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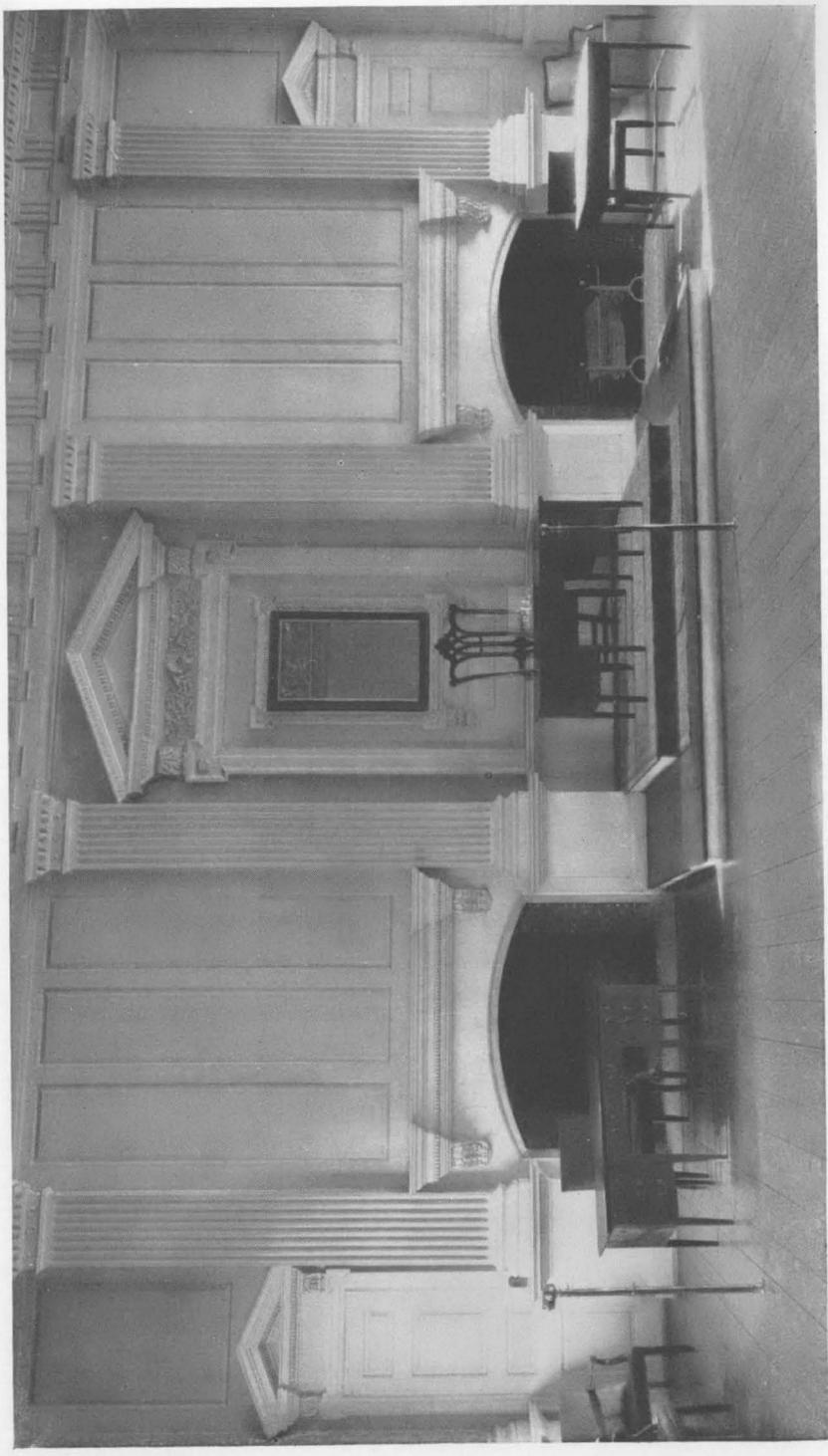
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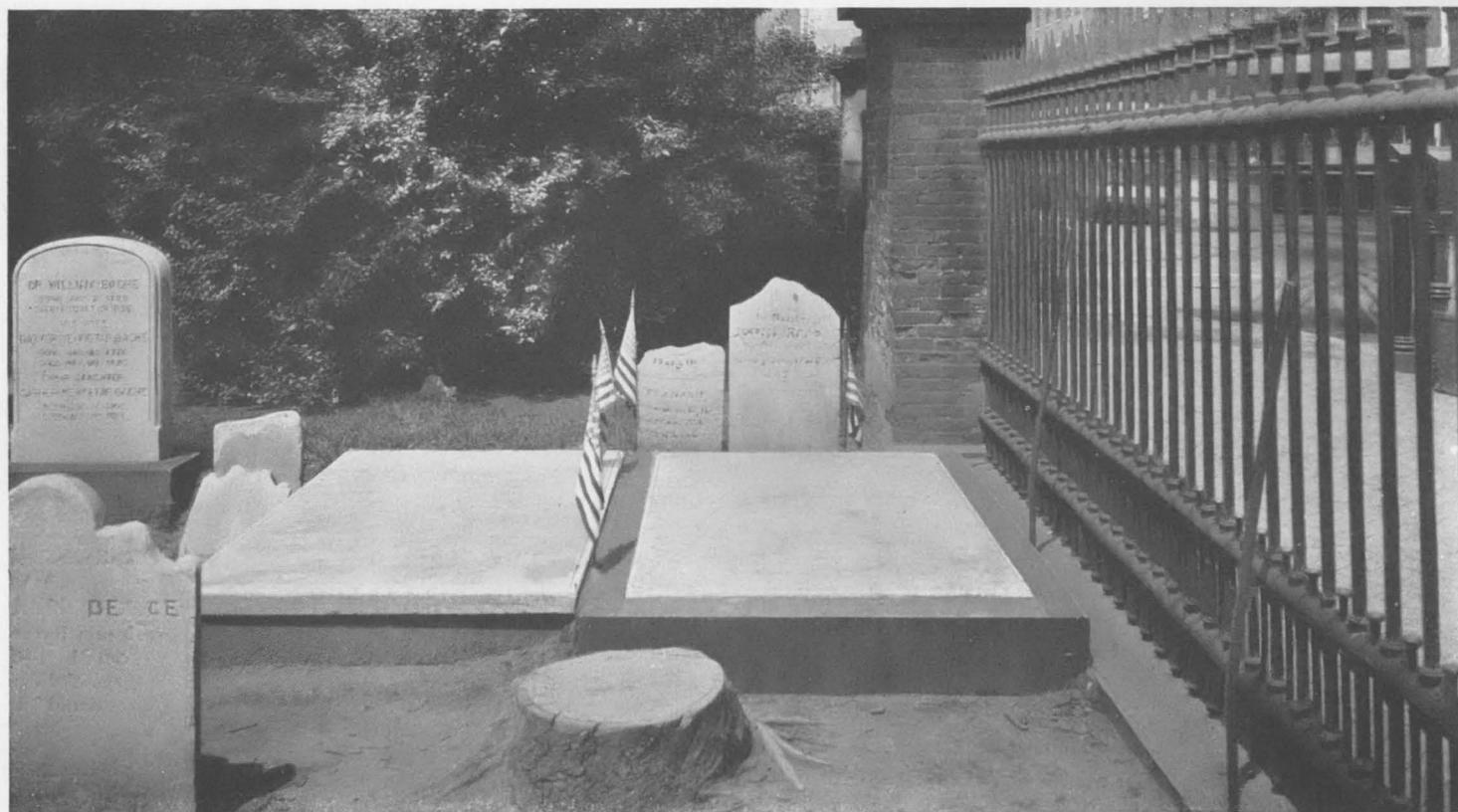


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The first session of the National Congress will be held here.



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(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.

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THE MINUTE MAN records action by the General Officers, the Board of Trustees, the Executive and other National Committees, lists of members deceased and of new members, and important activities of State Societies. In order that THE MINUTE MAN may be up to date, and to insure the preservation in the National Society archives of a complete history of the activities of the entire organization, State Societies and local Chapters are requested to communicate promptly to the Secretary General written or printed accounts of all meetings or celebrations, to forward copies of all notices, circulars, and other printed matter issued by them, and to notify him at once of dates of death of members.

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Attention of State Society Presidents is called to the new Official Grave Markers now ready and the desire that a special interest will be taken from now on in this line of work. Every State Society and local Chapter should have a Committee on Revolutionary Graves and promote the preservation of these sacred resting places to the fullest extent possible.

The President General has appointed the following compatriots as additional members of several National Committees:

Committee on Immigration: Ray L. Gariss, Tennessee.

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Committee on Transportation: Last year's committee continued. R. C. Schanck, Pennsylvania, Chairman.

For the information and benefit of State officers who must mail certificates of membership to compatriots, the following ruling of the Third Assistant Postmaster General with regard to postage rates is here quoted:

"The Third Assistant Postmaster General advises this office (New York) that printed membership certificates, with the name of a member and the date the certificate was issued written thereon, are third-class matter, if the written name be that of the addressee."

Under this ruling the Secretary General believes, if this quotation be shown at any local post-office where the ruling is unfamiliar, that the certificates will be accepted at the third-class rate without hesitation.

The Secretary General will appreciate receiving from any State or Chapter officers up-to-date lists of their members, with complete addresses, for the purpose of checking the mailing list of the National Society. Some societies make a practice of sending such lists annually to the Secretary General, and in every case this is much appreciated, as it enables him to keep the mailing list in good shape with respect to that particular Society.

Attention is called to prices now charged for application blanks and supplemental blanks. As these prices are less than former charges, which covered postage and insurance, this will now be charged for in addition to the prices here quoted:

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As THE MINUTE MAN goes to press, news has come announcing the death on March 3 of Rev. Charles Edward Millspaugh, of Albion, N. Y., father of Vice-President General Frederick W. Millspaugh of Nashville, Tennessee. Compatriot Millspaugh was a member first of the Empire State Society and later, by transfer of the Tennessee Society, through descent from six Revolutionary patriots. He was at one time presiding elder of the Genesee Conference of the Methodist Church and for twenty years a trustee of Syracuse University.

The sympathy of all the many friends of Vice-President Millspaugh is extended to him in this bereavement.

A CORRECTION

The Editor desires to correct an unfortunate error which occurred in the December MINUTE MAN. The very interesting article entitled "The Wautauga Association," on page 303, should have been credited to Mr. J. Frank Seiler, of Elizabethton, Tennessee, who secured the data and wrote the article. The Editor was incorrectly informed as to the author, and deeply regrets that proper credit was not given.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

Held at the Union League Club, in the City of New York, on Saturday, February 20, 1926

Present: President General Harvey F. Remington; Directors General W. I. L. Adams, Louis Annin Ames, Wilbert H. Barrett, Marvin H. Lewis, and R. C. Schanck; Secretary General Frank B. Steele.

There were also present, as guests, Vice-President General Louis A. Bowman, of Chicago, and Mr. Walter Gabell, Chairman of the Committee on Arrangements for the Philadelphia Congress.

The meeting was called to order by the President General.

Minutes of the last meeting of the Executive Committee, held in St. Louis and Chicago, on October 19 and 20, respectively, and as printed in the December MINUTE MAN, were approved.

Director General Lewis moved the adoption of the following resolution:

Whereas the Executive Committee of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in session in the City of New York, at the Union League Club, having this day heard with deep regret of the great bereavement that has come to our beloved compatriot and genealogist, Major John F. Jones, by reason of the death of his wife, after more than a half century of devoted companionship; be it

Resolved, That this committee hereby tenders to Major Jones its sincere sympathy, and that the Secretary General be instructed to mail him a copy of this resolution, and also publish the same in the MINUTE MAN for March, 1926.

(Signed)

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LOUIS ANNIN AMES,
WILBERT H. BARRETT,
MARVIN H. LEWIS,
R. C. SCHANCK,
Directors General.
FRANK B. STEELE,
Secretary General.

Director General Adams moved that the greetings of the Executive Committee be sent to Lewis B. Curtis, the absent member of the Executive Committee. Motion adopted.

Director General Adams moved that the privileges of the floor be extended to Vice-President General Bowman and Mr. Walter Gabell. Motion adopted.

Director General Lewis gave notice that he would, later in the session, ask to have rescinded the proposed amendment to Article 5, Section 2, of the Constitution, as appears on page 287 of the December, 1925, MINUTE MAN.

Director General Barrett gave notice that he would, later in the session, ask to have rescinded the proposed amendment to the By-Laws of Article 5, in reference to the duties of the Secretary General.

The Secretary General then read his report, which was accepted.

Informal reports were heard in reference to the Committees on Patriotic Education, Immigration, and Constitution Day.

The question raised by Secretary Van Syckle, of the Michigan Society, as to the waiving of the supplemental fee of \$1 in favor of applications from the

Children of the American Revolution was discussed, and it was unanimously decided that the constitutional provision in Art. —, Sec. — does not cover the fees for supplementals.

In reference to the question raised by Registrar General Culver in regard to the percentage basis of members admitted under the age of thirty for competition for the banner to be presented by the Western Reserve Society of Cleveland, the Secretary General was directed to take the matter up with Compatriot Boggis of Cleveland for his opinion.

Mr. Gabell, of Philadelphia, made an informal report of the Committee on Arrangements for the next Congress, to be held in Philadelphia.

Director General Barrett moved that the report be received. Motion adopted.

Director General Adams moved that the lease, signed by the President General and the Secretary General, for new headquarters in Washington be ratified and confirmed. Motion adopted.

Director General Ames moved that the Treasurer General keep a separate account for the Grave Marker funds. Motion adopted.

Director General Adams moved that Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown be reimbursed for any expenditures he may have incurred, up to \$25.00, for this committee work. Motion adopted.

Director General Lewis moved that the matter of the Kosciusko Foundation be referred to the chairman of the Memorial Committee, to make a recommendation to the Executive Committee. Motion adopted.

The Secretary General was instructed to look up the act in reference to *Mayflower* resolutions.

The matter of the Kenmore Association was referred to Director General Adams.

Director General Lewis moved that Mrs. Fleming-Smith of the Kenmore Association be invited to be the guest of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at the Congress to be held in Philadelphia. Motion adopted.

Director General Adams moved that the President General of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution be invited to be the guest of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at the next Congress to be held in Philadelphia in June. Motion adopted.

Director General Lewis moved that the Executive Committee commend the Wakefield matter and that it be referred to President General Remington to answer. Motion adopted.

Director General Ames moved that the Secretary General communicate with Major Leon French, of California, informing him that the United States prints pamphlets formerly issued by S. A. R., and also copies of the Constitution, and that this matter be referred to the Committee on Americanization. Motion adopted.

Director General Lewis moved that the Executive Committee commend the pamphlets of the Committee on Americanization to the State Societies and members generally and ask them to co-operate in the suggestions made therein. Motion adopted.

Director General Ames moved the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Executive Committee appreciates the spirit in which the resolution of the California Society was framed regarding a closer co-operation between various patriotic societies, and with this object in view it stands ready to co-operate in the most friendly manner with all patriotic societies. Motion adopted.

Director General Lewis moved that it be the sense of the Executive Committee that the Program Committee of the National Congress to be held in Philadelphia in June arrange for an open discussion or conference, during the session of the Congress, on General S. A. R. activities, limited to forty-five minutes. Motion adopted.

Director General Lewis moved that the vote by which the Executive Committee have approved a proposed constitutional amendment making the Directors General members of the Board of Trustees by virtue of their appointment, as appears on page 287 of the December, 1925, *MINUTE MAN*, be rescinded.

Mr. Lewis stated that to make an appointive committee members of an elective board, which delegated authority to said committee, was unsound in principle, and that, owing to small attendance at some meetings of the Board of Trustees, it was apt to make undue centralization of power. Motion to rescind was adopted.

Mr. Barrett moved to rescind the proposed amendment to the By-Laws which appears on page 290 of the December, 1925, *MINUTE MAN*, and which authorizes the Board of Trustees, the Executive Committee, and President General to prescribe the duties of the Secretary General. Mr. Barrett stated that his grounds for such motion were that the existing section is better and the proposed section might lead to a conflict of authority. The motion was adopted.

Director General Ames offered the following proposed amendment to the existing Article 5 of the By-Laws, which relates to the duties of the Secretary General: Add the words "He shall also serve as Secretary of the Board of Trustees and of the Executive Committee." This proposed amendment was approved and will be submitted to the Board of Trustees.

Director General Ames made his report as chairman of the Committee on Comity.

President General Remington announced the appointment of Directors General Ames and Barrett as members of the National Committee on Arrangements.

Recess was taken in order to hear the detailed report of Mr. Gabell, chairman of the Committee on Arrangements for the next Congress.

Session resumed.

The President General announced the appointment of Ray L. Gariss, of Nashville, as a member of the Committee on Immigration.

The President General announced that the Committee on Transportation would be the same as last year.

The President General announced the appointment of George S. Robertson as vice-chairman of the Committee on Credentials; also Alexander W. Tibbetts, of Louisville, and Hugh Scott, of Philadelphia, as members of that committee.

Director General Adams moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Gabell for his excellent report. Motion adopted.

Director General Barrett moved a vote of thanks to President General Remington for his pleasant hospitality during the meetings. Motion adopted.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

FRANK B. STEELE,
Secretary General.

**PRELIMINARY PROGRAM, ANNUAL CONGRESS, NATIONAL SOCIETY,
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

To Be Held in Philadelphia, June 6-9, 1926

The Committee on Arrangements of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, at a meeting in the city of New York, held February 20, 1926, made the following report of the preliminary program for the Congress, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, June 6-9, 1926.

Following the usual custom, divine service will be held in Old Christ Church on Sunday afternoon, June 6, at 4:00 o'clock. Our Chaplain General, the Rev. Frank A. Smith, will preach the sermon, and the details of the service are being worked out in conjunction with the Rector, Dr. Louis C. Washburn, who is a noted historian and one whose life and writings abound with the atmosphere of this sacred edifice. It is expected to have as a guard of honor one of the city troops of Philadelphia. Patriotic organizations, including the Sons of the Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames, P. O. S. of A, Order of Cincinnati, Founders and Patriots, Historical Societies, Mayor and Cabinet, and others, have been invited, and it is expected that this will be one of the most impressive services ever held by the Society. It is expected that the President General will occupy the pew of General Washington.

Monday morning will be the first assembly of the Congress, at 10 o'clock, at Independence Hall. Weather permitting, the opening services will be held in front of the building, where a grandstand will be erected. Addresses of welcome will be delivered by Mayor Kendrick of Philadelphia and Governor Pinchot, if he is not otherwise engaged. This will be a most inspiring opening for our Congress, held, as it is, in the shadow of Liberty Bell and Independence Hall, where the Declaration was signed.

