *John Smiley*, private, Sixth Co., Fifth Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHARLES STEWART SMINCK, Plainfield, N. J. (38245). Son of William B. and Sarah (Morgan) Sminck; grandson of John and Margaret Elizabeth (Patterson) Sminck; great-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Giltner) Patterson; great-grandson of *Alexander Patterson*, Captain, Twelfth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Troops.
- DAVID RICHARD SMITH, Oradell, N. J. (38495). Son of Charles Henry and Viola (McNiell) Smith; grandson of Charles Henry and Anna Maria (Johnston) Smith; great-grandson of Robert and Anna Maria (Willis) Johnston; great-grandson of David and Anne (Hosier) Willis; great-grandson of *John Hosier*, private, Col. McDougal's and Col. Crane's Regts., New York Troops, pensioned.
- RUFUS ALBERTSON SOULE, JR., New Bedford, Mass. (38604). Son of Rufus A. and Susan C. (Nesmith) Soule; grandson of Thomas Howard and Margaret Albertson (Dunham) Soule; great-grandson of George and Mary (Albertson) Dunham; great-grandson of *George Dunham*, Captain, Second Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Troops.
- CHARLES FOWLER SOUTHWICK, Galveston, Tex. (37534). Son of Sandford Brewster and Elizabeth H. (Booth) Southwick; grandson of Isaac Patterson and Abigail (Wheeler) Booth; great-grandson of Silas and Ruth Curtis (Jones) Booth; great-grandson of *James Booth*, Captain, Col. Dimon's Connecticut Regt., at Tryon's Invasion.
- CARLTON CUTLER SPALDING, Fargo, N. D. (36945). Son of Burleigh Folsom and Alida (Baker) Spalding; grandson of Benjamin Pendall and Ann (Folsom) Spalding; great-grandson of Noah and Phebe (Pendall) Spalding; great-grandson of *Benjamin Spalding*, private, Col. Hazen's Regt., New Hampshire Troops.
- DEANE BAKER SPALDING, Fargo, N. D. (36946). Same as Carlton Cutler Spalding, N. D. (36945).
- RALPH MORTON SPARKS, Chicago, Ill. (38627). Son of Lewis Smith and Mary (Orr) Sparks; grandson of John W. and Sarah (A—) Sparks; great-grandson of Solomon and Rachael (Nixon) Sparks; great-grandson of *George Sparks*, private, Pennsylvania Militia, prisoner.
- HOMER FARGO SPINK, New York (34881). Supplemental. Son of Martin Simpson and Mary (Fargo) Spink; grandson of Allen Dwinnell and Lydia (Olin) Spink; great-grandson of Whitman and Cynthia (Weaver) Spink; great-grandson of *John and Mary (Weeden) Spink*, private, Washington County, Rhode Island Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of *Ishmael Spink*, private, Washington County, Rhode Island Militia.
- CORNELIUS HOWARD STEADMAN, Yonkers, N. Y. (38225). Son of Howard B. and Elizabeth (Ryerson) Steadman; grandson of William and Emily (De Witt) Steadman; great-grandson of Robert and Desire (Heath) Steadman; great-grandson of Thomas and Lydia (Sweet) Steadman; great-grandson of *William Steadman*, Ensign, Rhode Island Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of Nathan and Electa (Wyatt) De Witt; great-grandson of *John A. De Witt*, Ensign, Ulster County, New York Militia.
- CHARLES HENDRICKSON STOCKING, Baltimore, Md. (37698). Son of Lyman B. and Elizabeth (Hendrickson) Stocking; grandson of Hezekiah and Lois (Carter) Stocking; great-grandson of *Reuben Stocking*, Com.-Lieutenant on privateer "Sampson," prisoner.
- PERCY FITCH STORRS, London, Eng. (La. 38120). Son of Cassius Percival and Gertrude (Fitch) Storrs; grandson of Wales F. and — (Cramer) Storrs; great-grandson of Elijah and Julia (Holcomb) Storrs; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Fowler) Storrs; great-grandson of *Joseph Storrs*, Member Connecticut Committee of Correspondence and Justice of the Peace.
