

OUR LATE COMPATRIOT
WARREN G. HARDING

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August 2, 1923

BY LYMAN WHITNEY ALLEN, D. D.

Formerly Chaplain General, National Society, S. A. R.

Martyr to duty, lo, he fell.

Then rose his bright commanding soul,

To be the Nation's sentinel

On heights the Sons of God control.

The Constitution and the Cross

He held aloft together,—sign

That Freedom should not suffer loss

Nor Virtue's high ideals decline.

His death has proved apocalypse

Of a great People's finer sense

Of life. A sudden sorrow grips

Men's hearts, and shames their negligence.

His faith has turned a Morning Star

Upon the Nation's darkened sky,—

God's token, sweet and singular,

Our Father's dreams shall never die.

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 unfailing 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.

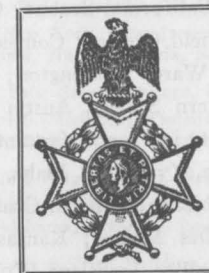
Provided, however, that any male person, above the age of 18 years and under the age of 21 years, whose qualifications in regard to ancestry and personal character are as above prescribed, shall be eligible to a qualified membership to be known and designated as junior membership.

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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It is with great pleasure that announcement is made of the issuing of a Charter to the new State Society of West Virginia. Principally through the efforts of Mr. Harry C. Compton, of Grafton, the necessary fifteen signatures to the application were obtained, with one or two new additional members. The organization of officers and personnel is not quite completed, but the document has been officially signed by the National Officers and turned over to Vice-President Bowman, and Vice-Chairman Millspaugh of the Organization Committee for that district and the organization will be completed very shortly. We wish our new organization every success.

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.

Numbers desired are: Vol. VII, No. 1; Vol. XI, Nos. 3, 4; Vol. XII, Nos. 1, 3; Vol. XIII, Nos. 1, 2; Vol. XIV, Nos. 2, 4; Vol. XV, No. 3; also Vol. XI, Nos. 1, 3; Vol. XII, No. 4; December, 1906, and July, 1907.

We are greatly indebted to Registrar Teunis D. Huntting, of the Empire State Society, for supplying the Secretary General with a complete set of the volumes heretofore missing. However, additional copies of any of the above are desired and will be greatly appreciated.

OUR LATE COMPATRIOT, WARREN G. HARDING, TWENTY-NINTH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Resolutions on the Death of President Harding, Drafted by the Special Committee Appointed by President General Sumner

The untimely death of our distinguished Compatriot, Warren Gamaliel Harding, the President of the United States, shocked the entire civilized world.

Compatriot Warren G. Harding wrote that he was particularly proud of his membership in the Sons of the American Revolution.

We admired him for his sterling qualities, his love of duty, his devotion to his country, and all that made him a true American.

We loved him for his gentle manners, kindly nature, wholesomeness, and high ideals.

We rejoiced in his success. We were proud of the honors he justly merited. We are grieved by his too early passing on. We are thankful he was one with and of us.

Hail and farewell, beloved compatriot. Thy name is written high among the good and great.

LOUIS ANNIN AMES,

Past President General, Sons of the American Revolution.

W. I. LINCOLN ADAMS,

Past President General, Sons of the American Revolution.

HENRY W. SACKETT,

President Empire State Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

A Radio Address by Former President General, Major Washington I. L. Adams, Broadcasted Over W. O. R. Newark, N. J., August 13, 1923

Our late Compatriot, Warren G. Harding, was the most distinguished member of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

He was descended from a long line of sturdy American stock, which goes back much farther than the Revolutionary period. His first American ancestor settled in this country within the first half century following the settlement of the earliest American colony in Jamestown, Virginia, in 1607, and by virtue of descent from this pioneer or Founder ancestor he was a member of that small genealogical Society known as the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America.

President Harding believed in the patriotic value and practical usefulness of these and other similar hereditary organizations, as he considered that they not only fostered our most-cherished American traditions and ideals, but that they efficiently cultivated the best public sentiment of our country and helped to "crystallize" it, as he said, into wise public policies.

In this connection I should like to read a short letter which he wrote me on this very subject, as it describes in his own forceful language, so much better than I could possibly do it, just how he regarded our National patriotic Society and his own membership in it. It is dated at the White House, on February 1 of this year, and is in answer to an official invitation to attend our National Con-

gress in Nashville, Tenn., and there make (as I suggested) "a good, old-fashioned American address," such as he could so well make, not only to his compatriots in Congress assembled, but through them to his fellow-countrymen everywhere.*

This letter is characteristic of others which he wrote me on this subject and of his expressions in conversation.

He has now been taken from us in the full maturity of his prime and of his usefulness. Like that other martyred President, Abraham Lincoln, he gave the last full measure of devotion to his country and for his countrymen. Like Lincoln, he understood and loved "the plain people," as Lincoln called them, and he was in turn loved and understood by them. It may truly be said, he had no enemies; all were his well-wishers, and he had only good-will for all his countrymen. In this respect he more closely resembled the charitable and loving Lincoln than any other of all our Presidents.

Even those who differed with and opposed him he yet continued to respect and kindly regard. He was a real friend to every one with whom he came in contact—young or old, rich or poor, high or low, men, women, and children, and especially the children. We are therefore thinking of our dear dead President today (who yet lives in our hearts and our memories) not so much as the trusted political leader, the calm and wise statesman, the glowing patriot, or even the honored President, as we are of the departed and affectionate friend, and we consequently feel this sad loss as a poignant, personal one.

For this reason it is difficult to express our feelings about Compatriot Harding on an occasion such as this, or rather it is difficult for us to control the expression of our feelings and of our emotions. Our hearts are too full for adequate expression.

The widespread and general love with which Harding was regarded by his fellow-countrymen was most dramatically expressed by the thousands who flocked to the railway stations from many miles, merely to see his funeral train pass by. The pictures of these throngs show many a tear-stained face of grown men, as well as of women and children.

And so this great and good man has gone to his well-earned rest and reward, followed by the love and the blessings of his countrymen everywhere. It only remains for us now, as admonished by the immortal Lincoln, to dedicate ourselves anew to the great tasks left by him unfinished.

May he rest in peace!

"His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him that Nature might stand up and say to all the world, 'This was a man.'"

Compatriot Harding, hail and farewell!

Several items follow of formal action by resolution or letter showing the participation of our compatriots in the nation's grief upon the death of President Harding.

* This letter was printed on page 20 of the March BULLETIN, 1923.

**Telegram Prepared by Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, of the Minnesota Society,
by Request of the City of Minneapolis, to Convey
Sympathy to Mrs. Harding**

MRS. WARREN G. HARDING,
Marion, Ohio:

The citizens of Minneapolis, in mass meeting assembled to pay tribute to the memory of our great and beloved President, Warren G. Harding, extend to you their deepest sympathy and join in the Nation's grief.

LETTER OF SYMPATHY TO MRS. HARDING

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., August 7, 1923.

MRS. WARREN G. HARDING,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR MRS. HARDING:

We, Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, Sons of the American Revolution, extend to you our deepest sympathy in this hour of sorrow. We assure you that we hold in highest respect the memory of Compatriot Warren G. Harding. His staunch and sincere patriotism and his simple Christian faith and character have endeared him to us and to the American people, and we feel his loss most keenly. We rejoice, as we know you must, that the things he has accomplished for America, the world, and mankind will not die, but live on, and that our country and the world have been permanently benefited by his works and his example.

Sincerely yours,

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER, No. 1,
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.
CHARLES P. SCHOUTEN, *President.*

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GREETING AND PLEDGE TO PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., August 7, 1923.

TO THE PRESIDENT, CALVIN COOLIDGE,
Washington, D. C.

MR. PRESIDENT AND COMPATRIOT:

We, Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, Sons of the American Revolution, greet you and pledge to you our loyalty and support in your high office.

We and our country have suffered an irreparable loss by the death of our beloved compatriot, Warren G. Harding, who as President of the United States endeared himself to the people of this Nation and won their highest respect by his simple, honest, true, Christian manhood, and by the wisdom with which he guided us and helped the world through this troublesome period.

It is with a feeling of confidence and faith in the future that we realize that his place is filled by you, a man of similar character and sterling qualities.

Very sincerely yours,

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER, No. 1,
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.
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RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY

The Pennsylvania Sons of the American Revolution, at a meeting of the State board of managers, adopted the following minutes in memory of President Harding, prepared by Past President W. C. Lyne, a personal friend of President Harding of long standing:

"The board of managers of the Pennsylvania Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, convened in Pittsburgh August 6, in the shadow of the national sorrow that bows in grief the heads and hearts of patriots, hereby places on the records of the Society minutes its sense of the great loss to this patriotic organization of Compatriot Warren Gamaliel Harding, who on August 2 passed from his honored field of abundant usefulness and distinguished service.

"Compatriot Harding had been conspicuous for many years as one of the truest, most loyal, and honored Sons of the American Revolution, earnestly interested in conserving the spirit and records of the Fathers of the Revolution, who established the American Republic and its form of government upon the Constitution of the United States. He gave without stint his best thought and valued time, even amid the multifold responsibilities and duties of the Chief Executive of this great Nation, as evidence of his warm sympathy and ardent support of the patriotic objectives for which this Society stands. We are not unmindful that during last year he used each of the four patriotic observances of the Pennsylvania Society—Armistice Day, Flag Day, Constitutional Day, and Washington's Birthday—as occasions to send to the patriots of Pennsylvania warm greetings, accompanied by patriotic messages of force and beauty and inspiring in appeal for the strengthening and uplifting of American citizenship, with obligations to honor and obey to the utmost the Constitution and law.

"He combined, in a peculiarly marked manner, high qualities of pure patriotism with broad-vision statesmanship, and, as is generally recognized, he as the Chief Magistrate of this great Nation was most helpful in organizing, vitalizing, and harmonizing political and social forces along broad, constructive lines of efficiency.

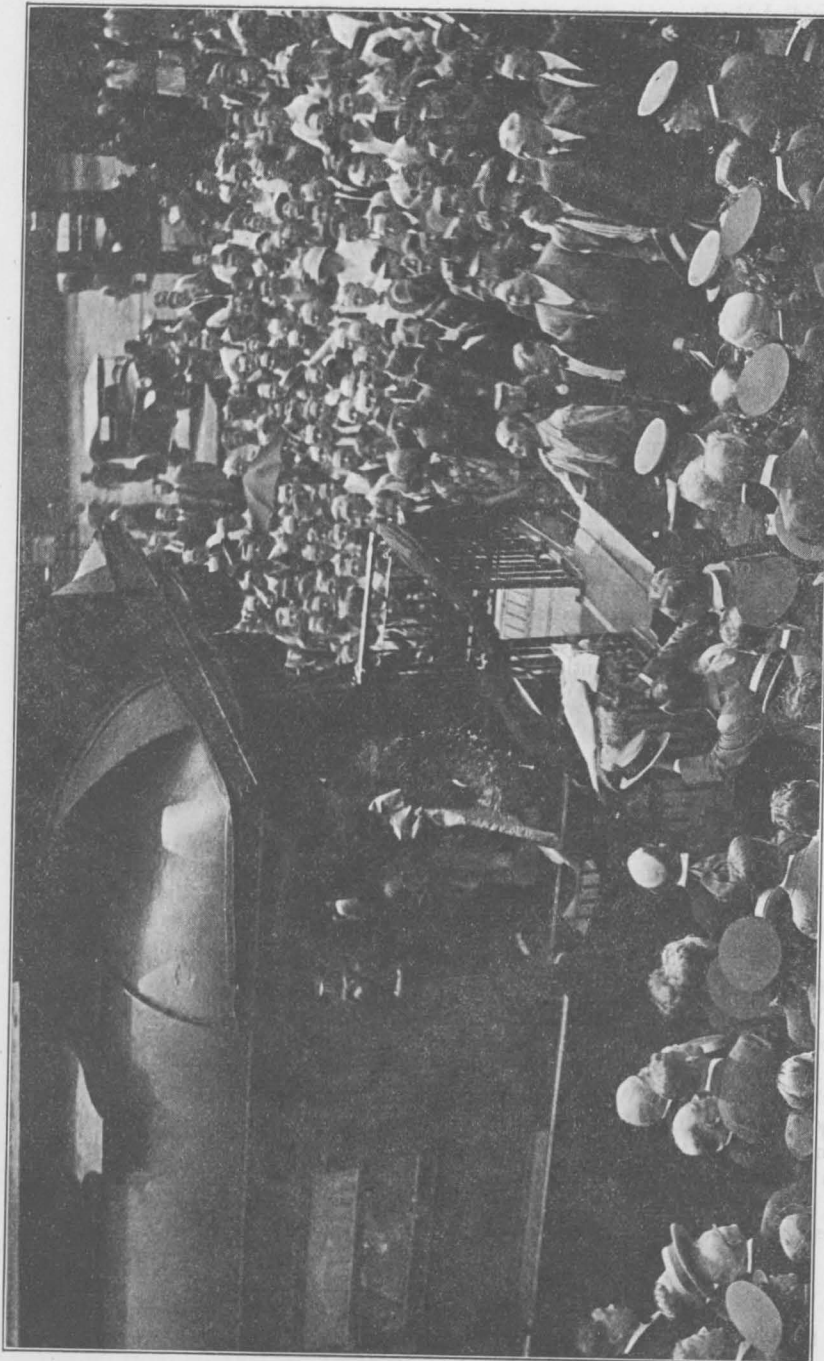
"In common with all who knew him, we bear testimony that Compatriot Harding was not only a great executive in his conscientious discharge of heavy responsibilities and official duties, but as a man he was most lovable, affable, and kind-hearted, winning all he came in contact with by his cordial friendliness and genial ways. Now that he has passed as a martyr to duty and met his Pilot "face to face," we offer our sincere sympathy to his bereaved wife and companion of his trials and triumphs, feeling that in this hour she is strengthened by the consciousness that, during his life of rich usefulness to his country and mankind, he kept the faith, walked humbly and did justly, and can say in humble sincerity, "Master, I have done Thy bidding. The light is low in the west. The long shift is over. Master, I have earned it—rest."

(Signed)

W. C. LYNE,
Chairman of Memorial Committee.

The pictures show the Pennsylvania Society Sons of the American Revolution paying tribute to Compatriot Warren G. Harding as the funeral train passes through Pittsburgh. On the opposite page is shown ex-State President W. C. Lyne with Registrar W. J. Askin presenting the wreath. On the following page is shown these two compatriots with the floral emblem.

The Ohio State Society sent a beautiful wreath to Mrs. Harding and letter of condolence, and was represented at the funeral of our late President by Mr. Harry H. Hoard, of Cleveland and Lakewood, State President.



ARRIVAL OF PRESIDENT HARDING'S BODY AT PITTSBURGH



EX-STATE PRESIDENT W. C. LYNE AND REGISTRAR W. J. ASKIN PRESENTING THE WREATH

DATE OF CONGRESS IN SALT LAKE CITY FIXED

Just as we go to press, the following telegram was received from the President of the Utah Society:

Utah Society has definitely set dates for holding Thirty-fifth Annual Congress of National Society at Salt Lake City, July 20, 21, and 22, 1924. Overfield advises these dates are satisfactory to President General. On behalf of the Utah Society, I extend a most cordial and hearty welcome to our compatriots throughout the nation to meet with us next year, and can assure you all of a genuine Western welcome. Please give official notice in October BULLETIN.

JOHN QUALE CANNON,
President.

DIRECTOR GENERAL LORD

Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire, Director General and former Vice-President General for the Eastern District, was stricken at his office in Manchester, N. H., on September 1 last, and died within a few hours. Mr. Lord has taken deep interest in the work of the Sons of the American Revolution during the past few years, and as Vice-President General for the New England District and member of the Executive Committee has given of his time and ability. He had been prominent in New Hampshire politics and at one time was President of the State Senate. He had also performed splendid service during the World War as a member of the draft board. A more fitting memorial to him will be dedicated by a proper committee and published in a later issue of the BULLETIN.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Past President General Major Washington I. L. Adams made the address on our late compatriot, Warren G. Harding, at the public memorial service, which was held in his home city of Montclair, N. J., Friday forenoon, August 10, pursuant to the proclamation of Compatriot Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States. The church was crowded to the doors and the service was a most impressive one.

Compatriots are introduced in this issue to our new page, "Notes and Queries." We hope that this will prove a very valuable service to the membership generally, and we are greatly indebted to Registrar General Culver for his willingness to conduct such a department, and are assured that in his hands it will be very capably managed.

In order that the December issue of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN shall reach the hands of compatriots during that month instead of some time in January, all contributions should be sent to the Secretary General *before November 20*. Anything received after that date will have to wait for a later issue. The co-operation of all National and State Officers is earnestly requested.

APPOINTMENTS ON SPECIAL NATIONAL COMMITTEES

President General Sumner has appointed the following named compatriots upon the Special National Committees authorized by the Nashville Congress:

NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1924 CONGRESS

Elmer M. Wentworth, *Chairman*, Iowa.
Louis Annin Ames, New York.
Chauncey P. Overfield, Utah.

COMMITTEE ON OFFICIAL GRAVE-MARKERS

Newell B. Woodworth, *Chairman*, Syracuse, N. Y.
Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown, Washington, D. C.
Hon. Harry T. Lord,* Manchester, N. H.

COMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION

Marvin H. Lewis, *Chairman*, Louisville, Ky.
Dr. George D. Barney, New York, N. Y.
Royal S. Copeland, New York, N. Y.
Selden M. Ely, Washington, D. C.
Henry W. Sackett, New York, N. Y.
R. C. Schanck, Pittsburgh, Pa.

COMMITTEE FOR PRESERVATION OF SARATOGA BATTLEFIELD

Charles E. Ogden, *Chairman*, Rochester, N. Y.
W. I. Lincoln Adams, Montclair, N. J.
Frederick M. Alger, Detroit, Mich.
Louis Annin Ames, New York, N. Y.
Royal S. Copeland, New York, N. Y.
Dr. Walter J. Sherman, Toledo, Ohio.
James W. Wadsworth, Jr., Geneseo, N. Y.

COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Frederick DeG. Hahn, Elizabeth, N. J.
Newell B. Woodworth, Syracuse, N. Y.
Herbert A. Rice, Providence, R. I.
Henry S. Sloan, Milwaukee, Wis.
James E. Brown, Chicago, Ill.
Henry H. Hoard, Cleveland, Ohio.
Col. W. S. Mayer, Galveston, Texas.

COMMITTEE ON YORKTOWN BATTLEFIELD

Col. Eugene C. Massie, Richmond, Va.
Lieut.-Col. John Stites, Louisville, Ky.
Albert Phenix, Baltimore, Md.
R. C. Ballard Thruston, Louisville, Ky.
T. Murry Manadier, Baltimore, Md.
Leverett Belknap, Hartford, Conn.

* Mr. Lord's death occurred suddenly, September 1.

An omission on the list of the Committee on Americanization and Aliens, as printed in the June BULLETIN, is here noted: Judge Harvey F. Remington, former chairman of this committee, is still serving as a member, and Mr. Samuel Herrick, President of the District of Columbia Society, has since been added.

It is understood that names may be added, from time to time, to any of the National Committees.

SUGGESTIONS BY THE COMMITTEE ON AMERICANIZATION AND ALIENS

It would seem that never before in the history of our organization have the committees appointed at the last Congress begun their work in such an energetic manner as this year. The Committee on the Saratoga Battlefield is making a most enthusiastic campaign to carry on its plans; the Constitution Day Committee had a greater success than ever; the Patriotic Education Committee is doing its far-reaching work, and many of the other important committees are making plans for the future. And now comes the Committee on Americanization and Aliens with the following far-reaching and practical suggestions which are published in the first issue of the BULLETIN in the fall, something unheard of in the annals of our Society.

This is a concrete, definite plan for work to be carried on by our Societies and Chapters in every part of the country, and the officers and members of the State Societies and Chapters are asked to read this report carefully and use the suggestions that are made by Mr. Brewer's committee in their work during the coming year. This is one of our underlying objects, and when it is put before the Society in such a clear and practical way the Societies and Chapters should be glad of the opportunity to make use of these splendid ideas.—EDITOR.

Suggestions to the State Societies and Local Chapters

The Society of the Sons of the American Revolution should have a very prominent and positive place in preserving those principles and ideals secured by our ancestors which have combined to put our land in the forefront of the nations of the world and which are now being violently attacked and may, if we are not watchful, be overthrown or so misused as to lose their pristine effectiveness and power. In so doing we will not only be fulfilling our obligations as citizens and patriots, but we will also bring a degree of credit to our Society that will make membership a thing sought for because of exemplary well-doing and not altogether by reason of the fortunes of ancestry.

Believing that brief suggestions as to opportunities for work along lines that have already proven successful will be helpful to many of our State Societies and local Chapters, the Committee on Americanization and Aliens submits the following outline of activities, any or all of which may be put into operation with very little difficulty, for the will to do makes smooth the path of doing:

(1) In the schools:

- (a) Essays for prizes, medals, or other awards upon subjects connected with our history, government, and institutions.
- (b) Pageants, plays, and programs properly celebrating historic events, emphasizing local participation and characters if possible.

- (c) Distribution of carefully selected literature which can be taken home and read by the children to their parents.
- (2) Among aliens who are citizens or about to be so:
 - (a) Distribution of carefully selected literature published by responsible organizations.
 - (b) Classes in English (should be conducted by school authorities.)
 - (c) Classes in American history, institutions, customs, etc.
 - (d) Receptions for newly made citizens.
 - (e) Ceremony at naturalization court (to be submitted by Committee on Ceremonials).
 - (f) Classes for new voters.
- (3) Award traveling banners to Boy Scout Troop in community which has best record in securing Merit Badge for American history, politics, etc.; banner should become permanent property of troop winning it three years in succession. Same to apply to Girl Scouts.
- (4) In distribution of literature and organization of civics classes, co-operation of local and State Federation of Labor unions should be sought, since this is all anti-radical propaganda and fits in with their avowed animosity toward radicalism.

All of the above suggestions are clearly feasible and practical for even small communities and Chapters to undertake. Work among the children in the schools is very important, for it is among them that seeds of anti-Americanism are being sown, and the effect can be in a great measure counteracted through the study necessary in essay competition, by arousing the imagination in pageants and patriotic exercises and by reading safe and sane literature about our country, its government, institutions, and laws.

Among the men, classes in English should be in the regular school system. We can co-operate in securing good attendance, which is most essential, by giving prizes or other awards for attendance and excellent work. The civics classes are, we feel, the most important work our Societies and Chapters can undertake. There are three angles to this work.

First. The work carried on in the public night schools. The books used and attitude of teachers is most important. The city of Rochester, N. Y., has done this work very successfully, and we are sure that the director, Mr. Charles E. French, would gladly advise other communities as to proper organization methods, etc. Chapters can take the matter up with their local boards of education and see that classes are organized.

Second. The work carried on by a local Chapter or group. In this case the volunteer teacher, who need not be a pedagogue, should be sufficiently interested to be present at every class, and if a paid instructor is secured the same attendance should be required. Classes should be organized in groups of from 10 to 20 and meetings held once or twice a week, in a convenient location. We recommend for a text-book one published by the International Y. M. C. A., entitled "Civics for Coming Americans," and in amplification of what that book contains the teacher should grasp every opportunity to preach anti-radicalism by the negative process of teaching real Americanism. The course should take about 20 lessons 1½ hours each, and a portion of the session should be given to asking questions of each student. At the close a written examination in simple form should be given, and in rating consideration of the pupils' attendance should be taken into account. A very valuable arrangement can be made through the Federal naturalization

examiner in each district, who can authorize the superintendent of schools in a particular community to conduct the classes and give the examination. Those who pass are certified to the examiner, who secures from the Department of Labor at Washington an official diploma, which practically guarantees the holder immunity from examination by the naturalization authorities or the court upon the subjects passed. The superintendent will designate, if required, the location of the class and the instructor, according to the plans of the Chapter, but usually all the Federal examiner wants, when our organization is involved, is the final test by the superintendent of schools. The New Jersey Society has operated classes under this plan for several years and further information can be secured from it. This is the most important work along Americanization lines that our Society can do, and where the Government diploma feature can be included we have a most potent argument to induce men to come to the classes and stay through the whole course. The aliens who should be approached are those who have filed their petition for naturalization, lists of whom can be readily secured from the clerk of the naturalization court. Your chairman will gladly elaborate upon the outline above given for any group desiring to undertake the work.

Third. Same as second, only the S. A. R. group works in co-operation with the Y. M. C. A., K. of C., Y. M. H. A., American Legion, labor unions, or any other organization of a similar character; in which case we should furnish the teachers as far as possible and have the others work up the classes.

Your committee respectfully submits the above suggestions and ideas, and we ask you not to hesitate to communicate with us for further and other information you may desire. In any event, we trust that your organization is sufficiently alive to the ever-present menace of the inboring radical and destructionist, who is always and untiringly on the job to make this Americanization work in some phase a serious, well-directed business, and by so doing you will be of actual service to your community, you will belie the alien's lament that nobody takes pains to give him an understanding of America, and you will give your Society a wonderful opportunity to expand and become more influential and respected for what it actually has accomplished.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY FRANK BREWER,
Chairman.

GRAMMAR-SCHOOL MEDALS TO PROMOTE CITIZENSHIP

The following letter was sent out to State and Chapter officers a few weeks ago in order to get the matter of these medals started this fall. The March BULLETIN gave a preliminary outline of the method of distribution, which was based upon three characteristics: dependability, as evidenced by the pupil's punctuality; truthfulness, honesty, loyalty, and self-control; co-operation, as evidenced by respect for authority, for property, and the rights of others; leadership, as evidenced by what the pupil has done to make his school a better school. These medals are now ready for distribution and a sample will be sent to any Society or member wishing to inspect the very attractive design.



BUFFALO, N. Y., September 17, 1923.

DEAR SIR AND COMPATRIOT:

As you may know, one of the accomplishments of the Nashville Congress was the unanimous adoption of the new medals to be presented to school pupils for the achievement of the highest standing in good citizenship. The preliminary details of the plan are explained in the article in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, page 30.

The idea seems to have made a deep impression in many parts of the country and enthusiastic responses have been received, and we have been solicited by several other organizations for an opportunity to co-operate in this work.

The committee in charge is anxious to have this plan made practically universal in our Society, and if you have not already taken up the plan with your State Society or Chapter, will you not do so at once, and write to the Secretary General that you will assist in carrying out the plan.

The expense is nominal, \$1.00 for each medal, and no Society or Chapter should hesitate to take up the matter of presenting these medals to their grammar-grade pupils. In the average city the number of schools would not be more than twenty-five or fifty, and this amount expended in such a far-reaching and practical way should accomplish results that would more than repay the outlay.

Full details of this plan for presenting the medals and the literature that will accompany the order for medals have been worked out and will be sent to the State Societies and Chapters on application.

The school year is just starting, and if this plan is to be a success it must be started during the next month or six weeks.

Hoping to receive your co-operation,

Very truly yours,

Frank B. Steele
Secretary General.

BRIEF PREPARED FOR THE KENTUCKY TEXT-BOOK COMMISSION

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, June 22, 1923.

To the Honorable Text-Book Commission, Commonwealth of Kentucky.

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned committee, representing and speaking for the Kentucky Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, respectfully submits for your consideration the views of our organization relative to the manner in which some of our school text-books are presenting certain phases of our country's history.

Ours is a patriotic society, dedicated to historical research, to the inculcation of the principles of good citizenship, and to the preservation of that high patriotism and idealism "that has made and preserved us a nation." We feel, therefore, that it is our imperative duty to call to your attention certain current weaknesses in many of our school histories—weaknesses that, if left uncorrected and unrebuked, may in time work serious injury to our national character.

One of the flagrant weaknesses of some of our present-day writers of American history texts is the omission of the names and deeds of many of the most dramatic and picturesque characters of the American Revolution. Men whose names and exploits have been an unfailing source of inspiration to millions of American youth and whose achievements and patriotic sacrifices have been the theme of poets and orators are not mentioned by many of these historians. And what will be the inevitable reaction to this? The children of future generations will be deprived of the stimulating influence of the lives and deeds of these immortals; and, what is of equal concern, the children of the foreign-born who seek our shores will be kept in ignorance of much of the richness of our history, a knowledge of which would go far toward moulding them into real Americans.

The excuse of these historians is that a school history should trace "movements" and "institutions," and not give undue emphasis to heroes and battles. They contend, and rightfully so, that most of our school histories of the past were not scholarly—were unscientific, inaccurate, and without balance. But in attempting to correct these weaknesses they have gone to the other extreme, with the result that their texts offer silent indignities to many of the most sacred names and deeds of our forefathers. Of course, we want "epochs" and "movements" and "institutions" scientifically developed and presented, but that policy gives no historian the right to omit from the pages of his book the names of the men who led the movements, whose sacrifices created the institutions, and whose vision shaped

the *epochs*. When all is said, gentlemen, the example of a noble life, the inspiration of a patriotic deed, is worth more to an American high-school boy than an abstract discourse on the Articles of Confederation or an analysis of the banking policies of Alexander Hamilton. In no other period of his life is he more sensitive to the influence of great men and great achievements than in those plastic years of his school career.

Not only are such names as Marion, Sumter, Pickens, Light-Horse Harry Lee, John Stark, Nathan Hale, Dr. Warren, and many others of equal renown omitted from many of these histories, but great events in our struggle for independence are given scant mention. In Muzzey's American History, a book typical of this type of text, and used in many of our high schools, only one sentence is devoted to the Battle of Bunker Hill; bare mention is made of Valley Forge, while the battles of Trenton and Princeton are honored with but a part of a sentence. We contend that any high-school history that fails to give the proper dignity to such pre-eminent historical matter as these events is unfit to inspire real Americanism in the hearts of our youth.

Furthermore, Muzzey's History and others—we mention Muzzey because of the fact that it is widely used—appear to labor under the impression that the righteousness of the American Revolution is a debatable question. There seems to be a studious effort to discount such men as the Adamses, Jefferson, Hamilton, Henry, and others, at the same time subtly palliating the conduct of the British Government.

Our Society has no desire to "twist the lion's tail"; we share with our kinsman across the sea the common heritage of tradition, literature, and law; we respect the British Empire and pay tribute to her greatness; but these considerations do not impel us to discount our own history or our own rights. To the Sons of the American Revolution the righteousness of the cause of the men who fought at Lexington, Bunker Hill, and Yorktown is not a debatable question—a view concurred in by such eminent English statesmen as Burke, Fox, and Pitt. The ties of blood and language are not of sufficient warrant to prompt us to belittle our own fundamental rights and aspirations.

Reverting to Muzzey's niggardly treatment of some of the battles of the Revolution, and likewise illustrative of his pro-British proclivities, permit us to call your attention to this fact: He dismisses the Battle of Bunker Hill with these words: "In June Gage's army stormed the works on Bunker Hill"; and yet, in treating of Wolfe and the Battle of Quebec, he devotes more than 200 words to that British victory. He pays eloquent tribute to Wolfe, who richly merited it; but not a word for the sublime sacrifices of Dr. Warren and Nathan Hale, and thirteen words for the bloody footprints of Valley Forge!

This brief does not permit of space to amplify these citations, or to direct your attention to certain inaccuracies in the text—an examination of the book will justify our statement that they exist.

Let us say, in conclusion, however, that in the latter pages of Muzzey's History are to be found sentences, cleverly placed, that have a ring decidedly socialistic. There is a kind of flippancy in many of these latter paragraphs that smacks of the "soap-box" orator.

Not a few have criticized Muzzey on the ground of partianship, and we believe that such a criticism is merited; and while it is not within the province of such an organization as ours to apply the political "testing rod" to a book of this kind

(our interest being patriotic), nevertheless we consider it extremely poor taste on the part of a text-book writer for high schools to discuss political and economic questions as a partisan.

Confident that we may rely upon your judgment and patriotism to safeguard the interests of our children in the matter of selecting for them the proper type of school history, we respectfully submit our brief.

JAMES H. RICHMOND,
R. C. BALLARD THRUSTON,
MARVIN H. LEWIS,
CURRAN POPE,

Committee.

SARATOGA BATTLEFIELD COMMITTEE

The Saratoga Battlefield Association, Inc., the incorporation papers having been filed with the Secretary of State, is the outgrowth of action taken by the Rochester Chapter, Empire State Society, which resulted in resolutions being presented before the National Congress at Nashville last May. As a result of these resolutions the President General appointed a committee of seven to take steps toward forming an association which would carry on the work and preserve these historic grounds. This committee is announced on another page of this issue.

After careful consideration, the committee decided in favor of forming an association, and on August 24 articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State in Albany. The incorporators and directors and other officers of the new patriotic association are composed of some of the best-known patriotic citizens in the country. The headquarters of the association will be in Rochester. A vigorous campaign for funds to carry out the purpose of the association will be waged.

Such organizations as the Sons of the American Revolution, the Sons of the Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution, Society of New England, Colonial Dames, and others are interested in this work of making the Saratoga battlefield a patriotic park.

Saratoga Battlefields Association, Inc., organized as a membership corporation under the laws of the State, has been formed primarily to administer the Saratoga battlefields in the interests of patriotic education. Its application for a certificate of incorporation says its purposes are:

"To stimulate and promote patriotism in all who owe allegiance to or dwell within the confines of the United States of America, and by education and dissemination of literature to create a more intimate knowledge of the struggles and sacrifices made by our forefathers, who were responsible for the events which culminated in the birth of our Republic and the consequent guarantee of freedom to every citizen.