The patriotic airs will be rendered by a chorus of at least 150 voices, the singers being stationed on a special platform near the speakers' stand. A special inspection of the Declaration Chamber and the Liberty Bell will be provided for the delegates and their ladies.

There will be a buffet luncheon provided for the delegates at the Bellevue-Stratford, and a special luncheon for the ladies at 12:30 will be in the North Garden of the Bellevue-Stratford. The ladies' committee in charge have arranged for representative women as speakers at this luncheon. We hope to have in the receiving line the President of the Daughters of the American Revolution, as well as other high officials in the women's clubs of Philadelphia. This will be one of the most interesting features of the Congress to the visiting ladies.

At 2:00 p. m. the regular business session of the Congress will be resumed in the Clover Room. In the evening, at 8:00 o'clock, will be held the annual reception to the President General, officers, and distinguished guests. This will take place in the ballroom and will be followed by dancing.

On Tuesday morning at 9:30 the regular business session of the Congress will be resumed in the Clover Room and will continue until adjournment for luncheon. At 2:00 p. m. a motor trip to Valley Forge will be provided for all the delegates and their ladies. The ride will be over historical ground, covering part of the highways used by Washington in his campaign about Philadelphia. There will be guides on this trip to point out the interesting scenes and events, as the busses proceed on their way.

A PILGRIMAGE OVER SACRED SOIL

By WALTER GABELL

To a Son of the American Revolution no spot on the face of the entire globe could be more sacred, from a patriotic standpoint, than Philadelphia. Here, in the hallowed surroundings which bear the finger-prints of the Father of his Country and a host of patriots, one is stirred to the very depths as he contemplates the momentous decisions and the stirring scenes that took place in the troubled days of the Revolutionary period. Here you can stand on the very spot where John Hancock put the first signature to that document which, with the exception of the Holy Bible, has meant more to humanity than all others. You can hold in your hand the very inkwell into which he dipped the quill pen and sit in the very chair which he used at that time, and all about you are the very walls which housed the representatives of the thirteen colonies who took this bold and courageous stand for human liberties.

Outside of this hallowed room you may turn your eyes upon the emblem which today is symbolic of all that took place at that time. If you doubt your eyes, you may place your hands upon that priceless jewel, "The Liberty Bell."

Outside the portals of Independence Hall proper, a few steps will find you in the Old Congress Hall, and here you may look with awe at the spot where George Washington stood and took the oath of office for the second time as President of the United States, and also where the Congress of the United States met during the time Philadelphia was the capital of the Nation. Here, too, in this very room, George Washington delivered his masterpiece, so well known as the "Farewell Address." In the easternmost building of this group you will find what is known as the City Building; here the first session of the United States Supreme Court was held.

Just a few paces east of this structure, and at the end of a narrow driveway, stands another notable building, known as Carpenters' Hall. Here the First Continental Congress met, on September 5, 1774. It was a hall owned by an association of carpenters, who loaned it to the delegates of the Colonies for their meeting. They were unable to use the State House because the Assembly of Pennsylvania was in session at the time. Here, in this building, was formulated the great program that culminated in that final scene in the Declaration Chamber in Independence Hall.

We now turn our steps a few squares northward and, nestled on the west side of Second Street, you will find a beautiful and quaint structure known as Christ Church. Aside from its Revolutionary interest, this was the first Episcopal Church built in America. Here, in this sanctuary, one bows his head in reverence, for beneath his feet lie the remains of Bishop White; also the mortal remains of Robert Morris, the great financier of the Revolution. In the adjacent churchyard are also those of Benjamin Franklin, James Wilson, Benjamin Rush, all signers of the Declaration of Independence; General Charles Lee, General James Irvine, and Jacob Morgan, as well as Governor Penn, one of the colonial governors of the Province. As you approach the altar on the left, you will notice pew No. 58. Here you may kneel knowing that now you are worshiping on the very spot where knelt the Father of His Country during the time that he lived in Philadelphia and when he and his wife were the first citizens of the Nation.

A square north and east we come upon a picturesque old brick house on the north side of Arch Street. In this humble but quaint home lived Betsy Ross,

and in the lower room is the spot where she made the first American Flag. You may stand in the room where the Immortal George, with two others of his committee, view for the first time Old Glory.

From here one can travel to the outer parts of the city and make a tour of the scenes of the military activity during the Revolutionary War, stopping at the old Chew Mansion, which was occupied by the British during the Battle of Germantown. The spot where George Washington stood while directing the battle is marked.

A little farther down Old Germantown Road may be found the "White House of the Revolution," which Washington used during the time Philadelphia was occupied by the British under General Howe. The number of this house is 5446 Germantown Avenue, and it is occupied by one of the prominent quaker families of Philadelphia, being known as the Morris Home.

A few miles farther out Germantown Avenue one reaches old Barren Hill, where a skirmish also took place. A little farther to the east Fort Washington can be viewed, where there was also another skirmish.

From here one crosses the Schuylkill River, where the scenes of Valley Forge are preserved in their original state, including the interline of entrenchments. Washington's Headquarters, together with the forts which the Continental Troops erected, are in a fine state of preservation.

While on this trip many buildings of pre-Revolutionary interest may be viewed. They go back to the earliest days of the settlement and are the most genuine of Colonial relics. Principal among these is the old Swedes Church, occupied by the Swedes before William Penn arrived to take possession of his province. It may be remembered that the Swedes settled in Pennsylvania before the Quakers.

Then also may be viewed the house owned and occupied by William Penn. This house was located on what was called Letitia Street, but has since been removed to a spot in Fairmount Park.

Many other old landmarks of the Colonial and Revolutionary period are to be seen, but the above are the most notable and revered. These relics have become so precious to the American people that they can no longer be considered as truly Philadelphia's possessions, but rather are the choicest jewels of all the patriotic citizens of this great country. Philadelphia finds sufficient reward in the knowledge that it fell to her lot to be custodian of such priceless landmarks of patriotism as well as symbols of the highest ideals of human liberty.

THE CONTINENTAL ARMY IN AND ABOUT PHILADELPHIA

BY JAMES K. HELMS

Past President of Philadelphia Chapter, S. A. R.

In order to make interesting the military events which took place in and about Philadelphia during the Revolutionary War, it was suggested that an account of the movements as well as the various skirmishes and battles that took place be chronicled in their actual order and sequence.

One frequently reads the history of the early American period, giving accounts of the various encounters in their order, as they occurred in the different parts of the Colonies, and one loses the thread of the events as they occurred about this particular location.

It has been my endeavor to recount the movements of Washington and his immediate command from the time when the British were looking with longing eyes on Philadelphia and turned their attention to its occupation. The activities of the Continental Army were therefore directed toward the protection of Philadelphia from the British, and their operations for a period of nearly two years constitute the story of how well Washington succeeded against almost unbelievable conditions. The evacuation of Philadelphia June 18, 1778, and the decisive Battle of Monmouth was one of the most significant turning points in favor of the patriots at that time.

WASHINGTON'S RETREAT THROUGH NEW JERSEY

After the campaign about New York, in the fall of 1776, and the Battle of White Plains, N. Y., General Howe returned to Kingsbridge, and Washington, with the American Army, crossed to the west bank of the Hudson River November 13, 1776, to Fort Lee. Following this, Fort Washington, on the east bank, and still held by an American garrison, was surrounded November 16. Washington then evacuated Fort Lee. Later Washington crossed the Passaic River, taking post at Newark; thence moved to Princeton, where General Mifflin was dispatched to raise militia in Pennsylvania.

PENNSYLVANIA MILITIA RECRUITED

General Mifflin's efforts in Pennsylvania were successful, particularly in Philadelphia. Over 1,500 men, already organized for general defense, assembled and marched toward Trenton. Hearing of the approach of Cornwallis's Army, Washington crossed to the west side of the Delaware River. He took a position so as to place his army in a manner to guard all the fords, Cornwallis having arranged to cross both above and below Trenton, as the distance to Philadelphia was about the same.

GENERAL LEE'S CAPTURE

Washington dispatched orders to General Gates, of the Northern Army, and General Heath, at Peekskill, N. Y., to march to his assistance, and repeatedly ordered General Lee to join him. Lee, however, ignored these instructions, falling in on the rear of the British, where he was surprised on December 12, 1776, in Morris County, New Jersey, and captured by the British.

ATTACK ON PHILADELPHIA FEARED

Washington had foreseen the attempt of the British to move down the Delaware in boats and ordered them all removed, so that the attempts of the British to get possession of the boats failed. Cornwallis then gave evidence of closing the campaign and going into winter quarters along the Delaware, at Trenton, Bordentown, White Horse, Mt. Holly, and the residue extending back to the Hackensack River. Strong corps were posted at Princetown, Brunswick, and Elizabethtown for the purpose of intimidating the people. Repairs to bridges below Trenton also led Washington to believe that an advance would be made on Philadelphia by the British. Fearing this advance, Washington resolved to face about and meet the enemy, selecting Morrisville as his permanent base, with entrenchments thrown up to defend all the fords of the Delaware.

BATTLE OF TRENTON—"WASHINGTON CROSSED THE DELAWARE"

Knowing the habits of the Hessians, who were stationed at Trenton, of observing the Christmas Fête, Washington resolved to take Trenton on that day. With his main body at Taylorsville, Washington arranged to cross nine miles north of Trenton, with other divisions to cross at Trenton Ferry and Dunks Ferry, near Bristol. December 24 was a calm and peaceful day on the Delaware, but on the 25th a storm arose, changing it into a rough and raging stream. Nevertheless, the celebrated crossing was made at McConkeys Ferry, and Washington marched in person down the Jersey side of the river with one of his divisions with such vigor that the Hessians were surprised and Colonel Rawle severely wounded, while the garrison of about 1,000 in number surrendered.

BATTLE OF PRINCETON

Washington now found himself reinforced by the Pennsylvania militia and decided to try to recover Jersey. The British were collecting in force at Princeton on January 1, 1777. On account of a storm, it was impossible for Washington to return to Pennsylvania, compelling him to decide to take the British at Princeton. He hastily marched to Burlington, with the evident intent to mislead them, and by forced marches took the circuitous road to Princeton, where he surprised them at sunrise, January 3, 1777. Here the courage of the colonists was renewed, as it resulted in a disaster for the British, but it caused the loss of General Hugh Mercer, of Washington's staff, whose body was removed to Philadelphia and is now buried in Laurel Hill Cemetery, on Ridge Avenue.

BRITISH RETURN TOWARD NEW YORK

The British now returned toward Amboy and New York, so that Philadelphia was safe for a short season. After several surveys made by General Howe, he decided that it would be impossible to face the American Army, now strongly entrenched on the western bank of the Delaware. Washington, having anticipated the move of the British toward Philadelphia, had moved from Morrisville to Middlebrook, making his position much stronger. The first attempt of Howe, on June 4, 1777, having failed to draw Washington from his commanding position, Howe decided to withdraw from Jersey entirely and embark for the Chesapeake or the Delaware. On June 17, 1777, he marched eastwardly to Brunswick, on the 22d to Amboy, and thence to Staten Island on June 26, while Washington was again left to conjecture Howe's plan of campaign. With his army almost

completely in distress, Washington had saved Philadelphia for a while at least, Pennsylvania was protected from the enemy, and New Jersey almost fully recovered.

THE BRITISH EMBARK FOR NEW YORK

At last, on July 23, 1777, an embarkation of the British Army was completed, the fleet putting to sea from New York Harbor. Upon the disappearance of the British Washington suspected a ruse. Marching to Coryells Ferry July 25, 1777 (now Lambertville), and when assured of the British having sailed southward, he marched with celerity toward Philadelphia. On July 30 Washington was notified by President Hancock that General Howe's fleet of over 200 sails had appeared off the capes of the Delaware. Immediately obstructions were placed on the Delaware, so as to make it not navigable. This caused Howe to abandon the project, and he resolved to transport the army up the Chesapeake, where they landed 18,000 troops on August 25, 1777, at the head of the Elk River, where it flows into the Chesapeake Bay, called Turkey Point.

THE AMERICAN ARMY MARCH THROUGH PHILADELPHIA

When Washington was informed of the movements of the British fleet, the American Army moved down Old York Road from New Hope toward Philadelphia. On August 8, 1777, they went to White Marsh; then to Upper Dublin Township, Montgomery County; then to the Crooked Billet Tavern (Hatboro), and thence to Cross Roads (Hartville), where they camped until August 23. News having been received of the landing of the British, Washington wished to make an inspiring spectacle, so he marched his entire army through Philadelphia, and thence took the road to Darby (Woodland Avenue), where they went into camp at 8:00 p. m. August 24, 1777. On the 25th the American Army marched through Chester, proceeding as far as Naamans Creek, and on August 26 Washington, with 16,000 soldiers, camped at Newport, Del., a few miles south of Wilmington.

COOCHES BRIDGE, DELAWARE

Howe decided to make an attempt to outflank the Americans and, if successful, virtually drive them into the Delaware River. The first skirmish occurred on September 30, at Cooches Bridge, Del., over the White Clay Creek. Here the American Flag saw its first gunfire. Again, on the 8th of September, the outposts skirmished at Red Clay Bank, near Newport, Del.

BATTLE OF BRANDYWINE

On the 11th of September, 1777, we find the two armies drawn up on opposite banks of the Brandywine Creek, near Chadds Ford, with the Americans on the eastern bank, at a point 13 miles north of Wilmington, where the battle was started. The battle was finally decided at Birmingham Meeting House, about three miles further north. After the battle the Americans marched to Philadelphia, camping at the falls of the Schuylkill on September 14, while the British advanced by the way of West Chester. On September 15 Washington marched up the east bank of the Schuylkill to Leverings Ford (Manayunk), crossed to the west bank of the Schuylkill and reached the Warren Tavern, on Lancaster Road, 23 miles northwest of Philadelphia. Here intelligence was received the next morning that Howe was approaching in two columns. Washington retired to the Goshem Meeting House, where the advancing parties met and were be-

ginning to skirmish when a heavy storm came up, rendering the retreat of the Americans a measure of absolute necessity. On the 17th they retired to Yellow Springs, and on the 18th retired to Warwick Furnace, on the south branch of the French Creek, in Chester County. Here a small supply of muskets and ammunition could be had in order to dispute the passage of the Schuylkill. The storm stopped the advance of General Howe for two days.

PAOLI MASSACRE

From this point General Wayne was detached with his division to fall in the rear of the British to harass their march. General Wayne camped in the woods, about three miles in the rear of the British, on ground familiar to him, in a remote place, seemingly inaccessible to the British.

His whereabouts, however, was betrayed, and Major General Gray, of the British, was detached and on the 20th surprised him, inflicting great loss on his command. This point is one-half mile southwest of the present town of Malvern. General Wayne stated his loss at 150 killed and wounded, and 53 of those killed on that fatal day lie buried and marked on the spot where the deed was committed. This is known as the Paoli Massacre.

PARKERS FERRY

On September 19 Washington left his camp at Warwick Furnace and crossed the Schuylkill at Parkers Ford, below Pottstown, camping at Potts Grove on the 21st and the 22d of September. Howe marched toward Parkers Ford, but turned and crossed the river at Fatland Ford the 22d and the 23d, a few miles north of Valley Forge. This was the height of the British invasion. General Howe consumed the time of the 24th and the 25th marching toward Philadelphia, which city he entered on the 26th of September, 1777. Meantime Washington moved his army from Potts Grove to Pennypacker's Mills, on Perkioman Creek, 27 miles north of Philadelphia; on September 29 he moved four or five miles nearer the city, and October 2 still nearer.

THE BATTLE OF GERMANTOWN

On October 3 the American Army marched about three miles southward, and about 9 o'clock that night began marching slowly toward Germantown 12 miles farther south. At the break of day, on October 4, they fell upon the British and fought the Battle of Germantown. In planning this attack Washington divided his forces, and, due to conflicting orders, in a fog he was compelled to withdraw his army, almost upon the verge of victory. On October 5 we find Washington rallying his scattered troops in the vicinity of Toyamensin, near Lansdale, where he made his residence at the house of Fred Wampole. On October 16 Washington moved to the house of Peter Wentz, just off the Skippack Pike, near Center Point, with the army camped around about in the same location as on the day before the Battle of Germantown. The house of Peter Wentz is still standing. October 18 the British Army returned to the city from Germantown, desiring to be nearer the center of the city, and threw a line of redoubts from the Schuylkill all the way across the city to the mouth of the Cohocksink Creek, on the Delaware. On the 21st Washington was on the move again. This time his headquarters were established at the place of James Morris, midway between the Skippack Pike and the Morris Roads.

WHITEMARSH

The American Army moved closely toward Philadelphia on November 2 and camped in Whitemarsh 12 miles northwest of Philadelphia. Washington selected a strong position for his army, on a range of small hills. Along the brow of the hills a line of entrenchments were thrown up, mounted with cannon, and redoubts were erected here and there for the greater security of the camp. It was rumored that Howe had withdrawn his troops to the city, fearing another attack. The Continental Army was strongly established, the main army being on the east hill, which has been since called Camp Hill, and the main redoubt on the northeast hill, later called Fort Hill and now called Fort Washington, while to the south was another hill, since called Church Hill. Washington's headquarters were established in the Emlen Mansion, near Camp Hill. From his headquarters in Whitemarsh, Washington waited in anxiety for the result of the campaign against the forts of the Delaware, as he was informed that the British were sending large forces up the Delaware in boats.

DELAWARE FORTS

Washington ordered General Varnum's Brigade to take post at Woodbury, near Red Bank. Seven ships of the British joined in the attack, which started on the 22d of October. Cornwallis landed at Billingsport on the 18th, and Washington sent General Green to take command of the troops in New Jersey to check his progress. The bombardment of Fort Mifflin, on Mud Island, lasted for about five days, and a thousand rounds of ammunitions were saved for the last day, November 16, 1777, when the gallant American forces destroyed the works and on boats retired to Fort Mercer, on the Jersey side, which they held for a short time, afterwards retiring up through New Jersey.

EDGE HILL

December 4 General Howe with 14,000 men advanced from Philadelphia toward Chestnut Hill, on the Germantown Road, where a slight skirmish took place on the 7th. The British maneuvered in order to entice Washington from his strong position in Whitemarsh. Washington was willing to meet the British in another engagement, but upon his own terms, and refused to leave his commanding position. When Morgan's experienced troops had arrived from the north they were sent toward Edge Hill, where they engaged with the British, who lost about fifty men. The American forces expected another engagement on the following day, but on the morning of December 8, the British had dispersed, having decided to return to Philadelphia, and were very much crestfallen.