- PERRY BEAVER STRASSBURGER, Montclair, N. J. (38249). Son of Jacob Andrew and Mary (Beaver) Strassburger; grandson of Ephraim Kerr and Lucy Ann (Solliday) Beaver; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Stein) Solliday; great-grandson of *John Solliday (Sallade)* private, Third Battalion, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- DWIGHT L. STRONG, Wyandotte, Mich. (37972). Son of Wilbert H. and Flora (Dunnivan) Strong; grandson of Dennis and Ellen (Rowan) Dunnivan; great-grandson of James and Abigail (Hinckley) Rowan; great-grandson of Zenas and Abigail (Langdon) Hinckley; great-grandson of *Heman Hinckley*, private, Barnstable County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CARLYLE SUMMERBELL, Keokuk, Iowa (37662). Son of Joseph James and Martha Alice (Bell) Summerbell; grandson of Nathaniel and Nancy (Endicott) Bell; great-grandson of Henry and Polly (Bell) Bell; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Bell*, private, First Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Light Dragoons, and Washington County Militia.
- JOSEPH FREDERICK SWEASY, Newark, N. J. (38478). Son of Joseph and Frances Emily (Baldwin) Sweasy; grandson of John and Fannie Pearson (Ward) Baldwin; great-grandson of *Bethuel Ward*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- FREDERIC HOWLAND TABER, New Bedford, Mass. (38605). Son of Frederic and Elizabeth Delano (Howland) Taber; grandson of James Henry and Frances Louisa (Peters) Howland; great-grandson of John and Susanna (Thompson) Peters; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth Farrington (Davis) Peters; great-grandson of *Andrew Peters*, Sergeant, Massachusetts Militia, at Lexington Alarm.
- WILLIAM RAY TABLER, Wilkensburg, Pa. (38679). Son of Daniel C. and Ella (Core) Tabler; grandson of William S. and Elizabeth (Barnes) Tabler; great-grandson of Moses and Elizabeth (—) Barnes; great-grandson of Lewin and Hannah (Slack) Barnes; great-grandson of *Henry Slack*, Sergeant, Col. Chester Harrison's Regt., Maryland First Artillery, Cont'l Troops.
- ARTHUR BELL TARPLEY, Nashville, Tenn. (38379). Son of Thomas Watson and Nancy Elizabeth (Holt) Tarpley; grandson of Henry and Betty (Elizabeth) (McGuire) Holt; great-grandson of *William McGuire*, Lieutenant, First Regt., Virginia Artillery, Cont'l Troops.
- WARREN JAMES TAYLOR, Thermopolis, Wyo. (38253). Son of James and Mary (O'Donnell) Taylor, 3d; grandson of James and Lucinda (—) Taylor, 2d; great-grandson of James and Phebe (Wildes) Taylor; great-grandson of John and Sarah (Waterhouse) Taylor, 4th; great-grandson of *John Taylor*, private, Col. John Vixon's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM CHARLES TERRY, Roslindale, Mass. (38435). Son of William Tyler and Mary (Pike) Terry; grandson of Reuben Egleston and Mary Diantha (Crandall) Terry; great-grandson of *Reuben Terry*, private, Col. Nathan Sparhawk's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- *FREDERIC CHARLES THAROOD, St. Paul, Minn. (38320). Son of Charles and Mae Isabelle (Newell) Crittenden; grandson of William Pitt and Susannah Valentine (Rockefeller) Newell; great-grandson of William P. and Phoebe (Fox) Newell; great-grandson of *Simeon Newell*, Second Lieutenant, Connecticut Cont'l Troops, Captain, Third Co., Eighth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- HOWARD GOODELL THOMPSON, Wash. (36657). Supplemental. Son of Archibald Brewer and Mary Elizabeth (Eddy) Thompson; grandson of John Wilkes and Mary Maria (Bushnell) Eddy; great-grandson of Thomas and Nancy (Blood) Bushnell; great-grandson of *Jared Blood*, private, Col. Luke Drury's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great-grandson of *Isaiah Blood*, Corporal and Sergeant, Worcester County, Massachusetts Militia.
- HENRY CADLEY TICHENER, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38247). Son of John Whitehead and Ann Eliza (Towill) Tichener; grandson of Nathan Whitehead and Nancy (Little) Tichener; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Mary (Bruen) Tichener; great-grandson of *Joseph Bruen*, private, Second Regt., Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- JAMES CLARK TIPPENS, Nashville, Tenn. (38385). Son of W. N. and Anne Martin (Clark) Tippens; grandson of William Martin and Mary Elizabeth (Blackman) Clark; great-grandson of Martin and Charity Ann Horn (Battle) Clark; great-grandson of Isaac and Lucinda (Mayo) Battle; great-grandson of William and Charity (Horn) Battle; great-grandson of *Elisha Battle*, Member of Halifax, North Carolina Provincial Congress of '76.