"To keep constantly before all who owe allegiance to our country and our flag, by written and spoken word and by precept, the glory of the freedom which our forefathers secured by their sacrifices and which all mankind within our Republic enjoy under the Constitution of the United States and its several States.

"To acquire and hold title to land and property for the purpose of fostering such objects, and particularly the land situated in the County of Saratoga, State of New York, upon which the battles were fought which culminated in the surrender of General Burgoyne October 17, 1777, and to create thereof a park, to be known as the Saratoga Battlefield Park, and to erect therein suitable buildings, which shall be open to visitors at all reasonable times."

GET 'EM IN

The following little story was prepared by our good compatriot, Colonel Churchill, President of the Louisiana Society, by request, for presentation at the Nashville Congress, but time did not permit. It is practical and suggestive, and for that reason we give it space here. One has only to remember that the Louisiana Society started out with a nominal membership of about 60 about the time Colonel Churchill took hold of it, with every evidence of having laid itself down to die a quiet and unprotesting death. The first thing was to hew it down, which was done, all the deadwood eliminated, and then the building process began. Since that time about 485 members have been added to the rolls. "Hard work and plenty of it," as Colonel Churchill says, a systematic campaign, is the only way to "Get 'em in."—EDITOR.

"Just exactly how to go about increasing the membership of any one State or city organization is hard to say. It depends entirely upon conditions and what help you can get. One thing is certain, that if you are going to depend upon other people to help you do this work, you are going to get fooled. Another certainty is that it means a lot of hard, hard work. I speak from experience and I know what I am talking about.

"Five years ago, when I became President of the Louisiana Society, I was told that it would be a very easy matter to get members; that all I would have to do was to get up a list of eligibles and go out and get 'em. It was not very long before I found that this was a fallacy. As a matter of fact, lists or no lists, it meant all kinds of work.

"At all events, the first thing I did was to find out who were really members of the Louisiana Society. I mean by that who really took an interest in the thing. I proceeded to work down rather than to work up. When the thing got wound up, instead of having about seventy members on our roll, I found that we had about thirty. In other words, we simply dropped a lot of dead material and started to build up from the very ground. The first survey I made was with the material present. I found out how many of our members had brothers who were eligible, fathers, sons, cousins, and kinfolks. We then got busy and got quite a number in that way. Then we got each member to send in a list of such eligibles as he could think of. We took it up with the various D. A. R. organizations and asked for a list of brothers and husbands and sons. We immediately gained a few members that way. However, after getting these lists together, I again found that it was a question of hard work; but by systematizing the work and using a regular follow-up system we got a few more members. And, speaking of the follow-up system, I believe that that is the only real successful way to get new members in. Just hound them until they come in to get rid of you. Of course, on many of those that we were following up, I was able in many instances to practically complete their papers; in other words, have the papers made up. In many instances I would personally go to the man and tackle him to become a member. Of course, he would have a whole lot to say about not having time to make up the papers and a dozen and one excuses. I would then say, "My friend, the work's all done. All that you have to do is to put your name on the dotted line," and would hand him the papers. I got lots of them in that way.

"My idea has always been to get 'em in, irrespective of where I found them. The result has been that we have picked up quite a number of members from

Mississippi. I had a double purpose in that. One was to get more members in our Society, but the principal object was to get members in the State of Mississippi, so as to eventually reorganize the Society in that State. Then I got a few in from Alabama, a few in from Florida, got several from Texas; came right up here to Tennessee and got two in. My idea was to get 'em in, and, as happened in the case of the Tennessee Society, we eventually let them take a demit and become members of their own State organization. However, my plan has been to get 'em in and let them imbibe freely of the idea.

"As time went on, we picked up members from California, one or two from New York and Massachusetts, and so it went. And then the greatest thing of all happened. One of our members went to England to live. He has the right degree of enthusiasm, the right idea of getting 'em in, and it was not long before we had an application for a charter for a chapter in London. This is coming along in good shape, and we expect that very shortly we can grant them their charter.

"Another source of membership with the Louisiana Society was found among the descendants of Galvez soldiers. These people are the real blue-blood families of Louisiana, original settlers, the finest people on earth; but only a few of them could trace back. So, in order to assist them, I got busy on another track and proceeded to get copies of the muster rolls of the Spanish and French organizations that were active under Galvez in 1779, 1780, and 1781, and in these campaigns materially assisted the American colonists to win their independence. I finally succeeded in getting copies of the muster rolls of the various Spanish and Louisiana organizations which took part in these campaigns. It is a most wonderful find.

"With these authentic records we have enabled quite a number of the descendants to establish the military service of their ancestors, and in that way to become members of the Louisiana Society.

"And then the matter of publications—this is one sure way to get members into the Society. Our Year Book of 1918 was about 300 copies. The issue of 1919 was about 1,000. The issue of 1920 was 2,000. The issue of 1921 was 3,000. The issue of 1922-1923 was 3,500. We have sent these broadcast, first, to all Societies similar to our own, both male and female. We have broadcasted them to the libraries throughout the country, to historical societies, and, as a matter of fact, have asked members of our Society and of the D. A. R. Society to give us names of parties to whom we should send them, parties who would be interested. These publications have brought us lots and lots of inquiries, have brought us lots of members. I have no doubt in the world but that, broadcasted as they are, they will result in greater interest in these organizations all over the country, because wherever they are read they no doubt will start some one thinking. Quite a number of the Societies, in thanking us, have stated that bulletins of that character are beneficial to them in building up their membership.

"Those of you who have seen our bulletins no doubt have noted that in publishing our roster we give not only the full name and address of our members, but we give the name of their ancestor and the State from which the ancestor comes. That, too, has had a beneficial effect and has resulted in our getting members.

"One thing is certain, that any way you look at this, it means a lot of work. You can't depend upon membership committees and, as a rule, you can't depend upon members going out and getting members. It don't work out that way. It all comes back to one or two men among the faithful. One or two men have

got to systematize the work and go out and get members in a regular business-like way.

"The wearing of the lapel button is one of the best methods of bringing members in. It causes people to ask questions, and when he is told, possibly the man will say, 'I think I am eligible to that Society.' Then you have to get busy and follow him up. The Louisiana Society has each year given a button to each member. This we consider good advertising. It no doubt is helpful. I say, give the button.

"In my office, several of the young ladies working there are posted in the matter of making up papers. If a man comes in and says he is a brother of one of our members, or a son of one of our members, or a cousin of one of our members, the young lady knows just what to do, and the papers are made up accordingly. And, in order to assist in this work, we have gotten together quite a genealogical library, and through the data that we have, we have been able to make up papers for quite a number of people. One of the most valuable—I might say invaluable—volumes in our library are the D. A. R. Lineage Books. We have a complete set. There is hardly a week goes by but what there is somebody down consulting our books. This means both S. A. R. and D. A. R., Louisiana Colonials, and other kindred organizations. When I finally get my Galvez roster records fully indexed, they are going to be most wonderful sources of information.

"Now, just one more thing: It is said that few men have any vanity; and yet the most remarkable thing that I know of is the fact that some men will almost work their heads off to prove up their membership. I have had people claim that they were eligible, and when it came down to making up their papers they simply could not do it. There was one man particularly, a good friend of mine, whom I helped a whole lot, and when we finally ran the thing down we found he was a descendant of a Tory and not at all eligible. There is one thing certain, however, that if we do get a man interested he will generally stick to it until he gets it out all right. It doesn't seem to be a matter of course with one of those fellows. It is simply that we have them interested and they want to come in. I have a dozen of that kind working right now.

"Again I repeat, that the whole thing of getting members in resolves itself down to hard, hard work. To depend upon people coming in of their own volition is a mistake. They are not coming. The thing to do is to interest them."

Statement of President Coolidge in Relation to the Observance of Constitution Day, Sent to the Secretary General of the Sons of the American Revolution and First Issued at the Request of the Kentucky Society

THE WHITE HOUSE.

The annual observance of September 17th as Constitution Day, in honor of the fact that it is the anniversary of the signing of the great charter, is a custom altogether worthy of continuation and perpetuation. I am glad to know that the day will be so widely celebrated this year, for I am sure that, as the American people widely appreciate the blessings that their Constitution has insured to them, so they will be the more disposed to live in accordance with its precepts and purposes.

CALVIN COOLIDGE.

THE FLAG CODE

Adopted at the National Flag Conference, Washington, June 14-15, 1923

The National Flag Conference convened at the call of the American Legion, in Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C., on Flag Day, June 14, 1923, composed of delegates from the principal national patriotic, fraternal, educational, and civic organizations, adopts the following code and urges that every citizen be governed by this code in the use and care of the Flag of the United States.

The Flag of the United States symbolizes that freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which our forefathers sacrificed their lives and personal fortunes. Today this flag represents a nation of over one hundred million free people, its Constitution and institutions, its achievements and aspirations.

The Flag Code Committee comprised Mr. Gridley Adams, chairman; Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, vice-chairman, President General D. A. R.; Maj. O. C. Luxford, secretary, D. C. S. A. R.; Mr. E. S. Martin, Boy Scouts of America; Mrs. Henry Osgood Holland, National Congress of Mothers; Mr. John L. Riley, American Legion, New York Department; Lieut.-Col. H. S. Kerrick, American Legion, Ohio Department; Mrs. Livingston R. Schuyler, President General, U. D. C.; Capt. Chester Wells, U. S. Navy; and Capt. George M. Chandler, U. S. Army, advisers.

PROPER MANNER OF DISPLAYING THE FLAG

There are certain fundamental rules of heraldry which, if understood generally, would indicate the proper method of displaying the flag. The matter becomes a very simple one if it is kept in mind that the National Flag represents the living country and is itself considered as a living thing. The union of the flag is the honor point; the right arm is the sword arm, and therefore the point of danger, and hence the place of honor.

1. The flag should be displayed only from sunrise to sunset or between such hours as may be designated by proper authority. It should be displayed on National and State holidays and on historic and special occasions. The flag should always be hoisted briskly and lowered slowly and ceremoniously.

2. When carried in a procession with another flag or flags, the Flag of the United States should be either on the marching right—i. e., the flag's own right, or when there is a line of other flags the Flag of the United States may be in front of the center of that line.

3. When displayed with another flag, against a wall from crossed staffs, the Flag of the United States should be on the right, the flag's own right, and its staff should be in front of the staff of the other flag.

4. When a number of flags are grouped and displayed from staffs, the Flag of the United States should be in the center or at the highest point of the group.

5. When flags of States or cities or pennants of societies are flown on the same halyard with the Flag of the United States, the National Flag should always be at the peak. When flown from adjacent staffs, the Flag of the United States should be hoisted first. No flag or pennant should be placed above or to the right of the Flag of the United States.

6. When flags of two or more nations are displayed, they should be flown from separate staffs of the same height and the flags should be of approximately equal size. (International usage forbids the display of the flag of one nation above that of another nation in time of peace.)

7. When the flag is displayed from a staff projecting horizontally or at an angle from the window-sill, balcony, or front of building, the union of the flag should go clear to the head of the staff, unless the flag is at half mast.

8. When the Flag of the United States is displayed in a manner other than by being flown from a staff, it should be displayed flat, whether indoors or out. When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be uppermost and to the flag's own right—i. e., to the observer's left. When displayed in a window, it should be displayed the same way—that is, with the union, or blue field, to the left of the observer in the street. When festoons, rosettes, or drapings of blue, white, and red are desired, bunting should be used, but never the flag.

9. When displayed over the middle of the street, as between buildings, the Flag of the United States should be suspended vertically, with the union to the north in an east-and-west street, or to the east in a north-and-south street.

10. When used on a speaker's platform, the flag should be displayed above and behind the speaker. It should never be used to cover the speaker's desk, nor to drape over the front of the platform. If flown from a staff, it should be on the speaker's right.

11. When used in unveiling a statue or monument, the flag should not be allowed to fall to the ground, but should be carried aloft to wave out, forming a distinctive feature during the remainder of the ceremony.

12. When flown at half staff, the flag is first hoisted to the peak, and then lowered to the half-staff position. But before lowering the flag for the day it is raised again to the peak. On Memorial Day, May 30, the flag is displayed at half-staff from sunrise until noon, and at full staff from noon until sunset, for the nation lives and the flag is the symbol of the living nation.

13. When used to cover a casket, the flag should be placed so that the union is at the head and over the left shoulder. The flag should not be lowered into the grave nor allowed to touch the ground. The casket should be carried foot first.

14. When the flag is displayed in church, it should be on a staff placed on the congregation's right as they face the clergyman. The Service Flag, the State Flag, or other flag should be at the left of the congregation. If in the chancel, the Flag of the United States should be placed on the clergyman's right as he faces the congregation, and other flags on his left.

15. When the flag is in such a condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem for display, it should not be cast aside or used in any way that might be viewed as disrespectful to the national colors, but should be destroyed as a whole, privately, preferably by burning, or by some other method in harmony with the reverence and respect we owe the emblem representing our country.

CAUTIONS

1. Do not permit disrespect to be shown to the Flag of the United States.
2. Do not dip the Flag of the United States to any person or anything. The regimental color, State Flag, organization or institutional flag will render this honor.
3. Do not display the Flag of the United States with the union down, except as a signal of distress.
4. Do not place any other flag or pennant above or to the right of the Flag of the United States.
5. Do not let the Flag of the United States touch the ground or trail in the water.
6. Do not place any object or emblem of any kind on or above the Flag of the United States.
7. Do not use the flag as drapery, in any form whatever. Use bunting of blue, white, and red.
8. Do not fasten the flag in such manner as will permit it to be easily torn.
9. Do not drape the flag over the hood, top, sides, or back of a vehicle, or of a railroad train or boat. When the flag is displayed on a motor car, the staff should be affixed firmly to the chassis or clamped to the radiator cap.
10. Do not display the flag on a float in a parade except from a staff.
11. Do not use the flag as a covering for a ceiling.
12. Do not use the flag as a portion of a costume or of an athletic uniform. Do not embroider it upon cushions or handkerchiefs or print it on paper napkins or boxes.
13. Do not put lettering of any kind upon the flag.
14. Do not use the flag in any form of advertising, nor fasten an advertising sign to a pole from which the Flag of the United States is flying.
15. Do not display, use, or store the flag in such a manner as will permit it to be easily soiled or damaged.

PROPER USE OF BUNTING

Bunting of the national colors should be used for covering a speaker's desk, draping over the front of the platform, and for decoration in general. Bunting should be arranged with the blue above the white, in the middle, and the red below.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag or when the flag is passing in a parade or in a review, all persons present should face the flag, stand at attention, and salute. Those present in uniform should render the right-hand salute. When not in uniform, men should remove the headdress with the right hand and hold it at the left shoulder. Women should salute by placing the right hand over the heart. The salute to the flag in the moving column is rendered at the moment the flag passes.

When the National Anthem is played, those present in uniform should salute at the first note of the anthem, retaining this position until the last note of the anthem. When not in uniform, men should remove the headdress and hold it as in the salute to the flag. Women should render the salute as to the flag. When there is no flag displayed, all should face toward the music.

FEDERAL FLAG LAWS

There is but one Federal statute which protects the flag throughout the country from desecration. This law provides that a trade-mark cannot be registered which consists of or comprises, among other things, "the flag, coat of arms, or other insignia of the United States or any simulation thereof" (33 Stat. at L., p. 725, February 20, 1905).

SUGGESTIONS FOR STATE LEGISLATION REGARDING THE FLAG

Based upon the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States, rendered by Justice John Marshall Harlan, every State should enact adequate laws for the protection of the National Flag. State Flag laws should include the following:

1. That June 14, Flag Day, be set apart by proclamation of the Governor, recommending that Flag Day be observed by people generally by the display of the Flag of the United States and in such other ways as will be in harmony with the general character of the day.
2. That the Flag of the United States be displayed on the main administration building of every public institution.
3. That the Flag of the United States, with staff or flag-pole, be provided for every school-house and be displayed during school days either from a flagstaff or, in inclement weather, within the school building.
4. That the Flag of the United States be displayed in every polling place.
5. That the use of the Flag of the United States as a receptacle for receiving, holding, carrying, or delivering anything be prohibited.
6. That the use of the flag for advertising purposes in any manner be prohibited.
7. That penalty (fine and imprisonment) be provided for public mutilation, abuse, or desecration of the flag.

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States and to the Republic for which it stands: one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

THE SHIELD OF THE UNITED STATES

The shield of the United States has 13 vertical stripes, 7 white and 6 red, with a blue chief without stars.

NATIONAL ANTHEM

The Star-Spangled Banner is recommended for universal recognition as the National Anthem.

KENMORE

The Kenmore Association still solicits the contributions and aid of the Sons of the American Revolution and wishes to express appreciation for the support already tendered. The inauguration of State auxiliaries is a new feature of the movement, these having been formed in Maryland and Georgia. President Calvin Coolidge, while Vice-President, a year ago, launched the campaign for Kenmore and is a warm friend of the Association.

AN OPINION OF THE CHANCELLOR GENERAL, JAMES EDGAR BROWN

HON. FRANCIS B. CULVER,
Registrar General, National Society, Sons of the American Revolution,
 14 E. 22d Street, Baltimore, Maryland.

DEAR SIR AND COMPATROIT:

I am in receipt of your letter of August 15, relative to the organization of a Chapter of the Society in London, requesting an official opinion relative to members retaining membership in their respective State Societies and also in the London Society, and have the honor to submit herewith the following opinion.

In order to pass judgment upon this matter, it is necessary to make a critical examination of the organic law, viz., the original charter of the National Society, its Constitution and by-laws, which are based upon this charter, together with the various amendments, and also the Constitution and by-laws of some of the State Societies.

An act of Congress was passed by the 59th Congress, begun and held at the City of Washington December 4, 1905, and approved June 9, 1906, granting a national charter and incorporating a National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. Section 3 of this act, containing a grant of the powers of the corporation, contains, among others, the following:

CHARTER POWERS

"That said corporation shall have power 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 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, safekeeping, 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."

A sharp line of demarkation exists between the State Societies and the National Society. In order that the one may not encroach upon the jurisdiction of the other and the sovereignty of each may be preserved and their respective rights harmonized, the Constitution of the National Society has delegated some of its powers to the State Societies and yet reserves certain rights relative to membership in the National Society.

SOCIETY IN A FOREIGN COUNTRY

Section 7 of Article IV of the Constitution is as follows:

"A Society may be formed in any foreign country by fifteen or more persons who are eligible to membership under this Constitution, which shall bear the same relation to the National Organization as the State Society, subject to the provisions of this Constitution."

Thus there arises the question of the relationship existing between the National Society and the State Society.

Section 5 of Article IV provides:

"Whenever a member in good standing in his Society shall change his residence from the jurisdiction of the State Society in which he is a member to that of another, he shall be entitled, if he so elects, to a certificate of honorable demission from his own State Society, in order that he may be transferred to the State to whose jurisdiction he shall have changed his residence: *Provided*, That his membership shall continue in the former until he shall have been elected a member of the latter.

"Each State Society shall, however, retain full control of the admission of members by transfer."

The following concrete example will serve to illustrate the situation of the London Society:

A reasonable interpretation of Section 7, Article IV, above cited would be, that the Society so formed in a foreign country would bear the same relation to the National Society as if fifteen or more members or eligibles were to remove from the State of Massachusetts to the State of West Virginia, in which latter State no Society now exists, and there form a Society.

They need not relinquish citizenship in the State of Massachusetts or membership in the Massachusetts Society, nor need they acquire citizenship in West Virginia, or in Great Britain, in order to form such a Society. A domicile in the new locality and eligibility to membership would seem to be all that is necessary.

A condition of eligibility is (Article III) that the applicant shall be "a citizen of good repute in the community," etc. Were it not for the special provision relative to the formation of a Society in a foreign country (Section 7, Article III), such a Society would be impossible under the Constitution.

Now, having formed such a Society, what obligations to the National Society does such an act entail? There is some analogy, but not complete analogy between citizenship and membership. One cannot hold citizenship in two States or a State and a foreign country simultaneously. When he acquires the one, he relinquishes the other. I find nothing in the Constitution of the National Society, however, forbidding one to hold membership in two or any number of State Societies. If one desires to hold two or more such memberships, however, he must comply with the Constitution and By-Laws of each State Society in which he holds such membership, pay his dues as provided by the Constitution and By-Laws of the State Society, and in turn each State Society shall pay annually to the Treasurer General, to defray the expenses of the National Society, \$1.00 for each such member carried on the roll of the State Society, unless intermitted by the National Congress.

There seems to be no valid reason why a Society, Sons of the American Revolution, may not be formed, under the provisions of the Constitution, in London or elsewhere in the Kingdom of Great Britain in like manner as in France.

This opinion does not presume to pass on the wisdom or unwisdom of penalizing a compatriot who, though absent a long way from his native country, desires to exemplify his loyalty thereto by forming or joining a Society in a foreign country.

It is the province of the Chancellor General only to interpret the Constitution and By-Laws as they now exist, and, when requested, to pass upon their legality, and give legal opinions when called upon by the proper officers.

My opinion is, therefore, that members of the contemplated London Society are at liberty to form such a Society, subject to the provisions of the Constitution, and shall be at liberty to regulate all matters pertaining to their own affairs not inconsistent with the Charter of the National Society or with its Constitution. This Society shall pay the required per capita tax of \$1.00 per member to the National Society, unless "intermitted by the National Congress." (Article VI of the Constitution as amended at the Nashville Congress, 1923.)

It is entirely optional with the member whether he retains his membership in the original State Society to which he belonged prior to the formation of the London Society. This is a matter in which the National Society has no concern, except that such retention would produce a double per capita tax, and thus add to the revenues of the National Society.

The encouragement of such societies in foreign countries, the spread of American ideals and principles by all proper methods, 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, would seem most commendable.

Due regard should be had, however, for the national ideals of the people of these foreign countries among whom our compatriots may be domiciled, in order that no needless offense may be given, and that national good-will and cordiality may be preserved.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES EDGAR BROWN,
Chancellor General.

AUGUST 27, 1923.

REPORT OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL FOR THE NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT, HON. HARRY T. LORD, FOR THE YEAR 1922-23

Mr. President General and Compatriots:

In making my report as Vice-President General for the New England District, I first wish to acknowledge with gratitude the various invitations and courtesies which have been extended to me.

It has been my privilege to attend the luncheon at the Boston City Club tendered to the President General by the Massachusetts Society, the luncheon at Concord, N. H., given by the New Hampshire Society upon the occasion of the President General's visit to that State in September, and the dinner of the New York Chapter of the Empire State Society at the Army and Navy Club, at which the President General and the Executive Committee of the National Society were guests. All were very enjoyable occasions. An invitation from George Washington Chapter of the Massachusetts Society to be their guest on Washington's Birthday was accepted with pleasurable anticipation by me, only to have to be declined at the last moment on account of illness. Several other invitations to Mrs. Lord and myself were declined with regret, because of our inability to be in two places at the same time.

During the year I have received many year books and notices from other States and I have distributed many copies of Past President General McCamant's report on Muzzey's History.

I am now serving on the Tercentenary Commission, selected by the Governor because of my membership in this Society, and we are making arrangements for celebrations to be held especially in Portsmouth and Dover during Old Home Week, in August, in commemoration of the first settlement of the State, in 1623. All sons of New Hampshire are ordered home. Every one else is invited.

As Weare, N. H., is about twenty miles from my home, it devolved upon me to investigate the claims of an aged French gentleman who stated that he was a great-grandson of Count Rochambeau and had fought in our Indian wars. I found that his statements were greatly exaggerated and wholly unsupported by any evidence, documentary or otherwise.

At one of our meetings in Boston, President General Adams called attention to the practice, more or less common, on the part of aliens of assuming old-time American names. A short while after I was pleased to read a news item to the effect that Federal Judge Morton in naturalization cases had refused permission to Adolph Papkevitz to call himself Parker, and to Hyman Sorocovich to call himself Stone, allowing in the first case the name "Popkin" and in the latter case "Soroco." I trust that other courts will adopt his rule.

In taking up the activities of the various State Societies in my district, I have had to rely principally upon information sent to me by the Secretaries, and I wish to thank Compatriots Littlefield, of Maine; Watkins, of Massachusetts, and Baker, of New Hampshire, for their assistance, so graciously rendered.

MAINE

The Maine Society is active and has been represented on numerous occasions when it would be expected to be, and its members have been active in various movements calculated to make our country a better place in which to live.

It secured general recognition of Constitution Day, and the work of placing markers on the graves of Revolutionary soldiers is steadily progressing. The greatest achievement of the year was the substituting at Valley Forge of an adequate bronze marker on the Maine monument for one entirely out of proportion to the monument itself. This was described and illustrated in the December BULLETIN. Two real sons are included in its membership, Osborne Allen, of Dexter, and Peter Bracket, of Biddeford. Maine has no local Chapters, although, on account of the great size of the State and the fact that certain groups of towns logically come together, the local members here and there have formed regional groups without official designation, which to all intents and purposes are, and easily could be, converted into local Chapters.

It is estimated that there are upward of 2,500 men in Maine eligible to membership, and special efforts in certain sections always produce results. There are able volunteer missionaries at work from time to time, but they are far too few to cover the field. As a result, the membership is a little over 10 per cent of the available material.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

The New Hampshire Society has been able to hold its own during the past year, although its work has been seriously handicapped by the sudden death of its Secretary-Treasurer, Compatriot Charles L. Mason, which occurred just as he was becoming familiar with the work left by the equally sudden death of his predecessor, Compatriot Will B. Howe.

The event of the year with us was the visit of President General Adams to our Society, and the enthusiasm which he aroused among the members who were fortunate enough to meet him at that time has already been shown in the increased interest in our Society.

Constitution Day was observed in our churches and schools and by the press. The graves of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence are being visited by members, the conditions reported, and a committee has been authorized to place a bronze marker at the grave of the Hon. Matthew Thornton. There is one local Chapter in New Hampshire and efforts are now being made to form several others out of our present membership.

VERMONT

The Vermont Society has held its usual number of meetings and celebrations, and has also promoted the general observance of Constitution Day in the schools and churches. A very successful meeting for the latter purpose was held in Burlington under the auspices of this Society and other patriotic societies. In this State there are no local chapters and, so far as I know, no efforts are being made to establish them.

MASSACHUSETTS

The Massachusetts Society has had a very successful and prosperous year, and it is now delightfully located in its new headquarters, at 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, with every convenience for holding its meetings and for genealogical research. It has nineteen local Chapters, one having been formed in New Bedford during the present year, and has approximately 1,850 members.

The last National Congress was held one year ago at Springfield, Mass., and the successful manner in which every detail of the arrangements were carried out reflects great credit upon George Washington Chapter and the Massachusetts Society. The entertainment of Past President General McCamant in May and of President General Adams and the Vice-President General of the New England District in August were delightful occasions to the entertained and a pleasure to the entertainers.

Constitution Day was observed by the display of the special series of lantern slides in many moving-picture theaters and schools, markers have been furnished for the graves of thirty Revolutionary soldiers, and about 160 high schools and academies were provided with Washington and Franklin Medals, to be awarded to pupils showing the highest proficiency in the study of United States history.

Samuel Adams Day, September 17, was observed by decorating the site of his birthplace and of his home and by participating in the parade and memorial meeting in the Old South Meeting House.

A House-Warming and Ladies' Night, a Fathers' and Sons' Meeting on Washington's Birthday, the annual meeting of George Washington Chapter, at which President General Adams was the guest of honor; the participation in the dedication of the new Memorial Bridge at Springfield, and, finally, the parade on Patriots' Day were all outstanding events in a busy year of which the Massachusetts Society has a right to be extremely proud.

RHODE ISLAND

The Rhode Island Society held its annual meeting February 22d, with several noted guests present, and among them Director General Lewis, of the Kentucky Society, who in his address, "The Hermitage and Its Keeping," clearly and forcefully brought home to his audience the present conditions which threaten our Constitution. The Society has four local Chapters and is in a flourishing condition.

CONNECTICUT

The Connecticut Society has had a prosperous year and the local Chapter in New Haven has taken a forward step in arranging for co-operation with the local post of the American Legion, in order to show due appreciation of the service rendered in the World War by the enlisted men of that city. It has also encouraged the study of American history by the presentation of medals for merit. The State Society, through its branches (as its local Chapters are called), of which it has eight, has been more active than ever before in the observance of Constitution Day. On Washington's Birthday the Col. Jeremiah Wadsworth Branch, at Hartford, entertained President General Adams.

Generally speaking, the New England District is in good condition and the affairs of the several State Societies are in the hands of able and efficient officers. In some States there is a lack of enthusiasm among the rank and file, due principally to scattered membership and lack of opportunity to get together. There is a lack of contact not only among themselves, but also with the officials of the National Society.

In closing, I wish to express to this National Society my sincere appreciation of the honor conferred upon me at the Springfield Congress when I was made a member of President General Adams' official family.

The office was unsought and wholly unexpected by me, but I have tried to answer every call to duty to the best of my ability and I can truthfully say that I have enjoyed the service.

REPORT OF PHILIP F. LARNER, VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL, SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, FOR THE MIDDLE AND COAST DISTRICT, FOR THE YEAR 1923

Mr. President General and Compatriots of the Thirty-fourth Annual Congress:

To those who have acquired and enjoyed the habit of attendance on these congresses, and appreciated year after year the meeting with many old friends, as well as the making of new acquaintances, the annual occurrence of these meetings becomes a pleasure to be long remembered. In the thirty-two years of my membership in the organization I have attended so many congresses that I have ceased to count the number, but I can testify from personal experience that the time has been well spent, and likewise the years devoted to official work in the local and National Societies, while at times quite heavy, has been nevertheless enjoyable in very many of its features.

Several of the States in the jurisdiction assigned to me have, during the year, kept the Society advised of their activities in various directions. The effort to keep the National Society so advised appears to be more generally confined to the

larger State organizations, as is evidenced by the publication of the quarterly BULLETIN. In such States as New York and New Jersey the reports are particularly complete and the Society is kept well informed as to the progress of these State Societies and their activities, which tends to keep the membership well informed and encourages enthusiasm and effort in the ranks. The example here indicated is one well to be copied in the smaller States, which are not in any manner to be injured by keeping their lights burning.

While it is impossible at this time, before the report of the Registrar General, to indicate the present net membership in the various States of the Middle and Coast District, I note that during the four quarters of the past year the State of New York has reported new additions to its membership amounting to 118.

New Jersey shows an addition of 179 new members and apparently again takes the lead in this particular. The Secretary of this State Society keeps the general organization well informed of his Society's activities and it has maintained enthusiasm well during the year. I note that a new Chapter has been organized. The Society took part in the dedication of the Battle Monument at Princeton on June 9; engaged through its Chapters in the very general celebration of Flag Day and of Independence Day, as well as a most notable observance of Constitution Day and February 22d and still is making plans for increasing the usefulness of the Society.

Pennsylvania has made a very encouraging effort in the addition of 94 new members. It has established a new Chapter and has engaged in various activities for the advancement of the organization. I note particularly the observance of Memorial Day at Pittsburgh by decorating the graves of Revolutionary officers and soldiers in Allegheny Cemetery. During the past year the Society has lost one of the State's oldest members in the death of Col. Robert W. Guthrie, who was Trustee for the State in the National Society for many years and attended many congresses.

Maryland has been active in the matter of the participation in public ceremonials, and especial note is made of the unveiling of the Francis Scott Key Monument erected by the United States. This Society has furnished an addition of 48 new members during the year.

The District of Columbia Society has had a very successful and a very active year. Additions have been made in the membership amounting to 45 and the total number of members has now reached 555. This Society has taken part in numerous patriotic exercises during the year, among which may be specially noted a "Field Day" meeting in Rock Creek Cemetery on October 24, commemorating the setting of four Revolutionary gravestone markers; the unveiling ceremonies of the presentation to the City of Washington of the monument to Edmund Burke by the Sulgrave Institution of England; also, on October 27, participated in the program for Navy Day, with exercises at the grave of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington in the morning and a program at the monument of John Paul Jones during the afternoon. The usual joint celebration of February 22d was held in the auditorium of the D. A. R. Memorial Continental Hall with the Daughters of the American Revolution and Sons of the Revolution in the District of Columbia.

In Virginia we have, during the year, but a small advance in additional members, and I believe that this is due in a very large measure to the long illness and death of its former President, Arthur B. Clarke. Mr. Clarke has attended severa

of our congresses, representing his State, and I feel that his death is a great loss to the Society.

In my last report I indulged in what now appears vain expectations that we would see a fine advance in Delaware, but this State seems to have only made a new addition of but 8 members.

In the remaining States in my District, viz., North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, I am compelled to report disappointment in progress and without the encouragement suggested in my last annual report.

Georgia and Florida have had a very slight growth in membership by way of new additions. The Carolinas remain apparently as they were and have been for some years. I reported last year that I had hoped the North Carolina Society would be reorganized under a gentleman then selected for the purpose, but this effort has not been successful. At the last Congress the National Society appointed a Special Commissioner for the purpose of reorganization of the two Carolinas. I do not know what progress the Commissioner has made and have no information to indicate that the situation is particularly gratifying.