FROM WHITEMARSH TO VALLEY FORGE

On December 11, 1777, at 4 a. m., Washington ordered the American Army to march toward Swede's Ford. Previous to this it had been planned to camp at Whitemarsh, but easy access of attack for the British rendered those plans unwise. The more desirable place of Valley Forge was chosen by Washington himself, after a council of his generals. On December 13 the American Army crossed Swede's Ford (Norristown), and on December 19, 1777, went into permanent quarters at Valley Forge. The story of the suffering and bleeding by the poorly-clad American Army is familiar to all Americans.

CROOKED BILLET

A detachment under Colonel Lacey was sent to Hatboro to guard the roads, camping near the Crooked Billet, where they were surprised May 1, 1778, by General (No Flint) Gray. The Americans suffered severely.

BARREN HILL

While the American Army was at Valley Forge intelligence was received that the British contemplated evacuating the city. Lafayette was sent with 2,000 troops to cross the Schuylkill and take post at Barren Hill on May 18, 1778. His headquarters there were near the present Lutheran Church. A Tory was immediately sent as messenger to General Howe and a surprise attack on Lafayette's forces was planned. This plan was discovered by Capt. Allen McLean, and his scouts held the combined forces of the British at bay while the Americans retreated in haste down the Spring Mill Road to Matsons Ford (Conshocken), where he succeeded in crossing the Schuylkill with the loss of two killed and several wounded.

THE BATTLE OF MONMOUTH

On June 17 intelligence was received that part of the British Army appeared to be crossing the Delaware; also, that the residue would likely follow; and in the morning of June 18, 1778, Philadelphia was evacuated. By 2 o'clock in the afternoon all the British troops were encamped on the Jersey side, directly up the Delaware shore. The American camp was broken up in haste, and Washington found it necessary to make an extensive circuit and cross the river at Coryell's Ferry (Lambertville), where he kept position on the high ground. The main body of General Clinton's command encamped at Allentown, N. J. After conflicting opinions by the generals, Washington favored an engagement and determined to take the responsibility, and on the 28th of June we find the armies engaged in the Battle of Monmouth, in New Jersey. The results of the Battle of Monmouth gave great satisfaction to the Americans, and a resolution was passed unanimously by Congress commending the brilliant generalship of Washington in marching from Valley Forge across Jersey to intercept the march of the British. After a few days on the high grounds of Middletown, General Clinton proceeded to Sandy Hook, whence the British Army passed over to New York.

NOTE.—A very fine map, giving all the details of the places and routes described in the above article, has been prepared and may be obtained from the Secretary General, or the Chairman of the National Committee on Arrangements, Mr. Walter Gabell, Broad and Erie Streets, Philadelphia. All delegates and others who will attend the Congress should have one of these maps.—EDITOR.

THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

BY HENRY A. WILLIAMS

Historian General

The Declaration of Independence is commonly referred to as the Magna Charta of American liberties. While this is a trite phrase on the lips of the average citizen, it is a regrettable fact that we, as a nation, know far too little about the great instrument which sets forth the fundamental differences between the mother country and the rebellious colonies.

The near approach of the sesquicentennial of the signing is again directing the attention of our people to the stirring events of those historic days.

It may not be unprofitable, therefore, for us to consider some of the more striking of the incidents that attended the drafting and signing of the Declaration of Independence and led to the establishment of the United States as an independent nation.

It is common knowledge that a committee was appointed to draft the document, whose membership comprised Benjamin Franklin, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, Roger Sherman of Connecticut and Robert Livingston of New York. The logical person to have been the draftsman was Franklin, not only because of the veneration in which he was universally held, due to his distinguished services and advanced years, but also because of his well-known ability as a writer of force and clearness. It is a tradition, however, that the other members of the committee were afraid that Franklin might inject into the writing some of that famous wit for which he was also noted, and that the instrument would thus lack that profound solemnity it was believed that the occasion demanded; so the task of submitting a draft of the form to be adopted was delegated to Jefferson.

The language of the Declaration, with its stilted and somewhat pompous style, as contrasted with the simpler and more vigorous phraseology of the Constitution, was well suited to the popular demand and the needs of the crisis which prompted it, and soon came into familiar use upon all patriotic occasions. The words of the Declaration for many years after the signing were taught in the schools, were widely committed to memory, were read or recited at school exhibitions and 4th of July celebrations, and this intimate knowledge of the Declaration and its sentiments made a deep and permanent impression upon the youth of the land.

It is not generally known that the document as originally issued bore only the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Continental Congress. These signatures were the only ones which appear upon the printed copies sent out at the time of the first announcement of the action of Congress. The Journal of the Congress for the day did not enter the Declaration, but left a blank for it, which was later filled in from the engrossed copy.

It was on the 19th day of July, 1776, that Congress passed a resolution that the Declaration should be engrossed on parchment. This was done, and on the 2d day of August it was signed by the fifty-three members then present. Gerry of Massachusetts, McKean of Delaware, and Thornton of New Hampshire were empowered by their legislatures to sign later, Thornton not signing until the 4th day of November of that year. The signers of the Declaration were drawn from many different walks of life and were of diversified personalities and employments. Of the fifty-six whose names were affixed to this instrument, nine were born in Massachusetts, eight in Virginia, five in Maryland, four each in Pennsylvania, South Carolina, and New Jersey, three respectively in New York, Dela-

ware, and Connecticut, two in Rhode Island, and one in Maine. Of those not born in the colonies, three had their birthplace in Ireland, two in England, two in Scotland, and one in Wales. Twenty-one were attorneys, indicating thus early the predominating influence of that profession that has been so conspicuous from that time to this in the legislative and deliberative conventions of this country. There were ten merchants, four physicians, three farmers, one clergyman, and one printer, and sixteen were men of fortune. The printer was Franklin, the oldest and in many ways the most influential, and certainly at that time the best known of all the signers. He was at the time of the signing in his seventy-first year. The youngest was Edward Rutledge, of South Carolina, who was in his twenty-seventh year. The average age was forty-four. Two, Adams and Jefferson, afterwards became President of the United States. They both lived to an advanced age and died on the same day, the fiftieth anniversary of the announcement of the Declaration. A third, Benjamin Harrison, of Virginia, had a son, William Henry Harrison, and a grandson, also Benjamin Harrison, who later occupied the presidential chair. The only clergyman, John Witherspoon, was at the time of the signing the president of Princeton College, and Robert Treat Paine, although in 1776 a lawyer, had been educated for the ministry and had served as chaplain in an expedition of the provincial troops in the French and Indian War in 1755.

Eight of the signers were graduates of Harvard College, four of Yale, three of Princeton, two of Philadelphia College, two of William and Mary, three of Cambridge, England, two of Edinburgh, and one of St. Omers. It will thus be seen that almost one-half of those who took part in the execution of this great instrument were college graduates.

The courage and high resolve necessary to the accomplishment of this enterprise can not be overestimated. These men were hazarding the future not only of themselves, their families and their associates, but also of their States and the united country upon the outcome of a single action, and it was well stated that to that end "they pledged to each other their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor."

THE PRESIDENT GENERAL'S TRIP IN THE SOUTH

On January 20 the President General and Mrs. Remington were guests at the Ladies' Night Meeting of the District of Columbia Society, at Rauschers, in Washington, D. C. The President General and Mrs. Remington, Congressman Albert Johnson, and Dr. Mark F. Finley were the speakers at this very pleasant function.

The next morning Mr. and Mrs. Remington arrived in Columbia, S. C., and were the guests of the South Carolina Society at a reception and luncheon at the Jefferson Hotel, which was beautifully decorated with southern smilax and the colors of the Society. The guests were seated at a table set in the form of a horseshoe. Major John F. Jones, State President, presided.

Speeches of welcome were made by Governor McLeod, Mayor Coleman, and former Ambassador William E. Gonzales, speaking for the Chamber of Commerce; Major J. C. Fairfax, for the American Legion; and Mrs. W. B. Burney, State Regent, for the D. A. R.

Judge Remington responded to the addresses of welcome, and spoke generally upon the purposes and aims of the Society, especially commending the wonderful organization work of Major Jones in North and South Carolina.

On the 22d the President General and Mrs. Remington were entertained by the Georgia Society. They were driven to Stone Mountain by William M. Francis, President of the Georgia Society, and Mrs. Francis, and in the afternoon were driven about the city and the suburbs by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Falkenburg.

A fine banquet was tendered the President General at the hotel in the evening, at which addresses were made by the President General and by Attorney General Napier of Georgia. The Georgia Society is undoubtedly going to be heard from with additions of new members, and we sincerely hope that it will be represented at the Congress in Philadelphia.

On the 23d the President General was met at Birmingham by Cadwallader Jones, President of the State Society, and Harold W. King, with whom breakfast was taken, and a luncheon was tendered at the hotel, attended by many of the officers of the Alabama Society. The President General spoke briefly at this luncheon. In the afternoon the President General and Mrs. Remington were guests at a reception given at the City Club by local chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and afterwards took a drive about the city and its environs with Mrs. Joseph R. Estes, Past Regent of the Alabama Society, D. A. R. Mrs. Estes entertained at dinner on Saturday evening in honor of the visiting guests.

The President General arrived in Pensacola Monday evening, January 25, and was met by Mr. John Hobart Cross, Secretary of the Florida Society. They were guests at the home of Francis W. Taylor, one of the younger members of the Florida Society, and on Tuesday morning were driven by Clement Blount, Esq., to the fortifications and other interesting points about Pensacola. A luncheon was given at the San Carlos Hotel, attended by about forty gentlemen and ladies of Pensacola, presided over by Mrs. E. W. Speed. Dr. F. G. Renshaw, of the Florida Society, acted as toastmaster, and the President General spoke upon the influence exerted by some of the prominent women of Revolutionary times. In the afternoon another drive was taken with Mr. Blount throughout the beautiful residence section of Pensacola, and an enjoyable dinner party at the hospitable Taylor home concluded the visit to this progressive city.

The concluding account of the journey of the President General is from the pen of our beloved Vice-President General, James M. Breckenridge, of St. Louis, who was with the party for ten days.

Itinerary of the President General from New Orleans to Little Rock, January 27 to February 4, Inclusive, 1926

Upon arrival at New Orleans from St. Louis, about noon, January 27, having located at Roosevelt Hotel, we were very soon taken in hand by Mr. C. Robert Churchill, President of the Louisiana Society, and by the National Chancellor General, Mr. George C. H. Kernion.

We were entertained at luncheon at the Restaurant de la Louisiane, and during the afternoon were guests at the reception given at her home by Mrs. Henry Dickson Bruns, who is head of the Society of the Colonial Dames in Louisiana. From there we went directly to the restaurant, where the annual banquet of the Louisiana Society, S. A. R., was held. Those of us who had not previously known it, discovered that our Chancellor General, Mr. Kernion, is not only a patriot and a student of history, but an orator, his subject being "George Washington," and the addresses of Hon. André Lafarge, Secretary of the Louisiana Historical Society, on "de Laussat's Twenty Days," treating of the period of the twenty days' French dominion between the Spanish and American occupation period of American history. The Flag Ceremonial, with salutations, surely cannot have its equal anywhere among our State Societies and President Churchill is to be congratulated upon it, as upon every aspect into which we had insight during our stay in New Orleans, of activities of the Louisiana Society.

The day following, January 28, we spent the morning at the Cabildo, the ancient Spanish and French seat of government of Louisiana territory, today a veritable treasure house of historical memories and antiquities. Chancellor General Kernion showed himself thoroughly familiar with the history of this building. After a delightful luncheon at Patio Royale, at which Mr. Churchill was our host, we enjoyed a boat ride on the Mississippi River in the afternoon, as the guests of Captain James Dinkins, and had a splendid view of the harbor of New Orleans.

Next morning found us at Shreveport, where we were met by Compatriot Clarence Ellerbe and others of Galvez Chapter. Locating at the Washington Hotel, we visited the Shrine Hospital for crippled children, through which we were conducted by the superintendent, Miss Boehringer, and our President General manifested his love for little children and his admiration of the splendid work of alleviating the suffering of helpless children, who were in all stages of convalescence from illness.

Mrs. Remington had been otherwise entertained by the ladies during this morning visit and was so interested that we all paid the institution a second visit during the afternoon. A luncheon at noon was given by Shreveport Chapter and presided over by Compatriot Clarence Ellerbe, at which the gentlemen only were present, and a very friendly and congenial gathering of the leading spirits of our Society and of the community resident in northwest Louisiana made the travelers feel thoroughly at home. During the afternoon Mr. Ellerbe took us driving for sixty to seventy-five miles through the adjacent country and its cotton plantations. In the evening a splendid banquet was given by Galvez Chapter at Washington Hotel, in honor of the President General and his party, the appointments being unusually beautiful, after which, with most pleasant mem-



THE PRESIDENT GENERAL'S PARTY AT THE PATIO ROYAL, NEW ORLEANS

Reading from left to right, sitting—Mrs. Remington, Mrs. de Kernion, Mrs. Munson, Mrs. Soniat, Standing—George A. Treadwell, Vice-President, Louisiana Society; James M. Breckenridge, Vice-President General; Mrs. Nichols, Frederick W. Millspaugh, Vice-President General; George C. H. de Kernion, Chancellor General; Harvey F. Remington, President General; C. Robert Churchill, President, Louisiana Society; Dr. H. P. Munson, U. S. A., Iowa Society; L. M. Soniat, Vice-President, Louisiana Colonial Society.

ories of the visit to Louisiana and appreciation of the very great courtesies extended by State President Churchill, who accompanied us to Shreveport, we took the train for Houston.

Arriving at Houston on the morning of January 30, we were met at the train by the President of the Texas State Society, Mr. Sam P. Cochran, and escorted to the Rice Hotel. Shortly thereafter Mr. and Mrs. John Charles Harris, the former President of the Texas Society, and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin C. Allin and others called upon us. Then following a visit to Rice Institute, said to be the most generously endowed private university in the United States, where we annexed President Lovett, and after a drive about the city, gathered at the Country Club for a delightful luncheon, at which Mr. Harris presided and at which President General Remington spoke briefly. During the afternoon Mr. Allin, director of the port of Houston, that harbor which the genius of man has created to bring Houston into touch with all the world, took us as his guests in a launch over the entire harbor and turning basin, and we saw ships loading and unloading from various parts of the globe and gained some impression of the vast commerce of this port. The following day, January 31, was spent at Galveston, Mr. Cochran being our host at luncheon at the Galvez Hotel and drives through the city and along the splendid sea wall. At the hotel we had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Robert Humphreys, collector of customs and President of Galveston Chapter of the Texas Society, also Mrs. Humphreys.

The morning of February 1 found us in San Antonio, where we were met by Compatriot Richard F. Bibb and conducted to St. Anthony Hotel, where were gathered Compatriots Edwin L. Porch, Vice-President, and Samuel W. Scott. The morning was spent in a drive to the ruins of the missions outside of the city and in a visit to the historic Alamo, where, if patriotism need be stirred, that shrine of American heroism would surely call it forth. A luncheon at the Menger Hotel followed, given by San Antonio de Bexar Chapter, D. A. R., under the leadership of Mrs. Wm. Cassin, Regent, and by Alamo Chapter, D. A. R., under the leadership of Mrs. Bascom Bell, Regent, in which our San Antonio compatriots were joined. It would be difficult to imagine a more delightful affair, nor one in which the hospitality of the South, the splendid personality of the hosts and hostesses, and rare taste in entertaining could be surpassed. This very notable day was brought to a conclusion with a Mexican supper at the New Mexican restaurant.

The following morning, February 2, found us in Dallas, in the home town of the State President, Mr. Cochran, who entertained us at breakfast at the Hotel Adolphus, and with whom we later in the forenoon enjoyed a visit to the Scottish Rite Temple, of which rite he is the Sovereign Inspector General in Texas. The luncheon of the day was held at Hotel Adolphus, Mr. Cochran presiding and all of the compatriots of Dallas and near-by Texas cities, as also many notable guests, being present, among them Hon. Robert E. Lee Saner, President of the American Law Institute. A feature of the dinner was the bestowal of beautiful roses upon Mrs. Remington and Mrs. Cochran. The President General spoke very appropriately and the Vice-President General delivered an address on the subject of "One of America's Future Problems." Dinner that evening at Dallas Athletic Club, with Mr. and Mrs. Cochran as our hosts, concluded not only a day of enjoyment, but the visit to the Empire of Texas, destined at no far future day to share largely in the work of our Society in this country.



AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

Left to right—Mrs. Sam P. Cochran, Dallas; Mrs. Remington; Vice-President General James M. Breckenridge; Mrs. William Cassin, Regent, de Bexar Chapter, D. A. R.; President General Remington; Mrs. Bascom Bell, Regent, Alamo Chapter, D. A. R.; Sam P. Cochran, of Dallas, President, Texas Society; E. L. Porch, Third Vice-President, Texas Society.

On the morning of February 3 we arrived at Oklahoma City and located at the Hotel Skirvin, where we were soon called upon by President Manford A. Cox, of Oklahoma Society. At noon we were entertained at luncheon at the Oklahoma Club, where the membership of the Oklahoma Society had gathered for its annual meeting. It was an enjoyable opportunity for the President General to thus "listen in" on the reports and discussions of local problems and activities of the Oklahoma Society and to learn of its healthy condition. The great interest manifested in the discussion by so many of the compatriots indicated a live Society, with plenty of good timber available for service. The banquet of the Society that night at the Oklahoma Club, preceded by a reception to the visitors, was a thoroughly enjoyable affair. The presence there of the leading spirits in the public and social life of the State and city was noted and our President General very truly remarked that the types he there met were those of fine upstanding and self-reliant men and women, who could discharge responsibilities and take care of themselves.

The morning of February 4 saw us at Little Rock, Arkansas, where we were met by President and Mrs. Sam Wassell and former President and Mrs. Blakey, and taken to the Hotel Marion, where the forenoon was spent in resting, after these arduous days. At luncheon the party was entertained by President Wassell, in which he included former Governor McRae, of Arkansas. After luncheon Mr. Wassell escorted the President General and Vice-President General to the State capitol, where calls were made upon the Governor of the State, the Attorney General, Presiding Justice McCulloch, and Associate Justice Clark, of the Supreme Court, and upon the Agricultural Commissioner of the State, from all of whom we received a most cordial reception. A call was then made at the residence of Mrs. Samuel Preston Davis, the President General of the Daughters of 1812, where a reception to the Arkansas Pioneers was being held. The guests were introduced and cordially welcomed and each afforded the opportunity to say a few words. The chief event of the day was the banquet at the Hotel Marion in the evening, at which a large gathering was present and over which President Wassell presided. Addresses were made by Mr. Fay Hempstead, Governor McRae, and Judge Trieber, and also by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Davis, and it was an accurate comment of one of the visitors that Arkansas had placed some of its finest intellectuality upon the program. Here the President General, as usual, spoke most happily.