* Name changed from Crittenden to Tharood by adoption.

- OLIVER WILLIAM TONG, Minneapolis, Minn. (38314). Son of Lucius G. and Bridget C. (Ball) Tong; grandson of Oliver Perry and Elinor E. (Poorman) Tong; great-grandson of William H. and Rebecca (Watson) Tong; great-grandson of *William Tong*, Minute Man, Capt. Rezin Beal's Regt., Maryland Troops, pensioned.
- THOMAS THOMSON TOWLES, Richmond, Va. (36564). Son of William Beverley and Mary Ellen (Thomson) Towles; grandson of William Beverley and Harriet C. M. (Johnson) Towles; great-grandson of Oliver and Agatha (Lewis) Towles; great-grandson of *Oliver Towles*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Virginia Cont'l Troops, wounded and prisoner.
- LEWIS C. TRENT, Max, N. D. (36950). Son of Hugh P. and Mary Jane (Hall) Trent; grandson of Abner and Nancy (Overstreet) Hall; great-grandson of *John Overstreet*, private, First and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- ELBERT LEE TRINKLE, Richmond, Va. (36573). Son of Elbert Stephen (or Sevier) and Letitia Mary (Sexton) Trinkle; grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Trolinger) Trinkle; great-grandson of *Christopher Trinkle*, private, Twelfth and Eighth Regts., Virginia Troops.
- NELSON SMITH TROTTMAN, Wis. (452). Supplemental. Son of James Franklin and Frances Margaret (Smith) Trotman; grandson of Horatio Nelson and Laura (Chase) Smith; great-grandson of George and Eliza (Grover) Chase; great-grandson of Philander and May (Fay) Chase; great-grandson of Dudley and Allace (Corbett) Chase; great-grandson of *Samuel Chase*, Sergeant, Col. Jonathan Chase's Regt., New Hampshire Militia.
- ALLAN LINCOLN TRUAX, Crosby, N. D. (36947). Son of John Galbraith and Louisa (Rouse) Truax; grandson of John and Mary (Galbraith) Truax; great-grandson of Isaac and Helena (Marcellus) Truax; great-grandson of *Abraham J. Truax*, private, New York Cont'l Troops, Ensign, Albany County Militia.
- HAROLD RICHARDS ULRICH, Toledo, Ohio (38094). Son of Frank E. and Mary A. (Richards) Ulrich; grandson of Lewis Y. and Harriet A. (Brancher) Richards; great-grandson of Isaac and Mary (Washburn) Brancher; great-grandson of John and Hannah (—) Washburn; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Washburn*, private, Col. John Fellows' Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ARTHUR TURNER VANCE, Fort Washington, N. Y. (38405). Son of Jules Comfort and Marietta (Southworth) Vance; grandson of Robert and Mary Ann (Wilcox) Vance; great-grandson of *James Vance*, private, Col. John Hawthorn's Regt., Orange County, New York Militia.
- EGMONT CHARLES VON TRESCKOW, Camden, S. C. (23349). Son of Egmont and Jane A. (Eldredge) von Tresckow; grandson of Charles and Janet Pamela (Waterman) Eldredge; great-grandson of Christopher and Olive (Whitney) Eldredge, 3d; great-grandson of *Christopher Eldredge*, 2d, Captain of a New London, Connecticut Privateer, and wounded at Groton Heights.
- GEORGE MORTON WALKER, JR., Galveston, Tex. (37538). Son of George Morton and Zipporah (Maxwell) Walker; grandson of David Oliver and Maria (Morton) Walker; great-grandson of *John Walker*, private and wagon-master, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JAMES FRANCIS WALKER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38681). Son of James Francis and Ella Margaret (Moore) Walker; grandson of Nathaniel Foster and Mary Ann (Van Gelder or Van Gilder) Walker; great-grandson of Michael and Hannah (Young) Van Gelder (Van Gilder); great-grandson of *Peter Van Gelder, Jr.*, New Jersey Light Horseman for Governor Livingston.