NOTE.—About the time this report was being written and before the writer could have the information, the results of Major Jones' work in South Carolina began to become apparent. As stated among the State events, the State charter has been formally renewed and applications from this State are coming in with most gratifying rapidity. Notice of this is given in the State items, and the new applicants' names will appear in the list of new members in this issue.—EDITOR.

I must confess that I am disappointed in the lack of interest in the Society in the Southern States referred to. So much material is at hand and of such a fine quality that we should think such an organization as this would carry a strong appeal among the men of this locality.

I had planned a trip last winter to three of the Southern States in my District, but becoming a victim of the "grippe," which fully justified its name, as it lingered for about two months, I was forced to give up my plans.

It was my pleasure on February 22d to again attend and represent the National Society at the decoration of the Washington Monument at the City of Washington. It has been the custom, inaugurated several years ago (largely through the instrumentality of Compatriot F. D. Owen, of the District of Columbia Society), on this day for representatives of the various departments of the U. S. Government, including the President, and many patriotic Societies to place floral emblems at the base of the Washington Monument with appropriate ceremonies, and the affair has become one of much significance. On invitation of the official in charge, our National Society has been represented each year since the inauguration of this ceremony, and a large wreath bearing our colors in ribbon has been placed in the name of the organization.

On the 16th of April I was honored by an invitation from the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, to be present with President General Adams at the opening ceremonies of the Daughters' Annual Congress, held in Memorial Continental Hall at Washington. I wish that every member of this organization could have been present and witnessed that magnificent assemblage of two thousand or more ladies. It was inspiring and a powerful example to the Sons, showing how a large and strong organization may be established by sufficient effort. President General Adams made an excellent address, and I was particularly

impressed by that portion in which, in the presence of that multitude of ladies, he bravely suggested that he had devised a scheme for the increase of our membership by having the Sons "embrace" the Daughters.

The Daughters at the recent Congress had a triennial election for President General, and in Washington we knew that something was "going on." The State of Pennsylvania was particularly honored in the selection from that State of Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook as the President General. Since the election I have had the honor and very great pleasure of a personal call upon Mrs. Cook, and in the name of our Society extended to her our very cordial congratulations upon her selection to this great office and our well wishes for the greatest success in her administration. One object of my visit was to urge upon Mrs. Cook her presence at this meeting of our Congress, but I found that Compatriot Millspaugh, having had previously the opportunity of a personal interview with her in Tennessee, had already secured a favorable promise. So we are greatly honored by Mrs. Cook's presence here today.

Let us take courage from the great example afforded us by our Sister Society and, with hopes for the future, courageously and continuously put forward strong efforts to recruit our ranks with new members and bring the organization up to the high position which it merits and should maintain.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP F. LARNER,

Vice-President General for the Middle and Coast District.

REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL COMMITTEE OF THE NASHVILLE SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, MAY 20, 1923

Mr. President General and Compatriots:

The reports which I had the pleasure of reading, at our Buffalo Congress two years ago and at Springfield last year, have attracted a great deal of attention, not only from our compatriots, but others. There are many people who have put themselves to a great deal of trouble and occasionally some expense to aid us in this work, one going so far as to send us prints of thirty-odd negatives which he had made of homes, monuments, etc., that are pertinent to our work. Another sent us photographs of seven family portraits of the early Lees of Virginia, including that of Richard Henry Lee, the Signer. We are keeping a record of what others are doing for us, so that in the final result we can give them credit for their assistance. To enumerate them now would make this report too long.

Two years ago we had obtained copies of the wills of.....	38
Reports upon the administration of the estate of.....	6
Were lacking information regarding.....	12
	56

Since then we have obtained copies of three additional wills, administration upon the estates of two, and are promised information regarding the estates of three others. We now, therefore, have,

Copies of the wills of.....	41
Administration upon the estate of.....	8
Are on the trail of information regarding.....	3
James Wilson, of Pennsylvania, Thomas Lynch, Jr., of South Carolina, and Thomas Heyward, Jr., of South Carolina.	
Of the remaining.....	4
George Clymer, of Pennsylvania, Carter Braxton, of Virginia, William Hooper, of North Carolina, and George Walton, of Georgia,	

so far we have not been able to obtain any information regarding either the wills or administration upon their estates.

Regarding the burial places of the Signers, there are certain customs which must be very carefully considered by those who are making investigations of this character. In our Northern colonies, New England especially, the colonists settled and lived in communities with community burial grounds. In the Southern colonies, however, with a few exceptions, such as that at Jamestown, where they had to huddle together virtually within a walled and fortified inclosure for protection against the Indians, the early colonists lived upon their plantations. Adjoining their residences they had formal gardens, and within those gardens they buried their dead. Where they had a large number of slaves, they generally had separate burial grounds for them.

As a rule, most of these early settlements in the South were made within tidewater, where there was little or no rock, in the usual acceptance of that term. Graves of the gentry were generally brick-lined and often covered with inscribed limestone or marble slabs, which, as a rule, were imported from England. Very frequently these burial grounds contained one or more vaults, brick-lined and arched. The conditions were such that but few name and date plates were placed upon the caskets. Therefore, where the inscriptions are worn or the slab disintegrated or removed, it is virtually impossible to identify the remains unless there was some distinction, such as loss of a limb, a military button or other accoutrement to aid.

Even after the old residence was abandoned for a newer one, some distance away, the old burial ground continued in use, in many cases even for a century or more. Here the gentry were buried in their private burial grounds, on the plantations which belonged to them or their ancestors. The churchyards around the parish churches were also used as burial grounds. Here were buried those in the humbler walks of life, who had no plantations of their own, though occasionally the gentry were also buried there. When a planter, therefore, died, the chances were a thousand to none that he was buried within his own family burial ground, unless there is some good evidence to the contrary, even though the exact location of the grave may be difficult to identify. These conditions apply to the graves of Cæsar Rodney, of Delaware; Carter Braxton and Benjamin Harrison, of Virginia, and Arthur Middleton and Thomas Heyward, Jr., of South Carolina.

In our report two years ago we stated there was

Lost at sea, Thomas Lynch, Jr.....	1
The exact spot of the original burial place known and remains undisturbed.....	32

To which we are now pleased to add that there have been definitely located the graves or vaults within which there were buried,

Richard Henry Lee and
George Wythe, of Virginia,
Joseph Hewes, of North Carolina,
Arthur Middleton and
Thomas Heyward, Jr., of South Carolina----- 5

Increasing this number to----- 37 37

Those whose remains have been removed and reinterred elsewhere----- 10

We reported two years ago ten, the location of whose graves were known within a close degree of approximation, such as churchyard, or burial ground, but the identity of the grave not determined, of which the five last above named have been identified, thus leaving still five whose graves have not been identified,

Francis Lewis, of New York,
Francis Hopkinson, of New Jersey,
Richard Stockton, of New Jersey,
George Ross, of Pennsylvania, and
Caesar Rodney, of Delaware----- 5

And to which must be added

Carter Braxton and
Benjamin Harrison, of Virginia----- 2

since, in the opinion of your committee, we have located the garden spots or burial grounds within which we are satisfied they were buried.

This leaves but one the location of whose grave is unknown or merely surmised,

Burton Gwinnett, of Georgia----- 1

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Of the five whose graves have been located since our report in Buffalo, we last year reported that of George Wythe, in St. John's Churchyard, Richmond, Va., where a monument has been erected by the patriotic societies and citizens of that State.

An association has been formed among the descendants of the Lee family of Virginia; they have identified the graves in and around the old burial ground at "Old Burnt House," in Westmoreland County, built a concrete wall around it, replaced the slabs which had been removed from there years ago, definitely located the grave of Richard Henry Lee and of his two wives, and plan erecting a monument to him there.

To the careful, painstaking efforts of Mr. Charles Thornton Adams, formerly Secretary of the Descendants of the Signers and also of our Joint Committee, until ill health compelled him to retire, and to Mr. C. P. Keith, of Philadelphia, we owe the identification of the grave of Joseph Hewes, of North Carolina, in Christ Churchyard in Philadelphia, and while the inscription on the slab over his grave is illegible, your committee feels this identification is correct.

Thomas Heyward, Jr., was buried in the family graveyard on his plantation, "White Hall," St. Luke's Parish, Beauford District, in what is now Jasper County, South Carolina. The monument at the head of his grave was photographed some years ago by Compatriot Edward Denham, of New Bedford, Mass. We are informed that it has since been injured by a falling tree, and that the General Assembly of the State has made provision for its replacement.

At Middleton Place, on Ashley River, seventeen miles southwest of Charleston, there was erected nearly 200 years ago a large commodious house, with out-buildings, and planned and planted some twenty-two acres in what is even today a surpassingly beautiful garden. Within this and near the residence were erected two large vaults, in which were deposited the remains of the family dead. About a century later there was erected over one of these vaults a handsome mausoleum, 11 by 15½ feet in area, about 10 feet high, and capped by the marble sarcophagus that formerly covered the remains of the Signer's mother. In one of these vaults was deposited the remains of the Signer ARTHUR MIDDLETON, probably the one beneath the mausoleum.

Some forty or fifty years ago the Hon. William Willing Leach, our present Commissioner to the Brazilian Exposition, began the collecting of data with a view of writing a work on the lives and genealogies of the Signers. He was most careful and painstaking and active in this work and collected together a vast amount of material relating to nearly all of the Signers. With advancing years and failing health, he realized that it would be impossible for him to complete this work. This valuable collection of material has recently been sold to one who was kind enough to permit our Joint Committee to have full and free access to it. These papers are mainly genealogical and as such will be of great value to our organization.

Mr. John Calvert, Secretary of the Descendants of the Signers and also of our Joint Committee, is now busily engaged in going over these papers and reports them as being most systematically arranged. These papers occupy 14 cubic feet in the safety vault; when bound they will require fully forty feet of shelf space to house them, and you, therefore, will not be surprised to learn that Mr. Calvert and a stenographer have been nearly six months in this work and are not yet half done.

In addition to that, we are extremely desirous of locating any or all documents, preferably in the handwriting of the Signers, but especially such as may throw light on the characters and incidents in the lives of those eminent men and their families, in order that the final results may be as full and accurate as possible, and for that purpose we are asking all the assistance which you and your friends can render us. We have already acquired quite a little of such material, but are seeking more.

The original Declaration of Independence has been kept in a fireproof vault in the Department of State at Washington, where for a number of years past but few eyes have been allowed to view it. In conversation recently with Mr. Herbert Putnam, Librarian of the Congressional Library, I was informed that arrangements are now being perfected for bringing this original Declaration of Independence to the Congressional Library, where it will be so placed under artificial light as to make it visible to visitors.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. BALLARD THRUSTON,
Chairman Memorial Committee.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NATURALIZATION AND ALIENS AT THE NASHVILLE CONGRESS

To the Congress:

Your Committee on Americanization and Aliens begs leave to submit the following report:

There have been many activities on behalf of bettering conditions of aliens and new citizens in various parts of the United States with which members of our organization have had more or less connection. Wherever you find a member of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution you can generally record it as a fact that he is a citizen interested in the uplift of those who come to us from foreign shores.

Among the activities which have come to the notice of your committee, we take pleasure in recording the report of Judge Doremus, of the Bergen County District Court of New Jersey, as follows:

(1) I have been for five or six years chairman of the Committee of Aliens and Americanization in our county (Bergen), for the Bergen County Historical Society, and for the Paramus Chapter of the S. A. R., and as such have instituted in our courts a method and procedure, which is being followed carefully, to have all applicants for naturalization thoroughly examined along all lines relating to the government of our country in every department, from national down to municipal; also, as to their moral value as citizens, to further the proper respect for the Flag by using it at the time they are sworn in. The judge of the court makes a little address, quite formal, in connection with it, admonishing the applicants of their responsibilities, duties, privileges, and opportunities.

(2) The Veterans of the World War, Veterans of the Spanish-American War, Daughters of the Revolution, supervising principals of the public schools, and several church societies throughout the State of New Jersey perform a great deal of work in educating employees in mills and other places of employment by delivering lectures through volunteer lecturers and those paid for the purpose, having classes which meet at noontime and receive instructions as to what it means to be an American citizen, to revere the Flag, to be patriotic, industrious, and to take courses of study in night schools and elsewhere, and this work is being attended with magnificent results.

(3) I recommend that courses of lectures, printed outlines of study, activities by various organizations, similar to those enumerated in the preceding paragraph of this letter, be standardized as far as possible, but with, of course, the modification that might be required by various localities.

(4) My opinion and recommendation as to the work for your committee in connection with the work of Americanization or in co-operation with other organizations is set forth as fully as I can do so in the foregoing paragraphs of my report, except that, as a last recommendation, I suggest that each State, through the proper officials of the S. A. R., be covered, especially in the manufacturing centers, so that a more comprehensive and greater degree and plan of Americanization be instituted as early as possible in order that insidious propaganda from organizations which seek to control, especially our industrial forces, may be checked and their effort nullified.

Thomas Stephen Brown, of Pittsburgh, reports that his Society has not conducted any special Americanization work this past year, but that the members of his Society have assisted with effect in work done under the auspices of the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce and the public school organization of Pittsburgh, both of which organizations have done work of very real significance and value. The Pennsylvania State President, Dr. W. C. Lyne, has been one of the most active workers in this line in the chamber of commerce and the members of the organization in Pennsylvania have this subject very much at heart. Their Society

is trying to reach the foreign-born in sane and profitable ways. An industrial training school for foreign-speaking children and young people has been established at Old Concord, in Washington County, Pennsylvania, under Christian auspices, which is doing fine work, of which Dr. C. L. McKee is the principal executive.

Your committee has been particularly interested in the Institute of Practical Arts at Old Concord, Pa., as a very practical work is being carried on at this place. Mr. McKee, the chief executive, reports as follows:

We and our great enterprise for the Americanization in the right sense of our vast alien population are still very much in evidence, and, to quote the classic language of Dr. Coué, we "are in every way getting better every day."

Industry and big business are beginning to waken up to see what this school means to them.

The great Hazel Atlas Glass Company, having three plants in Washington, have given us \$1,000 for each plant.

The Washington Trust Company, one of the two largest banks in our county, gave us \$1,000 last week. Other banks and businesses are following.

We have a magnificent site and location for such a work, and we believe the people will see that it functions to its full plan.

I am inclosing our leaflet, just revised also the last copy of our monthly bulletin, which tells of a get-together meeting recently held in our new million-and-a-half-dollar hotel.

The Daughters are doing nobly; many Chapters from every section of the State are sending in contributions and more are following.

I had the pleasure of addressing the large Pittsburgh Chapter last week. The Sons of Pennsylvania are also waking up.

I am appointed on the Committee on Education and Americanization with our Past President, W. C. Lyne, himself a former college president.

As I am putting all my time and money that I can spare into the Institute of Practical Arts, I think it unwise for me to attend the National Congress at this time unless by doing so in some way I can advance our cause.

At this time, when there is an unceasing and highly financed propaganda to revolutionize America, and this propaganda is effective at least in inciting discontent and inefficiency among workers, even where it has not incited the organized strike, it is a good time for the Sons of the American Revolution to stand solidly for the principles of justice, freedom, and democracy, which have made us the most prosperous and happy country in the world.

What we need is not another form of government, but the loyal and intelligent exercise of the government we have, and to do this millions must be enlightened in the meaning and functions of American democracy. Under our form of government, America will be as good a place to live as its citizenship makes it.

Samuel Judd Holmes, of the Washington Society, reports as follows:

Little has been done by our local Chapter or State Society, which appears quite willing to leave this splendid work to other agencies, for the reason, probably, of the increase of organizations doing the work.

Commendable work has been carried on in night schools under the Board of Education of Seattle; also by the Veterans' Posts of the World War and the Y. W. C. A. and special committees of the women's clubs (Century Clubs, etc.). This concerns not only men, but women as well (the two latter).

Past President General Jenks, of the Illinois Society, reports for that Society as follows:

(1) The distribution of 200 additional copies of the book "The American's Creed" among the grade schools of the city of Chicago. These have been eagerly welcomed by teachers and parents alike. Following the distribution we made the year before of 1,000 copies, the gift of Mr. Felt, requests reach us for additional copies, and still further distributions are to be made.

(2) Fully twenty members of our Board of Managers spent from one hour to a full day in the naturalization courts studying conditions and observing the process. Their reports indicate that a great opportunity for service exists in endeavoring to make the process of being ushered into the rights and privileges of American citizenship a much more dignified, impressive, and valuable ceremony.

(3) The Chief Naturalization Officer of the Government in Chicago addressed our Board of Managers, and, upon his recommendation and with his co-operation, a group of new applicants for citizenship are being assigned to members of the board, one applicant to each man, for personal visitation, acquaintance, advice, and encouragement to him in his preparation and quest for citizenship. The experiment will be watched with interest and if found to be valuable it will be still further extended.

The activities of the Rochester Council for Better Citizenship have been conducted by five special committees, with functions respectively as follows:

Education.—To co-operate with the Board of Education to induce foreign-born residents of Rochester to learn English.

Legislation.—To study present and proposed laws relating to immigration, naturalization, and other matters affecting the status of alien or native-born citizens.

New Citizens.—To assist new citizens to a higher sense of civic responsibility and a more intelligent, loyal, and patriotic citizenship.

Racial Group.—To co-operate with loyal American citizens of alien birth in elevating the standard of citizenship of their nationals.

Service Bureau.—To direct the Service Bureau of the Council. The Council has made approximately 23,755 contacts with the foreign-born in the past year. These contacts were made by upwards of 2,132 American born and naturalized citizens, under the leadership of 182 active members of the above-named committees, and with the co-operation in special undertakings of 1,100 other members of the Council, the Chamber of Commerce, and representatives of public and parochial schools.

Special Projects.—Thirty-five special undertakings were effected, including a "Learn English" campaign; "Know Your Country" meetings to the number of twelve; attendance at ten sessions of the naturalization court; three suppers in honor of new citizens, followed by presentation exercises; a Washington's Birthday celebration; co-operation in "Know Your School" week; an address by the Hon. W. W. Husband, Commissioner-General of Immigration, on the present 3 per cent immigration law; a meeting addressed by Allen Burns and Le Roy N. Kilman on present and pending laws regarding naturalization; and five night-school rallies.

Work in Behalf of Better Laws.—The Legislation Committee, in studying laws and proposed laws regarding immigration and naturalization, invited Allen Burns, who conducted the Americanization study for the Carnegie Corporation, and Le Roy N. Kilman, Federal examiner for this district, to speak in explanation of these matters. Recommendations of the Service Bureau committee were approved by the officers and trustees of the chamber.

Entertainment of New Citizens.—The New Citizens' Committee greeted the 951 new citizens admitted at the ten naturalization court sessions in 1922. The committee ascertained the names of their employers and notified them which of their employees had become naturalized. The committee gave three suppers at which the new citizens were guests. Members of the council and of the chamber and employers of the new citizens were hosts. One supper was given on Washington's Birthday, at which time new citizens admitted in January were guests; one in June, when those admitted in February, March, April, and May were guests, and one in October, when those admitted in June, July, August, and September were guests. Following the supper in each case a program of music and pageantry was given, together with an address and presentation of certificates of citizenship by the Mayor of Rochester. Families and friends of the new citizens were invited to witness the ceremonies. On Washington's Birthday all persons naturalized the previous year were invited. Speakers at these suppers were Hon.

Frederick E. Crane, Judge of the Court of Appeals, February 22d; Hon. Robert F. Thompson, Justice of the Supreme Court, June 2d; Hon. W. W. Husband, Commissioner-General of Immigration of the United States, October 10th. The pageant at the first supper was presented by pupils of Washington Junior High School, assisted by the standard-bearers of the schools. The second was given by pupils of West High School, and the third by pupil-teachers of the City Normal School, assisted by the color guard of the American Legion. Music was contributed by the Park Band, the orchestra of the American Laundry Machinery Company, the Chamber of Commerce Glee Club, the Damascus Chanters, and the Washington Junior High School chorus.

At the dinner to new citizens, held February 22d, Compatriot Royal S. Copeland, Junior Senator from New York, addressed the new citizens and was enthusiastic as to the work of the chamber. The following evening he addressed the Society of the Genesee in New York, and his speech, in which he referred at length to the citizenship work of the Rochester Chamber, was broadcasted throughout the country.

Instruction in Things American.—The committee will co-operate with the Rochester Council, Boy Scouts of America, in organizing Scout troops in sections of Rochester where there is a demand for them and where meeting places, leaders, and committees are available. The committee has secured information of foreign sections in Rochester with the purpose of advocating places where boys and young men can indulge in American sports under wholesome influences.

The American Bar Association is devoting much attention to the American Citizenship Movement, and there is running in the *American Bar Association Journal* a series of important articles dealing with current fundamental misconceptions and to bring home the meaning of the Constitution to the public mind. Some of the topics are: "The Individual Citizen's Power and Responsibility," by Former Governor Herbert S. Hadley, of Missouri; "National Standards," by Hon. Jacob M. Dickinson, Former Secretary of War; "Representative Government," by Former Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, and "The Constitution," by Judge Francis E. Baker, of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The Young Mens Christian Associations, chambers of commerce, church organizations, and many welfare organizations are increasingly devoting more time to American citizenship problems. The work done by the Council for Better Citizenship of the Rochester Chamber of Commerce is typical of the work done in many chambers of commerce.

In conclusion, your committee would earnestly recommend that all State Societies and Chapters, where no definite citizenship work has been undertaken under the auspices of these Societies, co-operate with other organizations in work such as is being carried on in various parts of the country for the benefit of the foreign-born.

One annoyance to busy people in these times is the multiplicity of organizations carrying on uplift work of various kinds, and if in the smaller divisions of the State, particularly villages and towns, the agency work were combined, a great saving of time and money could be accomplished, and it should be our aim to encourage the combination of this character, in order to conserve our resources and energy in the amelioration of those needing our assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

HARVEY P. REMINGTON,
Chairman.

EVENTS OF STATE SOCIETIES

Alabama Society.—This Society, reorganized and put on its feet with the energetic and untiring efforts of Compatriots Churchill, of the Louisiana Society, and F. W. Millspaugh, of the Tennessee Society, is making good its promise of increasing membership and interest. We can very shortly look for the formation of local chapters in Birmingham and Mobile. In the latter place Vice-President R. L. Douglas is undertaking the work of organizing, and, with his experience in this work among the Scottish Rite Masons and Shriners, we have reason to expect great things. The Alabama Society has a Citizenship Committee, modeled after that authorized by the Nashville Congress, headed by Compatriot Cadwallader Jones; an Americanization Committee, and a Committee on Patriotic Education. *All are functioning*—not a “dead” member on the roster! The Society identified itself with the movement for the Observance of Constitution Week, and not only succeeded in securing local observances in Birmingham and Mobile, but throughout the State generally, aided by the active co-operation of the newspapers.

California Society.—Independence Day was observed as usual in San Francisco by a general civic celebration in which the State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, co-operated. Upon the literary and musical program at the Civic Auditorium, Compatriot J. Rush Bronson gave an oration, and in the Pageant of Nations George Washington was represented by one of our San Francisco compatriots. All national and foreign organizations and colonies participate in this annual celebration. Constitution Day was observed by San Francisco compatriots, assisted by the Daughters of the American Revolution, by a large civic meeting, at which the principal address was made by U. S. Senator Samuel M. Shortridge. Vice-President Maj. Leon French presided.

Connecticut Society.—General David Humphreys Branch, No. 1, with the co-operation of the New Haven County Bar observed Constitution Day on Sunday, September 16, with a public meeting at the porch of Center Church. Rev. Oscar E. Maurer, D. D., presided and Prof. William R. Vance, of Yale, and the New Haven County Bar spoke. An attendance of nearly 400, made up largely of new Americans, made the effort seem well worth while. This branch offered a series of prizes in the public schools of New Haven and West Haven, and as a result awarded as follows: Fifteen gold prizes amounting to one hundred dollars, two silver medals, twelve bronze medals, and two sets of *Chronicles of America*, published by the Yale University Press, one set being awarded to the school represented by the pupil having the best essay of all the grammar schools in New Haven. The total expenditure for these prizes was \$398.50.

District of Columbia Society.—This Society feels deeply the loss of Compatriot William Van Zandt Cox, whose death occurred on July 24. Mr. Cox was identified intimately with the progressive work in building and development of the city of Washington and indefatigable in his efforts in whatever he undertook. He was deeply interested in the preservation of Washington's landmarks and promoted and often personally conducted the work of properly marking historic spots and buildings in the District. His activities in the District of Columbia Society made him a highly regarded and honored member. Compatriot Cox was for a number of years chairman of the National Society Committee on the Flag

and of the Committee of the District of Columbia Society on the Desecration of the Flag.

Society in France.—As befitted the occasion, Americans in Paris began the celebration of Independence Day with the annual ceremony of the Sons of the American Revolution at the tomb of La Fayette, in Picpus Cemetery. Mr. Edward H. de Neveu, of the Sons of the American Revolution, placed a wreath. The Colonial Dames of America also sent one. The ceremony was attended by the American Ambassador and his son, Mr. Parmely Herrick; Colonel and Mrs. T. Bentley Mott, Mr. Alexander M. Thackara, Mr. Ernest Ives, Major R. P. Harbold, Q. M. C., Miss Patterson, of the American Women's Club; Miss Anne Ward, stepdaughter of Colonel Bayne, and Miss Cuthbert.



PLACING A WREATH ON THE TOMB OF LA FAYETTE, JULY 4, 1923

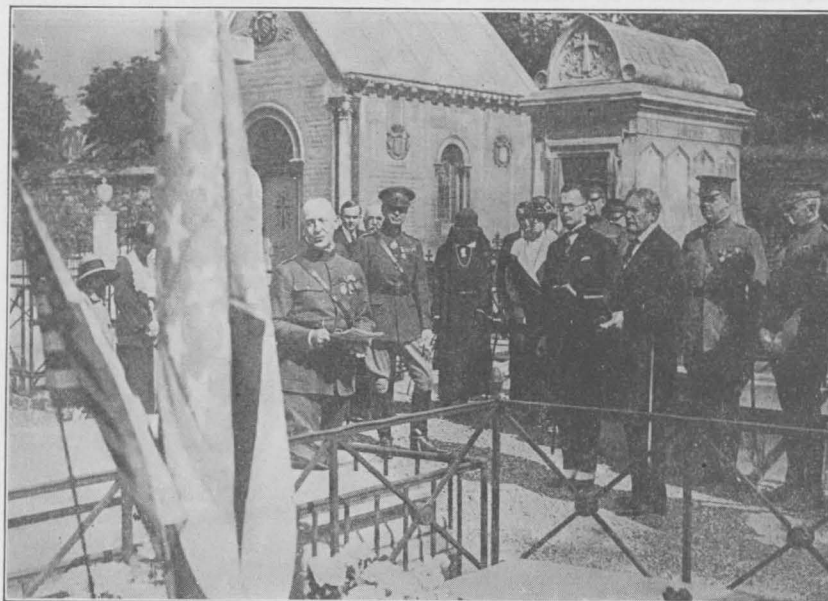
Colonel Hugh A. Bayne, commander of the American Legion, made a short address in which he compared La Fayette with the Spirit of Youth. Colonel Bayne's very short address is given in full, and the accompanying photographs of the placing of the wreath and the other ceremonies are of great interest. This was one of the best celebrations our compatriots in France have ever held. Colonel Bayne spoke as follows:

The La Fayette who crossed the wide ocean to offer his flaming sword and his fresh young life to America, struggling for liberty, was the embodiment of the spirit of youth; of Youth, whose enthusiasm is undiscouraged by Age's failures; of Youth, whose daring and generosity are unchecked by Age's counting of the cost; of Youth, whose pure ideals are unsullied by the slow stain of time. We know what a refreshment was this sparkling goblet of Youth to the war-weary soul of our aged patriot, Washington, this goblet sparkling with enthusiasm—the

generosity, the daring, and the ideals of a France whose perennially youthful soul was about to have a new birth.

With La Fayette and with France to help us, we won our struggle for liberty. It was fitting, therefore, when a century and a quarter later the occasion arrived when America might repay to war-weary France, herself now struggling for liberty, the debt of gratitude which La Fayette placed us under, she was able to repay it in the same coin—in the coin of Youth, with the enthusiasm of Youth, with the generosity of Youth, and inspired by Youth's unsullied ideal of altruistic devotion to the cause of liberty and justice. It was fitting, too, that on the first Fourth of July which found the young American Army in France its general should come to this sacred spot to say, "La Fayette, we are here."

We came; we fought the fight; we helped win the victory; and then we recrossed the ocean, carrying with us glorious memories and friendships such as

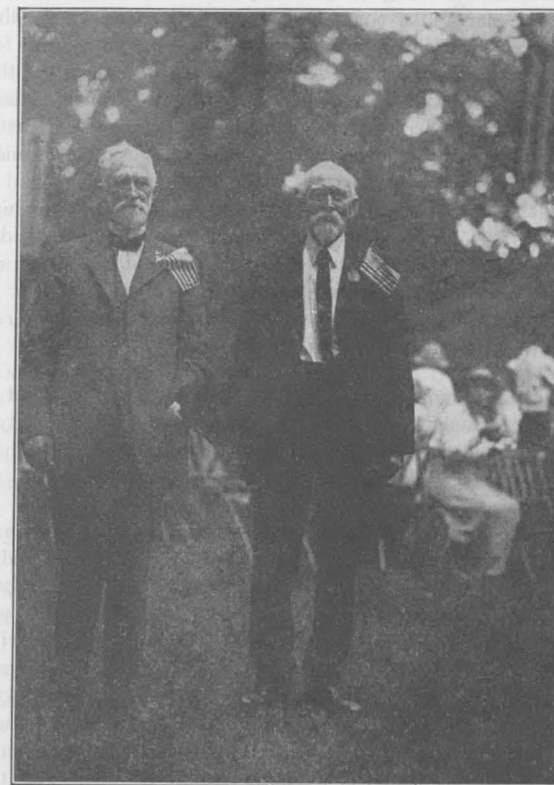


COLONEL HUGH A. BAYNE, MASTER OF CEREMONIES, AT THE TOMB OF LA FAYETTE

La Fayette carried back with him from America to France when the immortal Washington gave to his well-beloved adopted son his last fatherly embrace. For there is a tie stronger than the tie of material interest, than the tie of gratitude, than the tie even of bloodkinship—and that is the tie of comradeship in arms, of dangers and death shared in fighting for a common cause. Some of us Americans have French blood in our veins; but, as was said by a soldier of the Foreign Legion, "It is not the blood we have received from you, O France, that binds us to you for all time; it is the blood we have given for you!" It is the blood which America's young soldiers have poured out as a sacrificial libation upon the soil of France, that soil in which 50,000 of them repose with you, O La Fayette, for all eternity.

Illinois Society.—The Board of Managers of the Illinois Society held a noon meeting on September 15, for election of members, and inducted thirty into the

Society. Afterwards a number of the members of the board spent the afternoon visiting a number of the most important historical spots in Chicago, brief addresses being given, at each place visited, by different members especially assigned to review the events occurring in the respective localities. On Constitution Day the Society merged its observance with that of the Union League Club, all participants in the program being members of both organizations. Vice-President General Louis A. Bowman, who is also Secretary of the Illinois State Society, was chairman for both bodies. Compatriot and Ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden following the reception and dinner, made the address, giving a scholarly and force-



COMPATRIOTS OLIVER MCDANIEL AND AMOS GUSEMAN

ful analysis of the great fundamentals of the Constitution. An attendance of over four hundred gave evidence of the interest in the observance. The new flag ceremony was used for the first time and made a profound impression.

SPRINGFIELD CHAPTER.—This Chapter celebrated Constitution Day with a luncheon and address upon the Constitution. During the summer weeks the Chapter conducted an active campaign for new members, securing the signatures and admission fees of 51 new eligible applications. Permanent papers are being com-

pleted rapidly. The State Society awarded the Chapter a cash prize of \$250 in appreciation of this successful effort. We herewith present a photograph of two "grandsons" of the Springfield Chapter, Compatriots Oliver McDaniel and Amos Guseman, taken on June 14, at the Flag Day Celebration of this Chapter and the Daughters of the American Revolution. These compatriots are both Civil War veterans. Compatriot McDaniel made an impromptu speech at these exercises, closing by reciting "Your Flag and My Flag."

Iowa Society.—LEXINGTON CHAPTER, No. 4, of Keokuk, celebrated Constitution week with a dinner and meeting in the banquet room of the Hotel Iowa, with Roger Leavitt, of Cedar Falls, State President of the Society, as the guest of honor. The Chapter took this occasion also to hold a memorial for William Graffen Blood and Charles Gerloch Allen, departed members of the Chapter. "Taps," the soldier's farewell, were blown by Bugler Francis Adams, of the Boy Scouts, while the members of the Chapter stood, facing the east, following a brief but sincere tribute to the departed members by Acting President W. C. Howell.

The Chapter has the honor of having a State officer in its membership, the State chaplain, Dr. Frederick W. Long, and attention was called by President Howell to his election to that office. Mention was made also of the death of Elbridge Drew Hadley, for twenty-five years secretary of the Iowa Society. Resolutions were presented on the deaths of Compatriots Blood and Allen, and reports were made of the activities of the chapter since the last annual meeting.