On Friday morning, February 5, upon the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Maurice and Mrs. John J. F. Manier, the President General and Mrs. Remington motored to Hot Springs over the wonderful scenic highway between Little Rock and Hot Springs. Through the courtesy of their hosts, they were taken to two of the Government hospitals at Hot Springs and several of the private hospitals, out to the charming country home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice, in the suburbs of Hot Springs; to the famous golf course of the Hot Springs Country Club, the thirty-six holes of which are commanded from the club house; to the alligator and ostrich farms, and then to luncheon at the Arlington Hotel, where, through the courtesy of Mrs. Manier, the President General was asked to broadcast an address upon immigration through Station KTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice and Mr. and Mrs. Manier will probably be some of the friends whose faces we shall be glad to greet at the Philadelphia Congress. Friday terminated that most enjoyable and never-to-be-forgotten journey among the delightful people of Dixie Land, including the marvelous Texas Empire, and it is confidently expected that the South will send a larger representation to the Congress than on any former occasion.

COMMITTEE ON INCREASED MEMBERSHIP

Correspondence Showing the Results of the First Eight Months of the Campaign

OFFICE OF DIRECTOR GENERAL RULEF C. SCHANCK,
SUITE 604, CHAMBER COMMERCE BUILDING,
PITTSBURGH, PA., February 10, 1926.

HON. HARVEY F. REMINGTON,
President General, National Society,
Sons of the American Revolution,
Rochester, N. Y.

MY DEAR PRESIDENT GENERAL:

SUBJECT: INCREASED MEMBERSHIP

Beg to report that we are doing better as time goes on, but not enough to overcome the loss sustained last year.

For your information, herewith hand you data concerning the growth of the National Society as to new members enrolled from April 1, 1925, to January 31, 1926, inclusive.

	1925-1926
New England District.....	141
Middle District	342
Southern District	224
Great Lakes District.....	147
Northern Mississippi District.....	61
Southern Mississippi District.....	52
Pacific District	98
Total.....	1,065

A greater interest, combined with a greater effort, would produce a greater enthusiasm; eventually, it would resolve itself into a greater Society.

We cannot hope for better. It is ours if we go after it.

Sincerely yours,

R. C. SCHANCK,
Chairman, Committee on Increased Membership.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY GENERAL, 183 ST. JAMES PLACE,
BUFFALO, N. Y., February 1, 1926.

MR. R. C. SCHANCK,
Chairman of the Committee on Increased Membership, S. A. R.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

DEAR MR. SCHANCK: Following your request to make a comprehensive report of the campaign which was carried on by the Buffalo Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution for increased membership, I am submitting the details to you briefly, hoping that perhaps other Chapters may receive some inspiration for the success of the methods used by our Committee on Increased Membership.

Although the campaign was supposed to start the 1st of October, it did not get into full swing until well along toward the end of the month; but from that time on it was carried on not only with enthusiasm and energy, but in a most businesslike manner.

The President of the Buffalo Chapter, Mr. Ganson Depew, appointed a Membership Committee with Mr. Edward Kleinhans as chairman, and this appointment turned out to be an inspiration. Mr. Kleinhans, being a business man, used business methods, and a large part of the success of the campaign is due to him, though he had splendid support from other members of his committee and the officers of the Chapter.

At a meeting called early in October ways and means and methods were discussed and it was decided to issue a letter to the members of the Buffalo Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and also to our own members, requesting the names of the male relatives who are eligible to membership in the Sons of the American Revolution. This was done, and something like six or seven hundred such letters were sent out, there being over six hundred members of the Buffalo Chapter, D. A. R., alone. Each letter had a return postal enclosed, with blank spaces for Revolutionary data.

The response to the letters was most cordial and immediate. In less than two weeks we had nearly one hundred and fifty prospects and many more came in later. Of course, that was merely preliminary to the real work, for prospects are not much use unless followed up. Accordingly, soon after these responses came in, a luncheon was held for both Membership Committee and a number of the most loyal and enthusiastic members, and there the names of the prospects were read and given to the members who were acquainted with the proposed applicant. It was also decided to have weekly luncheons of the Membership Committee, and that reports be made of the progress of the campaign.

This plan was the solution of the problem and was most successful. There were never less than six or seven at these luncheons, and at every one definite results were obtained. There were always new applications reported, and it was found that when one man could not handle a prospect he was turned over to another. A friendly rivalry was created among the committee and the enthusiasm of the members was kept up in every way possible.

Great assistance was given by the Registrar of the Buffalo Chapter, D. A. R., and Teunis D. Hunting, Registrar of the Empire State Society, in giving data of the proposed new members from their records. This was almost a necessity, for the one difficulty seemed to be to get the applicant to make out and sign his papers. Practically every man approached was more than desirous of becoming a member, but he did not wish to go to the bother of making out his papers and would not do it at once. This was obviated by the committee agreeing to have the papers made out, and in most cases this was done.

Another feature we emphasized was the bringing back into membership former members who had either been dropped or had resigned. These men were seen by a member who knew them well, and more than a dozen of these are again members of the Society.

An interesting side light is the fact that, after the campaign had been going about a month or two, men who were not on our lists were inquiring about the requirements, and several of these have since made out their papers and become members. This was due to the publicity given to our meetings and the fact that our work was becoming known to many men acquainted with the newer members. There is a great deal in the saying that nothing succeeds like success, and the crowd follows the crowd.

The encouraging part of it is that the men who have put over the campaign so far are perfectly willing to go on with it, and we feel that the work is just started. About fifty new members have been obtained in the four months we have been at it, and it is planned to double this number within another similar period if possible.

Another feature I have forgotten is that a number of our older members were persuaded to have their sons made members and agreed to pay for them until they are out of college or self-supporting. This builds for the future.

Let me say in closing that I think this kind of work can be put over in almost any part of the country. It simply needs the spirit of enthusiasm and interest these men had. If our members can be made to see the necessity of making our organization larger and more influential, they would not hesitate a moment. With this combined effort the National Society would double its membership in two or three years.

Cordially yours,

FRANK B. STEELE,
Secretary Buffalo Chapter.

"FOOD FOR THOUGHT"

MINNEAPOLIS, February 12, 1926.

MR. RULEF C. SCHANCK,
*Chairman Committee on Increased Membership,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.*

DEAR MR. SCHANCK: Thank you for the kind expression regarding membership work in Minnesota.

In canvassing the field of possibilities, it seemed to me that our best method of getting information as to who might become members of our organization was to ask the sister society. Therefore we wrote letters first to the State Regent, asking her for the names of newly elected regents. Then we wrote to the regents themselves, asking them to request each of their members to supply the name of kinsmen residing in Minnesota who were in the direct line of descent.

These members were requested to quote their D. A. R. national number in connection with the man's name and indicate their relationship. The regents were requested to accumulate these lists and forward them to us at their convenience. This they did, with the result that we have one hundred and twelve names upon which to work for State membership. The grouping of these names indicates the possibility of forming five new Chapters.

A study is being made of each group to find a leader who can be encouraged to organize a Chapter. We will enroll him as a special membership worker if he can get sufficient group and enrollment in the State Society. We shall encourage their application for a charter at the proper time. It happens that some of our members are very well acquainted throughout the State, so that different recommendations can be made with the Membership Committee as to the probable interest that would be taken by leading men in the community. In such an organization we are working carefully, as we do not want to make any unfortunate mistakes.

It all seems very simple and obvious to me and I wish I had more time to devote to it.

Yours truly,
(Signed)

JOHN J. LOUIS,
Chairman Membership Committee.

ONE OF AMERICA'S FUTURE PROBLEMS

Address delivered before the State Societies at Dallas, February 2d, at Oklahoma City February 3, and at Little Rock February 4, 1926, on the occasion of the visits of the President General.

BY JAMES M. BRECKENRIDGE

The problem which I wish to submit to you is this: In the time there is left between this day and that of the exhaustion of our natural resources, when, in my belief, our institutions will be put to their test, what can we of the American stock do to insure that the generation which shall face that time of trial shall possess the spirit that animated our Revolutionary forefathers?

The question naturally arises, How came we here? History tells us that "medieval Europe was dependent for her luxuries on Asia Minor, Syria, Arabia, Persia, India, the Spice Islands, China, and Japan." "Precious stones, dyes and perfumes, drugs and medicaments, gums and spices reached Europe by many devious and obscure routes, but all from the eastward," by caravan, ship, and all other means of transportation then in vogue. Cairo and Alexandria were the great gateways of this commerce in its transmission to the Mediterranean, thence to the then Western World, the principal merchants being Italians. This commerce was checked by the rise of the Ottoman Turks, who in 1453, after 150 years of growth and aggression, laid siege to and captured Constantinople and there established their capital.

The trade routes to the East being thus effectually blocked, the daring and adventurous spirits of Italy, Spain and Portugal, and England were driven to seek other routes to the Orient, and practically all the early voyages of discovery to the New World, including that of Columbus, sought India as their goal.

This rise of the Moslem power at the close of the Middle Ages, in the conquest of the entire eastern end of the Mediterranean and destruction of the commerce of European States, although perhaps to be interpreted as reprisal for the Christian crusades to the Holy Sepulcher during the previous centuries, was an effective challenge, a veritable whip and spur, to Western Christian civilization. Following logically therefrom and thereafter may be traced the revival of learning and its spread among the common people, the many and continued religious wars, the development and growth of the modern conception of self-government, with consequent political adjustments. The spirit of adventure, the desire to better their condition, the colonizing instinct, led our ancestors, in the 17th and 18th centuries, to the New World, bringing with them English and Scotch education and culture, the English common law—in brief, their whole racial background—to the temperate zone of North America, the spot most favorable for their development.

As Professor Cheyney has well said in his "European Background of American History": "European needs sent explorers on their voyages of discovery and European ambitions equipped adventurers for their expeditions of conquest; the commercial projects of England, France, Holland, and Sweden led to the establishment of the principal New World colonies; the economic exigencies and the political and religious struggles of Europe sent a flood of settlers to people them; the institutions of Spain, France, Holland, and England all found a lodgment in the Western Continent, and those of England became the basis of the great nation which has reached so distinct a primacy in America."

It cannot be mere self-adulation to say that the American Constitution, together with its groundwork, the Revolutionary War and achievement of independence, may be fitly termed the consummate achievement of all British history, from the Magna Charta through the destruction, step by step, of the doctrine of the divine right of kings and the definite substitution of representative government. And when we so term it we may also truly call it the consummate achievement of all modern European history, since none of the continental nations had progressed as far as the British stocks in popular government at the beginning of the seventeenth century.

Our immigrant forefathers who crossed the seas were animated by the desire to govern themselves, were seeking that natural birthright of all men, a more favorable economic condition, and, highest of all, were tenacious in their purpose to hold and transmit their conceptions of spiritual liberty which the martyrs of the Reformation (then not so far back in the past as now) had so dearly bought. I deem it, therefore, not too extravagant a saying when I declare of that exalted form of intelligent self-interest, of the intellectual, the spiritual impulse that lay behind the Declaration of Independence, the victorious conclusion of the Revolutionary War, and the long and difficult period of the Confederation, culminating in the final adoption of our Constitution, that there cannot be cited in all human history a parallel in which men and women attained to more sublime heights in the public interest than in the conception and birth of this Nation.

Descended from the flower of the great middle classes of England, Scotland, and Ireland to a preponderant degree, and animated by the high purposes I have described, the American colonists, during the 150 years following the founding of Jamestown and the landing at Plymouth Rock, developed into an even higher type than their emigrant forebears and, if possible, became racially more thoroughly homogeneous. Tilling the virgin soil, exploring the theretofore untrodden plains and forests, breathing the free air of a new country, they received the inspiration to become pioneers, to found a new State in which liberty might be perpetuated. In a word, throwing off Old World conceptions of caste distinction and privilege, they became more than descendants of British peoples—in this developing process they became ANCESTORS.

The rapid progress achieved in these short 150 years is all the more remarkable when compared with the more than one thousand years stretching back from the day of Jamestown, of Plymouth Rock, of those coincident events, the death of Shakespeare and the end of the reign of Queen Elizabeth (shortly after this our English tongue became crystallized in the beautiful language of the King James version of the Bible), back to those early periods during which the aboriginal stocks which first peopled the British Isles were conquered and destroyed or absorbed by successive invasions of northern and western European tribes and clans, finally by the Saxons, they in turn overwhelmed by the Normans, who as the ruling classes have made England great and have been her spokesmen at home and abroad, down to the days of Gladstone and of Lloyd George. With the introduction of no new elements into the British blood except that of a few Spanish sailors wrecked in the Armada in Queen Elizabeth's time, these thousand years were required to produce that homogeneous type, the Briton of today, the equal, no doubt, but in nowise the superior, of those who laid the foundations of our liberties 150 years ago.

It were a half truth to say, that which none of us will deny, that our national growth has been due to our favorable political institutions, a contention easily

demonstrated by comparison of the advance made by the great body of our citizenship since Colonial days with the lack of similar advancement made by the same classes of society in Great Britain during the same period. To complete the truth, it must be added that this development has also been coincident with the exploitation of our natural resources.

Time was when whaling, out of Nantucket and New Bedford, was quite an industry, when whale oil lighted our lamps in the American household, when trade and barter with the Indians was quite a business, some fortunes surviving to this day having been founded thereby. Then the Hudson Bay Company, away up in the north of us, typified the highest form of activity along commercial lines in the New World.

If the original American pioneers, dependent upon natural increase solely, had themselves developed all that God placed here for man's use, there would still remain a rich inheritance for our children; but human folly was never better exemplified than in the bringing of African slaves to speed the cultivation of the virgin soil, in the importation of inferior European stocks to accelerate the working of our mines, in the general invitation, eagerly accepted by Europeans in 1848 and since, which has literally made our country an asylum for the undesirables of all nations.

As evidence of the approaching exhaustion of our natural resources, I cite the destruction of our forests, of practically all our wild animal life, the rapid exploitation of our natural oil and gas supply, the wearing out of our tillable soil, particularly in the extreme Eastern States, so that it has become accepted as of course that we have large areas which cannot possibly sustain their own population and which our highly developed transportation system only can justify or excuse. The American stock has largely gotten away from the soil, and even their successors, sprung from later alien migrations to this country, are following suit and crowding to the centers of population. Economic pressure increases, the several classes in society appear to consider their respective interests opposed, and strive to shift the burdens of taxation to each other's shoulders, and respect for duly constituted authority plainly diminishes.

As to when these natural resources will be exhausted, I cannot venture to predict, but certain signs may be looked for as conditions precedent, as a shifting of population (entirely different from the westward march of our pioneer forefathers) from the older and more exhausted districts, or from those centers of trade or manufacture most liable to strikes and social disorders to more fertile and more peaceable parts of our domain, even to Alaska or the Philippines, or to Central or South America. To these far-off theaters of action will go our adventurous spirits, that blood which the country can ill spare, leaving the less aggressive of our stock in his natural habitat as to favorable climatic condition, but face to face with the brunt of economic pressure and competition exerted by fellow-citizens of other than Anglo-Saxon stock and ideals. Then it will be a question of the survival of the fittest. We may as well face that contest in prospect and realize now that if our descendants are not fit, while our civilization may survive, our political institutions, and with them the descendants of those who founded those institutions, must go down.

That incorporation into citizenship of unassimilable alien elements tends to work destruction of a nation, manifest always when its natural resources approach exhaustion, is demonstrated by the downfall of the ancient nations of Asia Minor, that garden of the world, two or three thousand years ago. Not one of those

nations survives today; the land is a desert and the original racial stocks are lost in mongrel strains of blood today impossible to identify. Ours is not a case of rude and barbarous hordes descending upon a highly civilized but decadent people; ours is the serious problem of an independent and virile people, the flower of Christian civilization, voluntarily permitting—nay, inviting—the grafting upon its body politic of inferior and opposite types of both race and color.

We are confronted, therefore, with two causes, each working towards the downfall of our institutions and the subordination of our old Colonial stocks, namely, the alien tide, already bone of our bone and flesh of our flesh, politically speaking, and the prospect of ultimate exhaustion of our natural resources, which latter are, in my judgment, almost solely to be credited with the marvelous advance we have made in material things. Certainly, while we live in a more merciful, a more liberal age, so termed, small advance appears to have been achieved in things fundamental, spiritually speaking, but rather a lowering of standards and impairment of ideals in public sentiment to meet the lowered standard of the average of our now diluted citizenship.

Henry Fairfield Osborn, the great authority on the early races of man, has written: "We Americans must realize that the altruistic ideals which have controlled our social development during the past century and the maudlin sentimentalism that has made America 'an asylum for the oppressed' are sweeping the Nation toward a racial abyss. If the melting pot is allowed to boil without control and we continue to follow our national motto and deliberately blind ourselves to all 'distinctions of race, creed, or color,' the type of Americans of colonial descent will become as extinct as the Athenian of the age of Pericles and the Viking of the days of Rollo."

And again from the same authority: "If I were asked what is the greatest danger which threatens the American Republic today, I would certainly reply: The gradual dying out among our people of those hereditary traits through which our religious, political, and social foundations were laid down and their insidious replacement by traits of a less noble character."

A less notable writer, but equally sound in his contention, Albert W. Atwood, in a work of present day use on a practical subject, is moved to say: "The early American colonists had to fight hard to gain a foothold on a new continent, and the habits of thrift gained in the struggle for existence kept them and their descendants vigorous for more than a century. Great wealth of natural resources, ease of acquiring a living, and long cycles of prosperity breed habits of waste and decay. When mad extravagance took the place of foresight among the Romans, that nation crumbled and fell to destruction. This country has become prodigal of its vast resources. Extravagance has come to reign supreme."

Francis Bacon, the English statesman and philosopher, he who has by some been credited with the authorship of Shakespeare's plays, in his essay entitled "Of Vicissitudes of Things" has this to say:

"In the youth of a State, arms do flourish; in the middle age of a State, learning; and then both of them together for a time; in the declining age of a State, mechanical arts and merchandise.

"When a warlike State grows soft and effeminate, they may be sure of a war, for commonly such States are grown rich in the time of their degeneracy, and so the prey inviteth and their decay in valor encourageth a war."