- RAYMOND WALKER, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38409). Son of John Henry Hobart and Libbie M. (Johnstone) Walker; grandson of Frederick William and Alida Ritzema (Bogart) Walker; great-grandson of John C. and Ann (Roberts) Walker; great-grandson of *Samuel Walker*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- SAM S. WALL, Asheville, N. C. (23347). Son of Samuel and Sarah Virginia (Dandridge) Wall; grandson of William Alexander and Sarah (Nichols) Dandridge; great-grandson of William and Nancy (Pulliam) Dandridge; great-grandson of *William Dandridge*, Major, King William County, Virginia Militia.

- ROLLA DEWIGHT WALTER, Edenburg, Pa. (38365). Son of Joseph Thornton and Agnes (Welsh) Walter; grandson of John B. and Martha (Erwin) Welsh; great-grandson of James C. and Agnes (McLean) Welsh; great²-grandson of *James McLean*, Lieutenant and Adjutant, Tenth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- FRANCIS ALFRED WASHINGTON, Murfreesboro, Tenn. (38386). Son of John Hall and Charlotte (Howell) Washington; grandson of Francis Whiting and Sarah Catherine (Crockett) Washington; great-grandson of Francis Whiting and Eliza Mason (Hall) Washington; great²-grandson of Warner and Mary (Whiting) Washington; great³-grandson of *Francis Whiting*, Lieutenant, Virginia Zouaves; great-grandson of Fontaine Posey and — (Smith) Crockett; great²-grandson of *Anthony Crockett*, Lieutenant, Virginia Militia, pensioned; grandson of Alfred Thomas and Sarah Rebecca (Dickson) Howell; great-grandson of John Bennett and Charlotte (Temple) Dickson; great²-grandson of James and Nancy (Moore) Dickson; great³-grandson of *Joseph Dickson*, Captain, Lincoln County, North Carolina Militia, at King's Mountain, promoted to Colonel, Member Committee of Safety.
- HOWELL WASHINGTON, Murfreesboro, Tenn. (38387). Same as Francis Alfred Washington, Tenn. (38386).
- JOSEPH OTIS WATSON, Indianola, Iowa (37665). Son of Joseph Calder and Julia Ann (Armstrong) Watson; grandson of Thomas and Rebecca (Haymond) Watson; great-grandson of William and Cynthia (Carroll) Haymond, Jr.; great²-grandson of *William Haymond*, Captain, Monongahela, Virginia Militia.
- STANLEY HEDRICK WATSON, Cleveland Heights, Ohio (38091). Son of Merrill and Alice (Hedrick) Watson; grandson of Thomas Stoneman and Nancy Reber (Bright) Watson; great-grandson of James Clelland and Rebecca (Cunningham) Watson; great²-grandson of *Thomas Watson*, private, Col. Nathaniel Gists' Regt., Maryland Cont'l Troops.
- RICHARD CANNON WATTS, Laurens, S. C. (23346). Son of John and Elizabeth Carwile (Cannon) Watts; grandson of James and Priscilla (Dendy) Watts, Jr.; great-grandson of *James Watts*, private and Lieutenant, South Carolina Militia; grandson of Richard Speake and Mrs. Mary (Williams) Pitts Cannon; great-grandson of *Isaac Cannon*, private, South Carolina Militia; great-grandson of *Stephen Williams*, Lieutenant, South Carolina Militia.
- ARTHUR EUGENE WESTERVELT, Newark, N. J. (38244). Son of Richard Henry and Louisa J. (Rice) McKee Westervelt; grandson of James R. and Maria (Day) Westervelt; great-grandson of Dirk and Mary (Ackerman) Westervelt; great²-grandson of *Caspaurus Westervelt*, private, Orange County, New York Militia, and Col. Malcolm's Regt. Cont'l Line.
- JOHN HERRON WHITE, Shippensburg, Pa. (38680). Son of John Thompson and Margaret Hemphill (Maclay) White; grandson of James Hemphill and Anna Margaret (Fickes) Maclay; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Hemphill) Maclay; great²-grandson of David and Eleanor (Herron) Maclay; great³-grandson of *John Maclay*, Delegate to Pennsylvania Provincial Congress of June, 1776.
- EDSON L. WHITNEY, Washington, D. C. (38018). Son of Frederick Parker and Mary Wood (Merriam) Whitney; grandson of Joseph and Nancy (Sawin) Whitney; great-grandson of *Joshua Whitney*, Sergeant and Corporal, Col. Timothy Bigelow's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HAMMOND MOORE WHITNEY, Brookline, Mass. (38436). Son of Hammond and Laura Leffingwell (Henshaw) Whitney; grandson of Joshua and Rebecca A. (Leffingwell) Henshaw; great-grandson of *David Henshaw*, Captain, Col. Thomas Craft's Regt., Massachusetts Artillery.