Kentucky Society.—A most comprehensive plan for the development of patriotic sentiment has been formulated by this Society, not only for the city of Louisville, but throughout the State, and because of its very definite and specific details it is here submitted with the idea that it may be suggestive to other State Societies which desire to inaugurate similar activities.

Kentucky is divided into eleven congressional districts, and it is proposed to give in each one of these eleven congressional districts two gold medals and one bronze medal for the best patriotic essay that will be submitted by the school children or high schools, each district to have a committee of educators that will examine the papers in the contest and send to the Central Committee on Patriotic Education, of which Dr. Curran Pope is chairman, the six best papers submitted in the contest in their district. These sixty-six papers will be again submitted to a committee of competent and educated people, who will finally decide the prize-winners, who will receive for the first prize in each district a large engraved gold medal, a medium-sized gold medal and one of the bronze medals of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. This, it is hoped, will be a method of antidoting the present tendency and drift toward radicalism.

In the city of Louisville a special patriotic drive is planned for the schools, and to that end there will be offered in the male and female high schools two gold and one bronze medal to each of the two groups—that is to say, for the high schools, the same kind of medals that are offered in the congressional districts.

In the ward or graded school there will be offered a single bronze medal, which will be awarded according to the rules and regulations that were laid down in the March issue of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN, and the method of award will be the method suggested in that article, so that it is not necessary to repeat here what

is already in print. The Society has appropriated \$250 for this work alone, and with this above comprehensive plan in execution the citizenship work of the organization should have a fine foundation.

The Kentucky Society planned and put into execution one of the most elaborate the effective programs for Constitution Week that took place in any section. In the city of Louisville, in addition to four-minute speeches in schools, factories, and theaters, story hours for small children in school and public libraries were arranged, and at noon, on Constitution Day, all whistles and bells were blown and rung, all factory and store employees were assembled, and work was stopped long enough to repeat the "Allegiance to the Flag;" also, four-minute speakers were provided for all factories and appropriate exercises were held in all schools, and a mass meeting held at noon at Lincoln Park, in the heart of the business district.

The proclamation of the Governor requested State-wide observance, which was well carried out. At the horse show at the State Fair, the week preceding Constitution Week, a large piece of canvas containing the "Allegiance to the Flag" painted in big letters was dropped to the middle of the ring each day, and the audience, averaging about 5,000 people, with a leader, repeated the pledge. There was also a presentation of colors with appropriate ceremony. In Louisville an evening parade, illuminated, containing some 350 massed flags, as well as other flags, was a feature of Constitution Day, culminating in a large meeting, addressed by Past Presidents Maj. W. I. L. Adams and Wallace McCamant. One hundred thousand copies of the United States Constitution, with expository notes, were printed and distributed by the Kentucky Society, and one of the Louisville newspapers ran the Constitution serially during the week, with notations, and the press of the city and State generally co-operated in most generous fashion. The other details of the week's observance were equally well planned and conducted, and the entire program is to be printed and distributed to the State Society in the near future for suggestive ideas for their use. The statement of President Coolidge with regard to Constitution Day was first issued at the request of the Kentucky Society.

The Society is certainly to be congratulated upon its up-to-date and active plans along all lines of work for the coming winter. In the matter of survey of school histories, the committee appointed by the Society has prepared a brief which will be found elsewhere in this issue. The above plans for constructive patriotic work were formulated at a meeting of the Kentucky Society held shortly after the Nashville Congress, and at the same time resolutions were adopted by the Kentucky Society requesting that Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, Director General of the National Society, National Trustee for Kentucky and Past President General, permit the Kentucky Society to present his name as a candidate for the office of President General at the next National Congress, to be held at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Louisiana Society.—Activities for the fall season were inaugurated by the Louisiana Society at a luncheon on August 17, when the monthly noon meetings of this Society were resumed. The speaker was Benjamin Waldo, and his subject was "Preparedness." The Society for the Preservation of Ancient Tombs was encouraged and commended for its work in identifying and preserving graves of historic Americans. The work of this society was enthusiastically presented by Mr. George C. H. Kernion, who outlined the importance played by many

Louisianians in the early history of the country. About thirty-five members attended. Plans were outlined for the observance of Constitution Week, and included speakers provided for various groups throughout the city of New Orleans on pertinent subjects dealing with the topic of the "Privileges and Responsibilities with which the Constitution Endows its Citizens." The Society has distributed the pamphlet "We, the People," an educational publication of the National Lamp Association, of Cleveland, Ohio, and which is very instructive with regard to the Constitution. The Louisiana Society has endorsed the resolution adopted by the National Congress at Nashville last May with regard to legislation to prevent foreigners adopting historic American family names, and has already taken steps to promote legislation in this State of that character.

Massachusetts Society.—Dr. Charles H. Bangs, Past President of the Massachusetts Society and Vice-President General of the National Society for New England District, represented the Society at the ceremonies, under the auspices of the Marblehead Historical Society, on July 1, in the old burying ground. These services are held in honor of the soldiers of the American Revolution and the War of 1812 who went from Marblehead, and takes place annually, between June 17 and July 4. An attendance of about 260 showed the deep interest of the community. Dr. Bangs spoke of the importance of Marblehead at the outbreak of the American Revolution, it being the second town in the colony in point of population, having a large fleet engaged in foreign commerce, in addition to the great fishing industry carried on there. More than 2,000 men from Marblehead enlisted as soldiers or sailors during the American Revolution, and one full regiment, fully armed and equipped, marched to Cambridge two days after the battle of Bunker Hill. It is said that Washington issued his first order after reaching Cambridge to General Glover, who commanded the Marblehead regiment. Marblehead has the names and service recorded from official records of 1,643, and of about 400 from non-official records who enlisted and served in the patriotic cause.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, Springfield.—Sixty members of George Washington Chapter held the annual outing in Deerfield on June 23, accompanied by their wives. Leaving the city in autos, the trip was made to the historic old town in about two hours, and the latter part of the afternoon was spent in visiting the old colonial houses, with a trip through the Deerfield Museum.

Dinner was served in the Deerfield Arms at 7 o'clock, after which the president, Frank P. Forbes, spoke briefly on the need of new flags for the chapter, illustrating by means of miniature flags those which the Chapter needed. He also held up to view the gavel made of wood from the Cambridge Elm.

Samuel F. Punderson, delegate to the National Congress in Nashville, Tenn., described Southern hospitality enjoyed and urged a large representation at Salt Lake City next year. Burton H. Wiggin, State President also spoke on the National Congress in Nashville and urged a large representation at Salt Lake City.

President Wiggin told of his visit to Chester, where 70 men of the Revolutionary period gave up their lives in the struggle, displaying great valor at Bennington.

Reference was made to the alleged unjust statements in some histories which would minimize the heroism of the American patriots in the War of the Revolution and the spirit that characterized as the work of a mob the service rendered at the Boston Tea Party. He said that the Sons did not like to have the valorous

deeds of their ancestors termed the work of a mob. Mr. Wiggin reported a splendid interest in the school history medals the State Society is distributing.

Michigan Society.—**ST. CLAIR CHAPTER** of Port Huron reports the following officers recently elected for the current year: President, Burt D. Cady; Vice-President, Sydney C. McLouth, of Marine City; Secretary, William R. Chadwick; Treasurer, Albert D. Bennett; Historian, William L. Jenks.

LENAWEE CHAPTER, Adrian, held its third annual meeting on April 13 and elected the following officers: President, W. H. Barrett; Vice-President, Ladd J. Lewis, Jr.; Secretary-Treasurer, W. Herbert Goff; Registrar, Franklin J. Russell; Historians, Ladd J. Lewis and George W. Armstrong; Chaplain, Irving W. Swift. Through the efforts of this Chapter, the Muzzey History has been condemned in Adrian and replaced by another in the schools of this city.

Constitution Day was well observed throughout the State of Michigan by all the local chapters in Grand Rapids, Adrian, Pontiac, Port Huron, Kalamazoo, and Ann Arbor, naturally the most noteworthy being in Detroit. Great credit is due to the fine work and untiring energy of Compatriot Henry M. Leland, through whose efforts the day was suitably observed in all schools, churches, and public meeting places, as well as factories. President George R. Bushnell, of the Detroit Chapter, broadcasted a fine address via the Evening News radio.

TABLET HONORS D. A. R.; KIN RESIDE IN DETROIT.—Detroit has an element of interest in the unveiling of the bronze tablet to Susan Corbin Dodge, a real daughter of the American Revolution, at her grave in Bay City. This interest lies in the fact that Raymond E. Van Syckle, attorney, Secretary Michigan Society, S. A. R., and Miss Maude Van Syckle, both of Detroit, are great-grandchildren of Mrs. Dodge.

The tablet was unveiled by the Anne Frisby Fitzhugh Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, with impressive ceremonies. The service was participated in by Lieut.-Col. Augustus H. Gansser, Mrs. Irene Pomeroy Shields, of the D. A. R.; Mrs. Homer E. Buck, Rev. Henry Kreulin, Charles Tingle, Civil War veterans, the American Legion, and Boy Scouts.

Susan Corbin Dodge, native of Dudley, Mass., died in Bay City in 1873. Her father, Timothy Corbin, served under Washington; her grandfather served in the French and Indian wars.

Minnesota Society.—**MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER.**—On August 8 this Chapter accepted the invitation of the officers of the Citizens' Military Training Camp at Fort Snelling to view the camp, and met at this place with members of the D. A. R. and D. R. The privilege of witnessing the first military review of about 800 boys, who had been in camp for only one week's training, was a feature of the visit, and the progress made in this short time was considered remarkable. The Minneapolis Chapter has been active in furthering the interests of the military training camps as well as voluntary military training in high schools, against which there is a strong pacifist propaganda. The city-wide committee in charge of the memorial for President Harding, in recognition of the fact that both President Harding and President Coolidge were members of the S. A. R., requested this Chapter to prepare a telegram of condolence to Mrs. Harding to be read at the Memorial Service. This telegram, prepared by President Schouten and presented by him at the meeting, is printed elsewhere in the BULLETIN.

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER held an especially interesting meeting in observance of Constitution Day on Sunday, September 16, in joint session with the Inter-racial Society of the Y. M. C. A. This marked the first joint meeting ever held in Minneapolis between members of an old American patriotic society and one of the new associations. The Inter-racial Association was organized by the Y. M. C. A. a few years ago to promote a patriotic spirit among its membership, and this meeting was held on the anniversary of its birth. The joint meeting presented an opportunity to members of the Sons of the American Revolution to mingle with a large number of the newer Americans and to accomplish some very effective and comprehensive work through individual effort. Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, was represented on the platform by Congressman Walter H. Newton, while Judge G. W. Buffington was the speaker for the Inter-racial Association. Both addresses were along the lines of good citizenship and in keeping with the historical and important occasion commemorated. Special music added to the enjoyment of those present.

Missouri Society.—A meeting in celebration of the battles of Lexington and Concord was held at the Gatesworth Hotel, in St. Louis, on April 19. Dr. A. E. Bostwick, the eminent librarian of St. Louis, made the principal address and related many of the stirring events of the War for American Independence. President Linn Paine, also former President W. D. Vandiver, spoke on the activities of the Society. Hon. James M. Breckenridge was chairman of the Reception Committee, consisting of sixty members. The musical program, consisting of patriotic songs, was rendered under the direction of William M. Jenkins. The entertainment included songs by Mr. Edward L. Baker and Dr. Howard E. Shilling and recitations by George M. Ravold.

An informal patriotic and musical entertainment was given in the ball-room of the Gatesworth Hotel, in St. Louis, on the evening of Flag Day, June 14. Linn Paine, President of the Missouri Society, welcomed the assembly, and an address on "The Flag of our Country" was delivered by Reverend Russell Henry Stafford. Mrs. Ben F. Gray, President of the Colonial Dames in Missouri, and Mrs. S. H. Curlee, Regent of the St. Louis Chapter, D. A. R., were guests of honor and gave us a most interesting account of the progress of their respective organizations. The entertainment of the evening included solos and duets by Miss Ruth Harris and Mr. James W. Porteous.

The Society arranged for an appropriate celebration of Constitutional Day throughout the churches and schools and secured very wide press publicity. An address by radio by President Linn Paine made an appeal for greater appreciation of the Constitution and included a recital of the purposes and objects of the S. A. R.

New Hampshire Society.—This Society interested itself actively in the Tercentenary Celebration of Portsmouth, which took place August 21, 22, and 23. This included a particularly fine pageant which told the story of the settlement and development of Portsmouth. Special services in the churches opened the ceremonies. Our Society held open house in the Hotel Wentworth during the celebration and welcomed with a reception committee all compatriots and their friends who visited Portsmouth during the events, beside furnishing many active executives for the carrying out of the program.

This Society has since been called on to sustain the very sudden and shocking loss of our valued and deeply beloved compatriot, Hon. Harry T. Lord, Director General and Past Vice-President General, whose death occurred suddenly on September 1. Further mention of Mr. Lord's services and life will be found elsewhere in this and a later issue of the BULLETIN.

New Jersey Society.—Constitution Day was observed in New Jersey on a very general and comprehensive scale. First of all the meetings was the one held under the auspices of Passaic Valley Chapter, co-operating with Beacon Fire Chapter, both of Summit, held at the First Presbyterian Church, in that town on Sunday afternoon, September 16. Rev. W. Warren Giles, pastor of the First Reformed Church of East Orange, delivered a stirring address on "The Constitution of the United States." In the evening Dr. Giles delivered the same sermon at the union meeting of the Morris County Chapter of the New Jersey Society and Morristown Chapter, D. A. R., at Morristown. Both services were attended by large congregations. At noon on Monday the church bells and factory whistles in many of the municipalities were rung and blown for three minutes, in remembrance of the day and calling the attention of the people to its importance. Every newspaper in the State gave some notice of the day's observance and several thousand circular letters were sent throughout the State requesting the people to display the Flag of Stars and Stripes. Vice-President General Carl M. Vail sent a letter to every Mayor of Bergen County, where he lives, requesting them to issue a proclamation calling upon the citizens to remember the anniversary, and in Paterson, an industrial center, the Mayor, in response to the request of the Captain Abraham Godwin Chapter, issued a proclamation calling for the ringing of the bells and blowing of whistles at the noon hour. Other cities and towns were also keyed up to a high pitch of enthusiasm in the celebration, which was more emphatic than at any other time during the eight years the anniversary has been remembered.

At noon a number of the members of the State Society met at the Essex Club, 44 Park Place, Newark, and enjoyed a Constitution Day luncheon. Members of the Broad Street Association, an organization for mutual helpfulness along business lines, were guests of the Society. Rev. George P. Eastman, Chaplain of Orange Chapter and pastor of the Highland Avenue Congregational church, offered the invocation, and after the menu had been served David L. Pierson, Secretary, outlined the outstanding features of the Constitutional Convention, in session in the old State House, Philadelphia, during the summer of 1787. Judge Adrian Lyon, President, spoke on the solidity and elasticity of the Constitution, noting especially how it had withstood the assaults of the years. In the afternoon, at 5:15 o'clock, a tablet was dedicated on the outer wall of the Post-Office Building in Orange, on which is recorded the fact that the conception of observing the 17th of September as Constitutional Day was from the mind of a resident of the community, and that the first proclamation calling the attention of the people to the day's observance was issued by the President General of the S. A. R. in 1917. Rev. George P. Eastman, chairman of the committee, presided, and there was singing by the school children, prayer by Rev. Charles B. Bullard, Historian of the Chapter, and an address by David L. Pierson on "The Meaning of the Constitution." The tablet was unveiled by James L. Garabrant, President of the Chapter, who said that the one who first brought out the idea of observing Constitution Day was the speaker of the afternoon, former Historian General, former

President of the Chapter, and now Secretary of the New Jersey Society. The exercises closed with the singing of "America."

In the evening Newark Chapter held exercises at the headquarters of the State Society, 33 Lombardy Street, presided over by Sylvester H. M. Agens, President, and a feature of the celebration by the chapter was the reading of the concluding paragraphs of Webster's famous reply to Senator Hayne, of South Carolina, January 29, 1830, when the nullification was discussed in the Senate. This was most dramatically read by Rev. Warren P. Coon, Chaplain in the A. E. F. during the World War. Rev. Dr. Robert Scott Inglis, pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church, Newark, delivered a stirring address, telling of the historical relationship of the century and more of the past to the period when the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution were adopted. The religious influence was largely responsible for both creations. David L. Pierson also spoke briefly. The Newark Chapter Quartet sang several selections, and Rev. Dr. Lyman Whitney Allen, former Chaplain General, offered the prayer.

Secretary David L. Pierson has offered a prize of a framed picture of the bas-relief on the Subtreasury Building, Wall Street, New York, entitled "Washington at Prayer at Valley Forge," to the Chapter enrolling the largest number of members from September 17, 1923, to June 1, noon, 1924. The Newark Chapter has energetically stepped into the campaign and will offer, in addition, a prize of a gold jewel of the S. A. R. to the member responsible for the enrollment of the largest number of members, the minimum to be ten members. The prize is on exhibition at the State headquarters.

Rev. Dr. Lyman Whitney Allen, past Chaplain General, broadcasted from the WOR on the night of August 15, his subject being "Present Day Americanism." A circular letter has been sent to every member of the New Jersey Society, calling for a continued co-operation during the coming season, which is to be of a very intensive character. The permanent headquarters have recently been renovated and are now in excellent condition for the busy days that are just ahead.

PARAMUS CHAPTER, Ridgewood, enjoyed its annual pilgrimage to historical shrines on September 22, the objective being Washington's Headquarters at Morristown. Heretofore, all the trips have been in Bergen County and vicinity.

CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER is preparing a seven years' program for the remembrance of events leading to and occurring in the War for American Independence in the city of Paterson, where the Chapter is located. At a recent competition for a medal in the public schools in Paterson, the prize was won by a boy of Italian birth.

Harry F. Brewer, chairman of the Americanization Committee of the State Society, has prepared a long program of suggestions for the Chapters to carry out during the coming season. It was reported at the meeting of the Board of Managers on the evening of September 14 and met with hearty approval.

Vice-President General Carl M. Vail, by gift, has added forty-one rare historical volumes to the library of the New Jersey Society. Included in the list are twenty-three volumes of the records of the Continental Congress.

Independence Day was observed by several of the Chapters. At East Orange exercises were held at the Elmwood Park, under the auspices of Orange Chapter, at 9 o'clock in the morning. A procession of school children around the park was a feature of the celebration. David L. Pierson, State Secretary and chairman

of the committee, presided, and the oration was delivered by Judge Adrian Lyon, President of the State Society. He measured up well to the expectancy of the hour. A brass band played a number of patriotic selections and the order of exercises was well carried out.

MONTCLAIR CHAPTER held a very interesting order of exercises in the evening, in connection with Eagle Rock Chapter, D. A. R. Compatriot Elvord G. Chamberlin, former President of the Montclair Chapter and now First Vice-President of the New Jersey Society, will on October 1 be sworn in as the postmaster of Montclair. He had no opposition whatever, a tribute to his popularity and personal worth.

Rev. Dr. Frank A. Smith, Chaplain of the New Jersey Society, delivered a stirring address on the call to service at the services held in the Springfield Presbyterian Church on Sunday, June 24, in remembrance of the 143d anniversary of the Battle of Springfield, fought on June 23, 1780. The services were held for the ninth consecutive year under the auspices of Passaic Valley Chapter of Summit. The Chapter is planning a dinner at Summit on the evening of October 11 in honor of Judge Adrian Lyon, President of the New Jersey Society.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER No. 1, of the New Jersey Society, plans to celebrate its thirtieth anniversary on the evening of November 1. This was the first local Chapter formed in the Organization and became the forerunner of the Chapter method of conducting the activities of the State Societies. The affair will be held at the Elks Club in Elizabeth, and special guests of the Chapter at the reception and dinner will include the President General and members of the National Executive Committee, as well as the New Jersey State officers and representatives of other patriotic societies. It is expected that the New Jersey Society will be out in force and the brilliance of the occasion will be greatly enhanced by the presence of the ladies. The Rev. Frank A. Smith, D. D., Chaplain of the New Jersey Society, is the President of the Chapter, and Harry F. Brewer, former Vice-President of the New Jersey Society, is chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

At the commencement exercises of Summit High School, on June 22, the prize offered by Passaic Valley Chapter for the best essay, entitled "Thomas Payne's Contribution to the American Revolution," was awarded to Miss Frances Blondin by Compatriot Alfred W. Alesbury, President. On the following day, June 23, President Alesbury presented a prize to Miss Kathryn L. Merrill for her essay, entitled "Battles in New Jersey During the Revolution." This was offered for competition in the 8th grade of the Summit schools.

A joint automobile pilgrimage by the Elizabethtown, West Fields, and Abraham Clark Chapters, New Jersey Society, and the Beacon Fire Chapter, D. A. R., of Summit, took place on June 16, with the Wallace House at Sommerville, N. J., as the objective. This house was the headquarters of General Washington during the winter of 1778-1779. An address was delivered by Rev. M. S. Waters, Historian of the State Society, and a picnic lunch was enjoyed on the lawn. Malcolm MacDougall was chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

New York (Empire State) Society.—The usual ceremony was held, under the auspices of the Empire State Society, at the tomb of General Marquis de La Fayette, in Paris, on July 4th, by the compatriots in that city, and is given special mention elsewhere in this issue.

NEW YORK CHAPTER.—The Chapter was well represented at the James Monroe Memorial Association and Foundation Ceremonies, held on July 4th, at St. Paul's Chapel, at the City Hall, and at the "Monroe House," in Prince Street. The addresses were broadcasted to the whole Nation.

On Wednesday evening, July 4th, the New York Chapter arranged through the courtesy of Mr. Charles B. Ponce, a program appropriate to the day, which was broadcasted by the Radio Corporation of America from Æolian Hall. The program included the Star Spangled Banner, sung by the solo soprano of the Church of the Divine Paternity, Miss Parkhurst, and ten-minute addresses by Dr. Edward Hagaman Hall and Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D. D., Chaplain of the Empire State Society. Gen. Oliver B. Bridgman, President, presided.

Lafayette-Marne Day was observed by the Chapter by the placing of a wreath upon the tomb of Colonel Etienne Bechet, Sieur de Rochefontaine, in the churchyard of St. Paul's Chapel, Broadway and Vesey Street. Colonel Bechet was a volunteer French officer, who served with distinction in the Engineer Corps of General Duportail under the immediate command of Washington during the Revolution, from 1778 to the close of the war, in 1783. A brief address was made by Hon. James B. Laux, Historian of the Society, extracts of which follow:

"In behalf of the New York Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, and in grateful remembrance of the valiant service as a volunteer soldier of France, you rendered the cause of liberty in America during our long struggle for independence, a worthy comrade-in-arms of Lafayette, whose nativity we celebrate this day, and that other glorious event, the Battle of the Marne, in more recent days, where the valor of liberty-loving French soldiers triumphed over German despotism, we place this wreath upon your tomb, Etienne Béchet, Sieur de Rochefontaine. May the memory of your service to liberty and of the help and friendship of your native land in America's hour of need remain undimmed and endure forever. 'Oue la grâce et la paix vous soient données de la part de Dieu notre Pere et au Seigneur Jésus Christ.'"

Commemoration of the 136th Anniversary of the Adoption of the Constitution of the United States, on September 17, 1787, was observed, under the auspices of the Chapter, on the steps of the United States Subtreasury Building (site of Federal Hall), corner of Wall and Nassau Streets, New York City, on Monday, September 17, at 12:30 o'clock p. m. The procession, headed by Major Charles A. Du Bois, marshal, marched from Vesey Street in the following order: Mounted police; band from Brooklyn Navy Yard; United States marines; officers of the S. A. R.; Color Guard of the S. A. R.; members of the S. A. R.; officers, color-bearers, and members of participating patriotic societies. The stirring program was as follows: Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the New York Chapter, S. A. R., presided; "The Star-Spangled Banner," by the audience, led by the boy choir of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and accompanied by the U. S. Navy Band from the Brooklyn Navy Yard; invocation by Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D. D., Litt. D., Chaplain of the New York Chapter, Empire State Society, S. A. R., and pastor of the Church of the Divine Paternity, New York City; "Battle Hymn of the Republic" by the audience, led by the boy choir and accompanied by the band; introduction of speaker by Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the New York Chapter, S. A. R.; address, "The Constitution," by Hon. Royal S. Copeland, U. S. Senator from New York, who made a strong appeal for the

study and upholding of the Constitution, not only as originally written, but for all amendments since added thereto. The address was attentively listened to by the large audience, who were gathered in Wall and Broad Streets. Benediction by Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D. D., Litt. D., Chaplain, and "America" was sung by the audience, led by the boy choir and accompanied by the band. The committee in charge consisted of Captain Reginald Fay, chairman; Colonel Louis Annin Ames, Frederick H. Cone, William C. Demorest, Major Charles A. Du Bois, Edward Hagaman Hall, L. H. D., Harold S. Hull, and George McK. Roberts.

The New York Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, also arranged a program Constitution Day evening, September 17, which was broadcasted by the Radio Corporation of America, WJZ. Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, the President, presided, and the program included the "Star-Spangled Banner," by the boys from the choir of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and an address appropriate to the day by the Hon. Montague Lessler. This was followed by "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," sung by the choir. In a two-minute talk the President expressed the appreciation of the Society to those who participated, and the exercises closed by singing of "America" by the choir. This ceremony was in addition to the one held at noon at the Subtreasury, Broad and Wall Streets.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER.—The May meeting of the Chapter was held at the D. A. R. Chapter House on May 21. Mr. Charles H. Wiltsie read a paper—the results of a lifetime of travel, study, and legal experience—covering conditions in Europe as they affect the future welfare of America. At this meeting were elected to membership Mr. De Elton Seiber, of Cape Vincent, New York, and Mr. Frederick De Forest Lamb, of Rochester, New York. The meeting was well attended and a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed after the paper. The most important work this Chapter has ever undertaken was inaugurated last year by the appointment of a committee to consider the matter of acquiring and preserving the Saratoga Battlefield. The committee consists of Compatriots Charles E. Ogden, chairman; Hon. Harvey F. Remington and Mr. Frank E. Gannett, of the Rochester *Times-Union*. The work of this committee bore fruit in the adoption of a resolution adopted by the National Congress at Nashville, Tenn., May 21. Compatriots Ogden, Remington, and Dann obtained options on the Freeman and Sarle farms at Saratoga on August 9, 1923. Subscriptions for the funds to carry on the project are now being solicited. A more detailed account of this committee's plans and accomplishments will be found elsewhere in this issue.

To further the celebration of Constitution Day, the President of the Rochester Chapter appointed a committee, consisting of Edward R. Foreman, Charles E. Ogden, and Harvey F. Remington, to arrange the matter of the proper observance of the day in the schools, etc., and also by sermons on Sunday, September 16.

THE BUFFALO CHAPTER is planning a most interesting and attractive program for this year. On October 30 there will be a meeting of the Chapter, with Director General Marvin H. Lewis as the guest of honor. Invitations will be sent to Pittsburgh, Cleveland, and Rochester to send delegations to the meeting. The Chapter is hoping to entertain General Pershing about the middle of January, when he is to visit Buffalo as the guest of the Reserve Corps. A partial promise has been made that the Chapter will have the privilege of having the General for luncheon. Other patriotic organizations will be asked to co-operate.

A patriotic ceremony in which Empire State compatriots take an interest is the annual 4th of July service held each year at old St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Eastchester. A tablet in honor of Ann Hutchinson was this year formally presented by Mrs. Quincy Gillmore, of New York, who represented the Colonial Dames of the State of New York. The tablet, which is on one of the outer walls of the church, was accepted in behalf of the church by the rector. These 4th of July exercises have been held at the church since 1892, when they were inaugurated by Rev. William Samuel Coffey, then rector of the church, in co-operation with ex-Justice Isaac N. Mills and others. Judge Mills has been a most faithful attendant and was among the fifty people present this summer. During the exercises, in accordance with the custom, the church bell was rung thirteen times in memory of the Thirteen Original Colonies. An historical address by Hon. Thomas H. Hodge, whose lifelong connection with St. Paul's gave his reminiscences much interest, the reading of the Declaration of Independence by Dr. Archibald T. Banning, and other addresses and music made the program a very impressive one. A historical sketch of Anne Hutchinson was a feature.

COL. CORNELIUS VAN DYCK CHAPTER, Schenectady.—At the quarterly meeting of the Chapter, held September 4, Compatriots P. Schuyler Miller, Aaron Becker, E. R. Whitney, F. R. Champion, and Horace S. Van Voast were appointed a committee to act in conjunction with a committee from the Schenectady County Historical Society in reference to the report of the New York State Historical Association on the celebration of the 150th anniversary of Revolutionary events occurring in this State. The Chapter has issued a circular urging regular attendance at all meetings, and personal and individual interest in recruiting new members. On October 6 the members made a trip by automobile to the Saratoga battlefield. Plans for accepting an invitation from the Schenectady D. A. R. to attend a reception on October 18, and for a Chapter dinner on November 18, are announced, and the year bids fair to be a lively one for this, one of the most active Chapters in the Empire State.

Ohio Society.—This Society made a comprehensive report of its work for the year ending on April 1, but this was received too late for publication in the June BULLETIN. Several outstanding accomplishments not previously reported, however, deserve mention at this time. The Society made a total addition of new members to the number of 65 during the year ending April 1, 1923, and since the organization of this State Society, in April, 1889, there have been 1,742 members admitted. The work of locating graves of Revolutionary soldiers buried in Ohio is an active work of this Society, and there have altogether been located about twelve hundred graves. The members of the D. A. R. also assist in this work. In Ohio the county commissioners are required to pay for grave-markers for all such graves located, so that the patriotic duty of properly identifying the graves is all that is required of the Societies. In April a second local Chapter was organized at Springfield, to be known as the George Rogers Clark Chapter, and to comprise all members residing in Clark County. The organization was completed on April 19 by election of the following compatriots as officers of the new Chapter: President, Dr. Victor G. A. Tressler; Secretary, Alexander H. Ballard; Treasurer, Charles B. Zimmerman. Plans for great activity in bringing in new members were formed at this meeting.

RICHARD MONTGOMERY CHAPTER, DAYTON.—On July 1 this Chapter conducted ceremonies incident to the placing of markers on the graves of two soldiers of the American Revolution—Benjamin Cox and John Kiser—at Willow View Cemetery.

ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER, Toledo, held a meeting on September 18, with the State President, Harry H. Hoard, as guest of honor. Mr. Hoard spoke on the State activities in general, and the Hon. Simeon Fess, U. S. Senator from Ohio, made an address upon the Constitution. Other addresses were made by Mayor B. F. Brough and Compatriot Frank E. Calkins, President of the Bar Association. Benjamin Franklin Chapter, of Columbus, and Ethan Allen Chapter, of Warren, both held fine Constitution Day meetings, and brought about a general observance of the day and week. The President of Kenyon College at Gambier, William F. Pierce, an enthusiastic compatriot, was instrumental in having an appropriate program of observance on September 19. The State Society was represented at the funeral of President Harding in Marion by the State President, Mr. Hoard, and sent a beautiful wreath and letter of condolence to Mrs. Harding.

The Oregon Society held a most enjoyable smoker on Saturday evening, June 23. The program was of interesting and patriotic character. Compatriot John K. Kollock read the Declaration of Independence and Judge Martin L. Pipes delivered an instructive and comprehensive address, admirably setting forth the relation of the Declaration to the Constitution and the national development. Past President General Wallace McCamant gave a capital account of the proceedings of the National Congress held at Nashville, and the various incidents and episodes connected with the gathering.

Compatriots Robert E. Smith, chairman; Dr. Henry Waldo Coe, James S. Gay, Jr., L. D. Bosley, Robert G. Dieck, Edward D. Baldwin, and W. B. Crane were appointed as a committee on observance of Constitution Day, September 17, 1923. This committee will act in conjunction with similar committees of the Oregon Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Oregon Bar Association, and other organizations.

Compatriots H. L. Bates, Wm. Bittle Wells, and G. W. Gearhart were also named as the committee to take charge of the 1923-1924 essay competition among the school children of the State.

Compatriot B. E. Sanford has been selected as the representative of the Oregon Society on a general committee, representing the patriotic organizations of Oregon, to carry on a State-wide campaign for general observance of the rules and regulations relating to the use of the American flag.

Pennsylvania Society.—On June 29 this Society was represented very generously on the program upon the occasion of a flag presentation to Merrill W. Allen Camp, United Spanish War Veterans. Members participated in a parade to West Park, on the North Side, and addresses were made by Compatriots James A. Wakefield, chairman, Past President, and National Trustee, and Col. H. C. Westervelt, of the State Society of Pennsylvania. On July 3 the Pennsylvania Society presented to the Pittsburgh Council, Boy Scouts, a fine United States Flag. This took place at Gyasuta Park. Colonel Westervelt made the presentation speech. The Society takes pride and gratification in the fact that Governor Pinchot has signed the resolution calling upon the Department of Public Instruc-

tion to examine history texts used in the public schools, with a view to eliminating undesirable ones and making recommendations for legislation to that end if necessary.