One has to hark back in memory only to 1917, recalling how difficult a task it was to crystallize popular sentiment in favor of assertion, through declaration

of war, of our rights as American citizens, in our lives and property. We may not have grown effeminate, in the sense Bacon uses the word, but we have grown rich, and we have incorporated in our citizenship such un-American elements that if it were a mere question of national self-defense there are those among us who would not only evade their own duty, but would try to keep us from fighting in such a holy cause. We may not share Bacon's view, expressed three hundred years ago or more, that the age of mechanical and merchandising activity is the declining period of a State, but readers of history know that in the numerous wars of the Middle Ages in continental Europe the inhabitants of the large and prosperous trading cities were not nearly so eager to fight as their fellow-countrymen who had less of temporal possessions at stake, but more patriotism.

The truth is, that in that generous expectation of some of the great figures of our Revolutionary period that this land would become an "asylum for the oppressed of every nation" lay the seed of the problems of our day which we are now discussing. Our forefathers naturally rejoiced in their dearly bought exemption from further European legislative and caste oppression and discrimination, and, regarding themselves as trustees for humanity in its struggle for liberty, desired similar exemption for their brethren of every race and people; but we, who have a retrospective outlook which our forefathers had not, now realize that not only our social life, our laws, and our institutions, but our very strain of blood, are evincing modification through the working of this beneficent ideal, too greatly extended in scope, to permit retention of that sacred trusteeship in the hands of American citizens of Anglo-Saxon blood and inherited ideals and conscience and fitness to govern, characterizing that race. Emerson expressed this magnificent conception of our forebears when he said, "The discovery of America looks like the last effort of Divine Providence in behalf of the human race." But we, descendants of those instruments of Divine Providence, as they felt themselves to be and as we hope the final verdict of history will prove them to have been, are sometimes served with a jury summons by a colored deputy sheriff, we sometimes practice law side by side with a colored attorney, and rarely, but sometimes, plead our causes before a colored jurist or magistrate. We feel certain the "Fathers" never foresaw this exaltation of the then "lowly" into the governing class. But even more significant is the statement of a superintendent of instruction in one of our large cities that in its public schools a larger percentage of colored children go from the grade schools to the high schools in that city than do white children, thus exhibiting the greater eagerness for educational opportunities. Realizing that "political changes control all others," that this race is not only fully our equal in political rights, but has become a power in national politics, and has entered the ranks of those who make, interpret, and administer our laws, we must not hide from our eyes the possibility of a degree of racial amalgamation at some future day from which we would now shrink, but which all history teaches as inevitable. True, we now have as leader of the Administration forces in the United States Senate a descendant of the American plains Indians, and we admire and are proud of him. We are accustomed to sympathize with the pride of descent of many a Virginia family from Pocahontas; but I doubt if any here consider these to be parallel situations with that I have forecasted.

In the realm of popular education, in which this Society is so vitally interested, we note the existence of so-called "Patrons' Alliances" in the large cities, organ-

ized to "assist" in the administration of education in the public schools in a voluntary and an unofficial capacity. While beyond question these alliances do great good, how many of their leaders have American names, American traditions? I should say about the same percentage as the children of American ancestry and names constitute of the great body of school children in the same centers of population.

Spain, in the reign of Ferdinand and Isabella, drove out the Moors and the Jews, and thus restored that country to a racially homogeneous condition, this after the Moors and Jews had dwelt in the land for generations, had acquired sacred vested rights, had become of the most valuable of her citizens, industrious and enlightened. This was done on what we would deem intolerant religious grounds. The decline of Spain as a world power, despite her vast colonial possessions, followed, and the great wealth acquired through conquest served only to impair the vigor and vitality of her people.

For entirely different reasons and in a wholly different manner Australia has in recent years adopted and enforced a national policy of exclusion of all races other than white. This appears to be purely a defensive measure, in view of her position in the Orient, but it constitutes a challenge to the Asiatic races and the experiment will be watched with absorbing interest.

We as Americans cannot and will not undertake to exclude any one already here and in the enjoyment of vested rights; but few measures passed by Congress in many years and enacted into law have been so wisely and patriotically conceived as the immigration law now in force. Nothing which the leaders of our Society have advocated and furthered, so richly justifies our existence as a national organization as this law, for which the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution is entitled to a share of credit.

Finally, to quote once more from the writings of Henry Fairfield Osborn: "In the New World that we are working and fighting for, the world of liberty, of justice and humanity, we shall save democracy only when democracy discovers its own aristocracy as in the days when the Republic was founded."

Propaganda for the destruction of our form of government must cease. There must be no teachings subversive of our institutions, no discrediting or belittling them. We must re-establish the old belief that an overruling Providence guides not only the affairs of men, but the destinies of nations. We must once more recognize that our Nation was founded under that guidance and has progressed thus far, despite our errors and our stumbling, only by that light. We must reconsecrate ourselves guardians of those liberties which our forefathers achieved and bequeathed to us, transmit that precious inheritance unimpaired to the future generations of our own blood, and thus prepare against the day when our descendants may constitute a minority but will nevertheless "leaven the whole."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON AMERICANIZATION AND ALIENS

HARRY F. BREWER, CHAIRMAN, 49 SUMMIT ROAD,
ELIZABETH, February 24, 1926.

In response to the request in our letter accompanying the Americanization pamphlet for immediate reports of activities, the following societies have responded:

Arizona—Work in public schools, emphasizing the principal patriotic holidays.

California—Speakers' Bureau for patriotic holidays; Americanization addresses over radio; teaching alien women; S. A. R. school medals.

Iowa—Committees to be appointed at once.

Idaho—Working through and with American Legion.

Illinois—The Naturalization Court Ceremony, a wonderfully organized piece of work; all the Societies should become familiar with it.

Kentucky—Constitution Day Celebration in Louisville, a very noteworthy affair.

Minnesota—Minneapolis Chapter co-operates very actively with the Interracial Service Council in a work of substantial and direct benefit to the aliens, which every Society would do well to copy.

New Jersey—Medals in the grade schools, prizes in high schools and universities; teaching civics and politics to alien groups; co-operating and directing receptions to new citizens; Boy Scout banners presented; funds for Mountain White Committee; broadcasting addresses on chief holidays; Fourth of July sunrise service.

New York—Buffalo Chapter committee appointed to commence active work; distribution of good citizenship medals.

North Dakota—Co-operating with other patriotic organizations.

Ohio—Work in public schools; distribution of S. A. R. medals; reception to new citizens; distribution of copies of Constitution; co-operating with "neighborhood work."

Pennsylvania—Co-operates in "neighborhood work."

Tennessee—Mountain White work; Boy Scouts; S. A. R. medals; school essay prizes.

Texas—Committees just named.

Virginia—Working to get State law making teaching of Constitution compulsory.

In addition, many officers of State Societies and Chapters have written commendatory letters about the pamphlet and promised to start things moving. We feel that we have opened up the field of activity. It is for the local groups to get busy and *do something*.

HARRY F. BREWER,
Chairman.

NEW YORK STATE'S PROGRAM FOR 150TH ANNIVERSARIES

An extensive program for State-wide participation in the principal civil and military anniversaries of the important years 1776 and 1777 as New York State's celebration of the 150th Anniversary of the Revolutionary War has been recommended by a special committee appointed by the Board of Regents. The program has been approved by the Board of Regents and its adoption by the State is to be urged by that body.

In general, the program calls for the observance in 1926 of New York's acceptance of the Declaration of Independence and the engagements of Long Island and White Plains; and in 1927 the observance of the Anniversary of the First State Constitution at Kingston, the battles of Oriskany, Bennington, and Saratoga. It also makes provision in these and other years for local celebrations by societies, churches, schools, and civic bodies of any pertinent incidents from 1775 to 1783, and lays stress upon the proposal that the significance of the Revolution be explained to pupils in schools without the modification of the regular programs.

To further this program, the Board of Regents recommends three publications: A New York Handbook of the Revolution, to awaken interest and to outline the program; a Report of the Sesquicentennial Celebration, and a Memorial History of New York, prepared by outstanding historians of the State.

In accordance with the recommendation of the New York State Historical Association, which was authorized by the Legislature to report on the celebration, and at the suggestion of the Governor, the Board of Regents will have general supervision of the program. It is planned to have a special sesquicentennial executive committee of seven members and an executive secretary to carry out the program, with the co-operation of the historical and patriotic societies of the State, and an honorary committee of 250 eminent persons representing all sections of the State.

For the proper administration of the celebration, a total appropriation of \$271,500 is to be asked, distributed over three years—1925, 1926, and 1927. The Board of Regents confidently expects that the Legislature and the Governor will approve this practical program for the anniversary celebration.

The committee consists of the following representatives of the State Department of Education: Dr. Frank P. Graves, President of the University; Regent Charles B. Alexander, Dr. James Sullivan, Assistant Commissioner of Education; Dr. A. C. Flick, State Historian, and Mr. Peter Nelson, head of the Section of Public Records and representative of the New York State Historical Association.

In presenting its report this committee stated:

"The American Revolution is generally recognized by historians as one of the most important factors in world history. It created a new federal republic, on a democratic basis, out of a portion of the British Empire. It helped to liberalize and to democratize the remainder of the British Empire. It accelerated that movement in France which overthrew the old régime of the Bourbons. It set the example for our sister republics in Latin America and the thirty or more republics girdling the globe.

"In the American Revolution New York occupied the most strategic position, both politically and militarily, and that fact was recognizable by the British and the patriots alike. The success of the Revolution was due as much to the statesmanship of leaders like George Clinton, John Jay, James Duane, and Alexander Hamilton as to the victories at Oriskany, Bennington, and Saratoga. New York,

handicapped by the fact that her Tory population was relatively the largest of any of the colonies, and the further fact that New York City was in the hands of the British from 1776 to the end of the war, played a noble rôle in the Revolution—one, unfortunately, not too generously recognized by historians living in other States.

"The year 1925 marks the beginning of the 150th Anniversary of the American Revolution and its momentous consequences. It affords an unusual opportunity to reinterpret the birth of those new ideas and institutions which made us a nation, and to call attention to the honorable part taken by the patriots of New York. Advantage should be taken of the occasion to reawaken an interest in the heroism and self-sacrifice which insured our national existence. Newcomers to our land should be instructed in America's splendid past. For these purposes appropriate commemorations should be arranged throughout the State."

ADDITIONAL REPORT ON CONSTITUTION DAY ACTIVITIES

(NOTE.—Through an unfortunate set of circumstances, the following report on the Constitution Day activities of the California Society were omitted from the published report in the December MINUTE MAN. As these were of unusual value and completeness, the report is here given with apologies to the California Society.—EDITOR.)

SEPTEMBER 22, 1925.

Col. LOUIS A. AMES,

*Chairman, National Committee on Observance of Constitution Day,
99 Fulton Street, New York City, N. Y.*

SIR: We have to report as follows:

It is our pleasure to tell you that Constitution Day was probably given more general thought in California this year than ever before, as a result both of the continuing efforts of yourself and your committees nationally in the past and of what added assistance we could give here locally this year; also, it is a great pleasure to tell you that specifically the California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, both through the State Society and through local Chapters, participated more actively and with more important results than we believe has ever before been the case.

Your Committee for California on this observance took up correspondence with the various Chapters of this State organization and sent them full instructions as to how and what to do, and communicated with a number of individuals and organizations, bringing the values of active observance of September 17 to their attention. The press was kept fully advised, with the result that a materially larger number of references to the subject were had this year than usual. Some of the church organizations were communicated with, and we actively encouraged cooperation with the Daughters of the American Revolution in this same interest. The school departments of California were approached through the State Superintendent of Public Instruction of this State, and we have the pleasure of advising you that the following was one of the paragraphs of a circular sent to county, city, and district superintendents and high school principals throughout California, under date of August 20:

"Constitution Day, September 17, 1925, marks the 138th Anniversary of the Signing of the Constitution of the United States. Inasmuch as the teaching of the Constitution is required by law in the schools of California and inasmuch as the young people of the State should become acquainted with the spirit of this

great document, I request that the day be observed in a fitting manner in all the schools of the State by holding suitable exercises in civics classes or general assemblies."

Separate communications were sent to some of the important county school superintendents, and from the Superintendent of Schools of the City and County of San Francisco, in response, we received the following: "I appreciate very much your letter of the 5th, calling attention to the coming celebration of Constitution Day, September 17, and extending an invitation to the luncheon at the St. Francis on that day. I shall send a communication to all schools in reference to Constitution Day. Our schools will give special attention to the day."

Through the interest of a number of general organizations here, speakers were furnished from several of them to address different schools in this city on that day.

Specifically of our California State Society, S. A. R., we have pleasure in reporting that we held a luncheon on Constitution Day in the ballroom of the St. Francis Hotel of this city, which was attended by 400 people, including members of our Society, members of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and groups from about a dozen local service clubs and organizations of this community. The attendance was by far the best our Society has yet had for any occasion. The State President of the California Society presided and the speaker of the day was John L. McNab, an attorney of this city, who delivered a wonderfully presented and very interesting address, which held an audience largely of business men until well after 2 o'clock. It was arranged to have the address radio broadcast over KGO, so that as wide a dissemination as possible might be had. There is enclosed herein a copy of Mr. McNab's address as a portion of this report and for your permanent files. Separate reports from several of our Chapters in California are also appended and we include a sheaf of newspaper clippings concerning this general occasion.

We feel that material values have been added to thought upon the subject of the Constitution through the observance of September 17 this year and are glad to have been of service.

Respectfully yours,

HOWARD C. ROWLEY,

*President of California Society, S. A. R., and Member
National Constitution Day Observance Committee.*

E. DE LOS MAGEE,

Member of National Constitution Day Committee from California.

THE OFFICIAL GRAVE MARKER

On our cover page will be found this month the new cut of our OFFICIAL GRAVE MARKER, recently adopted and authorized by the National Society for use of State Societies or individuals in marking the graves of Revolutionary patriots. This is a beautiful marker in bronze, of fine proportions and dignity, designed to be inserted in the headstone of the soldier.

Every State Society or Chapter interested in permanently marking Revolutionary graves and individual compatriots desiring to permanently mark the grave of his Revolutionary ancestor should plan to use these markers. The rank and service of the soldier must be verified by our Registrar General before the marker is sold, and application blanks are provided for this purpose. Requests for markers should be made through the officers of the local Societies. The State Societies will be provided with the forms. It is desired that every State Society should appoint a committee of at least one or more members to especially take up this matter of grave marking and co-operate with the National Society committee, of which Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown is chairman. Further information may be had of Dr. Brown, 505 Willard Courts, Washington, D. C., or of the Secretary General.

THE CONTINENTAL CONGRESS**A Drama in One Act and Four Scenes**

Attention of our compatriots is called to an original conception bearing the above title, which is very recently off the press and is the contribution of the Denver Chapter of the Colorado State Society to this period of anniversaries of Revolutionary events.

It is "a dramatization of some of the scenes of the sessions of that historic body, the Continental Congress, whose members gradually developed the Declaration of Independence, and is especially appropriate for celebrations during this anniversary year of the adoption and signing of that great document."

It is arranged for presentation as one continuous session, and the dialogues are, as nearly as possible, taken from speeches made while the Congress was in session. Slight transpositions have been made in the order in which certain events occurred. Denver Chapter presented this dramatization as its special celebration of the anniversary of George Washington's Birthday, February 22d, and the impression created was all that had been anticipated for it.

The suggestion for this dramatization was made by Dr. Clarkson W. Guyer, chairman of the Board of Managers of Denver Chapter, and it has been arranged by Mr. Edward W. Milligan, Secretary and Registrar of the Chapter. The Chapter has copyrighted the drama, and it hopes that many of our State Societies and Chapters will find it sufficiently interesting to wish to present it in the form it is offered. The simplest of stage settings are required, and the costumes should, of course, be colonial, but not elaborate.

Copies may be obtained by application to the Secretary of Denver Chapter, Mr. Edward W. Milligan, 3109 East Warren Avenue, Denver, Colorado.

FOR ENGLISH-SPEAKING UNITY—INTERNATIONAL MAGNA CHARTA DAY ASSOCIATION**An Annual Commemoration by the English-Speaking Nations of the Common Origin of Their Liberties on Magna Charta Day, June 15**

NOT A LEGAL HOLIDAY—NOT RACIAL—NOT SECTARIAN

The association has two main purposes:

1. To develop English-speaking patriotism and co-operation by linking the English-speaking nations still more closely together, thus aiding world peace; and by arousing our race consciousness, making it more difficult for unwise racialism to develop and for our enemies to sow trouble among us.

2. To build up respect for law. It seems fitting that this association, formed to commemorate Magna Charta and all it stands for, should interest itself in plans to preserve our liberties through greater respect for the law and for those in authority, a proper understanding of the sacredness of citizenship, and unflinching loyalty to the flag, in peace as well as in war. This is a natural development of the movement, for Magna Charta was designed to be obeyed. It is the essence of law and order.

The association was formed in St. Paul, Minnesota, many years ago, for the purpose of furthering plans to develop the essential unity of thought and purpose and the closest affiliation of the seven English-speaking nations.

The movement urges the English-speaking nations to commemorate annually the common origin of their liberties in the observance of June 15 as Magna Charta Day. Among churches and Sunday schools the third Sunday in June is observed as Magna Charta Sunday. The support of the press is vital and is most earnestly requested. Public school teachers are urged to impress upon their pupils the importance and significance of the day.

The seven nations are the United States, Canada, Newfoundland, Great Britain and Ireland, South Africa, Australia, and New Zealand. Dr. Charles W. Eliot writes that in his judgment the phrase, "the seven nations," will in time take rank with that historic phrase, the thirteen colonies.

Our nations, with their common responsibilities and "common dangers," against which Hon. Elihu Root solemnly warns us, with so great a destiny from their vast potential development, must work most closely together.

Write for circulars.

INTERNATIONAL MAGNA CHARTA DAY ASSOCIATION,

J. W. HAMILTON, *Founder-Secretary*,
1678 East Minnehaha Street, St. Paul, Minn.

REV. WM. J. JOHNSTONE, D. D., LL. D.,

President, 2007 Iglehart Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

THE GOOD CITIZENSHIP MEDAL

Kent Chapter, Grand Rapids, is the latest addition to the ranks of the Chapters undertaking to supply the city schools with the Good Citizenship Medals, and has purchased fifty-five, to be presented to the schools of Grand Rapids this year. Other cities in Michigan have also made these awards, notably Adrian and Iron Mountain, either through the local Chapter or the generosity of individual members, so that this State may be said to have thoroughly endorsed the plan. One of the very earliest to become personally interested in the plan was Compatriot Sutton, of Sault Ste. Marie, who has donated the medals in his city since they were first offered, and loves it.