- JOSEPH WILLIAM WHRITENOUR, Helena, Mont. (31788). Son of Marcus and Josephine (Strauss) Whritenour; grandson of Edward and Hylinda (Earle) Whritenour; great-grandson of Edward and Phoebe (Green) Whritenour; great²-grandson of Peter and Mary (Barnes) Whritenour; great³-grandson of *Peter Whritenour (Rittenaur)*, private, Sixth Battalion, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JAMES WILLIAM WIGGINTON, Calif. (36406). Supplemental. Son of Benjamin Franklin and Martha Jane (Twyman) Wigginton; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Corbin)

- Wigginton; great-grandson of *Henry Wigginton (Wiginton)*, private, Loudon County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- CHARLES S. WILLIAMS, La. (36961). Supplemental. Son of Frank Bennet and Emily W. (Seyburn) Williams; grandson of Charles and Emily Caroline (Moore) Williams; great-grandson of Lawrence and Lettice (Foster) Williams; great²-grandson of *Obediah Williams*, Surgeon, Gen. Stark's Regt., New Hampshire Troops.
- EARLE KRESS WILLIAMS, New York City, N. Y. (38410). Son of John P. and Mary (Kress) Williams; grandson of John Franklin and Margaret Dodson (Connor) Kress; great-grandson of Henry and — (Kressler) Kress; great²-grandson of Karl and Elizabeth (—) Kress; great³-grandson of *Charles (Carl) Kress (Grass)*, private, Capt. Frederick Koon's Co., Third Battalion, Pennsylvania Troops.
- FRANCIS BENNET WILLIAMS, New Orleans, La. (38125). Son of Charles and Emily Caroline (Moore) Williams; grandson of Lawrence and Lettice (Foster) Williams; great-grandson of *Obediah Williams*, Surgeon, Gen. Stark's Regt., New Hampshire Troops.
- LAURENCE M. WILLIAMS, La. (36962). Supplemental. Same as Charles S. Williams, La. (36961). Supplemental.
- RALPH SCHUYLER WILLIAMS, Elizabeth, N. J. (38476). Son of George M. and Elizabeth (Gaston) Williams; grandson of John R. and Caroline E. (McCormick) Williams; great-grandson of Hiram G. and Janet (Munroe) McCormick; great²-grandson of Bernard and Sarah (Sandford) McCormick; great³-grandson of *John Sandford*, private, Morris County, New Jersey Militia, and Cont'l Line, widow pensioned.
- STERLING CLARKE WILLIAMS, Minneapolis, Minn. (38308). Son of Frank L. and Mary Edith (Clarke) Williams; grandson of Andrew D. and Mary J. (Phelps) Clarke; great-grandson of Jasper A. and Laura (Sumner) Clarke; great²-grandson of *Shuball Sumner*, private, Col. Bradley's Regt., Connecticut Militia, and body guard to Gen. Washington, pensioned.
- JOSIAH WYATT WILLIS, Buffalo, N. Y. (38401). Son of Caleb Osborn and Mary (Butler) Willis; grandson of *Thomas Willis*, private, Orange County, New York Militia, pensioned.
- EDMUND WOOD, New Bedford, Mass. (38429). Son of Henry Taber and Anna Greene (Russell) Wood; grandson of Thomas and Betsey Pope (Gordon) Wood; great-grandson of *William Gordon*, Lieutenant, Col. Craft's and Col. Crane's Regts., Massachusetts Artillery, prisoner, seven years service.
- EDWARD ROBERT WOODRUFF, Westfield, N. J. (38477). Son of Wilford Baker and Mary Elizabeth (Van Noddall) Woodruff; grandson of Robert and Elizabeth (Baker) Woodruff; great-grandson of Hedges and Charlotte M. (Crane) Baker; great²-grandson of *Daniel Baker*, Sergeant and Ensign, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- SAMUEL SHANKLIN WOOLWINE, Nashville, Tenn. (38380). Son of Samuel Shanklin and Sally (Shute) Woolwine; grandson of Adam Smith and Rebecca (Shanklin) Woolwine; great-grandson of Samuel and Janetta (Smith) Shanklin; great²-grandson of Andrew and Abigail (Herring) Shanklin, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Andrew Shanklin*, Lieutenant, Rockingham County, Virginia Militia.