MIDDLETOWN CHAPTER.—On Flag Day this Chapter combined with the Daughters of the American Revolution for a joint meeting in the old St. Peter's Brick Church, built in 1767, which is owned by the Lutheran Church at Middletown. The services were held in the afternoon, as there are no lights in the building. The building is the same as when built in 1767, and has never been changed, except to paint it. We had a very enthusiastic meeting. Dr. George P. Donehoo, State Librarian, was the principal speaker, and gave a very interesting talk on "Pennsylvania, with Its Historical Events and Relations to the Flag." On July 4th the charter of this Chapter was closed with appropriate ceremonies, the entire Chapter taking part. The Chapter aims to eclipse its former record, and those engrossed as charter members feel proud of the distinction.

Middletown Chapter joined with the Swatara Pine Ford Chapter, D. A. R., in a Constitution Day meeting held in the lecture room of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. Appropriate music and an address by Mark T. Milnor, of Harrisburg, were features of the program. The Chapter also arranged for addresses before the pupils of the high and grammar schools of the city and secured a general display of the flag.

The following is quoted from an editorial in *The Spectator*, the well-known life-insurance publication, and the Editor takes pleasure in presenting this favorable notice of an honored compatriot:

DR. W. C. LYNE IS HONORED

Dr. W. C. Lyne, Past President of the Pennsylvania Society, S. A. R., was recently honored by being presented with a gavel made from the oak table used in drawing up the fundamental principles of the Republican Party at its birth, in the old Lafayette Hotel, Pittsburgh, in 1856, when John C. Fremont was nominated as the party's first standard-bearer. This souvenir was to have been presented to the late President Warren G. Harding by its owner, James H. Scott, of Pittsburgh, who has held it as a treasured relic for a half century; but as a token of his high appreciation of the patriotic administration of the affairs of the Pennsylvania Society of the Sons of the American Revolution by the retiring President of that Society, Dr. W. C. Lyne, it was presented to the latter. Dr. Lyne's administration of the affairs of the Society was generally recognized as one of the strongest and best in its history. Dr. Lyne was chairman of the Memorial Committee of the Pennsylvania Sons of the American Revolution which drew up the minutes adopted by the Society named in the honor of the memory of President Harding, who for many years had been actively identified with the Sons of the American Revolution. Dr. Lyne has not only won success in the life-insurance business, but his scholarly attainments and distinguished usefulness have been recognized by the Grove City College, which conferred on him the honorary degree of Doctor of Literature. In the address accompanying conferment of the degree, President Weir Kettler said: "You come of a long line of men and women distinguished for scholarship and public service. You, yourself, have been worthy of the traditions of your race. As a student in college you showed marked ability. As a teacher and executive head of schools, you won the confidence and respect of all who knew you. You have been active in the business affairs in the great city in which you live. You have taken a leading part in its civic and religious life. You have been prominently identified with one of the great patriotic organizations of this country. In a happy way you have combined the genius of a successful business man, the attainments of a scholar, and the graces of a gentleman." President Lyne is a senior member in point of service on the Board of State Managers and

rendered valuable service as chairman of the Committee of Patriotic Activities, serving as assistant State chairman in the first observance in Pennsylvania of the adoption of the American Constitution and Chairman of Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce. On Armistice Day, he headed the State delegation to Washington, D. C., in the nation's tribute to the Unknown Soldier brought from overseas. Mr. Lyne belongs to an old Colonial Revolutionary family, with a long record of distinguished service, covering representation in the English Parliament, the American Congress, the President's Cabinet, Washington's staff, and the House of Virginia Burgesses. During the late war activities, Mr. Lyne was appointed on the National Executive Committee of the American Defense Society and was a member of the Executive Council of Allegheny County of the Four-Minute-Men and also a member of the intercollegiate Bureau of College Alumni acting in an advisory relation with the Administration.

Constitution Day was celebrated in Pittsburgh by the members of the Society attending services in a body at the Point Breeze Presbyterian Church. Dr. Percival H. Barker, the pastor of this church, had invited the Society to take part in the services and a fitting program had been arranged. His address dealt with past and present constitutional problems and our duty to follow in the footsteps of our ancestors in helping to solve these problems. The entire service was broadcasted by KDKA, the powerful sending station of the Westinghouse Electric Co., and was no doubt heard all over the eastern part of the United States by many of our members who were listening in on the radio. The Society co-operated with the other patriotic and civic organizations in Pittsburgh in making the week of the 17th Constitution Week. Each Society furnished speakers, and addresses were made in each of the Pittsburgh public schools on the Constitution. A general letter was sent to the Pittsburgh newspapers and important editorials appeared in each paper.

South Carolina Society.—Major John F. Jones, who has been working so diligently for the resuscitation of this Society, is at last beginning to see his labor of love bear results. The State Charter was formally renewed early last spring and applications are coming in from South Carolina in encouraging numbers. Major Jones has lost no opportunity of presenting the cause of our organization, both privately and publicly, and on July 14th had an exceptional opportunity to speak publicly at the ceremonies incident to the opening of the wonderful new bridge, known as the Wateree Bridge, between Columbia and Sumter. Major Jones made a stirring address and brought home to the Carolinians their patriotic obligation to affiliate themselves with the Sons of the American Revolution, where so many were eligible through such wonderful ancestral service to the patriotic cause. There is no question but that this address brought forth much fruit in the way of new applications, and we are happy to observe the completed papers coming through rapidly.

Tennessee Society.—Bronze markers were placed by the Tennessee Society on the graves of two Revolutionary patriots, William Wallace and his son, Jesse Wallace, in New Providence Churchyard, at Maryville, on August 4. Major Will A. McTeer presided at the brief ceremony, which was participated in by the Mary Blount Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mr. Will E. Parham, of Maryville, well-known genealogist, representing the State Society, read a sketch of the civil service of William Wallace and the military service Jesse Wallace rendered during the Revolution. Major McTeer

recalled the pioneer days of east Tennessee, the dangers and the privations endured by the hardy generations of the past. He paid a tribute to William Wallace, who assisted in establishing American independence as a civil officer, having been a magistrate from Sullivan County, appointed by the territorial governor, and later was one of the commissioners called by Governor Blount to convene and advise as to restraining the Indians from attack. He assisted in the organization of the county court of Sullivan, the second county formed in what is now Tennessee, and later served in both Knox and Blount counties, being chairman of the first county court of Blount County. He died in 1799.

Jesse Wallace, when about 15 years of age, became actively engaged in defending his country, under Colonel John Sevier, and was connected with most, if not all, of Colonel Sevier's heroic and dangerous expeditions. At the time of his death, in 1854, he was in his eighty-eighth year and the oldest resident of Maryville.

The Tennessee Society has conferred a War Service Medal upon Compatriot Frank Marshall Gilliland, of Memphis, whose services in France were notable. This medal was presented by Vice-President McDowell to Lieutenant Gilliland at the State meeting of the American Legion in Memphis during the week of September 10th, at which the Tennessee Society, S. A. R., was represented by a speaker on the program, and during which time the Memphis Chapter entertained the officers of the American Legion at luncheon.

Texas Society.—Following the suggestion and recommendation of the Nashville Congress, this Society has appointed Major Walter Scott Mayer, former Secretary of the State Society, now Third Vice-President and Genealogist, Chief Liaison Officer from the Texas Society to the Texas Department of the American Legion. Major Mayer attended the convention of the American Legion at Galveston on August 16 and presented and urged upon the assemblage the passage of several resolutions in conformity to certain resolutions passed by the Nashville Congress of the S. A. R. The American Legion at this meeting passed a resolution urging the study of the Constitution of the United States in grammar schools and favored activity of its posts against improper school histories. The resolutions with regard to use by foreigners of American historic names and more drastic legislation relative to the study of the Constitution by aliens also were offered by Major Mayer, were not favored by the meeting. Senator Morris Sheppard, of the Texas Society, was one of the speakers at this meeting.

The monthly bulletins of the Texas Society are proving very interesting and the one issued in August contained an excellent comment pertinent to the Constitution of the United States, in anticipation of Constitution Week. The Society has also distributed very widely a circular letter urging suitable observance of this anniversary.

Through the energy of Major Mayer, National Trustee for Texas, the press of the State, particularly in Galveston, co-operated very heartily with the effort to bring the observance of Constitution Day forcibly before the citizenship. Fine editorials appeared in all dailies and the observance was very general. A circular letter to every American Legion Post in Texas was also issued by Mr. Mayer, and this was productive of a wider influence than could have been acquired in any other way, as sections of the State were thus reached not likely to have been approached.

The Utah Society is much gratified over the fact that the Thirty-fifth Annual Congress of the National Society will be held in Salt Lake City during the summer of 1924. The compatriots of the Utah Society are keenly interested in making this, the first Rocky Mountain Congress of the National Society, a most pronounced success and a source of true pleasure and delight to the compatriots and ladies from other States who will honor Utah with their presence. Strong delegations are expected from Oregon, Washington, California, Idaho, Montana, Colorado, and other Far Western States, and it will give an opportunity to these splendid compatriots of the Far West to meet in National Congress their compatriots from the Eastern and Southern States, who will doubtless send strong delegations. The date of the Salt Lake Congress will be arranged so as not to conflict with the Republican or Democratic National Conventions and at a time when Yellowstone National Park, which can be visited without extra railroad fare, will be open, and arrangements will be made for a special train from Chicago, and possibly from New York.

General John Q. Cannon, President of the Utah Society; Russel L. Tracy, Vice-President; Hon. George Albert Smith, Vice-President General; Hon. Chauncey P. Overfield, Member of the National Committee on Arrangements; Hon. Daniel S. Spencer, National Trustee, are all devoting much time to the working out of the arrangements, which will from time to time appear in the BULLETIN.

The Utah Society succeeded in arousing a State-wide interest in the observance of Constitution Day through generous newspaper co-operation, in which the ever-alert *Deseret News* took the lead. The proclamation of Governor Mabey was one of the earliest to be issued, and he has set a precedent for several years in this matter, which is followed in many States more and more generally each year.

ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP

There have been enrolled in the office of the Registrar General from May 30, 1923, to October 1, 1923, 280 new members, distributed as follows: Arizona, 2; Arkansas, 1; California, 10; Connecticut, 8; Florida, 2; Georgia, 3; Hawaii, 1; Idaho, 2; Illinois, 25; Indiana, 2; Iowa, 6; Kansas, 3; Kentucky, 2; Louisiana, 3; Maryland, 5; Massachusetts, 7; Michigan, 12; Minnesota, 19; Missouri, 3; Nebraska, 8; New Hampshire, 1; New Jersey, 18; New Mexico, 1; New York (Empire State), 16; North Carolina, 1; North Dakota, 1; Ohio, 22; Oklahoma, 1; Oregon, 4; Pennsylvania, 28; Rhode Island, 7; South Carolina, 24; South Dakota, 1; Texas, 1; Tennessee, 9; Virginia, 14; Washington State, 1; Wisconsin, 4; Wyoming, 2.

ERRATA

In the October, 1922, BULLETIN, page 85, the name "Fisbach" should read *Leyburn G. Fishach*.

In the June, 1923, BULLETIN, page 128, the name "Tharood" should read *Frederic Charles Sharood*.



In view of the appreciable number of inquiries that are directed to the Registrar General's Office from all parts of the United States concerning matters of genealogy and Revolutionary War service, it has been deemed expedient and advisable to inaugurate a special department of this magazine under the caption of "Notes and Queries."

Very often the same question is put by different individuals who may be descended from a common ancestral line. This department, therefore, will be helpful to all such inquirers. Again, there may be some who are entitled to claims in right of supplemental ancestors, but who are not able to establish the connecting links between the supplementary and the known line of descent. It will be the object of this department to assist any member who is interested in this phase of his family tree.

With regard to the matter of Revolutionary War service, it is a known fact that numbers of military muster rolls, pay lists, etc., have been lost or at least are inaccessible. Hence the official published lists, as well as the War Department records, are incomplete. Sometimes these gaps may be supplied from other sources, and it will be the duty of this department to suggest the means whereby it may be possible to obtain some of the missing data.

Every member of this Society, perhaps, has some friend or acquaintance who desires to be enrolled in our membership, but who is unable to establish the Revolutionary connection. We shall be glad to extend a helping hand in all such cases that are brought to our notice through the medium of these columns.

Finally, compatriots, this department is at your service. Every pertinent query will be numbered and initialed, the answer will be designated to correspond, and the record will be open to all members of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

Faithfully yours,

Francis B. Culver
Registrar General.



THE REGISTRAR GENERAL

In Memoriam

CHARLES GERLOCH ALLEN, Iowa Society, died August 8, 1923.
 FREDERICK WILLIAM ALLEN, Massachusetts Society, died May 24, 1923.
 TRAVIS, F. BEAL, Michigan Society, died July 27, 1923.
 JOHN LOVEJOY BEARDSLEY, Connecticut Society, died June 2, 1923.
 WILLIAM GRAFFEN BLOOD, President, Lexington, Iowa Chapter, died March 24, 1923.
 THOMAS JEFFERSON BOARDMAN, Connecticut Society, died June 17, 1923.
 CLANCY D. BOYNTON, New Jersey Society, died August 11, 1923.
 CHARLES H. BROWN, New Jersey Society, died August 9, 1923.
 MONMOUTH S. BUCKBEE, Empire State Society, died August 22, 1923.
 ELMER VALENTINE BURDETT, Massachusetts Society, died April 3, 1923.
 WILLIAM BUCHANAN BURKE, Tennessee Society, died July 21, 1923.
 GEORGE THOMAS CAMPBELL, Michigan Society, died April 1, 1923.
 SAMUEL CLARK, New Jersey Society, died July 10, 1923.
 J. MILTON COBURN, Connecticut Society, died August 13, 1923.
 EDWARD COMSTOCK, Empire State Society, died August 30, 1923.
 WILLIAM VAN ZANDT COX, District of Columbia Society, Past Chairman National Committee on the Flag, died July 24, 1923.
 GEORGE CURRIER, Iowa Society, died July 26, 1923.
 RICHARD WIGGIN DAKE, Tennessee Society, died August 13, 1923.
 CHARLES D. DAVIS, Connecticut Society, died November 9, 1922.
 JOHN WALKER DINSMORE, California Society, died April 2, 1922.
 JOHN WELCH EMERSON, Massachusetts Society, died August 20, 1923.
 JUSTIN E. EMERSON, Michigan Society, died April 8, 1923.
 BENJAMIN FARREN ENGLISH, Connecticut Society, died June 26, 1923.
 FREDERICK F. GLASBY, New Jersey Society, died June 17, 1923.
 GEORGE O. GLAVIS, Empire State Society, died June 21, 1923.
 BYRON H. GOODRICH, Michigan Society, died April 16, 1923.
 JOHN GOTT, Massachusetts Society, died August 10, 1923.
 PETER GRAFFAM, Massachusetts Society, died September 3, 1923.
 CHARLES D. HALSEY, New Jersey Society, died September, 1923.
 WARREN GAMALIEL HARDING, President of the United States, Ohio Society, died August 2, 1923.
 LEW CASS HILL, Massachusetts Society, died August 25, 1923.
 CHARLES SHERMAN HUBBARD, Pennsylvania Society, died July 27, 1923.
 RICHARD A. HUTCHINSON, Minnesota Society, died August 14, 1923.
 HENRY K. JONES, Michigan Society, died September 1, 1923.
 RILEY L. JONES, Michigan Society, died April 23, 1923.
 EDWARD LOWELL KELLY, Massachusetts Society, died May 29, 1923.
 EDWARD KIBLER, SR., Ohio Society, died April, 1919.
 JAMES ALBERT LEWIS, Empire State Society, died October 7, 1922.
 HARRY T. LORD, New Hampshire Society, Member National Executive Committee, a Director General, died September 1, 1923.
 JOSEPH S. LUDINGTON, Connecticut Society, died May 1, 1923.
 WILLIAM H. LUM, New Jersey Society, died July 11, 1923.
 HOWARD A. MCGROW, Michigan Society, died June 13, 1923.
 LEBBEUS B. MILLER, New Jersey Society, died July 23, 1923.
 I. WIMBERT MOHLER, Maryland Society, died May 19, 1922.
 NORTON THAYER MONTAGUE, Tennessee Society, died February 17, 1923.
 HON. LUTHER W. MOTT, M. C., Empire State Society, died July 10, 1923.
 FRANKLIN SISSON NORKETT, Connecticut Society, died June 1, 1923.
 JOSEPH TAYLOR POE, Tennessee Society, died March, 1917.
 GEORGE S. POLLARD, New Jersey Society, died June 27, 1923.
 LUCIUS FRANCIS PAULINT, Massachusetts Society, died August 18, 1923.
 OSCAR READ, Empire State Society, died September 29, 1923.
 EDWARD D. REDFIELD, Connecticut Society, died June 15, 1923.
 VALENTINE RIKER, New Jersey Society, died August 17, 1923.
 CHARLES LEE ROCKWELL, Connecticut Society, died June 24, 1923.
 FRANK LYON ROSS, Alabama Society, died, 1919.
 EDWARD W. RUSSELL, New Jersey Society, died April 4, 1923.
 GEORGE H. SERGEANT, Massachusetts Society, died April 20, 1923.
 HENRY SOUTHWORTH SHAW, Massachusetts Society, died June 1, 1923.
 ENOCH SMITH, Michigan Society, died August 1, 1923.
 OTIS SMITH, Empire State Society, died September 3, 1923.
 J. FRED TOWNSEND, Ohio Society, died March 22, 1923.
 HENRY CARR WARD, New Jersey Society, died August 24, 1923.
 ALLEN CLARKE WARNE, Pennsylvania Society, died July 23, 1923.
 CHARLES A. WARREN, Michigan Society, died May 13, 1923.
 PAUL WATERMAN, Connecticut Society, died July 31, 1923.
 WILLIAM S. WETHERBEE, Connecticut Society, died February 21, 1922.
 LEVI LINCOLN WILLCUTT, Massachusetts Society, died June 2, 1923.

RECORDS OF 280 NEW MEMBERS AND 65 SUPPLEMENTALS APPROVED AND ENROLLED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL FROM MAY 30, 1923, TO OCTOBER 1, 1923.

CHARLES FREDERICK ABBOTT, Montclair, N. J. (38739). Son of George Washington and Margaret (Weir) Abbott; grandson of Thomas W. and Adaline N. (Vent) Abbott; great-grandson of Benjamin and Esther (Currier) Abbott; great-grandson of Daniel and Rachel (—) Abbott; Signer, N. H. Association Test.; great-grandson of George Abbott, Signer, N. H. Association Test.

HENRY BLANES ADSIT, Calif. (29956). Supplemental. Son of Samuel and Jane Maria (Arms) Adsit; grandson of Abner and Electra (Boyden) Arms; great-grandson of Consider Arms, Member Conway, Mass., Committee of Safety and town treasurer.

CHARLES LEON AGNEW, Rock Springs, Wyo. (Nebr. 38508). Son of George Crawford and Nannie Bell (Richards) Agnew; grandson of Isiah S. and Jane (Secrest) Richards; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Spaid) Richards; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Anderson) Spaid; great-grandson of George Nicholas and Elizabeth (Cale) Spaid; great-grandson of John Cale, private, Col. Abraham Bowman's Eighth Regt., Virginia Troops.

RICHARD STEERE ALDRICH, Warwick, R. I. (38337). Son of Nelson Wilmarth and Abby Pearce Truman (Chapman) Aldrich; grandson of Anan Evans and Abby Ann (Burgess) Aldrich; great-grandson of Gideon and Phebe (Williams) Burgess; great-grandson of Gideon Burgess, private, Captain General's Co. Rhode Island Cavaliers.

RAYMOND GREEN ALLERTON, Council Bluffs, Iowa (38509). Son of William Myron and Hannah (Hoge) Allerton; grandson of William Chauncey and Jane Ann (Green) Allerton; great-grandson of Joshua and Polly (Bassett) Allerton; great-grandson of Jonathan Allerton, Signer Dutchess County, N. Y., Association Act.

JAY MILTON ALLSWORTH, New Castle, Pa. (39007). Son of Milton Bard and Lizzie (Misk) Allsworth; grandson of William and Mary (Bard) Allsworth; great-grandson of James Allsworth (Alsworth), private, First Class, Sixth Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

DAVIS ZELLNER ANDREWS, New York City, N. Y. (38423). Son of Montefiore J. and Mabelle (Zellner) Andrews; grandson of Joseph J. and Miriam (Nones) Andrews; great-grandson of Joseph and Sally (Salomon) Andrews; great-grandson of Hyam Salomon, Financial Agent between the United States, and France and Holland.

JOSEPH CUMMINS ANDREWS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38684). Son of Alexander P. and Jane (Riter) Andrews; grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Wagenseller) Riter; great-grandson of Michael and Elizabeth (—) Riter; great-grandson of George Riter (Reiter), private, Second Battalion, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania Militia.

FRANK DAVIS ANDRUS, Detroit, Mich. (38776). Son of Loren and Lucina (Davis) Andrus; grandson of Elon and Nancy (Lamb) Andrus; great-grandson of Isaac and Clarissa (Harris) Andrus; great-grandson of Isaac Andrus, Lieutenant, Col. Ebenezer Walbridge's Regt., Vermont Militia.

GEORGE CATHEY APPLEBY, Nashville, Tenn. (38396). Son of Samuel Bell and Esther Emaline (Cathey) Appleby; grandson of John and Sarah (Bell) Appleby; great-grandson of William Appleby, private, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

HUGH CUSTER AREY, Excelsior, Minn. (38324). Son of James Blanding and Estelle Eliza (Goss) Arey; grandson of Nathaniel Hopkins and Susannah Carpenter (Blanding) Arey; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Carpenter) Blanding; great-grandson of William Blanding, sergeant, Col. Ebenezer Francis's Regt., quartermaster in Col. Carpenter's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.

WILLIAM RHODES ARNOLD, Providence, R. I. (38338). Son of William Rhodes and Sarah Hill (Carpenter) Arnold; grandson of George Carpenter and Phebe (Rhodes) Arnold; great-grandson of James Utter and Mehetabel (Carpenter) Arnold; great-grandson of George and Ruth (Utter) Arnold; great-grandson of James Arnold, captain-lieutenant, Kent County, Rhode Island Militia, Member Council of War, and Signer of

- Rhode Island Declaration of Independence; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Arnold) Rhodes; great-grandson of *Robert Rhodes*, captain, First Battalion, Kent County, Rhode Island Militia and senior officer of Rhode Island Recruiting Committee.
- JAMES HOPE ARTHUR, Providence, R. I. (38339). Son of James H. and Clara M. (Stevens) Arthur; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Cony) Stevens; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Gove Stevens*, private and sergeant, Warwick, Massachusetts Militia.
- LAURENCE RICE ATHERTON, Peekskill, N. Y. (38831). Son of Henry F. and Anna Howe (Muzzey) Atherton; grandson of Charles H. and Maria Ware (Howe) Muzzey; great-grandson of Aaron and Harriett (Richardson) Howe; great-grandson of John and Abigail (Haven) Richardson; great-grandson of *Moses Haven*, private, Col. Samuel Bullard's Regt., Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm, Member Middlesex County Committee of Safety.
- CLIFFORD W. AXTELL, Thermopolis, Wyo. (38254). Son of Delos and Mary Elizabeth (—) Axtell; grandson of William and Ann Eliza (Heath) Axtell; great-grandson of Moses and Zillah (Sherman) Axtell; great-grandson of *Moses Axtell*, private, Massachusetts Militia; great-grandson of *Daniel Axtell*, private, Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE WILLIAM AYRES, N. J. (36390). Supplemental. Son of Horace Beemer and Ida (Luebker) Ayres; grandson of George H. and Sarah Bray (Shaw) Ayres; great-grandson of Archibald and Elizabeth Betson (Sutton) Ayres; great-grandson of *Joseph Sutton*, corporal and sergeant, Col. Frelinghuysen's Regt., Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- HORACE BEEMER AYRES, N. J. (30958). Supplemental. Son of George H. and Sarah Bray (Shaw) Ayres; grandson of Archibald and Elizabeth Betson (Sutton) Ayres; great-grandson of *Joseph Sutton*, corporal and sergeant, Col. Frelinghuysen's Regt., Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- ARTHUR GEE BAILEY, Winnebago, Minn. (38325). Son of Turner Smith and Helen Mar (Gee) Bailey; grandson of Benjamin B. and Elizabeth B. (Dimm) Bailey; great-grandson of Benjamin and Philena Achsah (Munger) Bailey; great-grandson of *Ichabod Munger*, private, Col. William Shepard's Massachusetts Cont'l Regt.
- ELMORE RUFUS BAILEY, Boise, Idaho (35121). Son of Harry Hampton and Anna Pearl (March) Bailey; grandson of Marquis De Lafayette and Martha Elma (Parker) March; great-grandson of Daniel Pierce and Viola (Haynes) March; great-grandson of Stephen and Abigail (Robinson) March; great-grandson of *Clement March*, Member, New Hampshire House of Representatives of 1776.
- LINDSLEY REESE BAILEY, Nanuet, N. Y. (38424). Son of Harry E. and Ina Beula (Grosvenor) Bailey; grandson of George E. and Louise M. (Ernst) Bailey; great-grandson of Samuel and Nancy Stiles (Lindsley) Bailey; great-grandson of Matthew G. and Abigail (Beers) Lindsley; great-grandson of *Joseph Lindsley*, captain, New Jersey Cont'l Artificers, second major Morris County Militia; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Tappan) Bailey; great-grandson of *James Tappan*, private, Somerset County, New Jersey Militia; great-grandson of *Jonathan Bailey*, private and corporal, Fourth Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line; grandson of Niram and Martha (Reese) Grosvenor; great-grandson of Amasa and Phebe (Kenyon) Grosvenor; great-grandson of Moses and Dorcas (Sharp) Grosvenor; great-grandson of *Caleb Grosvenor*, private, Major Backus' Regt., Connecticut Light Horse.
- WILLIAM O. BAILEY, East Orange, N. J. (38728). Son of Silas and Mary (Hadden) Bailey; grandson of Jonathan and Abbey (Beach) Bailey; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Tappan) Bailey; great-grandson of *Jonathan Bailey*, private and corporal, New Jersey Militia; private Fourth Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line.
- HENRY WARREN BAKER, East Orange, N. J. (38740). Son of James Augusta and Martha Louisa (Austin) Baker; grandson of Daniel and Amenda (Hurlbut) Austin, Jr.; great-grandson of Daniel and Mary Elizabeth (Davis) Austin; great-grandson of *Isaac Austin*, private, Albany County, New York Militia, and Assignor of Land Bounty Rights.
- LEAVITT RANDALL BARKER, Minneapolis, Minn. (38960). Son of Carlyle Bartlett and Lena (Young) Miller; grandson of Samuel and Mary Almira (Randall) Miller; great-grandson of Jared Hinkley and Lucinda (Chamberlain) Randall; great-grandson of

- Thomas and Mary (Barrett) Chamberlain; great-grandson of *Jonas Barrett*, lieutenant, Col. William Prescott's Massachusetts Regt. at Lexington Alarm.
- PAUL BRANDON BARRINGER, Charlottesville, Va. (36574). Son of Rufus and Eugenia (Morrison) Barringer; grandson of Paul and Elizabeth (Brandon) Barringer; great-grandson of *John Paul Barringer*, patriot, who raised Militia Company; imprisoned at Camden, South Carolina.
- EDGAR ALLAN BARRY, Minn. (38309). Supplemental. Son of William Palmer and Henrietta (Dorman) Barry; grandson of Enoch and Lydia (Clark) Dorman; great-grandson of Samuel P. and Lydia (Smith) Clark; great-grandson of *Stephen Smith*, captain, Sixth Regt., Lincoln County, Massachusetts Militia, also naval officer for Port of Machias, seacoast defense.
- FRANK A. BAUM, Phoenix, Ariz. (36607). Son of Samuel and Mary (Sandusky) Baum; grandson of Charles and Susan (Moier) Baum; great-grandson of *Charles Baum*, private, Second Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania 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 and Eunice (Cooley) Beach; great-grandson of John and Mary (Polly) (Cushman) Beach; great-grandson of *Isaac Cushman*, ensign, Vermont Militia; great-grandson of Edmund B. and Elizabeth (Haskell) Bow; great-grandson of *Stephen* and Rebecca (Marston) *Haskell*, private, Colonels Hull, Groaton and Jackson's Regts., Massachusetts Troops, pensioned; great-grandson of *Jasper Marston*, private, North Yarmouth, Massachusetts Militia; grandson of Theodore F. and Amy Jane (Davis) Smith; great-grandson of Ebenezer I. and Phebe Marie (Burhans) Davis; great-grandson of John and Rebecca (Wheeler) Burhans; great-grandson of *Thomas Wheeler*, private, Sixth Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia, widow pensioned.
- AZEL LYNDON BELL, Urbana, Ill. (38463). Son of Frank A. and Viola (McKerg) Bell; grandson of Milton Abbott and Harriet (Brimmer) McKerg; great-grandson of Abraham and Clarissa (Osborne) McKerg; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Osborne*, sergeant, Col. Enos's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- HENRY MILLAR BIRDSEYE, New York City, N. Y. (38827). Son of Levi Henry and Delia (Finne) Birdseye; grandson of Charles Henry and Isabelle (Drought) Birdseye; great-grandson of Levi Henry and Emily (Wood) Birdseye; great-grandson of John and Phoebe (Coe) Birdseye; great-grandson of *James Coe*, private, Capt. Booth's Co. of Guards from Fourth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- WILLIAM WILLIS BODDIE, Kingstree, S. C. (38704). Son of Willis and Georgianna (Perry) Boddie; grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth Petway (Gee) Perry; great-grandson of Elijah Boddie and Lucy (Williams) Perry; great-grandson of Joshua and Mary (Boddie) Perry; great-grandson of *Nathan Boddie*, Member North Carolina Provincial Congress of '76 and Framer of State Constitution; great-grandson of Sterling Harwell and Mary Temperance (Williams) Gee; great-grandson of Henry Guston and Lucy (Tunstall) Williams; great-grandson of *Solomon Williams*, corporal, Capt. Donoho's Co., Sixth Regt., North Carolina Troops.
- JAMES CALDERWOOD BOLTON, La. (38101). Supplemental. Son of James Wade and Mary Esther (Calderwood) Bolton; grandson of George Washington and Tennessee (Wade) Bolton; great-grandson of Elisha Perryman and Eliza (Burbridge) Bolton; great-grandson of *Matthew Bolton*, private, Col. Goose Van Schank's Regt., New York Troops, pensioned.
- WALTER ELIJAH BOSTWICK, Algonac, Mich. (38786). Son of Seneca Doan and Mahala (Hemingway) Bostwick; grandson of Elijah Winn and Sarah (Rogers) Bostwick; great-grandson of Nathan and Esther (Winn) Bostwick; great-grandson of *Nathan Bostwick*, ensign, Seventh Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- ALFRED WELLINGTON BOSWORTH, Champaign, Ill. (38464). Son of Frederick Alfred and Clara Louise (Brown) Bosworth; grandson of Charles Edgar and Clarissa (Gooding) Brown; great-grandson of Charles W. and Hannah Hewett (Cole) Brown; great-grandson of Jonathan and Amy (Arnold) Brown; great-grandson of *Abial Brown*, lieutenant, Capt. Ballou's Co., Col. Mathewson's Regt., Rhode Island Militia.

PAUL DELAFIELD BOWDEN, Warrenton, Va. (38762). Son of Upton Beall and Henrietta P. (Douglas) Bowden; grandson of William Kirtland and Sarah Louisa (Tucker) Douglas; great-grandson of John and Anne (Carter, or Cotter) Douglas; great²-grandson of William and Sarah (Kirtland) Douglas; great³-grandson of *William Douglas*, colonel, Connecticut State and Cont'l Troops.

NATHANIEL W. BOWE, Richmond, Va. (38751). Son of Nathaniel Woodson and Emma Lewis (Griffin) Bowe; grandson of Hector and Mary Ursula (Ellis) Bowe; great-grandson of Woodson and Agnes (Turner) Ellis; great²-grandson of George and Ursula (Pleasants) Ellis; great³-grandson of *John Pleasants*, captain, Fifth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Line.

WYTHE DAVIS BOWE, Richmond, Va. (38752). Same as Nathaniel W. Bowe, Va. (38751).

HARVEY F. BOWERMAN, Champaign, Ill. (38465). Son of William Foster and Alice Isabel (Beeman) Bowerman; grandson of Newell and Annie Jane (Harvey) Beeman; great-grandson of Thomas and Elvira (Colwell) Beeman; great²-grandson of *Josiah Beeman*, private, Morris County, New Jersey Militia, Artificer Cont'l Troops, pensioned.

HARRY LAITY BOWLBY, East Orange, N. J. (38732). Son of Robert Melroy and Elizabeth (Dettart) Bowlby; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Melroy) Bowlby; great-grandson of Robert and Eleanor (Cole) Melroy; great²-grandson of *John Cole*, private and wagoner, Hunterdon County, New Jersey Militia, pensioned.

JOHN ROBERT BOWMAN, JR., Norwich, Conn. (37318). Son of John R. and Sarah (Seamons) Bowman; grandson of Eden and Sarah (Palmer) Seamons; great-grandson of Amos and Polly (Mary) (Lewis) Palmer; great²-grandson of Stephen and Dorcas Burdick Palmer; great³-grandson of *Amos Palmer*, private, Col. John Topham's First Regt., Rhode Island State Troops.