Dallas, Texas, is another enthusiastic supporter of the idea, offering them to the number of about thirty each year, and finds it so successful that our compatriots there are trying to encourage the use of the medals throughout the State.

Columbus, Ohio, is entering on its second annual award of the medals, to the number of thirty; Portland, Maine, is offering fourteen this year, and Colonel Van Dyck Chapter of Schenectady, New York, is continuing its second year with an award of sixteen; Tennessee is always ready, and we are answering inquiries from North Carolina.

So, from one section and another—North, South, East, or West—the good work goes on. It is safe to say that wherever the awards are once made it becomes an annual affair. The school authorities, wherever it has been tried, are never willing to have it discontinued.

The idea is urged upon all our State organizations and Chapters, especially, as a most excellent start along Americanization lines for the newer Chapters or individual compatriots in smaller communities, where there is no organization, as being most influential in character-building and citizenship education. Write to the Secretary General for information.

THE EVENTS OF STATE SOCIETIES

The Arkansas Society.—This Society held its annual meeting, in celebration of Washington's Birthday, at the Arlington Hotel, Hot Springs, February 22, and elected to membership in the Society J. R. Alexander, of Scotts, and Dr. Charles J. Higinbotham, of Pine Bluff. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: William G. Maurice, Hot Springs, President; E. R. Wiles, E. C. Newton, Vice-Presidents; Fay Hempstead, Secretary; T. M. Cory, Treasurer; Randall Peck, Registrar; K. P. Alexander, Historian; Robert Excell Frey, Chaplain. Trustee officer of the previous year was continued.

The following resolution, commending the retiring President, Mr. Samuel M. Wassell, was adopted: "The Arkansas Society of the Sons of the American Revolution desire to express by this resolution their appreciation of the zeal and efficiency of our retiring President, Mr. Samuel M. Wassell. He has given its affairs his utmost devotion, and the success of the Society during the year of his administration is gratifying to us and should be a matter of pleasure to him." A resolution was adopted allying the Society with the activities of the American Veteran and allied patriotic organizations, subject to the approval of the National President or National Congress. An invitation was extended to the National Society to hold their next Annual Congress at Hot Springs.

The Arkansas Society was honored by a visit from the President General, Hon. Harvey F. Remington, accompanied by Mrs. Remington and Hon. James M. Breckenridge, February 4, at which time a brilliant reception and banquet were tendered them, at which there were a number of patriotic toasts and addresses, interspersed with vocal and instrumental selections.

Arizona Society.—At the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the Arizona Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, held upon Washington's Birthday, President E. E. Ellinwood presiding, the following officers were elected to serve during the coming year: President, Howard S. Reed; Vice-President, W. B. Twitchell; Secretary, Harold Baxter; Treasurer, Henry B. Cate; Registrar, Richard E. Sloan; Historian, E. S. Stallcup; Chaplain, Rev. J. Rockwood Jenkins; additional members of the Board of Managers, M. B. Hazeltine, of Prescott; F. W. Perkins, of Flagstaff, and G. M. Butler, of Tucson; National Trustee, J. L. B. Alexander.

A resolution was passed indorsing the candidacy of Compatriot Chauncey P. Overfield, of Salt Lake City, for President General of the National Society at the election to be held at the forthcoming National Congress, at Philadelphia, in June.

The annual banquet of the Society, held at the Woman's Club, was complimentary to the Tucson eligibles for membership in the S. A. R. Addresses were made by Dr. F. C. Lockwood, of the University of Arizona, and the Hon. John B. Wright, of Tucson. Musical numbers were a part of the entertainment. Appropriate resolutions upon the death of Compatriot John C. Greenway were presented and the newly elected officers were installed.

California Society.—In addition to the observances of various Chapters for their own members, in commemoration of the anniversary of the birthday of General George Washington, there has been an effort this year to initiate civic observance exercises on the part of local communities. Under this idea the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco passed an appropriate resolution. A

combined Washington-Lincoln commemorative ceremony, beginning at 10 o'clock on the morning of February 12, at the Civic Auditorium in San Francisco, was held with great success.

Colorado Society.—DENVER CHAPTER—The annual meeting of this Chapter was held on January 21, when reports of officers and committees were heard and officers elected for the ensuing year, as follows: President, J. Wilfred Corr; Vice-President, L. F. Tong; Treasurer, Walter D. Wynkoop, Secretary-Registrar, Edward W. Milligan; Historian, Simpson D. Butler; Chaplain, Rev. L. C. Hills.

The Denver Municipal Flag Contest, noted heretofore in the pages of *THE MINUTE MAN*, was brought to a successful conclusion on the evening of January 11, when the city council adopted the design submitted by Miss Margaret Overbeck, a high-school student of Denver, in competition with a hundred and fifty or more designs submitted. The prize of \$100 was presented to the winner with due ceremony. Denver Chapter has received much favorable publicity as a result of this unique and patriotic conception, all of which reflects in turn upon the State Society.

A further splendid contribution which this Chapter has made to constructive patriotism has been the preparation of an illustrated traveling lecture, "The Old West." This lecture was prepared and illustrations procured for it by Compatriot Edward W. Milligan, Secretary of the Chapter, at the suggestion and invitation of Mrs. Frank M. Keezer, wife of the Colorado State Society Secretary and member of Denver Chapter, D. A. R. The lecture was presented to the National Society, D. A. R., to be used by its Department of Patriotic Lectures and Lantern Slides, and depicts the romance of the West, telling the story graphically with many beautiful illustrations, more potent than words. This also will reflect much credit and publicity upon both Chapter and Society at large.

To Compatriot Milligan is due the credit of not only this scholarly and delightful contribution to history, but also the idea of the City Flag Contest, and further contributions on his part in the lecture field, upon which occasions he preferred his introduction as Secretary and Registrar of the Denver Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, to any other. The cumulative prestige to the Society of these contacts are sure to be far-reaching and beneficial.

The Chapter holds regular monthly meetings and was prominent in Constitution Day activities, which were again largely supplemented and strengthened by the addresses of Judge Henry J. Hersey on "The American Constitution." Thirteen members have been added to the Chapter rolls during the year.

The Chapter has further sponsored another unique effort which has only recently come to completion. This is the preparation of a dramatization of the Continental Congress, also the work of Compatriot Milligan. Further mention of this is given in other pages of this issue of *THE MINUTE MAN*, but it is without doubt one of the most original conceptions ever undertaken by one of our organizations and will be of lasting interest and value. It is hoped many of our State organizations will wish to undertake the presentation of this dramatic story, which will be given by Denver Chapter as its special contribution to the observance of February 22d.

Connecticut Society.—The state society was entertained at Bridgeport by the General Silliman Branch on February 22, with the President General as guest of honor. President Orlando H. Brothwell presided as toast master. Dr. Charles

Sprague, President of the General Silliman Branch, extended greetings and an outstanding feature of the meeting was the presentation of a handsome silk flag to the chapter by Compatriot Isaac W. Birdseye. A handsome gift of flowers was given Mr. Birdseye in recognition of his gift. Delightful music was interspersed throughout the program, and the addresses by President General Remington on the work of the Society and by Dr. Day, of the United Church, were of deep interest.

District of Columbia Society.—This Society met on the evening of December 16 at the Lafayette Hotel. The speaker of the evening was Hon. Albert Johnson, Representative from Washington and chairman of the House Immigration and Naturalization Committees. The program was interspersed with music and a buffet supper concluded the evening.

The January meeting took place at Rauscher's on the 20th, with ladies present. A reception and dancing followed the banquet, and the special guests at this time were the President General and Mrs. Harvey F. Remington, who made this their initial stop on their Southern tour. President General Remington made the address of the evening.

The annual meeting of the Society took place on Monday evening, February 22d, at the Hotel Lafayette, at noon, at which time the business meeting and election of officers took place. The result of the election was as follows: President, Dr. George T. Vaughan; Vice-Presidents, Charles A. Baker, Henry L. Bryan, Arthur D. Call, Dr. Andrew Stewart, and Kenneth S. Wales; Secretary, Robert C. Tracy; Treasurer, John B. Larner; Registrar, S. S. Williamson; Assistant Treasurer, John Seward; Historian, Walter D. Patterson; Librarian, William L. Boyden; Chaplain, Rev. William Curtis White. Delegates to the Philadelphia Congress were also elected at this time. Formal endorsement of the candidacy of Hon. Wilbert H. Barrett, of Michigan, for the office of President General was voted unanimously.

On the same day, at 10.30 in the morning, there was held, at Memorial Continental Hall, the twelfth joint celebration of the anniversary of the birth of George Washington. The participating societies were the Sons of the American Revolution, the Daughters of the American Revolution, and the Children of the American Revolution in the District of Columbia. The address by Hon. Charles E. Winter, Member of Congress from Wyoming, and music by the Army Band and Marine Band were features of the program. All patriotic societies in the city were invited to attend.

Illinois Society.—SPRINGFIELD CHAPTER, at its February 1st meeting, had as its guest of honor Col. John B. Inman, Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R., and members of Stephenson Post, G. A. R., as additional guests. The date was arranged for the convenience of these special guests, and each member of the Chapter made himself personally responsible for the entertainment of one of the guests. Colonel Inman is a resident of Springfield, and led in the Flag Ceremony, which opened the program. Each member of the post gave his name, age, and command to which he belonged, in response to a roll-call. The youngest present was 78 and the eldest past 90 years. Adjutant General Henry B. Davidson, of the G. A. R., gave personal reminiscences of the Battle of Gettysburg, as a member of the Cavalry Division that opened that historic struggle. Mr. John B. Neal, who served in Gen. John B. Morgan's Brigade, was expected to speak of the famous raid, but was unable to be present. Lieutenant-Colonel Graham

spoke on the advantages of the Reserve and Citizens' Training Corps, and in favor of military training in schools.

At the annual meeting of the Chapter which took place on January 12, the business meeting followed the dinner and officers for the ensuing year were elected, as follows: President, John M. Tipton; Vice-President, Dr. David Lockie; Secretary-Treasurer, Isaac R. Diller; Historian, Dr. A. R. Crook, Registrar, Edward W. Payne; Chaplain, Nelson L. Allyn, and Sergeant-at-Arms, Evans E. Cantrall. The Chapter has been organized into groups or "squads," with leaders, for a membership campaign and hopes to enroll a large number of new members in the near future. Each member present responded to the roll-call with a brief statement of facts concerning his Revolutionary ancestor. The Chapter has responded to the appeal from Washington College, Tennessee, and contributed \$34 to this institution through the National Educational Endowment Fund, through personal subscriptions of members.

On February 22d the Chapter also held a meeting commemorative of the day and acted as hosts to the local Daughters of the American Revolution. The Chapter presented a War Service Medal to Evans E. Cantrall.

The Washington's Birthday celebration of Springfield Chapter was one of the finest meetings ever held. This was a joint meeting with the local D. A. R. Preceding the dinner and program, the patriotic nature of the celebration was appropriately introduced by the living and moving tableau of the "Spirit of '76," represented by four members of the Chapter entering and circling the banquet room with fife and drum, carrying out the details of the famous picture. The flags followed, and the audience, led by President Tipton, gave the Salute to the Flag. Addresses by President Tipton, Past President Searcy, and Mrs. L. E. Stone, representing the D. A. R., preceded the very fine address of the evening on Washington, by Hon. Cornelius J. Doyle, former Secretary of State for Illinois. Appropriate music rounded out a very fine program.

GEORGE ROGERS CLARK CHAPTER, Peoria, observed Illinois Day on December 3. Officers for 1926 were elected as follows: President, C. B. Baymiller; Vice-President, George H. Greene; Secretary, Ernest East, and Treasurer, Bruce B. Clark.

Iowa Society.—WOODBURY CHAPTER, Sioux City, on December 3, held a dinner meeting, following which Judge Robert H. Munger told of the visit made by him last summer to the battlefields of France, and Mr. Eustace W. Tomlinson read a paper describing the events leading up to the framing and adoption of the Federal Constitution. Chapter officers for 1926 were elected, as follows: President, Rev. Charles E. Snyder; Vice-President, Dr. Charles E. Magoun; Secretary-Treasurer, Guy J. Tomlinson.

The Chapter held another dinner meeting on the evening of February 24, at which Prof. M. C. Latta, of the History Department of Morningside College, gave a very fine address on "George Washington as President."

Kansas Society.—This Society met on February 24 for its annual meeting at the National Hotel, Topeka, with about sixty members present. Mr. Robert Stone was toastmaster at the dinner.

Different phases of the life and habits and works of George Washington were discussed in the two main addresses by Ewing Herbert, newspaper man of Hiawatha, and Dr. Frederick W. Lewis, President of the College of Emporia.

The Society contributed \$100 to the work of Washington College, Tennessee.

For the third consecutive year, W. E. Connelley was chosen President. Other officers elected were: Robert Stone, A. J. Carruth, Ewing Herbert, Hiawatha; Prof. Charles F. Skilton, Lawrence; W. S. Thompson, Hutchinson, Vice-Presidents; Homer Eiler, Secretary and Registrar; P. W. Allen, Treasurer; Griffith Bonner, Historian; Dr. Frederick W. Lewis, Emporia, Chaplain.

Kentucky Society.—The annual midwinter banquet of this Society was held on Washington's Birthday, at the Kentucky Hotel, Louisville. President Jouett presided and introduced the speaker of the evening, Hon. John Bell Keeble, dean of the Law School of Vanderbilt University, who made a delightful address. This was an open meeting, with ladies present, and one of the delightful affairs of the year.

On Sunday, February 21, the members of the Society attended a Washington's Birthday vesper service at Christ Church Cathedral, Louisville, at 4.30. The Rev. Royal K. Tucker, rector of St. Paul's Church, conducted the service and preached.

Louisiana Society.—The Louisiana Society was one of the favored organizations to receive President General and Mrs. Remington on the occasion of their recent trip South and, with its usual hospitality, gave them a royal welcome in true Southern style. The meeting, which was the annual meeting of the State Society, was held at the Louisiane restaurant, in New Orleans, on January 27, followed by a banquet. At the business meeting officers were elected for the ensuing year, as follows: President, Col. C. Robert Churchill; Vice-Presidents, George A. Treadwell, of New Orleans; J. Fair Hardin, of Shreveport, and Dr. David H. Keller, of Pineville; Secretary, John Dart; Financial Secretary, George C. H. de Kernion; Treasurer, S. O. Landry; Registrar, Sol. Bloodworth, Jr.; Historian, Henry W. Robinson; Chaplain, Rev. William S. Slack, of Alexandria; and Genealogist, R. H. Burwell.

At the banquet following the business meeting Mr. George H. Treadwell, newly elected First Vice-President, acted as toastmaster, and the interesting Flag Ceremony originated by the Louisiana Society was fully carried out.

Addresses were made by President General Remington, Vice-President General James M. Breckenridge, of St. Louis; Vice-President General Frederick W. Millsbaugh, of Tennessee; Captain John Dart, and Hon. André Lafarge. The General Officers of the Society spoke on the work of the Society at large and of their particular and personal phases of its work, while the last two gentlemen spoke eloquently on the subjects, "The Coming Legions" and "de Laussat's Twenty Days," respectively. Other distinguished guests at this delightful banquet included the President of the Colonial Dames, the D. A. R. State Regent, and the two Regents of the New Orleans D. A. R. Chapters, and representatives of Louisiana Colonial Society, the Louisiana Colonials, and the Delaware Society in Louisiana.

Earlier in the same day Colonel Churchill and other members of the Louisiana Society, including Chancellor General George C. H. de Kernion, entertained the official party of visitors at luncheon at the Patio Royal, a photograph of the party being shown in this issue of THE MINUTE MAN. This is most interesting historical spot in old New Orleans, and the background of the picture shows the old fountain and goldfish pond, about 125 years old. The building was originally built for a bank by Spanish and French owners.

The following day the party went, accompanied by Colonel Churchill, to visit the Galvez Chapter at Shreveport, where President Hardin and his compatriots tendered a banquet in honor of the visitors. The full membership of Galvez Chapter came out to do honor to the guests, and as this is one of the newest Chapters in our National Organization, just a year old this month, it felt itself signally honored to have a visit from so many of our National Officers. The banquet was an elaborate and beautiful affair, very largely attended, and a wonderful spirit of enthusiasm and comradeship was most apparent. Hon. E. H. Randolph presided as toastmaster. Addresses were made by the visiting officers and the leaders of Galvez Chapter. Judge Remington's address, "The American Gibraltar," was a delightfully reminiscent of Revolutionary characters and events. Other speakers included Judge T. M. Milling, Clarence Ellerbe, and Cecil Morgan of the Galvez Chapter.

Earlier in the day, a luncheon was tendered in compliment to Mrs. Remington by the three D. A. R. Chapters of Shreveport, at which over one hundred attended, and which was a most enthusiastic affair. Mrs. Remington was presented with a souvenir spoon symbolical of Shreveport and Louisiana.

The Louisiana Society hopes to organize more Chapters during the coming year, and hopes to add possibly four or five local organizations, believing that this is the sure method of increasing membership and keeping up active work and interest.

The Society is planning to be represented at the Philadelphia Congress by four or more delegates and has nominated for this purpose Capt. James Dinkins, Dr. R. H. Slack, and Dudley Coleman, as well as Chancellor General George C. H. de Kernion.

Maine Society.—The annual meeting of this Society was held on February 22, the business meeting convening in the afternoon, followed by a banquet, one of the largest in the history of the Society. The speaker on this occasion was Rev. Laurence Breed Walker, of Saco, whose topic, "True Patriotism as Applied to Present-day Evils," was listened to with deep interest by the members present. The incoming President, Judge Spear, was another speaker, who eloquently advocated a constant alertness to prevent the alarming spread of radicalism. Members of the D. A. R. and other ladies were guests.

At the business meeting in the afternoon the election of officers resulted as follows: President, Hon. Albert M. Spear, Gardiner; Vice-Presidents, Convers E. Leach, Harry S. Ayer, and William M. Ingraham; Secretary, Willis B. Hall, of Cape Elizabeth and Portland; Registrar, Cecil P. Brown; Treasurer, Henry T. Hooper; Historian, John Sprague, of Dover-Foxcroft; Chaplain, Rev. Albert S. Hawkes, of York; Librarian, Archie Lee Talbot, of Lewiston. Other officers are residents of Portland.

The Maine Society has been doing splendid work during the past year under the leadership of President Hall, who is retiring at this time, but will continue actively in the work as Secretary, succeeding William K. Sanderson, who has been ably assisting and co-operating in a most energetic manner in the work of the Society. The Society has been active in grave marking and has interested itself in offering the Good Citizenship Medals to the schools of Portland, in which much interest has been manifested throughout the city. A membership contest with the Tennessee Society has been in progress during the past two months. The Society is planning to invite the National Congress to meet with the Maine Society in the near future. A new and most attractive membership

card has been provided and interesting plans for the promotion of an active increase of membership have been outlined.