- JACOB R. WORTENDYKE, Jersey City, N. J. (38487). Son of Jacob R. and Susan Jane (Doremus) Wortendyke; grandson of Nicholas J. and Elizabeth (Haring) Doremus; great-grandson of Peter Thomas and Susan (Jacobus) Doremus; great²-grandson of *Thomas Doremus, 2d*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- ALBERT LAWRENCE WRIGHT, London, Eng. (La. 38530). Son of Thomas Nelson and Inez Maria (Bradley) Wright; grandson of George Smith and Susan Maria (Pratt) Wright; great-grandson of Benjamin and Philomela (Waterman) Wright; great²-grandson of *Ebeneser Wright*, Corporal and Sergeant, Connecticut Cont'l Troops.
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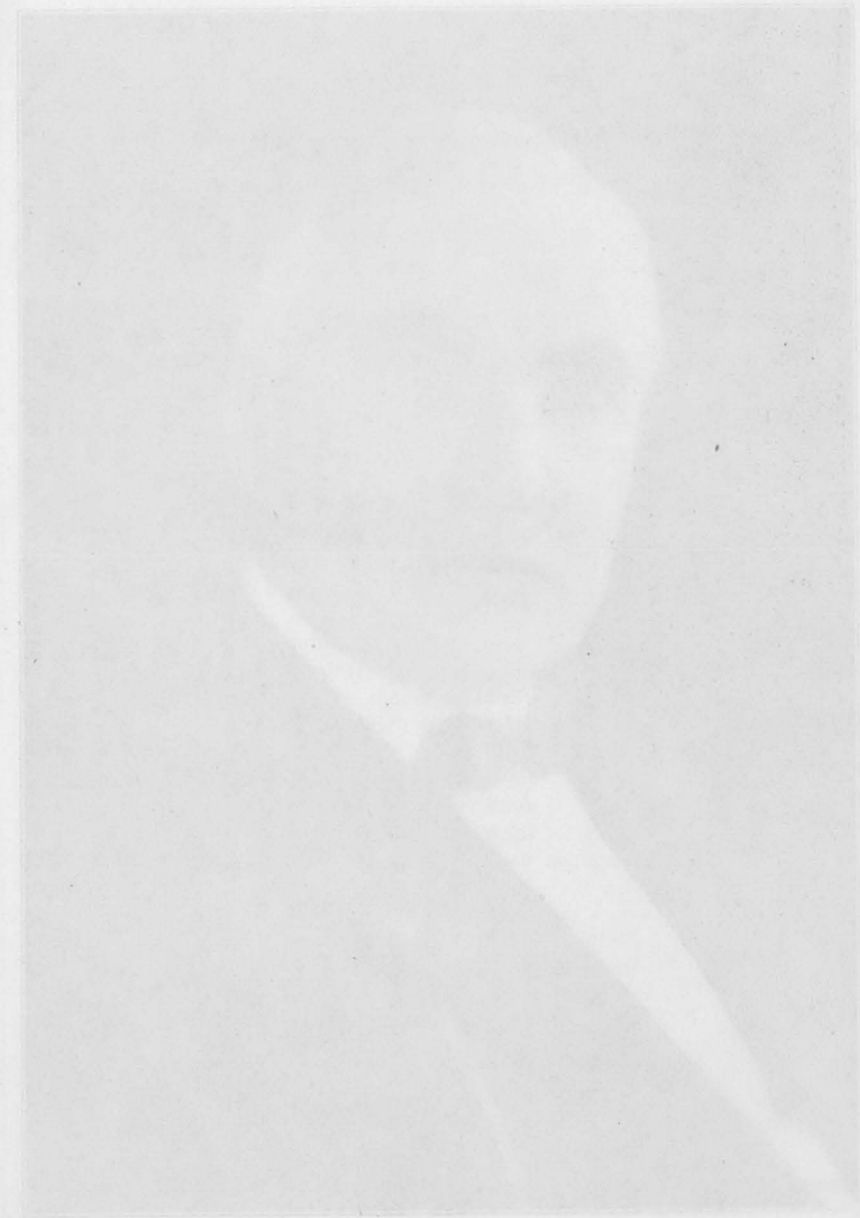
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