TOWNSEND HARDING BOYER, Haddonfield, N. J. (38497). Son of Titus Dodge and Maria (Harding) Boyer; grandson of Abraham Ludwig and Sarah (Dodge) Boyer; great-grandson of John and Mary (Ludwig) Boyer; great²-grandson of *Samuel Boyer*, private, Sixth Battalion, Berk's County, Pennsylvania Militia.

WILLIAM SAMUEL BRANCH, Orlando, Fla. (39026). Son of William S. and — (—) Branch; grandson of Samuel Gore and Arvilla (C—) Branch; great-grandson of *William Branch*, private, Col. John Durkee's and Col. Zebulon Butler's Regts., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, six years' service.

RALPH MAHLON BRANN, Hartford, Conn. (37317). Son of Wilbur Fisk and Mary C. (Stuart) Brann; grandson of Nathaniel and Mercy L. (Sturtevant) Brann; great-grandson of *Asa Sturtevant*, fifer and private, Fifth and Second Regts., Massachusetts Continental Troops.

HARRY C. BRENTON, Iowa (37664). Supplemental. Son of Archibald Glenn and Lydia A. (Weems) Brenton; grandson of James Baird and Elizabeth (Glenn) Brenton; great-grandson of Henry and Esther (Baird) Brenton; great²-grandson of *Thomas Baird*, private and clerk, Col. Abraham Smith's Regt., Eighth and Sixth Battalions, Pennsylvania Troops, pensioned; great-grandson of Archibald and Lydia (Rhodes) Glenn; great²-grandson of *Archibald* and Sarah (Ferguson) Glenn, private, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Militia and Rangers; great³-grandson of *Moses Ferguson*, private, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia and Rangers; great²-grandson of *Jacob* and Elizabeth (Furlon) Rhodes, private, Pennsylvania Militia and Frontier Rangers; great³-grandson of *Robert Furlon*, private, Capt. Joseph Ciska's Co., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.

AUSTIN BROCKENBROUGH, Richmond, Va. (38755). Son of Jno. Mercer and Austina (—) Brockenbrough, grandson of Moore Fauntleroy and Sarah (Smith) Brockenbrough, Jr.; great-grandson of Moore Fauntleroy and Lucy Rodne (Barnes) Brockenbrough; great²-grandson of *William Brockenbrough*, lieutenant, Richmond County, Virginia Militia.

BURTON SEYMOUR BROCKETT, New Haven, Conn. (37319). Son of James Seymour and Louisa Ann (Barnes) Brockett; grandson of Seymour and Laura (Hodge) Brockett; great-grandson of Benjamin and Rachel (Clark) Brockett; great²-grandson of *Hezekiah Brockett*, private, Capt. Samuel Bett's Co., Second Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line.

DAVID HODGE BROCKETT, New Haven, Conn. (37320). Son of James Seymour and Louisa Ann (Barnes) Brockett; grandson of Seymour and Laura (Hodge) Brockett; great-grandson of Benjamin and Rachel (Clark) Brockett; great²-grandson of *Hezekiah Brockett* (Brockett), private, Capt. Samuel Bett's Co., Second Regt., Connecticut Line.

CHARLES PLATT BROWN, El Dorado, Kans. (36748). Son of John C. and Mary E. (Gates) Brown; grandson of Nathan and Sally (Foote) Gates; great-grandson of *Jehiel Foote*, private, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.

DUDLEY CHARLES BROWN, Kansas City, Mo. (37617). Son of Dudley Parrish and Addie May (Gibbons) Brown; grandson of Harvey Rice and Howard Ellen Dudley (Parrish) Brown; great-grandson of Daniel and Theresa (Bartlett) Brown; great²-grandson of *William Bartlett*, Collector for Port of Beverly, Mass., and Member Committee of Safety and Correspondence.

EARLE BROWN, Minneapolis, Minn. (38323). Son of Cyrus Elwood and Jean (Martin) Brown; grandson of Cyrus S. and Mary (Burnham) Brown; great-grandson of Ephraim and Sibel (Wright) Brown; great²-grandson of *David Brown*, captain, Massachusetts Minute Men at Concord.

JAMES ALBERT BROWN, San Francisco, Cal. (38175). Son of Albert Vincent and Sylvia H. (Grover) Brown; grandson of James Lyman and Hannah Folsom (Elsemore) Grover; great-grandson of William and Lucy G. (Folsom) Elsemore; great²-grandson of John Dearborn and Hannah (Gooch) Folsom; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Folsom*, captain, Col. Waldron's Regt., New Hampshire Militia.

JAY AUSTIN BROWN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (39008). Son of John Phillips and Anna Z. (Whaley) Brown; grandson of Elisha Clayton and Jamima Josephine (Songer) Whaley; great-grandson of Washington and Sarah (Clayton) Whaley; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Whaley*, private, sergeant, sergeant-major, and captain, Loudoun County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.

RICHARD TUNIS BROWNE, JR., Dormant, Pa. (38685). Son of Richard Tunis and Florence (Huff) Browne; grandson of Samuel and Anna Van Zant (Polhemus) Browne; great-grandson of Garret Hart and Hannah S. (Coates) Heulings Polhemus; great²-grandson of Montgomery and Ann (Van Zant) Polhemus; great³-grandson of John and Susannah (Hart) Polhemus; great⁴-grandson of *John Hart*, Signer of the Declaration of Independence.

PHILANDER SHERIDAN BRADFORD, Columbus, Ohio (38883). Son of George Lane and Lucinda Jane (Cone) Bradford; grandson of Barton and Julia Ann (Walker) Cone; great-grandson of Jared and Elizabeth (Schoff) Cone; great²-grandson of *Philip Schoff*, private, Capt. Asia Hill's Co., Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

CHARLES MIDDLETON BRYAN, Memphis, Tenn. (38397). Son of Charles Bailey and Anne E. (Semmes) Bryan; grandson of Raphael and Anne E. (Spencer) Semmes; great-grandson of Oliver Marlborough and Electra (Oliver) Spencer; great²-grandson of *Oliver Spencer*, major and lieutenant-colonel, New Jersey Militia, colonel of one of the sixteen additional regiments.

JAMES HOWARD BUCK, Middletown, Pa. (38686). Son of Ed. and Emma (Dodson) Buck; grandson of John Chapin and Susanna (Trescott) Dodson; great-grandson of Luther and Eleanor (Parke) Trescott; great²-grandson of *Solon Trescott*, private, Col. John Fellow's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.

GEORGE WALTER BURKE, Atlanta, Ga. (36833). Son of John Battle and Lizzie (Overstreet) Burke; grandson of Boethius E. and Lueza F. (Clark) Burke; great-grandson of Robert Boethius Egan and Eleanor (McCullough) Burke; great²-grandson of Michal and Sarah (Forsyth) Armstrong; great³-grandson of *Robert Forsyth*, captain, Lee's Battalion of Light Dragoons; major, Virginia Militia.

VICTOR BURNETT, Massillon, Ohio (38882). Son of Albert and Hannah (Miller) Burnett; grandson of Henry and Catherine (Kelly) Miller; great-grandson of *Benjamin Miller*, private, Salem County, New Jersey Militia, and in Third Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line.

ALFRED FLOURNOY GRIGGS BURNSIDE, Columbia, S. C. (38718). Son of James Walter and Olivia America (McCants) Burnside; grandson of Allen Gautier and Olivia America (Towles) McCants; great-grandson of Robert James Pembroke and Caroline Elizabeth (Allen) McCants; great²-grandson of John Showell and Ruth (Linton) Allen; great³-grandson of *Samuel Linton*, quartermaster, Wade Hampton's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade; great²-grandson of James and Jane (McCants) McCants; great³-grandson of *Thomas McCants* (father of James), private, South Carolina Militia; great⁴-

grandson of *Nathaniel McCants* (father of Jane), private, Gen. Lincoln's South Carolina Troops at siege of Charleston.

MAURICE GWINN TOWLES BURNSIDE, Columbia, S. C. (38713). Son of James Walter and Olivia America (McCants) Burnside; grandson of Allen Gautier and Olivia America (Towles) McCants; great-grandson of Robert James Pembroke and Caroline Elizabeth (Allen) McCants; great²-grandson of John Showell and Ruth (Linton) Allen; great³-grandson of *Samuel Linton*, Quartermaster, Wade Hampton's Regt., Sumter's N. C. Brigade; great²-grandson of James and Jane (McCants) McCants; great³-grandson of *Thomas McCants* (father of James), private, South Carolina Militia; great³-grandson of *Nathaniel McCants* (father of Jane), private, Gen. Lincoln's South Carolina Regt. at siege of Charleston.

FRANK LEANDER BUSH, New Bethlehem, Pa. (38695). Son of Henry and Mary Jane (Hutchison) Bush; grandson of Philip and Mary (Quarters) Hutchison; great-grandson of *Cornelius Hutchison*, private, Col. Stewart's Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line; pensioned.

RICHARD EVELYN BYRD, Richmond, Va. (38758). Son of William and Jennie (Rivers) Byrd; grandson of Richard Evelyn and Ann (Harrison) Byrd; great-grandson of *Benjamin Harrison*, captain and major, Thirteenth Regt. Virginia Cont'l Troops, member of State Council and House of Delegates.

WILLIAM ARTMAN CAINE, Wadsworth, Ohio (38887). Son of Lewis O. Z. and Mabelle (Artman) Caine; grandson of William E. and Mary (Kremer) Artman; great-grandson of Charles and Anna (McKnight) Artman; great²-grandson of William and Susannah (Boyer) McKnight; great³-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Gillin) McKnight, private Northumberland County, Pa. Militia and Cont'l Troops; great⁴-grandson of *William McKnight*, member Northumberland County, Pa., Committee of Safety.

FRANK ELWOOD CALKINS, Toledo, Ohio (38878). Son of Harvey and Louisa (Smith) Calkins; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Rice) Calkins; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Calkins*, private Capt. John Vaughan's Independent Co. of Twelfth Regt., Connecticut Militia.

GEORGE HATHAWAY CANFIELD, San Francisco, Cal. (38976). Son of Charles William and Ada Allen (Hathaway) Canfield; grandson of George and Adeline (Cohenour) Canfield; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Cunningham) Canfield; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Canfield*, private, Westchester County, New York Militia.

GEORGE REMEY CANFIELD, Kearny, N. J. (38733). Son of Burton E. and Millie B. (Remy) Canfield; grandson of George D. and Harriet (Hadley) Canfield; great-grandson of Halsey and Lucy Ann (Hoyt) Hadley; great²-grandson of David Cole and Betsey (Frost) Hoyt; great³-grandson of *Joseph Frost*, private, Fairfield, Conn., Militia and Cont'l Troops; great³-grandson of *Jared Hoyt*, private, Sixth Troop, Col. Sheldon's Connecticut Light Dragoons.

HUGH JOHN CAPERTON, Louisville, Ky. (38578). Son of John Hays and Virginia (Standiford) Caperton; grandson of John and Mary (Guthrie) Caperton; great-grandson of James and Eliza Churchill (Prather) Guthrie; great²-grandson of Richard and Mary (Churchill), Prather; great³-grandson of *Armistead Churchill*, colonel, Second Battalion, Farquier County, Va., Militia.

CARL WILLARD CARDEN, Winfield, Iowa (37671). Son of Willard S. and Jennie (Lindley) Carden; grandson of Alvah and Rachel (Van Syoc) Lindley; great-grandson of Timothy and Ruth (Axtell) Lindley; great²-grandson of *Thomas Axtell*, captain, Fifth Co., Fourth Battalion, Washington County, Pennsylvania Militia.

HOWARD BOBO CARLISLE, Spartanburg, S. C. (38712). Son of John Wilson and Louisa (Bobo) Carlisle; grandson of Simpson and Nancy (Foster) Bobo; great-grandson of Burwell and Elizabeth (Roebuck) Bobo; great²-grandson of *Sampson Bobo*, private, Col. Brandon's Regt., Union County, South Carolina Militia.

HAROLD FRANKLIN CARLTON, Montclair, N. J. (38729). Son of William Franklin and Fannie (Davis) Carlton; grandson of William Jackson and Catharine Fidelia (Barrie) Carlton; great-grandson of Joshua and Susanna (Chamberlain) Carlton; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Carlton*, private, Col. Enoch Hale's Regt., New Hampshire Militia and Cont'l service.

E. ARTHUR CARR, Lincoln, Nebr. (38504). Son of George Washington and Hannah Jane (Everhart) Carr; grandson of William and Jane (Stanford) Carr; great-grandson of *Peter Carr*, private, Bergen County, N. J., Militia, Light Horsemen and State Troops.

CHARLES HERBERT CARROLL, Concord, N. H. (36264). Son of Lysander Herbert and Annett Josephine (Blake) Carroll; grandson of Mansel and Olive (Wadleigh) Blake; great-grandson of Jesse and Betsey (Paige) Blake; great²-grandson of Jesse and Dolly (—) Blake; great³-grandson of *John Blake*, private, New Hampshire Militia.

BENJAMIN LAWRENCE CASEY, Toronto, Ohio (38881). Son of John Stanton and Hannah (Myers) Casey; grandson of Michael and Hannah K. (Bowles) Myers; great-grandson of George and Hannah (Robb) Myers; great²-grandson of *Michael Myers*, Captain, Virginia Scouts in border warfare.

EDWARD CLARK CHAMBERLAIN, Dayton, Ohio (38888). Son of Israel Clark and Harriet (May) Chamberlain, Jr.; grandson of Israel Clark and Nancy (Compton) Chamberlain; great-grandson of *Joseph Compton*, private, Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia and captain of Guerrillas.

J. WARREN CLARK, Detroit, Mich. (38787). Son of Harney and Mary (Morley) Clark; grandson of William and Margaret (Terfos) Clark; great-grandson of *Noah Clark*, private Eastern Battalion, Morris County, N. J., Militia.

BOWEN ELIPHA CLARKSON, Kingstree, S. C. (38705). Son of William John and Mary Jane (Gordon) Clarkson; grandson of William Nicoll and Margaret O'Hear (Fabian) Clarkson; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Floyd) Clarkson; great²-grandson of *William Floyd*, colonel, First Regt. Suffolk County, New York Militia, delegate to Cont'l Congress and Signer of the Declaration of Independence.

CLYDE BURR CLISBY, Youngstown, Ohio (38097). Son of Frank Asa and Charlotte (Harrison) Clisby; grandson of John Wesley and Rhoda (Ketcham) Clisby; great-grandson of William and Hopestill Tryon (Woodworth) Harrison; great²-grandson of *Ezra Woodworth*, private, Fourth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, pensioned.

GUY PARKE CONGER, Oak Park, Ill. (38466). Son of Seth B. and Ella Adele (Olmstead) Conger; grandson of Lauren C. and Amanda (Hasbrook) Conger; great-grandson of Uzziah and Hannah (West) Conger; great²-grandson of *James Conger*, private, Fifth Regt., Albany County, N. Y., State Troops.

JESSE ROBERT COOPER, New Castle, Pa. (39009). Son of Robert and Elizabeth (Pence) Copper; grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Stoner) Pence; great-grandson of *John Stoner*, private, lieutenant and captain, Lancaster County, Pa., Troops.

THOMAS ARMITAGE CORY, U. S. Navy, Ark. (31774). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Moses and Emma Josephine (Armitage) Cory; grandson of Azro Buck and Rhoda Scott (Hart) Cory; great-grandson of Thomas Robbins and Lytta (Howe) Cory; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer and Joanna (Fletcher) Cory*; great³-grandson of *Ebenezer Fletcher*, private, Col. William Prescott's Regt., Massachusetts Minute-Men, at Lexington Alarm.

HENRY WILSON CRANE, Elizabeth, N. J. (38498). Son of John Williams and Anna Elizabeth (Wilson) Crane; grandson of Moses Miller and Phoebe Stills (Williams) Crane; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Crane*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.

JOHN WILLIAMS CRANE, Elizabeth, N. J. (38499). Son of Henry Wilson and Alice M. (Earl) Crane; grandson of John Williams and Anna Elizabeth (Wilson) Crane; great-grandson of Moses Miller and Phoebe Stiles (Williams) Crane; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Crane*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.

GEORGE WILLIAM CUMBLER, Elmhurst, N. Y. (38696). Son of Charles C. and Sara Eve (Fortney) Cumblér; grandson of William Henry and Anne Margaret Weibly; great-grandson of Joseph H. and Margaretta (Shrom) Weibly; great²-grandson of Joseph and Ann (Fleming) Shrom; great³-grandson of *William Fleming*, private and sergeant, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

ELLIOTT BARRINGTON DAVIS, Jr., Berkeley, Calif. (38977). Son of Elliott B. and Mary Warren (Wilhelm) Davis; grandson of Edward Loring and Emily Orlina (Sanderson) Davis; great-grandson of Alpheus and Sallie Closson (White) Sanderson; great²-grandson of Amos G. and Abigail (Marvin) White; great³-grandson of *Seth and Julia*

- (Little) *Marvin*, captain, Fourth Regt. Orange County, New York Militia; great-grandson of *Elihu Marvin*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Cornwall Regt., New York Militia.
- MICHAEL MARKS DAVIS, JR., White Plains, N. Y. (38828). Son of Michael Marks and Miriam (Peixotto) Davis; grandson of Daniel Levi Maduro and Rachel (Seixas) Peixotto; great-grandson of *Benjamin Mendes Seixas*, officer, New York City Militia.
- LAKE EDWIN DAVISSON, Nevada, Iowa (37666). Son of Murlin J. and Grace E. (Boozel) Davisson; grandson of Alexander Herron and Susan (Griffith) Davisson; great-grandson of Jesse and Nancy (McIntosh) Davisson; great-grandson of *Josiah Davisson*, private, First and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Line and Captain Virginia Militia.
- CHARLES CLIFTON DeLONG, Sadorus, Ill. (38467). Son of Edwin B. and Bertha (Attebery) De Long; grandson of Charles and Mary E. (Roberts) Attebery; great-grandson of Louis and Clementina (Talking) Attebery; great-grandson of Melchesdic and Mary (Peebles) Attebery; great-grandson of *John Peebles*, private, Gen. Francis Marion's Regt., South Carolina Troops, pensioned.
- WILLIAM FREDERICK DIBRELL, Waldensia, Tenn. (38394). Son of Jefferson and Cora (Taylor) Dibrell; grandson of George Gibbs and Mary E. (Leftwich) Dibrell; great-grandson of Anthony and Milly (Carter) Dibrell; great-grandson of *Charles Dibrell*, private, Buckenham County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- DAYTON AUGUSTINE DOYLE, JR., Akron, Ohio (38099). Son of Dayton A. and Ida M. (Westfall) Doyle; grandson of Jepeth and Julia A. (Myers) Westfall; great-grandson of Abraham and Nancy Sutton (English) Westfall, Jr.; great-grandson of *Abraham Westfall*, private, Col. Du Boise's Regt., New York Cont'l Line, captain Col. Albert Pawling's Regt., New York Levies, pensioned.
- FRANK W. DOYLE, Akron, Ohio (38886). Son of Dayton A. and Ida M. (Westfall) Doyle; grandson of Jepeth and Julia A. (Myers) Westfall; great-grandson of Abraham and Nancy Sutton (English) Westfall; great-grandson of *Abraham Westfall*, captain, Col. Albert Pawling's New York Levies and in Lieut.-Col. Marinus Willett's Levies for Frontier Defense, pensioned.
- CHARLES CARLYLE DRISCOLL, La Fayette, Ind. (38283). Son of James and Mary Jane (Morris) Driscoll; grandson of Cornelius and Dortha (Laborn) Morris, Jr.; great-grandson of *Cornelius Morris*, private and wagoner, Maryland Militia and Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- ARTHUR EILERT DRUCKER, Urbana, Ill. (38468). Son of Eilert and Emma Florence (Cootey) Drucker; grandson of Lawrence and Emily (Buckman) Cootey; great-grandson of Abner and Polly (Perkins) Buckman; great-grandson of *John Perkins*, mariner on Ship "Warren," private, Col. Jacob's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- HENRY DEAN CHURCH DUBOIS, Edgewood, R. I. (38340). Son of Henry Joseph Church and Eoline Glenmore (Dean) Dubois; grandson of Edward Church and Emma (Davison) Dubois; great-grandson of Edward and Marie Phillipe (Dubois) Church; great-grandson of *Edward Church*, Member Massachusetts First Provincial Congress of 1774 and of Committee of Correspondence.
- LLOYD DUNLAP, Stewart, Minn. (38961). Son of Walter Clarence and Mindola Emma (Briggs) Dunlap; grandson of Nathan Draper and Harriet (Doud) Dunlap; great-grandson of Josiah and Mary (Draper) Dunlap; great-grandson of *William Dunlap*, sergeant, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- FRED EASTMAN, Omaha, Nebr. (38505). Son of George Merritt and Mary Louisa (Barrett) Eastman; grandson of Dyer and Clarissa Louisa (Clark) Barrett; great-grandson of Calvin and Abigail (Kendall) Barrett; great-grandson of *James Barrett*, private, Col. Roger Enos' Regt., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of *Benjamin Barrett*, private, Col. Roger Enos' Regt., Connecticut Militia; grandson of Leander and Mary (Merritt) Eastman; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Marilla (—) Eastman; great-grandson of Abraham Dayton and (—) Eastman; great-grandson of *Joseph Eastman*, Bonder for Maryland Brigantine "Nancy" and Schooner "Laurens."
- ELMER VERNON EDDER, New Bethlehem, Pa. (38687). Son of Frank Henry and Margaret (Gibson) Edder; grandson of George Washington and Mary Isabel (Travis) Edder; great-grandson of Samuel and Margaret B. (Thom) Travis; great-grandson of

- Robert and Lydia (Moorhead) Thom; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Craig) Thom; great-grandson of *Samuel Craig*, lieutenant, Westmoreland County, Pa., Militia.
- WILLIAM ROSS EDDER, New Bethlehem, Pa. (38688). Son of George Washington and Mary Isabel (Travis) Edder; grandson of Samuel and Margaret B. (Thom) Travis; great-grandson of Robert and Lydia (Moorhead) Thom; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Craig) Thom; great-grandson of *Samuel Craig*, lieutenant, Westmoreland County, Pa., Militia.
- EDWIN E. EDGAR, Troy, Ohio (38100). Son of George M. and Mary (Brindle) Edgar; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Hudnell) Edgar; great-grandson of *John Hudnell*, private, Bedford County, Va., Militia, pensioned.
- JOHN CAMPBELL EDGAR, Troy, Ohio (38876). Son of Edwin E. and Elizabeth (Campbell) Edgar; grandson of John M. and Anna (Career) Campbell; great-grandson of Michael G. and Sarah (Davis) Career; great-grandson of John and (—) (Byrn) Davis; great-grandson of *John Byrn*, private, Loudoun County, Va., Militia, pensioned; grandson of George M. and Mary (Brindle) Edgar; great-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Hudnell) Edgar; great-grandson of *John Hudnell*, private, Bedford County, Va., Militia, pensioned.
- HARRY WILLIAMSON EVANS, Nashville, Tenn. (38398). Son of William Henry and Margaret (Williamson) Evans; grandson of David Lewis and Mary (Wyche) Evans; great-grandson of *Elijah Evans*, captain, Col. Rawling's Maryland Cont'l Regt.
- WILLIAM EVANS, Norfolk, Va. (34205). Supplementals. Son of Daniel Corwin and Mary Louise (Hartwell) Evans; grandson of William and Rosetta (Corwin) Evans; great-grandson of John and Jean (Grubb) Evans, Jr., private, Sixth Battalion, Lancaster County, Pa., Militia; great-grandson of *John Evans*, private Capt. Robert Campbell's Co., Lancaster County, Pa., Militia; great-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Little) Corwin; great-grandson of *Silas Corwin*, signer, of Long Island, N. Y., Engagement to support Congress.
- CHARLES EUGENE EVERETT, Hibbing, Minn. (38963). Son of Charles Edwin and Lucretia N. (Chapman) Everett; grandson of William A. and Mary (Twitchell) Everett; great-grandson of *Josiah Everett, Jr.*, private Col. McIntosh's Regt., Massachusetts Militia and marine on Massachusetts ship "Tartar."
- FREDERICK C. EWART, Sewickley, Pa. (38700). Son of Samuel and Mary (Brackenridge) Ewart; grandson of Alexander and Mary (Porter) Brackenridge; great-grandson of *Hugh Henry Brackenridge*, Chaplain, Pennsylvania Troops.
- GEORGE B. EWING, San Francisco, Calif. (38978). Son of William Wallace and Sarah Alice (Bumbarger) Ewing; grandson of Jacob and Lucy Packard (Foster) Bumbarger; great-grandson of Job and Hannah (Packard) Foster; great-grandson of *Mark Packard*, private and sergeant, Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIE EAST FERGUSON, York, S. C. (38722). Son of John Gaston and Rhoda Lawrence (Grist) Ferguson; grandson of John Ellis and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Grist; great-grandson of Ison and Rhoda (Lawrence) Grist; great-grandson of *John Grist*, lieutenant, Col. William Campbell's Regt., Virginia Militia.
- GEORGE CURTIS FISHER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38689). Son of Richardson and Ellen (Thompson) Fisher; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Richardson) Fisher; great-grandson of *Paul Fisher*, private, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JAMES GARDNER FLORANCE, Richmond, Va. (38759). Son of William Edward and Mary Phillips (Gardner) Florance; grandson of James Henry and Phebe (Phillips) Gardner; great-grandson of *James Gardner*, ensign, Woburn, Mass., Militia and Cont'l service.
- PHILIP JOSEPH FLYNN, Dubuque, Iowa (37667). Son of Philip John and Norah (Corcoran) Flynn; grandson of Thomas and Margaret (Delahunty) Flynn; great-grandson of *Thomas Flinn (Flynn)*, captain of Schooner "Dove," captured and imprisoned.
- STEPHEN ALFRED FORBES, Urbana, Ill. (38469). Son of Isaac Sawyer and Agnes (Van Hoesen) Forbes; grandson of John and Ann (Sawyer) Forbes; great-grandson of *Stephen Forbes*, private, Col. Dike's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; grandson of Francis

- and Eva (Oudt) Van Hoesen; great-grandson of *Garret Van Hoesen*, private, Albany County, N. Y., Militia and also Cont'l Line.
- ROBERT LEA FORSYTHE, Ben Avon, Pa. (39001). Son of Joseph Pusey and Aurelia (Vaughan) Forsythe; grandson of George and Phebe Ward (Derickson) Vaughan; great-grandson of David and Mary (Vincent) Derickson; great²-grandson of *Cornelius Vincent*, Ranger, Capt. Wilton Atkinson's Co., 12th Regt., Pennsylvania Troops.
- ARTHUR EDWIN FOWLE, Toledo, Ohio (38892). Son of Edwin Monroe and Sarah (Hatch-Miller) Fowle; grandson of William Nichols and Sarahann (Hatch) Miller; great-grandson of Prince and Sarah (McIntyre) Hatch; great²-grandson of *Elisha Hatch*, lieutenant, Sixth Co., Third Regt., Lincoln County, Massachusetts Militia.
- PETER FRANCISCO, East Orange, N. J. (38734). Son of Francis Arnold and Margaret (Wagner) Francisco; grandson of Cornelius and Margaret Canfield (Ogden) Francisco; great-grandson of *Peter Francisco*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- MORRIS MAYFIELD FREEMAN, Claremont, N. H. (So. Car. 38703). Son of John Mayfield and Mary Minerva (Patrick) Freeman; grandson of John Hendrix and Nancy (Mitchell) Patrick; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Moulder) Mitchell; great²-grandson of *William Wilber Mitchell*, private, Georgia Cont'l Troops.
- PHILIP RAY FREEMAN, Eastover, S. C. (23350). Son of John Mayfield and Mary (Patrick) Freeman; grandson of John Hendrix and Nancy (Mitchell) Patrick; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Moulder) Mitchell; great²-grandson of *William Wilbur Mitchell*, private, Georgia Cont'l Troops.
- GERVAIS GARRETT, Bossier Parish, La. (38535). Son of Absalom M. and Alabama (Wagoner) Garrett; grandson of Abraham and Frances (Alston) Garrett; great-grandson of David and Susanna (Strother) Alston; great²-grandson of John and Mary (Boyd) Alston; great³-grandson of *Philip Alston*, major, Cumberland County, N. C. Militia.
- FRANCIS WARRINGTON GILLET, Brooklandville, Md. (38628). Son of George Martin and Mary Frances (Koons) Gillet; grandson of George Musgrave and Antoinette (Jacobson) Gillet; great-grandson of Martin and Eliza (Edwards) Gillet; great²-grandson of Joseph and Mary (Mines) Gillet; great³-grandson of *Jonathan Gillet*, lieutenant, 17th Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, prisoner, pensioned.
- GEORGE MARTIN GILLET, Brooklandville, Md. (38629). Same as Frances Warrington Gillet, Md. (38628).
- CARROLL CHETWYN GILLETTE, Monroe, La. (38536). Son of Cyrenus Gregory and Mattie Carmella (Smith) Gillette; grandson of Abraham and Fannie (Burnette) Smith; great-grandson of *Leavin (Levin, Levi) Smith*, private, Clarke County, Georgia Militia.
- CHARLES LEWIS GILMAN, Minneapolis, Minn. (38951). Son of Samuel Charles and Hattie Frances (Clark) Gilman; grandson of Charles A. and Hester (Cronk) Gilman; great-grandson of Charles and Eliza (Page) Gilman; great²-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Jones) Gilman; great³-grandson of Samuel and Alice (Gilman) Gilman; great⁴-grandson of *Antipas* (father of Alice), *Gilman*, delegate to New Hampshire Provincial Congress of 1775, and signer of Association Test.
- JAMES GAMEWELL GLAES, Orlando, Fla. (So. Car. 38707). Son of Peter Bryce and Ella Rebecca (Tradewell) Glass; grandson of James Douthit and Elizabeth Christiana (Boatwright) Tradewell; great-grandson of Benjamin and Eliza M. (Bird) Tradewell; great²-grandson of *Reuben Tradewell*, private and lieutenant, Gen. Francis Marion's Regt., South Carolina Militia and State Troops, pensioned; grandson of John and Susan Roindexter (Sneed) Glass, Jr.; great-grandson of John and Mary (Vallotton) Glass; great²-grandson of *David Moses Vallotton*, Georgia patriot, imprisoned on British ship "Nancy" for refusing to join British forces.
- HAROLD HORTON GOLDING, U. S. Army, Fort Slocum, N. Y. (38417). Son of William H. and Ella F. (Horton) Golding; grandson of William and Salina (Tomkins) Horton; great-grandson of Ambrose and Nancy (Lyon) Tomkins; great²-grandson of Enos and Sarah (Condit) Tomkins; great³-grandson of *David Condit*, major and lieutenant-colonel, Essex County, N. J., Militia; great⁴-grandson of *Joseph Tomkins (Tompkins)*, private, Second Regt., Essex County, N. J. Militia; great²-grandson of Enos and Naome (Jones) Lyon; great³-grandson of *Cornelius Jones*, private, Essex County, N. J., Militia.