OLD FALMOUTH CHAPTER, of Portland, is already planning a realistic scene of the burning of Falmouth for July 4, 1926, asking the city and all its societies to join in this Sesquicentennial Celebration.

Massachusetts Society.—The State Society held its customary celebration of Washington's Birthday on the 22d, assembling at the headquarters, in Ashburton Place, at 11 o'clock in the morning to attend the Governor's reception at the Statehouse in a body, escorted by the color guard. A dinner at noon followed the reception, at which the speaker was Hon. Charles Wilder Bosworth, of Springfield. Musical features by Compatriots Cox and Hammond added to the program.

The 37th annual meeting of the State Society will be held in Boston on April 19, for which plans of unusual excellence are being made. The State Society has issued the first number of an *S. A. R. Bulletin*, which is to go to the members throughout the State five times a year, its purpose being to give reports of the work of the State and National Societies and the activities of the various Chapters, and thus it is hoped to both create and hold an added interest in everything pertaining to the organization throughout the State. This will serve to keep the compatriots in closer knowledge and contact with the work of the Society, and should be especially valuable during these years of special celebrations of our Revolutionary anniversaries. Notes of the meetings and activities of neighboring State Societies are also included in this first number, as well as information concerning the Philadelphia Congress.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, Springfield, held its January meeting on the evening of the 20th, with Major General Charles P. Summerall, U. S. A., commanding the Second Corps Area, as guest of honor and speaker. There were about one hundred and twenty members and guests present. General Summerall made a rousing plea for a proper appreciation of the part that war has played in the maintenance of our liberties and possessions. Other speakers were Mayor Fordis C. Parker and Col. Herman W. Schull, of the Ordnance Department, commandant at Springfield Armory. President Forbes, of the George Washington Chapter, presided.

A business session of the Chapter preceded the banquet, at which plans for the meeting to be held on February 22 were made. The Chapter expressed deep sorrow and passed appropriate resolutions on the recent death of its former President, Charles F. Warner, who had presided so ably at the time the National Congress met at Springfield and who was much beloved. A War Service Medal was presented to Lieutenant-Colonel Willis D. Ballard.

The death of Dr. Crosby A. Perry, a Real Son of the American Revolution and a member of the Massachusetts Society, occurred on January 20, at Readsboro. His home was at North Adams and he himself was a veteran of the Civil War. His father was Micah Perry, born at Lexington, December 3, 1759. He enlisted June 12, 1778, and served nine months as private in Capt. James Berry's Company, Colonel Thomas Poor's Regiment, of Massachusetts troops. He was a pensioner. While Dr. Perry is not the last surviving Real Son of the American Revolution, the list is growing very short.

The Washington's Birthday celebration of the Chapter was held on the 22d, at the Nyasset Club, the guest of honor being the President General Judge Remington, whose address on "The American Gibraltar" was of deep interest.

The exercises preceding the banquet at 7 o'clock opened with the presentation of the standards and invocation by Chaplain Daniel P. Cole. Wrayburn M. Benton led in community singing.

Retiring President Frank P. Forbes reminded those present that this was the 31st annual meeting of the Chapter. The Secretary, Henry A. Booth, reported a present membership of 204, and in tribute to the 11 members who have died during year the company stood in silence.

It was voted to appropriate \$50 to the American International College and \$15 for the patriotic essay contest.

President Forbes spoke at length on the movement now on foot to discover unmarked graves of Revolutionary soldiers in western Massachusetts burying grounds. The National Society medals awarded for service in the World War were awarded Dr. Garry de N. Hough, Jr., and Dr. Frederick S. Hopkins by Judge Remington.

A change in the by-laws gives the Chapter three vice-presidents instead of one.

At the annual election of officers the following were chosen for the succeeding year: President, Dr. John F. Streeter; Vice-Presidents, Francis E. Seybolt, Raymond M. Seabury, William F. Adams; Secretary, Henry A. Booth; Treasurer, Leland F. Bardwell; Historian, Ernest Newton Bagg; Registrar, Dr. Harold F. Buddington; Chaplain, Daniel P. Cole; Auditor, Capt. Harry R. King.

BOSTON CHAPTER, at its January meeting, went on record in favor of a celebration of the 150th Anniversary of the British Evacuation of Boston, to be held in the city proper.

On motion of T. Julian Silsby, President of the Chapter, resolutions were adopted requesting Mayor Nichols to provide for "a sane and worthy celebration in the city proper of Evacuation Day," March 17.

Mr. Silsby stated that while there is no objection to South Boston celebrating the day as it chooses, the S. A. R. hopes the chief commemoration of the evacuation will be in that section of the city which was actually evacuated by the British.

An address by Abner L. Braley, entitled: "Shay's Rebellion as It Occurred in Bristol County," was enjoyed.

President Silsby represented his Chapter and the State Society at a meeting of the Old South Chapter, D. A. R., at its birthday meeting in December, and brought personal greeting from the President of the State Society, Henry F. Punderson, reminding those present of the 150th anniversary next year of the founding of the Flag.

NEW BEDFORD CHAPTER met on February 24th at the new Bedford Hotel. Col. Frederick G. Bauer, Vice-President of the State Society, was the special guest and spoke on "Washington's New Jersey Campaign." A buffet lunch was served. The plans for the March meeting, to be held on the 24th, at the Public Library, include an address by President Frederick R. Fish and a film showing "The Eve of the Revolution." This will be ladies' night.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY CHAPTER, of Pittsfield and North Adams, held its annual dinner and meeting at the Richmond Hotel, in North Adams, on November 19. The guest of honor was State President Samuel F. Punderson, of Springfield. An address was made by C. Q. Richmond, who spoke on the proposed Saratoga Battlefield Memorial; also, progress was reported on the Stafford Hill Memorial, to be erected in Cheshire, for which the State Society has made an appropriation to the local Chapter. President Punderson also spoke on the work of the National and State Societies.

Michigan Society.—The outstanding action of the Michigan Society recently has been the presentation of the State President, Wilbert H. Barrett, as a candidate for the office of President General of the National Society. This action came with enthusiasm and unanimity from the entire membership of this State Society, and Mr. Barrett's name will be formally presented to the delegates at the Philadelphia Congress. In soliciting support for Mr. Barrett, the Society points to the fact that Michigan has never been represented in the President's office and mentions the many qualifications which its candidate possesses for the office and the splendid service he has rendered the State and National Society for many years.

DETROIT CHAPTER met on the evening of December 11 to do honor to its compatriot, Lieutenant Colonel Wade Millis, Judge Advocate of the 85th Division, U. S. A., who spoke on the "The capture and execution of Major André, a tragic incident of the Revolutionary War." A discussion followed the address, led by Compatriot Benjamin F. Comfort, Secretary of the Society of Colonial Wars and author of the novel, "Arnold's Folly," and by Compatriot Captain George E. Bushnell, Assistant Judge Advocate of the 85th Division. This was exceedingly interesting, the fact that at the time of the execution of André and of Nathan Hale no trial by court-martial was provided for, as is now the case, being the basis for the debate.

KENT CHAPTER, Grand Rapids, met on the evening of December 4, at the home of Compatriot Lewis T. Wilmarth. The speaker was Attorney Fred. M. Maynard, who spoke on the Constitution, with special reference to the Eighteenth Amendment. The Chapter has voted to give the Good Citizenship medals to the grammar schools of Grand Rapids, and will in June present about fifty-five. This makes Michigan one of the largest awarders of these medals, as they are given also in Adrian, Iron Mountain, and other Michigan cities. Kent Chapter will entertain the State Society at the time of its annual meeting.

WASHTENAW CHAPTER, Ann Arbor, held its annual meeting on February 22, assembling promptly at 6 o'clock, at the Michigan Union, for the election of officers, appointment of delegates to the State meeting to be held at Grand Rapids, and other business. At the dinner which followed, Dr. Randolph Greenfield Adams, librarian of the Clements Library, spoke on the papers of Nathanael Greene recently acquired by the library. The Chapter's poet, Mr. Edgar L. Moon, read one of his own poems, "Patriotic Meditations." Mr. Horace Barnard, champion fiddler of Washtenaw County, was present and added much pleasure to the evening's program. The members were invited to repair to the Clements Library, where Dr. Adams exhibited the collection and illustrated his address.

INGHAM CHAPTER, at Lansing, the new Chapter of Michigan Society, held a meeting on February 22d. President Glen K. Stimson presided. Dinner was served to the members and their ladies by the Episcopal Church Guild.

Dr. George B. Fuller, Michigan State Historian, gave an address on George Washington. Senator Norman B. Horton of the Lenawee Chapter, on behalf of the State President, Wilbert H. Barrett, presented the Chapter with a standard Regimental Silk Flag, a prize which had been earned by Ingham Chapter for the largest percentage of increase during the past year.

Minnesota Society.—The State Society held its annual meeting on January 11, at Minneapolis, with about seventy members present. The social features of the meeting consisted in a dinner interspersed with patriotic music from a locally famous male quartette, preceded by the formal presentation and grouping of the

colors. The principal speaker of the evening was Past President General Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa, who delighted his hearers with an instructive and patriotic address which brought them into closer understanding with the aims and policies of the National Society. Other speakers were Vice-President General Charles P. Schouten and the special guests of the evening, all prospective new members; the commandant at Fort Snelling, Colonel Welch; Chief of Staff of the 88th Division, Colonel Pearce; and Major Madison, of the Organized Reserves. A feature of the meeting was the presentation of War Service Medals to General H. P. Howard, Walter H. Jayne, Captain J. M. Finkelson, Colonel E. E. Watson, and Captain Lee Ainsworth. In graceful recognition of the outstanding work of President Wheeler in the interests of the Society, he was presented with the gold miniature official emblem of the Society by the Board of Managers.

The business meeting preceded the dinner, and reports from all officers and committees were presented. A splendid impetus has been given to increase of membership, not only in Minneapolis and St. Paul, in the two local Chapters in these cities, but throughout the State at large. The formal organization and establishment at Duluth and Montevideo of new Chapters is the most encouraging evidence of the work of the Membership Committee. The formal charter has been delivered to the Duluth Chapter, which is fully organized, while at Montevideo the organization group of nineteen members applied for a charter, which was acted upon favorably by the State Board of Managers on January 26.

The committee in behalf of the Fort Snelling Chapel project is active and a campaign to raise funds for this worthy object opened in the early part of February, with five members of the S. A. R. prominently interested in the active work. This is a State-wide movement, by no means exclusively an S. A. R. matter, but of deep interest and importance to many of our members.

The Society has a strong legislative committee, whose studies and activities throughout the year have resulted in the formulation of forceful resolutions which deserve to be given full publicity, and action along similar lines is earnestly recommended to other State Societies as worthy of attention. Space does not permit of printing these in full, but in substance they are in condemnation of the direct primary laws of the State of Minnesota, as departures from the fundamental plan of government of the United States, and in favor of a return to representative party conventions composed of delegates elected under law by the people. The Minnesota Society, holding it a duty to uphold the Constitution of the United States and to take leadership in an effort to change the State laws toward such conformity, unanimously adopted these resolutions, which had been previously adopted and were recommended by its Board of Management at this time, after most careful and thoughtful discussion and consideration. Copies of the full resolutions are to be sent to every candidate for the State Legislature on May 1, 1926, and may be obtained on application to the officers of the State Society.

Further resolutions endorsing and strongly recommending added appropriations by Congress toward the maintenance of full activities and personnel of the Organized Reserves, which have been inadequately provided for by the Director of the Budget, were adopted and forwarded to the Committee on Military Affairs of the United States Congress. The above resolutions have been favorably commented upon editorially by leading newspapers of the State.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted unanimously in the selection of the following: President, Walter H. Wheeler; Vice-Presidents, Frank W. Matson and Willard C. Addy; Treasurer, E. St. Clair Snyder; Secretary,

Albert R. Van Dyck; Registrar, Herbert C. Varney; Historian, C. D. Decker; Chaplain, Captain Frank C. Rideout. The cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis are represented on the Board of Management by six members each, with eight additional members from the State at large, the new Chapters at Duluth and Montevideo being competently represented by their active promoters.

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER NO. 1.—The annual meeting of this Chapter was held December 7. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Ray H. Knight; Vice-Presidents, Roy P. Igmundson and Frank H. Coyle; Secretary, Frank H. Kurtz; Treasurer, Rollo W. White; Historian, Calvin D. Decker; Board of Managers, J. J. Louis, L. P. Chute, Ferris B. Martin, Ellis J. Westlake, John H. Riheldaffer, Robert D. Cone, Dr. Douglas F. Wood, and Charles P. Schouten. The retiring President, Mr. Schouten, made a comprehensive report of the splendid work done by the Chapter during its four years of existence, in which it has drawn into its membership nearly two hundred compatriots, the larger number of whom are actively working in the various avenues in which it has interested itself. The work of this Chapter has frequently been noted in the pages of the *THE MINUTE MAN*, and it must suffice to say that in every line it has undertaken to work it has functioned with energy and efficiency and has made itself felt in the city and throughout the State—in the fields of Americanization, historical and patriotic education, membership increase, questions concerning national defense and loyalty to the Constitution, the celebration of patriotic events and commemorative days, and in active and cordial co-operation with other organizations working along these lines.

On February 19 the Chapter was called upon to furnish the speaker at the patriotic exercises of the North High School. Historian Calvin D. Decker gave an admirable address, which was received with much interest. A plan for wide publicity, both in local papers and through radio broadcasting, is being worked out with Compatriot H. H. Cory as chairman of a committee. Daily or weekly biographical sketches and descriptions of historical events will be published.

The February meeting of the Chapter took place on Washington's Birthday, at Donaldson's Tea Rooms, when Mr. Ernest J. Hardaker, principal of Bryant Junior High School, addressed the Chapter on "The Americanization of Young Americans." Compatriot Robert D. Cone gave a brief talk on an American history topic. The members of the Military Order of Foreign Wars were guests. At the January meeting of the Board of Managers of the State Society it was decided to offer three medals to the boys attending the Citizens' Military Training Camp at Fort Snelling next summer for the best essays on citizenship. A gold, silver, and bronze medal will be offered.

ST. PAUL CHAPTER.—The annual dinner and meeting of this Chapter was held at the Minnesota Club, in St. Paul, on Tuesday evening, January 26, with an attendance of about fifty members, Compatriot Howard M. Jewett being chairman of the committee on arrangements. The main order of business was the election of officers for the current year, the following compatriots being unanimously chosen: President, James K. Scott, Jr.; Vice-President, Earnest H. Davidson; Secretary, John M. Finkelson; Treasurer, Duval F. Polk; Historian, Herbert C. Varney; Chaplain, Rev. Maurice D. Edwards. The new president, Mr. James K. Scott, Jr., has served the organization in various posts of responsibility, viz., as Secretary of the Minnesota Society, Vice-President of the Saint Paul Chapter, member of the Minnesota Board of Managers and of the National Committee on Flag Day Observance. Chapter members look forward to an active and successful year under his guidance. The principal speaker of the

evening was the Vice-President Elect, Earnest H. Davidson, who gave a most interesting and instructive discourse on "The Constitution of the United States, the aims of its fathers and the present-day efforts to undermine it and the liberties it guarantees." Compatriot Davidson is a keen student of his subject and by his obvious grasp and ability to convey his knowledge forcefully held his audience to the last word.

The Chaplain, Rev. Maurice D. Edwards, pastor emeritus of the Dayton Avenue Presbyterian Church, pronounced the benediction, which closed the meeting.

The first regular meeting of the new **General Warren Chapter**, at Montevideo, was held on February 22d at the home of Compatriot W. E. B. Dunlap, President of the Chapter. Following the meeting a Washington Birthday program was given. The Woman's Relief Corps was represented at the meeting by its Secretary. Compatriot R. R. Whitney is Vice-President and Compatriot B. A. Whitmore is Secretary of the Chapter. By-laws will be adopted at its next meeting on Andrew Jackson's birthday, March 15th. This Chapter starts out with a charter membership of six resident and five non-resident compatriots, with several papers pending.

Montana Society.—Compatriots of the Montana Society held their thirty-second annual reunion on Monday evening, February 22. They celebrated the 194th Anniversary of the Birthday of George Washington with patriotic speeches at a banquet at the Montana Club. John Blatchford Collins, of Miles City, was elected President for 1926-27 and Wyllys Anderson Hedges, of Lewistown, Vice-President; Leslie Sulgrove, Helena, Secretary-Treasurer; William Rush Burroughs, Helena, Registrar; Marshall F. Miller, Beach, Historian; John Morrison Minor, Anaconda, Chaplain; Hugo Martin Marquardt, Paradise, Librarian. Seven new members have been admitted into the Society during the year and the affairs of the organization are in a healthy condition.

A resolution was adopted endorsing Hon. Chauncey P. Overfield, of the Utah S. A. R., as the Pacific District candidate for President General of the National Society. As this year is the Sesquicentennial Anniversary year of the great historical events of the American Revolution, vigorous efforts will be made properly to observe them. Attention will be paid to marking historical sites in Montana, and a committee was appointed to act. Delegates to the National Congress will be selected later.

Nebraska Society.—The 36th annual business meeting and banquet of Nebraska Society, S. A. R., was held at the Lincoln Hotel, February 22, with 104 present. A brief speech by Rev. J. W. Little, of Madison, on "Recollections of Abraham Lincoln," stirred enthusiasm. Mr. Little is 86 years old and a soldier of the Civil War. He had two grandfathers in the Revolutionary Army. He personally knew President Lincoln at Springfield. Mrs. C. S. Paine, State Regent of Nebraska D. A. R., gave greetings. She pointed out that the Daughters outnumber the Sons ten to one in organization. The chief address was by Adam Breede, editor of the *Hastings Daily Tribune*. His theme was "Africa," where he has spent many months. Mr. Breede is Nebraska's most noted traveler.

Election of officers and Board of Managers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: N. C. Abbott, President, Nebraska City; D. C. Patterson, Vice-President, Omaha; J. J. Snipes, Junior Vice-President; Addison E. Sheldon, Secretary-Registrar; Philip K. Slaymaker, Treasurer; Otto W. Meier, Historian, all of Lincoln. Board of Managers: Robert R. Hastings, Crete; W. T. Iron, Lin-

coln; Rev. J. W. Little, Madison; Julian D. Graves, Peru; H. M. Bushnell, Omaha; E. D. Crites, Chadron.