- FREDERICK PROCTOR GORIN, Seattle, Wash. (36670). Son of Marcellus Gladden and Joanna (Knott) Gorin; grandson of Bartley William and Mary (Johnson) Gorin; great-grandson of John D. and Martha (Thomas) Gorin; great²-grandson of Henry and Sarah (Pell) Gorin; great³-grandson of *John Gorin (Goren)*, private, Virginia Militia.
- HAROLD MOFFET GOULD, Detroit, Mich. (38777). Son of Wallace White and Ida (Moffet) Gould; grandson of Henry Burr and Mary E. (White) Gould; great-grandson of Stephen and Eliza Smith (Marvin) White; great²-grandson of Stephen and Mary (Quintard) White; great³-grandson of *Stephen White*, captain Sixth Co., 12th Regt., Albany County, N. Y., Militia.
- J. DE LOSS GRANT, Sioux Falls, S. Dak (38851). Son of John Dodge and Angeline (Carpenter) Grant; grandson of Thomas and Anna (Wright) Carpenter; great-grandson of *Thomas Carpenter*, private New York Levies and Fourth Regt., Westchester County, N. Y. Militia.
- STEWART HORATIO GRAVES, Rice, Minn. (38952). Son of Willis Alviro and Emily Eugenia (Carlton) Graves; grandson of Sylvanus and Eliza Ann (Thraser) Graves; great-grandson of John and Jerusha (Campbell) Graves; great²-grandson of *Bela Graves*, private, Seventeenth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- MONTE LEE GREEN, Garrett, Ind. (38284). Son of Jesse H. and Louise D. (Beach) Green; grandson of Stephen and Ann (Penteney) Beach; great-grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Sherwood) Beach; great²-grandson of *Zerah Beach*, quartermaster and ensign, Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- SAMUEL FOWLER GREEN, Toledo, Ohio (Nebr. 38510). Son of Eleazer Mastin and Jules L. (Fowler) Green; grandson of Francis and Eveline (Van Vechten) Fowler; great-grandson of Cornelius and Caroline (Thayer) Van Vechten; great²-grandson of Walter and Jane (Fonda) Van Vechten; great³-grandson of *Derrick Van Vechten*, major, Fourteenth Regt., New York Militia.
- JUDSON ROY GRIFFIN, Elkhart, Ind. (38470). Son of Arthur L. and Minerva Jane (Beers) Griffin; grandson of Jemes and Alice (Cootey) Griffin; great-grandson of Lawrence and Emily (Buckman) Cootey; great²-grandson of Abner and Polly (Perkins) Buckman; great³-grandson of *John Perkins*, marine on ship "Warren," private, Col. Jacob's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- ALBERT MASON GRIST, York, S. C. (38714). Son of Lewis Mason and Frances Vienna (Vise) Grist; grandson of John Ellis and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Grist; great-grandson of Isom and Rhoda (Lawrence) Grist; great²-grandson of *John Grist*, lieutenant, Col. William Campbell's Regt., Virginia Militia.
- WOOD DAVIDSON GRIST, York, S. C. (38706). Son of Lewis M. and Frances Vienna (Vise) Grist; grandson of John E. and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Grist; great-grandson of Isom Grist; great²-grandson of *John Grist*, lieutenant, Col. William Campbell's Regt., Virginia Militia.
- SIDNEY GROSVENOR, Schenectady, N. Y. (38420). Son of Nelson and Delana (Cramer) Grosvenor; grandson of George and Katherine (Best) Grosvenor; great-grandson of Amasa and Phoebe (Kenyon) Grosvenor; great²-grandson of *Moses Grosvenor*, sergeant, Eleventh Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- AMOS GUSEMAN, Cornland, Ill. (38471). Son of Jacob and Christeena (Wolf) Guseman; grandson of *Abraham Guseman*, private, Berkeley County, Va., Militia.
- WALLACE CLARE HALL, Highland Park, Mich. (38782). Son of Charles Lewis and Ellen Sophia (Greeley) Hall; grandson of Philetus Doty and Mary (Wanamaker) Hall; great-grandson of Jonas and Anna Sanford (Doty) Hall; great²-grandson of *John Hall*, five-major, Orange County, N. Y., Militia; great³-grandson of Archibald and Ann (Sanford) Doty; great⁴-grandson of *Esra Sanford*, private, Fourth Regt., Orange County, N. Y., Militia.
- DON PETERS HALSEY, JR., Lynchburg, Va. (38760). Son of Don Peters and Sarah A. (Daniel) Halsey; grandson of William and Sarah A. (Warwick) Daniel; great-grandson of William and Margaret (Baldwin) Daniel; great²-grandson of *Cornelius Baldwin*, surgeon, Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.

- HALE FANEUIL HAMILTON, Dayton, Ohio (38879). Son of Wilson S. and Mary Floyd (Roberts) Hamilton; grandson of William and Mary (Moore) Roberts; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (—) Roberts; great²-grandson of *William Roberts*, captain, lieutenant-colonel and colonel, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JOSEPH VICTOR HARRIS, Oak Park, Ill. (38472). Son of Israel John and Emily (Nelson) Harris; grandson of Joseph and Matilda Caroline (Hart) Harris; great-grandson of James and Rebecca C. (Jennings) Harris; great²-grandson of Israel and Elizabeth (Mead) Harris, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Israel Harris*, lieutenant and captain, Col. Benjamin Simond's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CHARLES H. HARRISON, Irvington, N. J. (38730). Son of Edwin Deemas and Emma E. (Ash) Harrison; grandson of Charles W. and Mary A. (Bodwell) Harrison; great-grandson of Delmas and Rhoda (Tuttle) Harrison; great²-grandson of *Joseph Harrison*, ensign, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- HARVEY LEE HARWOOD, Richmond, Va. (36575). Son of Samuel White and Sarah (Ritter) Harwood; grandson of Robert H. and Mary Elizabeth (White) Harwood; great-grandson of *Thomas Harwood, Jr.*, lieutenant, York County, Virginia Militia.
- GEORGE HENRY HAVENS, Providence, R. I. (38341). Son of Jonathan and Abbie (Holdridge) Havens; grandson of Jonathan and Catherine (Gallup) Havens; great-grandson of Jesse and Catherine (Fish) Gallup; great²-grandson of *Benadam Gallup*, major, Second Battalion, Wadsworth Connecticut Brigade, Militia service and Member of War Committees.
- JOHN TENNYSON HAYNES, Sandusky, Ohio (38098). Son of Moses H. and Sarah (Hunter) Haynes; grandson of John and Ruth (Harriman) Haynes; great-grandson of *Daniel Haynes*, private, Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE CORTES HAZARD, Providence, R. I. (38342). Son of George Joy and Helen Frances (Darling) Hazard; grandson of George Potter and Rachel (Joy) Hazard; great-grandson of John Boss and Mary (Potter) Hazard; great²-grandson of *Anthony Potter*, captain, Cranston, Rhode Island Militia.
- SHADRACH ABRAM HEDGES, Middletown, Md. (38632). Son of Shadrach and Mary Magdalene (Miller) Hedges; grandson of *Charles Hedges*, signer of the Frederick County, Maryland Association.
- ARTHUR REYNOLDS HICKMAN, Kirkwood, Mo. (37618). Son of Frank Moore and Jane (Belt) Hickman; grandson of Benjamin Franklin and Mary Elizabeth (Moore) Hickman; great-grandson of Benjamin and Frances (Littlepage) Hickman; great²-grandson of *William Hickman*, private, Virginia Cont'l Line.
- FRANK MOORE HICKMAN, Kirkwood, Mo. (37619). Son of Benjamin Franklin and Mary Elizabeth (Moore) Hickman; grandson of Benjamin and Frances (Littlepage) Hickman; great-grandson of *William Hickman*, private, Virginia Cont'l Line.
- FRANK EDWIN HILTON, Portland, Ore. (37499). Son of George Oliver and Mary Elizabeth (Luce) Hilton; grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Coombs) Hilton; great-grandson of Andrew and Deborah (Gilman) Hilton; great²-grandson of *Samuel Gilman*, captain, Second Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops, pensioned; member from Newmarket, N. H., to General Assembly and of Committee of Safety.
- FRANK HOWARD HILTON, Portland, Ore. (37500). Son of Frank Edwin and Georgie Elstner Hilton; grandson of George Oliver and Mary Elizabeth (Luce) Hilton; great-grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Coombs) Hilton; great²-grandson of Andrew and Deborah (Gilman) Hilton; great³-grandson of *Samuel Gilman*, captain, Second Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops, pensioned; member from Newmarket to General Assembly and of Committee of Safety.
- RALPH N. HOLDRIDGE, Detroit, Mich. (38780). Son of Eleazar Slocum and Emma (Spear) Holdridge; grandson of Eleazar and Mehitabel (Stone) Holdridge; great-grandson of Felix and Deborah (Slocum) Holdridge; great²-grandson of *Eleazar Slocum*, private, Thirtieth Regt., Albany County, New York Militia.
- STEPHEN JOSEPH HERBEN, Jr., Maplewood, N. J. (38741). Son of Stephen Joseph and Grace Ida (Foster) Herben; grandson of John Ounimus and Caroline Amelia (Bolles) Foster; great-grandson of John I. and Sarah (Hegeman) Foster; great²-grandson of John

- and Hannah (Batton) Hegeman; great³-grandson of *Henry Batton*, first and orderly sargeant, Col. Gaddis' and Col. Minor's Regts., Pennsylvania Militia.
- HENRY KIRKWOOD HUBER, Torrington, Wyo. (38255). Son of Henry L. and Mary (Bell) Huber; grandson of John S. and Harriett A. (Newell) Huber; great-grandson of Elisha and Lucy (Caulkins) Newell; great²-grandson of *Roswell Caulkins*, private, Col. Chandler's and Col. Isaac Sherman's Regts., Connecticut Militia.
- HALLAN LEWIS HUFFMAN, Benridge, Minn. (38953). Son of Charles Albert Sherman and Abbie (Lewis) Huffman; grandson of Willis Dewitt C. and Abigail (Girdler) Lewis; great-grandson of Benjamin Ingersol and Abigail (Sargent) Girdler; great²-grandson of Isaac and Mary (Harriman) Sargent; great³-grandson of *Nehemiah Sargent*, private, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- OLIVER DENNETT HUTCHINSON, Minneapolis, Minn. (38954). Son of Asa B. and Elizabeth (Chace) Hutchinson; grandson of Jesse and Mary or "Polly" (Leavitt) Hutchinson; great-grandson of *Elisha Hutchinson*, quartermaster sergeant, Col. Israel Hutchinson's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ROBERT FENNER JACKSON, JR., Nashville, Tenn. (38399). Son of Robert Fenner and Nannie (Baxter) Jackson; grandson of Nathaniel and Laura (Lavender) Baxter, Jr.; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Mary Louise (Jones) Baxter; great²-grandson of John Ridley and Martha (Lane) Jones; great³-grandson of John and Sarah Elizabeth (Jones) Lane; great⁴-grandson of *Joel Lane*, member North Carolina Provincial Congress of 1775 and of Council of Safety.
- HENRY FELDER JENNINGS, Columbia, S. C. (38711). Son of John Franklin and Augusta (Moorer) Jennings; grandson of Henry Hilliard and Amelia A. (Wolf) Jennings; great-grandson of John and Mary (Stroman) Jennings; great²-grandson of Philip and — (Vernon) Jennings, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Philip Jennings*, Commissioner for Opening Navigation in Edisto River, South Carolina, and active in furnishing provisions to Troops; grandson of Henry M. and Sarah Ann (Felder) Moorer; great-grandson of Henry and Mary (Dantzer) Moorer; great²-grandson of *Henry Moorer*, lieutenant in Jacob Ott's Co., Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Troops; great²-grandson of *Jacob Dantzer*, private, Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Troops; great-grandson of Henry and Ann Catherine (Huse) Felder; great²-grandson of *Henry Felder*, private, South Carolina Militia; great²-grandson of *Jacob Stroman*, private, Orangeburgh County, South Carolina Militia.
- LYMAN HENRY JOHNSON, New Haven, Conn. (37321). Son of Lyman Humiston and Mary Lucinda (Bishop) Johnson; grandson of David Chittenden and Lucinda (Baldwin) Bishop; great-grandson of Jonathan Chittenden and Julia (Tyler) Bishop; great²-grandson of *James Bishop*, private and sergeant, Guilford, Connecticut Militia, widow pensioned.
- JOHN HENRY JOHNSON, Allendale, S. C. (38708). Son of John William and Lorena (Bowman) Johnson; grandson of Reddick Asbury and Mary M. Rebecca (Murray) Bowman; great-grandson of Isaac and Elizabeth (Koger) Murray; great²-grandson of Joseph and Mrs. — (Koger) Milhous Koger; great³-grandson of *Joseph Koger*, captain, Colleton County, South Carolina Militia; grandson of Henry Loring and Linna Agnes (Smith) Johnson; great-grandson of John Greggby and Matilda Ann (Rice) Smith; great²-grandson of William and Martha (Tindal) Rice; great³-grandson of *Aaron Rice*, private, South Carolina Militia.
- MANION FRANCIS JONES, Lawton, Okla. (35248). Son of Charles Neilson and Sarah Elizabeth (Boyd) Jones; grandson of Richard Manson and Sarah Lewis Hale (Neilson) Jones; great-grandson of Philip Hale and Sarah Baddily (Howarth) Neilson; great²-grandson of Benjamin and Elizabeth Carter (Marion) Howarth; great³-grandson of *Joseph Marion*, private, Second Regt., South Carolina Militia.
- FRANK MORTIMER JORDAN, Norwalk, Conn. (N. Y. 38425). Son of Linwood Forest and Hattie Amanda (Cheney) Jordan; grandson of Joseph Franklin and Mary A. (Foster) Cheney; great-grandson of Gilbert Nichols and Amanda (Adams) Cheney; great²-grandson of Joseph and Sukey (Stratton) Cheney; great³-grandson of *Jesse Cheney (Cheeney)*, private, Col. Perry's and Col. Reed's Regts., New Hampshire Militia; great³-grandson of *Elisha Stratton*, private Weston, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.

GEORGE RANNELLS KALER, Detroit, Mich. (38783). Son of George and Sarah (Rannels) Kaler; grandson of Watson and Charlotte (Jones) Rannels; great-grandson of David and Maria (Bothwell) Jones; great-grandson of James and Charlotte (Potter) Bothwell; great-grandson of *John Potter*, captain, New Jersey Militia and State Troops.

PETER ROBERTS KEELS, Greelyville, S. C. (38710). Son of Robert Bradford and Augusta (Rhodus) Keels; grandson of Peter Roberts and Magadeline (China) Keels; great-grandson of Peter Roberts and Eliza (—) Keels; great-grandson of *John Keels*, private, South Carolina Militia.

DAVID HENRY KELLER, Ia. (35998). Supplemental. Son of James E. M. and Laura A. (Whitesell) Keller; grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (George) Whitesell; great-grandson of Abraham and Christiana (Meyers) George; great-grandson of Adam and Catherine (Glass) Meyers; great-grandson of *Michael* and Christina (Hubler) Glass, private, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia; great-grandson of *Jacob Hubler*, Member, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Committee of Observation.

HOWARD DAY KELLOGG, Peoria, Ill. (38473). Son of Charles Hosmer and Flora Jane (Day) Kellogg; grandson of Bela and Mary (Hosmer) Kellogg; great-grandson of Ia and Ruth (Dickinson) Kellogg; great-grandson of Jonathan and Mary (Holland) Kellogg; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Kellogg*, private, Col. Woodbridge's and Col. Whitcomb's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.

ARTHUR STERLING KERFOOT, Cal. (37874). Son of George Thomas and Alice Rebecca (Allemong) Kerfoot; grandson of Henry and Rebecca (Maston) Allemong; great-grandson of Christian and Ruth (—) Allemong (Alleman); great-grandson of *John Alleman*, private and sergeant, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia; great-grandson of *Henry Alleman*, private, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.

FRANK SHERMAN KIMBALL, Fargo, N. Dak. (38652). Son of Carleton Carroll and May (Irish) Kimball; grandson of Henry Plummer and Ellen (Haskell) Kimball; great-grandson of George and Eunice Prescott (Edwards) Haskell; great-grandson of *John Edwards*, private, Capt. Abishai Brown's Co., Col. John Robinson's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.

HENRY LEE KINNISON, Colonel U. S. Army, Fort McDowell, Cal. (38979). Son of William David and Mary Isabelle (Roberts) Kinnison; grandson of John Reid and Maria (Fletcher) Roberts; great-grandson of Thomas C. and Nancy Owen (Rodgers) Roberts; great-grandson of William Caldwell and Elizabeth (Ritter) Rodgers; great-grandson of *John Rodgers (Rogers)*, corporal, Third Regt., Virginia Troops.

EDGAR A. KIRK, Minneapolis, Minn. (38955). Son of Robert E. and Alamanda W. (Welch) Kirk; grandson of Robert and Elizabeth (Fargo) Kirk; great-grandson of Thomas and Ann Mercy (Comstock) Fargo; great-grandson of *Elisha Comstock*, corporal, Col. Erastus Walcott's Regt., Connecticut Militia.

PAUL CLIFTON LABLANT, Atlanta, Ga. (36831). Son of William Henry and Anna (Caudle) Simonson; grandson of Peter Ashley and Mary Jane (Cantine) Simonson; great-grandson of John Muret and Mary (Aldrich) Cantine; great-grandson of John and Jane (Carte) Cantine, Jr.; great-grandson of *John Cantine*, colonel, Ulster County, New York Militia.

FRANKLIN DU BOIS LANE, Phoenix, Ariz. (36606). Son of Henry P. and Eleanor R. (Du Bois) Lane; grandson of Tunis and Elizabeth (Smock) Du Bois; great-grandson of Aaron and Sarah C. (Schenck) Smock; great-grandson of Hendrick and Sarah (Lane) Smock; great-grandson of *John Smock*, colonel, First Regt., Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia.

THERON SPARHAWK LANGFORD, Ann Arbor, Mich. (38788). Son of George W. and Arvilla (R—) Langford; grandson of Noah and Maria (Baker) Sparhawk; great-grandson of William and Lucy (Chandler) Baker; great-grandson of *Nathan Chandler*, private, various regiments Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.

JOSEPH HENRY LATIMER, Atlanta, Ga. (36832). Son of Thomas and Mary (Nance) Latimer; grandson of Wetherell and Abigail (Fitch) Latimer; great-grandson of *Jonathan Latimer*, lieutenant-colonel, Fourth Battalion, Wadsworth's Brigade, later colonel Connecticut Militia.

HAROLD EUGENE LAWRIE, Chicago, Ill. (38474). Son of Henry E. and Mary E. (Nichols) Lawrie; grandson of Eugene D. and Nellie T. (Madden) Nichols; great-grandson of Daniel B. and Terressa Jane (Emmons) Nichols; great-grandson of Jonathan and Nancy (Avery) Emmons; great-grandson of *Jonathan Emmons*, private, Fifth and Twenty-sixth Regts., Connecticut Troops.

JOHN FITZHUGH LAY, Richmond, Va. (38753). Son of David McCaw and Nannie (Marsh) Lay; grandson of John Fitzhugh and Caroline (McCaw) Lay; great-grandson of John Olmstead and Lucy Anna Fitzhugh (May) Lay; great-grandson of George and Anna (Fitzhugh) May; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Harrison) Fitzhugh; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Harrison*, Member, Virginia Privy Council, 1777-'78.

WILLIAM ALBERT LEWIS, Des Moines, Iowa (37669). Son of Dustin E. and Hannah Katharine (—) Lewis; grandson of Leander W. and Sarah Delia (Sears) Lewis; great-grandson of Joseph and Lenira (Walker) Sears; great-grandson of Silas and Elizabeth (West) Sears; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Sears*, private, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.

ALBERT EASTMAN LONG, Omaha, Nebr. (38506). Son of Robert and Sarah (Seip) Long; grandson of Reuben and Mary (Fenstermaker) Seip; great-grandson of George and Katherine (Dreisbach) Fenstermaker; great-grandson of *John Fenstermaker*, private, Third Battalion, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia.

JOSEPH BOYER LOUCKS, Nanking, China (N. Y. 38829). Son of Frank H. and Emma C. (Boyer) Loucks; grandson of Alexander Hamilton and Lydia (Parent) Loucks; great-grandson of George S. and Mary (Gray) Loucks; great-grandson of *George Loucks*, lieutenant, Second Regt., Tryon County, New York Militia, prisoner.

LAURENCE KING LYNN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38690). Son of P. Albert and Clara King (Ross) Lynn; grandson of J. Holman and Abigail Elizabeth (King) Ross; great-grandson of John and Martha (—) King; great-grandson of *Hugh King*, lieutenant, Baxter's Battalion, Pennsylvania Flying Camp, prisoner.

WILLIAM WALTER MACLAUGHLIN, JR., Nashville, Tenn. (38400). Son of William Walter and Loory F. (Bailey) MacLaughlin; grandson of Jesse William and Bettie (Loory) Bailey; great-grandson of Jesse and Elizabeth Mattox (Woodson) Bailey; great-grandson of *Callum Bailey*, private, Virginia Militia, pensioned.

JESSE FRANCIS McCLENDON, Minneapolis, Minn. (38321). Son of James Wooten and Annie Eliza (Thompson) McCleendon; grandson of Ethelad and Rebecca (Wooten) McCleendon; great-grandson of *Isaac McCleendon*, private, Wilkes County, Georgia Militia; grandson of Absolem Christopher Columbus and Sarah Ann (Haddaway) Thompson; great-grandson of Daniel Lambden and Clementine (Hughes) Haddaway; great-grandson of *William Webb Haddaway*, captain and major, Talbot County, Maryland Militia.

MURRAY McCONNELL, Jersey City, N. J. (N. Y. 38421). Son of Wilfred Gillette and Caroline Ann (Johnson) McConnel; grandson of George Murray and Maria (Gillette) McConnel; great-grandson of Murray and Mary (Mapes) McConnel; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Murray) McConnel; great-grandson of *Mathew McConnel*, sergeant, Fourth Regt., Orange County, New York Militia; great-grandson of *Noah Murray*, sergeant, Seventh Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line; great-grandson of *Stephen* and *Susanah (Decker) Mapes*, private, Col. Albert Pawling's Regt., New York Levies; great-grandson of *Peter Decker*, lieutenant, Fourth Regt., Ulster County, New York Militia, pensioned.

DOWNER McCORD, Chicago, Ill. (38808). Son of John C. and Elizabeth (Downer) McCord; grandson of Samuel A. and Mary (Van Der Veer) Downer; great-grandson of Samuel Mott and Elizabeth (Hunt) Downer; great-grandson of *Avery* and *Abigail (Mott) Downer*; great-grandson of *Samuel Mott*, colonel, Connecticut State Troops.

LESTER EUGENE McGEE, McKeesport, Pa. (38697). Son of Charles W. and Emma J. (Umburn) McGee; grandson of Robert and Sarah (Humphreys) Ellis McGee; great-grandson of *Patrick McGee*, private, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia and various battalions Cont'l Troops.

ROBERT LEWIS McGEE, McKeesport, Pa. (38698). Same as Lester Eugene McGee, Pa. (38697).

- GEORGE ELLIS MCKAY, Savanna, Ill. (38475). Son of Augustus Frank and Margaret (Ferris) McKay; grandson of Edwin Fitzgerald and Margaret (Steele) Ferris; great-grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Ransom) Steele; great²-grandson of George Palmer and Olive (Utley) Ransom; great³-grandson of *Samuel Ransom*, captain, Wyoming Valley Co., killed at Wyoming Massacre.
- FREDERICK JAMES McMURTRIE, Detroit, Mich. (38778). Son of John Henderson and Annie Elizabeth (Corner) McMurtrie; grandson of John and Julia Ann (Bailey) McMurtrie; great-grandson of Hugh and Margaret (Crothers) McMurtrie; great²-grandson of *John McMurtrie*, ensign, First Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Troops, and captain, Kentucky Militia.
- JOHN OWSLEY MANIER, Nashville, Tenn. (38395). Son of Will Rucker and Mary (Owsley) Manier; grandson of John Samuel and Susan Malinda (Miller) Owsley; great-grandson of Thomas W. and Mary Jane (Hocker) Miller; great²-grandson of Daniel and Susannah (Woods) Miller; great³-grandson of *Robert Miller, Jr.*, private, Fourteenth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops, captain of Orange County Militia.
- FRANK CONOVER MANLEY, Roselle, N. J. (38735). Son of Andrew Ten Eyck and Cornelia Grice (Hegel) Manley; grandson of John A. and Maria (Messler) Manley; great-grandson of Cornelius and Jemimah (Ten Eyck) Messler; great²-grandson of *Cornelius Messler*, private, First Regt., Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- RAYMOND PERMAR MARKLE, Steubenville, Ohio (38889). Son of Batzeline and Catharine (Hood) Markle; grandson of Abram Towers and Harriett (Johnston) Markle; great-grandson of *Abraham Markle*, private, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- RAYMOND FISHER MEEKER, New York, N. Y. (38835). Son of Joseph Frank and Harriett Georgett (Fisher) Meeker; grandson of Robert William and Sarah Elizabeth (Clawson) Fisher; great-grandson of Robert and Mary Elizabeth (Anspeck) Fisher; great²-grandson of Frederick and Catherine (Bogardus) Anspeck; great³-grandson of *John Bogardus*, private, Second Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- FREDERICK W. MILLSPAUGH, Tenn. (27912). Supplemental. Son of Charles Edward and Elizabeth Susan (Tozer) Millspaugh; grandson of Homer and Sarah Elisia (Groesbeck) Millspaugh; great-grandson of John Quackenbos and Hannah (Arnold) Groesbeck; great²-grandson of Jonathan and Mary (Hooageboom) (Hogeboom) Arnold; great³-grandson of *James Hogeboom*, second lieutenant, Col. Robert Van Rensselaer's Regt., New York Militia; great²-grandson of Wouter W. and Hannah (Arnold) Groesbeck; great³-grandson of *Wouter N. Groesbeck*, captain, Fourteenth Regt., New York Troops.
- GEORGE SMULLER MISH, Middletown, Pa. (39002). Son of George Frederick and Mary Smuller) Mish; grandson of George and Catherine (Doll) Mish; great-grandson of Jacob and Catherine (Bickel) Mish; great²-grandson of *John Bickel*, private, Capt. Koppenheffer's Co., Col. Timothy Green's Battalion, Pennsylvania Troops.
- BE NEELY MOORE, York, S. C. (38716). Son of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth (Neely) Moore; grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade.
- PAUL NEELY MOORE, York, S. C. (38717). Son of Be Neely and Willie Alice (McCorkle) Moore; grandson of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth Ann (Neely) Moore; great-grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great²-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade.
- WALTER BEDFORD MOORE, York, S. C. (38715). Son of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth Ann (Neely) Moore; grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade.
- WALTER BEDFORD MOORE, JR., Columbia, S. C. (38723). Son of Walter Bedford and Annie Lee (Adickes) Moore; grandson of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth Ann (Neely) Moore; great-grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great²-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's Brigade, South Carolina Troops.
- ROBERT EDMONDSON LEE MORGAN, Hernando, Miss. (Tenn. 38901). Son of James Bright and Elizabeth Ann (Daugherty) Morgan; grandson of John H. and Martha (Edmondson) (Edmiston) Morgan; great-grandson of William Campbell and Elizabeth

- (Stuart) Edmonson; great²-grandson of *William Edmondson*, major, Col. Campbell's Regt., Virginia Rangers.
- SYDNEY PHILIP MUNROE, Fall River, Mass. (38343). Son of Oliver Buchanan and Ethel Brandt (Cross) Munroe; grandson of Philip Allen and Delana (Pierce) Munroe; great-grandson of *Isaac Pierce*, private, Col. Carpenter's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE MICHAEL MYERS, Toronto, Ohio (38877). Son of William F. and Mary (E. —) Myers; grandson of Michael and Hannah K. (Bowles) Myers; great-grandson of George and Hannah (Robb) Myers; great²-grandson of *Michael Myers*, Virginia border scout, with rank of captain.
- JOHN OLIVER MYERS, Garden City, Kans. (Va. 39010). Son of Albert I. and May L. (Oliver) Myers; grandson of John L. and Elizabeth (Nixon) Oliver; great-grandson of Samuel and Jane (Steele) Nixon; great²-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Russell) Steele; great³-grandson of *David Steele (Steel)*, captain, Thirteenth Regt., Virginia Troops.
- THOMAS JEFFERSON MYERS, Toronto, Ohio (38880). Son of William F. and Mary (E—) Myers; grandson of Michael and Hannah K. (Bowles) Myers; great-grandson of George and Hannah (Robb) Myers; great²-grandson of *Michael Myers*, captain, Virginia Scouts in Border Warfare.
- FRED MOORE NEELY, San Francisco, Cal. (38980). Son of John D. A. and Elizabeth (Yingling) Neely; grandson of Jesse and Mary (Sigworth) Neely; great-grandson of Henry and Barbara (Frey) Neely; great²-grandson of *Paul Neely*, private, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia, killed in action.
- RAYMOND ALEXANDER NELSON, Los Angeles, Cal. (38171). Son of Alexander Philip and Amy Amanda (Stephens) Nelson; grandson of Edwin Elias and Arminda (Rice) Stephens; great-grandson of Job and Amanda M. (Jacques) Stephens; great²-grandson of *Nicholas Stephens*, private, Col. David Forman's and Col. Oliver Spencer's Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Troops.
- JOHN WILLIAM NORRIS, New Castle, Pa. (39011). Son of Edwin Franklin and Rebecca (Jones) Norris; grandson of William and Rachel (Bonham) Norris; great-grandson of Llewellyn and Matilda (Fry) Bonham; great²-grandson of Jacob and Mary (Moore) Fry; great³-grandson of *James Moore*, captain, major and brevet lieutenant-colonel, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- RALPH SACKETT NORRIS, Urbana, Ill. (38801). Son of David Lee and Helen (Roberts) Norris; grandson of Ralph Sackett and Phoebe Scribner (Wood) Norris; great grandson of Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Scribner) Wood; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Scribner*, captain, Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- WILLIAM AUGUSTUS NORTON, Vallejo, Cal. (38981). Son of Charles Crane and Wilhelmina (Francis) Norton; grandson of Samuel Erastus and Aner Brown (Crane) Norton; great-grandson of Miles and Lois (McNeil) Norton; great²-grandson of Miles and Sybil (Andrus) Norton; great³-grandson of *Ebenezer Norton*, lieutenant-colonel, Seventeenth Regt., Connecticut Militia, Member Connecticut Legislature and of War Committees.
- CHAUNCEY O'NEIL, Sewickly, Pa. (39003). Son of Edward and Eugenia A. (Courtney) O'Neil; grandson of Benjamin Haines and Mary R. (Cook) O'Neil; great-grandson of Palmer and Polly (Halsey) Cook; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Halsey*, captain and lieutenant-colonel, Connecticut Militia; lieutenant, Sixth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops.
- GEORGE GRIFFITH OWEN, York, Pa. (39004). Son of George and Lydia Ann (Mott) Owen; grandson of Abraham and Mary (Dunn) Owen; great-grandson of *Thomas Owen*, private, Third Battalion, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HERBERT ATHERTON PAGE, Alameda, Cal. (38982). Son of Nathaniel and Emilia Amanda (Simonton) Page; grandson of Nathaniel and Lydia (Fitch) Page, Jr.; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Page*, minute man, Bedford, Massachusetts Militia.
- JOHN VAN CLEVE PARKER, Morristown, N. J. (38500). Son of John Edwin and Sarah Muirheid (Van Cleve) Parker; grandson of John Stevenson and Hannah Maria (Muirheid) Van Cleve; great-grandson of Joseph and Charity (Stilwell) Van Cleve; great²-grandson of *John Van Cleve*, private, Hunterdon County, New Jersey Militia.

- CHARLES ROBERT PAUL, Wynnewood, Pa. (39005). Son of John L. and Jean (McLean) Paul; grandson of Charles Campbell and Mary (Reynolds) McLean; great-grandson of James and Barbara (Campbell) McLean; great²-grandson of *Charles Campbell*, major and colonel, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- THOMAS ELLIOTT PEIRCE, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38830). Son of Thomas Wentworth and Nannie Hill (Elliott) Peirce; grandson of Gilbert and Lucy Ann (Hill) Elliott; great-grandson of Whitmel John and Lavinia Dorothy (Barnes) Hill; great²-grandson of Thomas Blount and Rebecca (Norfleet) Hill; great²-grandson of *Whitmel Hill*, lieutenant-colonel of Martin County, North Carolina Militia, Delegate at Provincial Congresses of Hillsboro and Halifax, and Member of Cont'l Congresses, 1778-81.
- WILLIAM LEON PENNIMAN, Urbana, Ill. (38802). Son of Dr. W. L. and Louella Hall Hacquard; grandson of Louis Leon and Mary Frances (Corns) Hacquard; great-grandson of John Wesley and Elizabeth Baird (Scott) Corns; great²-grandson of Robert Baird and Elizabeth (Burt) Scott; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Burt*, private, Col. Baldwin's Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Artillery, pensioned.
- JOEL SMITH PERRIN, Richmond, Va. (38756). Son of Joel Smith and Ellen (Watkins) Perrin; grandson of Henry Clay and Malvina (Haskins) Watkins; great-grandson of Claiborne and Ellen (Harris) Watkins; great²-grandson of James and Obedience Jefferson (Turpin) Harris; great³-grandson of *James Harris*, captain, Fifteenth Regt., Virginia Troops; lieutenant-colonel, Virginia Militia.
- FRED W. PHELPS, St. Louis, Mo. (Ill. 38809). Son of William Rathburn and Harriet (Adkins) Phelps; grandson of David and Asenath (Camp) Adkins; great-grandson of *David Atkins (Adkins)*, private, in Connecticut Militia, Regts. of Cols. Douglas, Dimon, Meigs, and Butler, pensioned.
- ALFRED NOROTON PHILLIPS, JR., Stamford, Conn. (37322). Son of Alfred Noroton and Elizabeth Mariner (Plumley) Phillips; grandson of Gardiner Spring and Emily Augusta (Fisher) Plumley; great-grandson of Alvin and Martha (Lovell) Fisher; great²-grandson of Horace and Phila (Parsons) Lovell; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Parsons*, private, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm and with Arnold's Canadian Campaign.
- WILMER STANLEY PHILLIPS, Captain U. S. Army, Fort Totten, N. Y. (Md. 38630). Son of John Fowler and Loretta Margaret (Roberts) Phillips; grandson of J. Wilmer and Maria Elizabeth (Dashiell) Phillips; great-grandson of Benjamin Jones and Esther Wilson (Ker) Dashiell; great²-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Jones) Dashiell; great³-grandson of *Arthur Dashiell*, lieutenant, First Battalion, Maryland Militia.
- JAMES LEWIS PIERCE, Marianna, Fla. (39027). Son of Robert Samuel and Ella (Lewis) Pierce; grandson of Richard and Bettie (McNealy) Lewis; great-grandson of Arthur and Isabella Gee (Chapman) Lewis; great²-grandson of Benjamin and Isabella (Gee) Chapman; great³-grandson of *James Gee*, captain, Second Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Troops.
- MERRITT FULLER POLLARD, Nehawka, Neb. (38507). Son of Malcolm Hall and Ruth Ella (Bates) Pollard; grandson of James Addison and Josephine (Hall) Pollard; great-grandson of Moses and Abigail (Boynton) Pollard; great²-grandson of *Joseph Pollard*, private and corporal, New Ipswich, New Hampshire Militia.
- JOHN TAYLOR POSTELL, Chicago, Ill. (38810). Son of John Cunningham and Ellen V. (Taylor) Postell; grandson of John and Sarah B. (Cunningham) Postell; great-grandson of James and Eliza Jane (Porcher) Postell; great²-grandson of *James Postell*, lieutenant-colonel, South Carolina Militia.
- ARTHUR BERGE PRATT, Kans. (36745). Supplemental. Son of Berge Elijah and Lottie Jane (Hoover) Pratt; grandson of David and Mary (Jamison) Hoover; great-grandson of Archibald and Mary (Lydick) Jamison; great²-grandson of Patrick and Mary (McHenry) Lydick; great³-grandson of *Isaac McHenry*, lieutenant, Second Battalion, Col. John Perry's Regt., Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- RAYMOND SILAS PRATT, U. S. Army, Fort Leavenworth, Kans. (Minn. 38956). Son of Willis Horton and Eliza (Stephens) Pratt; grandson of Chester and Priscilla (Brockway) Pratt; great-grandson of *Timothy Brockway*, private, Maj. Sheldon's Regt., Connecticut Light Horse; corporal, Fifth Regt., Connecticut Line.

- BRADLEE PRUDEN, Wilmette, Ill. (38803). Son of Harry Bradlee and Daisy Rose (Jackson) Pruden; grandson of William Patterson and Susan (Strickler) Jackson; great-grandson of Hugh and Margaret Ferguson (McConnell) Jackson; great²-grandson of James Ferguson and Rachel (Lytell) MacConnell; great³-grandson of *Hugh McConnell*, private, Fifth and Second Regts., New Jersey Cont'l Troops.
- KING HAYNES PULLEN, New Orleans, La. (38534). Son of William Hefin and Louise (Haynes) Pullen; grandson of Benjamin King and Minerva Anne (Smith) Pullen; great-grandson of Edward Warren and Harriet Cornelia (Fisher) Smith; great²-grandson of *William Smith*, ensign and paymaster, Fifth Regt., Virginia Militia, and lieutenant-colonel, Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- JAMES QUARLES, Milwaukee, Wis. (37288). Son of James Addison and Carrie Wallace (Field) Quarles; grandson of James and Sarah Ann (Mills) Quarles; great-grandson of Charles and Nancy (Mills) Quarles; great²-grandson of *William Mills*, captain, Spottsylvania County, Virginia Militia.
- CHARLES EDWIN RANSIER, Waterloo, Iowa (37670). Son of Jonathan C. and Elizabeth (Frizelle) Ransier; grandson of Erasmus and Sarah (Humphrey) Frizelle; great-grandson of Samuel and Polly (Tiffany) Frizelle; great²-grandson of *Simeon Tiffany*, private, Ashford, Connecticut Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- EUGENE HOWARD RAY, Ky. (34711). Supplemental. Son of Samuel and Ellen Thomas (Howard) Ray; grandson of Jesse and Lucy (Mayfield) Howard; great-grandson of William and Jane (Hart) Howard; great²-grandson of *Obediah Howard*, private, Col. Thomas Brandon's Regt., South Carolina Militia.
- CHARLES ANDERSON REED, New Castle, Pa. (39012). Son of John C. and Phoebe Ann (Iddings) Reed; grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Hoopes) Iddings; great-grandson of *Ezra (Isra) Hoopes*, Associator and Militiaman, West Chester and Goshen Counties, Pennsylvania.
- ALBERT CASSIUS REYNOLDS, Mingo, Iowa (37668). Son of Lucien and Ann (Rea) Reynolds; grandson of George and Caroline (Matthews) Reynolds; great-grandson of *John Reynolds*, sergeant, Fourth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Artillery, pensioned.
- LUKE ASHLEY RICH, Newton, Mass. (38606). Son of Lamont and Ethel (—) Rich; grandson of Charles and Sarah A. (Lewis) Rich; great-grandson of Nelson and Nannie (Goodell) Rich; great²-grandson of *Lemuel Rich*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- CHARLES LEWIS ROBINSON, Adrian, Mich. (38779). Son of Philo and Gannet (Thomas) Robinson; grandson of Bartlett and Sarah (Bradish) Robinson; great-grandson of *John Bradish*, private, Col. Ezra May's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HUGH FONTAINE ROSE, Richmond, Va. (38757). Son of Charles A. and Logan (Chiles) Rose; grandson of Charles A. and Mary E. (Rutherford) Rose; great-grandson of Alexander and Louisa (Fontaine) Rose; great²-grandson of Henry Jordan and Sarah (Walker) Rose; great³-grandson of *Charles Rose*, private, Thirteenth and Fifteenth Regts., Virginia Troops, and clerk, Amherst County Committee of Safety; great-grandson of Samuel Jordan and Francis Catherine (Watson) Rutherford; great²-grandson of Thomas and Sarah (Winston) Rutherford; great³-grandson of *Geddes Winston*, sheriff and private, Hanover County, Virginia Militia.
- ALLEN BERNARD SCHALL, Saginaw, Mich. (38781). Son of Adolph B. and Katherine (Riggs) Schall; grandson of John S. and Katherine (Vincent) Riggs; great-grandson of Lauren P. and Sarah Talmadge (Peck) Riggs; great²-grandson of Jeremiah and Lucy (Peck) Riggs; great³-grandson of *Jeremiah Riggs*, corporal, Seventeenth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- GEORGE PEARSALL SCHOUTEN, Minneapolis, Minn. (19940). Supplemental. Son of John William and Mary Louise (Pearsall) Schouten; grandson of Lewis and Harriet (Hustis) Pearsall; great-grandson of George and Hepsbeth (Ammermaine) Pearsall, Jr.; great²-grandson of *George Pearsall*, private, Fourth Regt., Dutchess County, New Jersey Militia.
- RUSSELL JACOB SCHUNK, Minneapolis, Minn. (38964). Son of Arthur John and Melissa Olive (Russell) Schunk; grandson of Morris C. and Jennie (Byrne) Russell; great-grandson of Samuel and Matilda (Raymond) Russell; great²-grandson of *Aaron Raymond*, corporal and sergeant, Second and Third Regts., Connecticut Cont'l Line.

- WILLIAM HENRY SCOFIELD, Chicago, Ill. (38804). Son of William H. and Elizabeth Jane (Orput) Scofield; grandson of Haran and Parnelia (McClanthan) Scofield; great-grandson of *Seely Scofield*, private, Col. Mead's and Col. Webb's Regts., Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- HARRY BATEMAN GOE SCOTT, JR., Washington, Pa. (38691). Son of Harry Bateman Goe and Florence Crozier (Brown) Scott; grandson of William A. and Elizabeth Jacobs (Morris) Scott; great-grandson of Benjamin West and Mary (Jacobs) Morris; great²-grandson of David and Mary (Fulton) Morris; great³-grandson of *Jonathan Morris*, Member Pennsylvania Committee of Observation and private, Third and Sixth Battalions, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- WILLIAM ADOLPHUS SCOTT, JR., Pittsburgh, Pa. (38692). Son of William Adolphus and Elizabeth Jacobs (Morris) Scott; grandson of Benjamin West and Mary (Jacobs) Morris; great-grandson of David and Mary (Fulton) Morris; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Morris*, Member Chester County Committee of Observation, and private, Third and Sixth Battalions, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- EDISON ERNEST SCRANTON, San Diego, Cal. (38172). Son of Edwin E. and Hannah (Wood) Scranton; grandson of Ralph and Elizabeth (Pickering) Scranton; great-grandson of Jared and Phebe (Mattoon) Scranton; great²-grandson of *Timothy Scranton*, private, Col. R. J. Meig's Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- FRANK ERWIN SEELEY, Payette, Idaho (35120). Son of Horace David and Idaho Jane (Failey) Seeley; grandson of Curtis and Lovina (Whitney) Bailey; great-grandson of Jonathan Butterfield and Hannah (Dufur) Bailey; great²-grandson of *Abijah Bailey*, private, Col. Timothy Bedell's Regt., New Hampshire Troops, pensioned.
- SAMUEL PREWITT SEMMES, Memphis, Tenn. (38902). Son of Samuel Spencer and Frances (Morris) Semmes; grandson of Raphael and Anne E. (Spencer) Semmes; great-grandson of Oliver Marlborough and Electra (Oliver) Spencer; great²-grandson of *Oliver Spencer*, major and lieutenant-colonel, New Jersey Militia; colonel, one of the sixteen additional Cont'l Regts.
- GEORGE MILSON SHEPARD, St. Paul, Minn. (38322). Son of William and Lucy Mehetable (Thrall) Shepard; grandson of Willis Collins and Mary Jones (Palmerlee) Thrall; great-grandson of Asa and Lucy (Seaward) Palmerlee; great²-grandson of Stephen and Lucy (Ingalls) Seaward; great³-grandson of *Henry Ingalls*, sergeant and lieutenant, Col. Doolittle's and Col. Ashley's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.
- OWEN SHEPHERD, Bronxville, N. Y. (38422). Son of Isaiah Lord and Hannah Frances (Hooper) Shepherd; grandson of James and Hannah (Coan) Hooper; great-grandson of Joshua and Sally (Tarleton) Hooper; great²-grandson of *Elias Tarleton*, Third, Signer, New Hampshire Association Test.
- ABRAHAM LINCOLN SHOCKLEY, New Bedford, Mass. (38607). Son of Charles and Harriet M. (Eaton) Shockley; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Alden) Shockley; great-grandson of *Humphrey Alden*, private, Sixteenth Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Line.
- THOMAS ABRAHAM SHRIVER, JR., Tennessee (38075). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Abraham and Elizabeth (Holt) Shriver; grandson of Don Carlos and Susan (McGuire) Shriver; great-grandson of Abraham and Francis (Moore) Shriver; great²-grandson of *John Moore*, private, North Carolina Troops, pensioned.
- HERMAN SUKER SIDENER, Gambier, Ohio (38096). Son of William Martin and Bertha Emma (Suker) Sidener; grandson of Martin Luther and Malvina (Blanchard) Sidener; great-grandson of Jacob and Martha (Fox) Sidener; great²-grandson of Nicholas and Sarah Winter (Prough) Sidener; great³-grandson of *Martin Sidener*, private from Fredericksburg, Va., in Cont'l Troops.
- ABBOTT METCALF SMITH, New Bedford, Mass. (38608). Son of Abbott Pliny and Sarah (Metcalf) Smith; grandson of Henry and Ruth Lawrence (Wilcox) Smith; great-grandson of Henry and Hannah (Bailey) Wilcox; great²-grandson of Willard and Ruth (Lawrence) Wilcox; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Wilcox (Willcox)*, captain, Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- ABBOTT PLINY SMITH, New Bedford, Mass. (38609). Son of Henry and Ruth Lawrence (Wilcox) Smith; grandson of Henry and Hannah (Bailey) Wilcox; great-grandson of

- Willard and Ruth (Lawrence) Wilcox; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Wilcox (Willcox)*, captain, Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- ARTHUR EDWARD SMITH, Minneapolis, Minn. (38957). Son of E. Rundel and Grace Eveline (Bemis) Smith; grandson of Lewis Shepard and Olivia (Dewing) Bemis; great-grandson of Dexter and Deidamia (Weaver) Dewing; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Dewing*, private, Col. John Rand's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CORNELIUS VAN ALLEN SMITH, Chicago, Ill. (38805). Son of George Alexander and Catherine (Van Allen) Smith; grandson of Cornelius Peter and Caroline (Witbeck) Van Allen; great-grandson of *Peter Lucas Van Allen*, lieutenant, Col. Abraham Van Alstyne's Regt., New York Militia.
- HENRY VILLIERS BROWN SMITH, N. M. (30091). Supplemental. Son of George Henry and Mary Frances (Brown) Smith; grandson of Squire and Prudence (Randall) Smith; great-grandson of Esquire and Amy (Brown) Smith; great²-grandson of *Noah Smith*, messenger for Pennsylvania General Assembly; grandson of Henry Villiers and Mary Elizabeth (Breed) Brown; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Elizabeth (Cole) Brown; great²-grandson of *Jesse Brown*, private, Col. George Peck's Regt., Rhode Island Militia; great-grandson of *Richard Brown*, matross, Col. Elliott's Regt., Rhode Island Troops; great²-grandson of Thomas and Miriam (Kinne) Cole; great³-grandson of *Jeremiah Kinne (Keeney)*, Windham, Connecticut Justice of the Peace, 1775, '76.
- PRESTON RUGGLES SMITH, Buffalo, N. Y. (38832). Son of Griffin and Anna Chester (Hough) Smith; grandson of Eli Botsford and Maria (Wiley) Smith; great-grandson of Abijah and Keziah (Botsford) Smith; great²-grandson of *Othniel Smith*, ensign, Queen's County, New York Militia.
- THOMAS BURTON SNEAD, Dumbarton, Va. (38754). Son of Chapman Price and Fannie Elizabeth (Hutchinson) Snead; grandson of William and Jane (Clarke) Snead, Jr.; great-grandson of *William Snead (Sneed)*, private, Hanover County, Virginia Militia.
- FRANK JEFFERSON SOLIS, Watertown, Mass. (38610). Son of Andrew Jackson and Eliza Jane (Barker) Solis; grandson of Christopher and Hannah (Blanchard) Solis; great-grandson of Caleb and Lucy (Hill) Blanchard; great²-grandson of *John Hill*, private, Col. Thatcher's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great²-grandson of *Sylvanus Blanchard*, private, Col. Brook's Massachusetts Regt. of Cambridge Guards, and furnished money for equipment of soldiers.
- ARTHUR MILTON SPINING, Springfield, Ohio (38884). Son of Isaac Milton and Harriet Louisa (Taylor) Spining; grandson of Pierson and Mary (Schooley) Spining; great-grandson of *Isaac Spining*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia and in Second Establishment, New Jersey Cont'l Line.
- ORA MORRIS SPINK, Ohio (37031). Supplemental. Son of Albert Milo and Mary Ann (Hemens) Spink; grandson of Elijah and Wilhelmina (Vincent) Spink; great-grandson of Thomas and Polly (Crumby) Vincent; great²-grandson of *William Vincent*, lieutenant, Westerly, R. I. Co. of Alarm Men, surgeon, Col. Joseph Noyes' Regt., Rhode Island Militia.
- CHARLES WILLIAM SPOFFORD, Evanston, Ill. (38811). Son of Charles Franklin and Lillie Margaret (Jones) Spofford; grandson of Augustus Franklin and Martha (Perkins) Spofford; great-grandson of Frederick and Deborah (Wilkins) Spofford; great²-grandson of *Stephen Spofford (Spafford)*, private, Col. Samuel Johnson's Regt., Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- FRANK ROBERT SQUIRES, Shippensburg, Pa. (39006). Son of Ambrose Cecil and Ella (Mateer) Squires; grandson of John Baily and Susan (Stough) Mateer; great-grandson of Robert and Mary (Baily) Mateer; great²-grandson of John and Mary (Nelson) Baily; great-grandson of *Samuel Nelson*, captain and lieutenant-colonel, First and Sixth Battalions, Pennsylvania Troops.
- CHARLES EASTMAN STANIELS, New Hampshire (7630). Supplemental. Son of Edward Langmaid and Ruth (Eastman) Staniels (Stanyan); grandson of John and Abigail (Langmaid) Stanyan; great-grandson of *Jonathan Stanyan*, second lieutenant, Thirteenth Regt., New Hampshire Militia, Selectman and Member Chichester, N. H., Committee of Safety.

- JAMES MAURICE STICE, Altamont, Ill. (38812). Son of James A. and Hattie (Keplinger) Stice; grandson of James P. and Mary M. (Conlee) Stice; great-grandson of Andrew and Nancy (Armstrong) Stice; great-grandson of Andrew and Nancy (Wilson) Stice; great-grandson of *William Wilson*, private, Fifth Regt., North Carolina Militia.
- JOHN RAYMOND STILES, Minneapolis, Minn. (38958). Son of John Lewis and Emma Frances (Burby) Stiles; grandson of John Dodson and Mary Amanda (Gibbons) Stiles; great-grandson of Lewis and Sarah (Dodson) Stiles; great-grandson of *Daniel Stiles*, private, Col. Timothy Robinson's Regt., Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia.
- JULIUS W. ST. JOHN, Columbia, S. C. (38701). Son of William Seymour and Betsy Ann (Hanford) St. John; grandson of Thaddeus Seymour and Hannah Grey (Eells) St. John; great-grandson of Samuels and Hannah (Grey) Eells; great-grandson of *Jeremiah Baird Eells*, lieutenant, Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia, prisoner; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Grey*, ensign, Col. Mead's Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- JAY THOMAS STOCKING, Upper Montclair, N. J. (38731). Son of Myron T. and Elizabeth (Thompson) Stocking; grandson of Daniel C. and Mary (Hanna) Stocking; great-grandson of Billius and Patience (Gray) Stocking; great-grandson of *Timothy Stocking*, corporal, Col. John Fellows' Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WALTER HORATIO STONE, Chicago, Ill. (38806). Son of Osborn and Emeline (Vunk) Stone; grandson of Israel and Zerviah (Conant) Stone; great-grandson of *Isaac Stone*, private, Col. James Barrett's Regt., Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- WILLIAM JAMES STONE, Hilo, Hawaii (28538). Son of Eli and Ellen (Vanderpool) Stone; grandson of Eli and Catherine M. (Whittaker) Stone; great-grandson of Luther and Lydia (Patrick) Stone; great-grandson of *James Stone*, lieutenant-colonel, Worcester County, and Col. Holman's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HENRY FRANCIS STRYKER, Portland, Ore. (38926). Son of William Henry and Maria Agnes (Noonan) Stryker; grandson of Henry Francis and Mary Ann (Hart) Stryker; great-grandson of James I. and Elizabeth Margaret (Friese) Stryker; great-grandson of *John Stryker*, captain, Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- ROBERT HENRY TALLEY, JR., Westhampton, Va. (38761). Son of Robert Henry and Annie Irick (Gilmer) Talley; grandson of Henry and Frances (Epps) Talley; great-grandson of Charles and Mary (Mills) Talley; great-grandson of *Anthony Talley*, private, Hanover County, Virginia Militia.
- WILLIAM TALLMAN, Fairhaven, Mass. (38611). Son of Edward G. and Ella S. (Delano) Tallman; grandson of William Tallman; great-grandson of William Tallman, 2nd; great-grandson of *William Tallman*, 1st, Dartmouth, Massachusetts Commissary of Forces.
- HENRY WILSON TEMPLE, Washington, Pa. (38699). Son of John B. and Martha (Jameson) Temple; grandson of William and Mary (Hutchison) Jameson; great-grandson of *Cornelius Hutchison*, private, Col. Walter Stewart's Thirteenth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- EMMETT H. TERRELL, Richmond, Va. (38763). Son of Charles Thomas and Fannie (McGehee) Terrell; grandson of Joseph Carr and Ann (Terrell) Terrell; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Walker) Terrell; great-grandson of *Joseph Terrell*, private, Third, Fifth and Seventh Regts., Virginia Cont'l Line.
- WILLIAM FREDERICK THOMS, Connorsville, Ind. (Mo. 37620). Son of William M. and Clara C. (Colby) Thoms; grandson of Charles and Ellen (Frost) Colby; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Rowell) Colby; great-grandson of Aaron and Polly (Putney) Rowell; great-grandson of *Thomas Rowell*, Member New Hampshire Legislature of 1779, lieutenant, Thirteenth Regt. of Militia.
- HOWARD GOODELL THOMPSON, Washington (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 and Esther (Upham) Blood; great-grandson of *Jonathan Upham*, private, Col. Holmes' and Col. Cushing's Regts., Massachusetts Militia; grandson of James and Nancy Murray (Baird) Thompson; great-grandson of Sylvanus and Elizabeth (Brewer) Thompson; great-grandson of Samuel and Mehitabel (Upham) Brewer; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Upham*, private, Massachusetts Militia.

- WILDER B. THOMPSON, Harvey, Ill. (38807). Son of Robert and Zulemma (Taylor) Thompson; grandson of *Thomas Taylor*, private, Col. Taylor's and Col. Bull's Regts., New Jersey Militia and Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- JOSEPH STAFFORD TROTSMAN, Milwaukee, Wis. (37290). 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 Mary (Fay) Chase; great-grandson of Dudley and Allace (Corbett) Chase; great-grandson of *Samuel Chase*, sergeant, Col. Jonathan Chase's Regt., New Hampshire Militia; great-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Paige) Fay, Jr.; great-grandson of *Timothy Paige*, captain, Massachusetts Militia of 1777, and Member Committee of Correspondence.
- ARTHUR D'ARMOND TUTTLE, Westfield, N. J. (38726). Son of William Edgar and Frances Matilda (Bonham) Tuttle; grandson of William Austin and Mary (Ross) Tuttle; great-grandson of William and Lusalle (Steele) Tuttle; great-grandson of *John Tuttle*, private, Thirteenth Regt., Albany County, New York Militia.
- JAMES BLAINE WAGG, Appleton, Wis. (37289). Son of Solomon Reed and Sarah (Ling) Wagg; grandson of Eldridge Gerry and Hannah (Reed) Wagg; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Dingley) Wagg; great-grandson of *James Wagg*, private, Twelfth Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- OREN WAITE, Portland, Ore. (37498). Son of Nathan and Lestina (Quimby) Wait; grandson of *Jeduthan Wait*, private, Massachusetts Militia and Cont'l Troops, six years' service.
- WHITSON GAMALIEL WALDO, Detroit, Mich. (38785). Son of Bertram Milton and Grace C. (Howe) Waldo; grandson of Gamaliel Palmer and Bessie (Lotham) Waldo; great-grandson of Campbell and Rena (Griswold) Waldo; great-grandson of *Gamaliel Waldo*, private, Col. Thomas Lee's Regt., Vermont Militia.
- DANDRIDGE WALL, Asheville, N. C. (31503). Son of Sam S. and Alma G. (Stike-leather) Wall; grandson of Samuel and Sarah V. (Dandridge) Wall; great-grandson of William A. and Sarah (Nichols) Dandridge; great-grandson of William and Nancy (Pullman) Dandridge, 3rd; great-grandson of *William Dandridge*, major, King William County, Virginia Militia.
- JOSEPH WALTON, Haddonfield, N. J. (37992). Son of George Godfrey and Emeline (Davis) Walton; grandson of Joseph Hall and Susan (Surrick) Walton; great-grandson of Jesse and Rebecca (Hall) Walton; great-grandson of Joseph and Susannah (Hart) Hall; great-grandson of John and Catherine (Knowles) Hart; great-grandson of *John Hart*, Signer of the Declaration of Independence and Speaker of the Assembly of August 27, 1776.
- ARTHUR BEACH WARD, Newark, N. J. (38736). Son of Joseph Grover and Julia Smith (Cochran) Ward; grandson of Aaron Condit and Mary Oliver (Munn) Ward; great-grandson of Jacob and Abigail (Dodd) Ward, Jr.; great-grandson of *Jacob Ward*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- JOSEPH GEORGE WARDLAW, York, S. C. (38724). Son of Joseph James and Mary Ann (Witherspoon) Wardlaw; grandson of James and Hannah (Clarke) Wardlaw; great-grandson of *Hugh Wardlaw*, captain, South Carolina Whig Militia; grandson of James Hervey and Jane (Donnom) Witherspoon; great-grandson of *James Witherspoon*, captain of Kingstree Co., Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Militia.
- TRACY BRONSON WARREN, Connecticut (7770). Supplementals. Son of David Hard and Louisa (Bronson) Warren; grandson of William and Almira (Tyler) Bronson; great-grandson of Isahael and Esther (Upson) Bronson; great-grandson of James and Sarah (Brockett) Bronson; great-grandson of *Josiah Brockett*, private, Col. Sabin's Regt., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of Roswell and Susannah (Easton) Tyler; great-grandson of James and Anne (Hungerford) Tyler; great-grandson of *Robert Hungerford*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned; grandson of Alanson and Sarah M. (Hickox) Warren; great-grandson of Caleb and Ruth (Scoville) Hickox; great-grandson of Daniel and Sibyl (Thompson) Williams Hickox; great-grandson of *Thomas Hickox, Jr.*, sergeant, Col. John Mead's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- WALTER OLIN WATKINS, Carlton, Minn. (38965). Son of Francis Asbury and Anna C. (Wick) Watkins; grandson of Orick Williams and Susan Thompson (Harlow) Wat-

kings; great-grandson of Eli and Hulda (Stone) Watkins; great²-grandson of *Elias Watkins*, private, Col. James Reed's Second Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Infantry, afterwards Captain of Militia.

THOMAS MCCOY WATTS, Holstein, Iowa (Nebr. 38511). Son of George W. and Estelle (White) Watts; grandson of John Quincy and Elvira (Hough) White; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Finley) Hough; great²-grandson of *Robert W. Finley*, private, Capt. Christian Staddles' Co., Second Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Troops.

WADE RICHARDS WEAVER, Cleveland Heights, Ohio (38890). Son of Orlando Lloyd and Lallah Noble (Richards) Weaver; grandson of George E. and Rebecca Levina (Johnson) Richards; great-grandson of Levi M. and Hannah Wilson (Leaverton) Johnson; great²-grandson of Solomon and Lettice Ann (Thompson) Leaverton; great³-grandson of *John Foster Leaverton*, private, Fourth Independent Co., Talbot County, Maryland Regular Troops.

LEWIS WEBB, Newburgh, N. Y. (38826). Son of Allen W. and Clara D. (Johnston) Webb; grandson of Lewis and Rhoda H. (Allen) Webb; great-grandson of Jonathan and Rebecca (Cole) Webb; great²-grandson of *William* and Lois (Strong) *Webb*, seaman on Connecticut frigate "Trumbull"; great³-grandson of *Jonathan Strong*, private, Twelfth Regt., Connecticut Militia.

JOHN SMITH WELLS, Harper, Kans. (36750). Son of Lemuel and Mary (Walton) Wells; grandson of Abraham and Mary (Hutchison) (Hutchinson) Walton; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Hutchison*, private, Col. Nichols' Regt., New Hampshire Militia.

ISAAC DAVIS WHITE, Bridgeport, Conn. (37323). Son of Daniel Mansfield and Minnie Luvia (Osgoode) White; grandson of Isaac Davis and Timnah (Mansfield) White; great-grandson of James and Milly (Law) White; great²-grandson of *Reuben Law*, private, Acton, Massachusetts Militia and Col. Brooks' Regt., Middlesex County Cont'l Troops.

CHARLES ELBERT WHELAN, Madison Wis. (37292). Son of Curtis Erskine and Martha (Rowley) Whelan; grandson of Moses and Lydia (Barrell) Rowley; great-grandson of Colburn and Esther (Videto) Barrell, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Colburn Barrell*, sergeant, Massachusetts Militia and Cont'l service.

JESSE WILLIAM WIGGINTON, California (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, Loudoun County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.

JAMES CLAY WILBORN, York, S. C. (38719). Son of James Wood and Elizabeth Jean (McNary) Wilborn; grandson of John and Priscilla (Wood) Wilborn; great-grandson of Pennial and Sara (Kimball) Wood; great²-grandson of *William Wood*, captain, Col. Thomas Clarke's Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Line.

HENRY LANE WILLIAMS, Minneapolis, Minn. (38962). Son of Job and Catherine (Stone) Williams; grandson of Giles and Fannie Marion (Gallup) Williams; great-grandson of Zephaniah and Olive (Howe) Williams; great²-grandson of *Seth Williams*, corporal, sergeant and lieutenant, Massachusetts Militia.

CHARLES EDWIN WILSON, Catonsville, Md. (38631). Son of John Sanford and Rebecca (Minnick) Wilson; grandson of James and Martha (Cox) Wilson; great-grandson of John Sanford and Nancy (Lemon) Wilson; great²-grandson of *John Wilson*, private, New York Militia, pensioned.

WALLACE NEVILLE WILSON, La Grange, Ky. (38579). Son of Joel Thomas and Lizzie (Waide) Wilson; grandson of William Boone and Elizabeth Ann (Offutt) Wilson; great-grandson of William and Matilda (Boone) Wilson; great²-grandson of William and Nancy (Grubbs) Boone; great³-grandson of *George Boone*, private and frontiersman, Kentucky County, Virginia Militia.

WILLIAM JACKSON WILKINS, Gaffney, S. C. (38702). Son of Robert Smith and Violet (Moorhead) Wilkins; grandson of Robert and Rebecca (Pridmore) Moorhead; great-grandson of *William Moorhead*, private, South Carolina Militia, pensioned.

CHARLES OLIVER WINSHIP, Flushing, N. Y. (38833). Son of Charles and Grace (Naylor) Winship; grandson of Oliver and Mary MacDonald Winship; great-grandson

of George C. and Cornelia (Baker) Winship; great²-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Seabury) Winship; great³-grandson of *Ebenezer Winship*, captain, Fourth and Fifth Regts., Massachusetts Cont'l Infantry and Deputy Commissary of Issues.

DANIEL WINTERS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38693). Son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Davis) Winters; grandson of Abraham and Lucinda (House) Winters; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Draper) House; great²-grandson of Edward and Lucinda (Owens) Draper; great³-grandson of *Vincent Owens*, private, Col. William Brent's Second Regt., Virginia State Troops.

WILLIAM IRWIN WITHERSPOON, York, S. C. (38725). Son of Isaac Donnom and Margaret Elizabeth (Wright) Witherspoon; grandson of Isaac Donnom and Ann (Reid) Witherspoon; great-grandson of James Hervey and Jane (Donnom) Witherspoon; great²-grandson of *James Witherspoon*, captain of Kingstree Co., Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Militia.

JOSEPH EUGENE MICHAEL WOOD, Ensign, U. S. Navy, Albuquerque, N. M. (37831). Son of Francis E. and Maude Elizabeth (Smith) Wood; grandson of Otis H. and Elizabeth (Sherwood) Smith; great-grandson of James and Selvia (—) Sherwood; great²-grandson of *James Sherwood*, corporal, Col. Phillip Van Cortlandt's Second Regt., New York Cont'l Troops.

WILLIAM WOODBRIDGE, Akron, Ohio (38885). Son of Henry and Sarah Ann (Foster) Woodbridge; grandson of John Eliot and Mary M. (Horner) Woodbridge; great-grandson of *Jahleel Woodbridge*, captain, Stockbridge, Massachusetts Minutemen and Member Third Massachusetts Provincial Congress.

HAROLD JOHN WOODFORD, Topeka, Kans. (36749). Son of W. D. and Mary (Flecher) Woodford; grandson of J. R. and Amerna E. (Fortnor) Woodford; great-grandson of Ira and Parthena (Hulburt) Woodford; great²-grandson of *Bissell Woodford*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned.

WALLACE ISAAC WOODIN, Hartford, Conn. (37324). Son of Wallace Wallin and Melinda (Fralick) Woodin; grandson of Abram and Anne Mary (Bassett) Woodin; great-grandson of Jeremiah Woodin; great²-grandson of *Amos Woodin*, minuteman and sergeant, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.

WALTER HENRY WOODS, Cincinnati, Ohio (38891). Son of Luther Franklin and Virginia Frances (Durant) Woods; grandson of Luther and Susan (Omensetter) Woods; great-grandson of *Jonathan Woods*, private, Capt. Asa Lawrence's Co., Col. William Prescott's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.

FRANK B. WORTHING, Chatham, Mass. (38612). Son of James Franklin and Mary (Clement) Worthing; grandson of Otis and Mehitabel (Davis) Worthing; great-grandson of Lewis and Mary (Getchell) Worthing; great²-grandson of Jacob and Elizabeth (Healey) Worthen; great³-grandson of Jacob and Mary (Brown) Worthen; great⁴-grandson of *Ezekiel Worthen*, Member New Hampshire Provincial Congress of 1775 and '76, and of War Committees.

CHARLES WILBUR WRIGHT, Glen Ridge, N. J. (38737). Son of Charles F. and Grace (Beesley) Wright, Jr.; grandson of Charles F. and Elizabeth (Burhans) Wright; great-grandson of Barzillai Wood and Minerva (Moon) Wright; great²-grandson of David and Sarah (Wood) Wright; great³-grandson of *Barzillai Wood*, private and corporal, Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.

GEORGE NICHOLS YARD, Galveston, Texas (37540). Son of Nahor Biggs and Caroline (Nichols) Yard; grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Brinley) Yard; great-grandson of Nahor and Elizabeth (Biggs) Yard; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Yard*, New Jersey Manufacturer of Arms for Cont'l Army; great-grandson of *Jacob Brinley*, private, Capt. Walton's Troop, New Jersey Light Dragoons.

LAURENS GARLINGTON YOUNG, Union, S. C. (38709). Son of John Laurens and Susan James (Garlington) Young; grandson of John and Susan Washington (James) Garlington; great-grandson of *Benjamin James*, private, South Carolina Cont'l Troops.

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