Secretary-Registrar Sheldon's report of membership showed a total membership of 246; 14 new members have been added this year. The report of State Historian Otto W. Meier gave a very interesting account of the movement to erect this year a memorial on the site of the old Donovan Cabin, where, on July 29, 1867, the three State commissioners voted to locate the new capital of Nebraska, with the name of Lincoln.

Members who have passed on during the year were reported as follows: Ray Nye, Sheboygan, Wisconsin; James Varnum Wood, University Place, Nebr.; Charles Sumner Hayward, Omaha, Nebr.; A. P. Tukey, Omaha, Nebr.; Grant Lee Shumway, Scottsbluff, Nebr.; Fred Wilson Chase, Pawnee City, Nebr.

An important report on Nebraska text books was given by Compatriot J. Reid Green, chairman of the committee on that subject, which was continued. A design for a marker for the graves of Real Sons of the Revolution was presented by Miss Roxy V. Ammerman, a member of the D. A. R., and referred to a committee headed by Historian Meier.

New Hampshire Society.—This Society is making an earnest effort to increase its membership and activities. The President, Charles M. Steele, began the New Year appropriately by a letter of greetings and encouragement to the members of the State Society, urging personal effort along these lines. New material is being enlisted and definite results are expected in short order.

New Jersey Society.—One of the constructive agencies adopted by the New Jersey Society for the maintenance of the objects and aims of the organization is the work of the Historical Address and Lantern Slide Committee, consisting of Compatriots Hubert Cornish, of Paterson; John Willis Weeks, Russel B. Rankin and Elmer K. Sexton, of Newark, and Willard I. Kimm, of Orange. A series of lectures are being arranged, to be illustrated with lantern slides, depicting American history from the Battles of Lexington on through the years. Two lectures have already been prepared, to be sent to the State Museum at Trenton, and from there will circulate through the public schools of the State.

The patriotic luncheon on January 15 was devoted to a consideration of Washington's encampment at Morristown in the winter of 1779-1780. The address was given by Secretary David L. Pierson, who alluded to the aspersions recently cast upon the character of Washington. Evidence was produced to show the statements to be without foundation.

The sixth luncheon of the current series was held on February 17, when Rev. John S. Carlile, pastor of the Forest Hill Presbyterian Church, Newark, gave a very inspiring address on "Washington and Lincoln." The luncheon was graced with the presence of a number of the members of the D. A. R. and D. R., who brought greetings most happily. Colonel E. A. Shuttleworth, Chief of Staff of the 78th Division, Reserve Corps, and Dr. Frank R. Sandt, of Paterson, were speakers.

Secretary Pierson presided for the fourteenth consecutive year at exercises in the City Hall, East Orange, in remembrance of Lincoln's Birthday, on February 12. Afterward a procession was formed and a wreath was placed on the Lincoln Statue on the Parkway in that city. He appeared before the East Orange City Council on the evening of February 8 and proposed, as the city's tribute to the Sesquicentennial observance, that a Liberty Pole, with bronze cannon and a

bronze tablet, be placed at the northern end of the plot where the statue is located, the tablet to have inscribed thereon a tribute to the New Jersey Signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Secretary Pierson, whose birthday occurred on February 3, remembered the event by presenting colors to the Mistress Mary Willians Chapter of the D. A. R. in recognition of the honor accorded his History of the Oranges, from which the name of the Chapter was taken.

A Boy Scout Banner is to be awarded the troop in Perth Amboy, in line with the suggestion of President Harry F. Brewer, for efficiency in civics and American history. It is now in charge of former President Adrian Lyon and is one of several to be offered by the New Jersey Society in places where there are no Chapters.

Secretary Pierson presented a framed picture of "Washington at Prayer at Valley Forge" to the Captain Abraham Godwin Chapter of Paterson, which will have it placed in the Naturalization Court of Passaic County. He has also presented one of the pictures to the Cleveland Street School in Orange. Another contribution was to the fund which is to be used in erecting a museum on the site of the former home of Abraham Clark, a Signer of the Declaration of Independence, in Roselle.

Mr. Pierson delivered an address on "The Sesquicentennial of Washington's Famous Retreat Across New Jersey" at the Summer Avenue School, Newark, on the afternoon of February 19, and on February 23 spoke at the Lions Club, East Orange, on "Washington's Second Occupation of Morristown" in the winter of 1779-1780.

The tribute of the New Jersey Society to the memory of Washington on his 194th birthday was very impressive, taking the form of a banquet, served at the Berwick Hotel, Newark, in the evening of February 22. Governor A. Harry Moore, who had been in Trenton during the day, was detained till 10 o'clock, and the assembled group, numbering 200 of the best-known members of the Society and guests, gave him an ovation as he entered the banquet room. He delivered an inspiring address on the duty the patriotic societies owe the rising generation in training them aright patriotically and religiously. President Harry F. Brewer preceded the appearance of the Governor, reading a paper on the Constitution of the United States during his college days. Major W. I. Lincoln Adams, Past President General and Director General Louis Annin Ames, both Past Presidents General and Directors General, and Frank B. Steele, Secretary General, represented the National Society, and a number of State patriotic societies were also represented.

MONTCLAIR CHAPTER held its celebration of Washington's Birthday at the First Congregational Church, Montclair, on Sunday afternoon, February 21. Nearly 1,000 persons attended. The speaker was President General Harvey F. Remington, who had as his theme the influence of women upon Washington, Adams, and others of the group of eminent characters having to do with formation of the country and the government. President Arthur H. Churchill presided. The Chapter had on December 10 as its guests, Walter Kidde, State Highway Commissioner, who gave an address on the "Highways of New Jersey." Major W. I. Lincoln Adams, former President, has offered silver medals for competition in the schools in American history.

NEWARK CHAPTER attended service at the Trinity Church Cathedral, Newark, on the morning of Washington's Birthday, and afterwards a procession was formed of the congregation, President Sylvester H. M. Agens leading, followed

by the colors of the country and the Society. At the Washington Statue, in Washington Park, the exercises were concluded by the placing of a wreath on the bronze replica of the Father of His Country.

A very enjoyable Christmas festival was held at the State headquarters on December 29, the 149th Anniversary of the Battle of Trenton. President S. H. M. Agens presided and addresses were given by Secretary Pierson and Rev. Warren P. Coon. The Chapter was entertained on January 27 with an illustrated lecture, at the State headquarters, by Compatriot John Willis Weeks, Historian of the State Society, on the "Early Life of Manhattan Island." The Newark Chapter Quartet gave a number of very excellent selections.

ORANGE CHAPTER attended services at the Munn Avenue Presbyterian Church, East Orange, in the evening of February 21, at which over 1,000 persons were present, including all the patriotic hereditary societies of the community. The sermon was preached by Rev. Robert B. Beattie, pastor and a member of the Chapter.

PASSAIC VALLEY CHAPTER joined with the Beacon Fire Chapter, D. A. R., in a reception at the Summit Y. M. C. A. in a celebration of Washington's Birthday on February 20. Malcolm McDougall, President, presided, and addresses were given by Mrs. Charles R. Banks, Regent of the New Jersey D. A. R.; David L. Pierson, Secretary of the State S. A. R., and Mrs. Harry A. Marshall, Regent of the Beacon Fire Chapter.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER met at the Carteret Arms, Elizabeth, on February 26, when the evening was devoted to a joint program with the various war veteran associations, in compliance with a plan offered by Compatriot Richard Hartshorne, for the various Chapters having the veterans as the guests of the Chapters in their respective jurisdictions for the purpose of stimulating interest patriotically in the organizations whose aims are similar. Colonel William B. Martin, President of the Chapter, presided.

ORANGE CHAPTER.—At the meeting of the Board of Trustees on January 7 several members volunteered contributions for supplying history books to the four high schools of the community. On January 15 the Chapter, in conjunction with the D. A. R. and D. R. Chapters of the community, held its annual dinner in commemoration of Washington's Wedding Day, which occurred on January 6. Rev. Charles B. Bullard, President, presided, and there were a number of addresses by representatives of the organizations.

To prevent duplications of patriotic anniversaries, Orange Chapter and the D. A. R. and the D. R. Chapters of the Oranges have formed a co-operative plan for the observance of the events each year. There are eight organizations in the group, and the first one to be remembered in this way will be next Flag Day.

One of the most notable events of the season in the Oranges was the Colonial Ball, held under the auspices of the Chapter, the other local organizations joining in the arrangements on the evening of February 18. Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, Past President General of the S. A. R.; President Harry F. Brewer, President of the State Society; Rev. Dr. Frank A. Smith, Chaplain General; and Mrs. X. P. Huddy, Regent of the Daughters of the Revolution of New Jersey, were special guests, and the affair was most successful. Orange Chapter was represented by President Bullard and a number of others at the reception to naturalized citizens, at the Orange Y. M. C. A., on February 20.

SOUTH JERSEY CHAPTER is arranging for a "Veterans' Night" in the latter part of March, at the Indian King Inn, Haddonfield, its headquarters.

PARAMUS CHAPTER is arranging its spring meeting for the evening of March

19 at the home of former President Judge Cornelius Doremus, when the veteran associations will be special guests. Compatriot Everett Zabriskie will give an address on "Points of Revolutionary Interest about West Point," and a representative of the American Legion will give an address on "A. E. F. Experiences." President J. Phillips Van Huyck will preside. A committee has been appointed from the Chapter by President Van Huyck to assist in arranging a celebration of the Sesquicentennial of the Declaration of Independence.

WEST FIELDS CHAPTER held a service at the First Presbyterian Church, Westfield, on February 18, in commemoration of Washington's Birthday. President Milton E. Loomis presided.

CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER met on February 11 at the Chamber of Commerce Building, Paterson. Dr. James A. Nugent, Superintendent of Public Schools of Jersey City, gave a moving-picture address on the functioning of the schools under his charge. President Isaac A. Serven presided, and the William Paterson Chapter and various veteran organizations were guests of the evening.

Washington's Birthday has been observed at the Washington Headquarters, Morristown, on each recurring anniversary for the past fifty years. Eminent Americans, including President Taft, Woodrow Wilson when President of Princeton, and many others distinguished in the national life, have been honored with the delivery of the address to several hundred Jersey men who gather upon this occasion. This year the honor was given our Compatriot, Dr. John Martin Thomas, President of Rutgers University.

The question: "*Resolved*, That the provision of the last Immigration Act excluding the Japanese from its benefits is unjust and should be abolished," will be debated by the Newark and Orange Chapter teams at the St. Luke's M. E. Church, Newark, on the evening of March 3. Mahlon W. Parsons is chairman of the committee and Judge Cornelius Doremus, of Ridgewood, will be the presiding officer.

Empire State Society (New York).—The National and State Societies were represented by Director General Louis Annin Ames, who addressed the New York Society of the Dames of the Loyal Legion at their annual meeting on January 5 and who also addressed the National Order of Americans of Armorial Ancestry at the Waldorf-Astoria on January 12. Director General Ames also represented the National and State Societies at the annual dinner of the New York Society of the Founders and Patriots of America on February 11 and attended the annual banquet of the New Jersey Society at Newark on February 22 and also represented the State Society at the annual religious services of the Montclair Chapter at Montclair on February 21. The State Society was represented on February 22 at the banquets of the Society of the Cincinnati and the Sons of the Revolution of New York.

NEW YORK CHAPTER.—The regular meeting of the Chapter was held at the Army and Navy Club, February 20, the speakers being President General Harvey F. Remington and Commander William Seaman Bainbridge, U. S. N. Other guests included W. I. Lincoln Adams, Marvin H. Lewis, Louisville; Wilbert H. Barrett, Adrian, Michigan, and Rulof C. Schanck, Pittsburgh, Directors General; Vice-Presidents General Louis A. Bowman, Chicago, and Josiah A. Van Orsdel, Washington; Past Vice-President General Thomas W. Williams, Orange; Secretary General Frank B. Steele, Buffalo; State Presidents Samuel F. Punderson, Massachusetts; Harry F. Brewer, New Jersey; Col. Henry W. Sackett, New York, and Chairman of Committee on Arrangements, National Congress,

S. A. R., Walter Gabell, of Philadelphia. Preceding the meeting a dinner was served.

The Chapter co-operated with the Sons of the Revolution in the Washington's Birthday Celebration held at Carnegie Hall, New York, on Monday morning, February 22, at 10:30 o'clock. Hon. Henry F. Ashurst, U. S. Senator from Arizona, delivered the oration. The New York Chapter commemorated the 220th anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin by placing a wreath on his statue, which stands at the entrance to the Empire State Society's headquarters. The Chapter was represented at the annual service of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America, held on Sunday afternoon, January 31, in Trinity Church, at the head of Wall Street, New York City.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER.—The Chapter united with the Rochester Historical Society and Irondequoit Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, for its January session. An exhibition of two films of the Yale Press from the historic production, "Chronicles of America," were shown at this joint session, which was held in Catherine Strong Hall of the University of Rochester. The films exhibited were "The Gateway to the West" and "The Eve of the Revolution." These pictures are set in scenes which are as near the exact location as can be arranged, and cast with great care as to the type and dramatic ability of the characters, who are arrayed in costumes fitting the scene depicted. They produced a very striking effect upon the audience, who enthusiastically adopted the resolutions heartily endorsing the use of these films to schools and educational organizations.

At a recent visitation of Hon. Chauncey Overfield, of Salt Lake City, Hon. Harvey F. Remington, President General, entertained at a luncheon at the Rochester Club. The Board of Managers of Rochester Chapter were invited guests, and Secretary General Frank B. Steele also attended.

SYRACUSE CHAPTER.—The Board of Managers of the Chapter met on January 5 and appointed Frederick F. Moon, President of the Syracuse Chapter and Dean of the State College of Forestry, for member of the State Board of Managers, and Dr. W. K. Wickes and E. K. Ives as delegates to the National Congress. Claude Porter Terry and Charles P. Wortman were appointed alternate delegates. A luncheon and meeting of the Chapter was held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce on January 21. Routine business was transacted and a committee, consisting of Campfield Leonard, Edgar M. Griswold, and J. Franklin Durston, was appointed to act with regard to a neglected grave of Richard Damewood, Revolutionary Soldier, which is in an old cemetery at Montezuma, New York.

BUFFALO CHAPTER.—The Chapter has been absorbed in its membership campaign, of which more extended mention is made elsewhere in this issue. The contests with the Richmond Chapter of Richmond and the Andrew Jackson Chapter of Nashville both concluded with the advantage of numbers in favor of Buffalo Chapter, but the advantage in effort and other results cannot be claimed by any of the contestants, as undoubtedly this, which, after all, is the main thing, has been of lasting benefit in all cases. Over forty new members have been enrolled in Buffalo Chapter since October 1, ten of which were reinstatements. Since January 1, when the official contests closed, the work has continued with unabated energy, so that a fine increase is continuing, and the fiscal year will show over fifty new members. The Membership Committee has met at weekly luncheon conferences to report results and receive new impetus for continued effort.

Monthly luncheons have also been held throughout the winter, with fine attendance. On January 4 the members were addressed by Superintendent Ernest C. Hartwell, of the School Department, who spoke especially of the Good Citizenship Medals, which in his opinion have been one of the most important influences for character-building and discipline ever used in Buffalo.

Two enjoyable meetings were held in February. The first, at the Touraine Hotel, on the 2d, the speaker being Mr. John MacF. Howie, who made an eloquent appeal for strict obedience to law, in his address on "The Constitution." Many of the new members were present and were welcomed into the Chapter with the Installation Ceremony, as recommended by the National Society, by President Ganson Depew, who presided. This was an open meeting, with ladies present, and concluded with dancing.

The second meeting, on February 18, was unique in being a combined meeting of S. A. R. members and the members of Ancient Landmarks Lodge, F. and A. M., at the invitation of Compatriot and Master Frank E. Drullard. Two addresses brought out interesting facts concerning Washington's affiliation with the Masonic fraternity and were given by Past Master and Compatriot George H. Chase, on "Early Activities of our Forefathers Before and During the Revolutionary War" and "Washington, the Patriot," by Compatriot Samuel B. Botsford.

The Chapter, through the generosity of individual members, has contributed \$100 to Washington College in Tennessee, through the National Educational Endowment Fund, this being the second hundred dollars so donated this year. The mid-year award of Good Citizenship Medals was also made to graduates of the eighth grade classes in January.

CORNELIUS VAN DYCK CHAPTER, Schenectady, presented six medals to the winners under the Good Citizenship plan to the schools of the city on February 3, and will make further awards at the close of school, in June. The officers of this Chapter for 1925-6, not heretofore announced, are: President, Aaron Becker; Vice-Presidents, Alonzo P. Walton and John N. Vedder; Secretary, Hanford Robison; Treasurer, Horace W. Raymond; Registrar, L. H. Godard; Chaplain, Heber Williams; and Historian, A. J. Colman. Quarterly meetings are held, the December gathering being on December 8, at the Glen-Sanders Home, Scotia.

GENESE CHAPTER, at Batavia, at its February meeting passed resolutions of protest regarding the action of park commissioners of Le Roy in causing two cannon, relics of the Civil War, to be buried beneath their former position in Trigon Park. Their preservation as object lessons of patriotism was deemed a sacred duty by the Batavia Compatriots. An address on "The Causes of the Revolution," by Compatriot George H. Paddock, was listened to with interest, and committees to investigate the care of old cemeteries throughout the county and to bring about the enforcement of State laws in this matter were appointed.

Ohio Society.—Fifty-two members have been added to the roll of the State Society since the annual meeting, April last, and the majority of the Chapters have been active in patriotic work. Many meetings have been held in connection with the public schools, the D. A. R., and other patriotic societies. The inquiries regarding the military service of Ancestors of the Revolution who were survivors in the year 1840 still increase, as it has been noted in the National Bulletin that our Society has this record. It adds so largely to the correspondence that the officers are very anxious that the National Society should publish this record in full, so that all State Societies may have this important record. A

number of the Chapters have, as usual, been very much interested in patriotic education and mountain school work. The members are looking after their boy, Mahonie Shelton, of Dorland Bell School, Hot Springs, N. C., known as "Ohio Society Boy," and have been contributing to the expense of his education during the year. "Good Citizenship Medals" of the National Society have been presented to a number of our schools by members of the Society. Marshall A. Smith, of Columbus, Past President of Ohio Society, who is a member of the Committee of the National Society on Americanization of Aliens, donated these medals to all pupils in the eighth grade of the public schools in Columbus during the year. Henry A. Williams, of Columbus, Historian General of the National Society, has very generously offered to present these medals to the public schools of Columbus this year. This work is also going on in other Chapters.

Copies of the U. S. Constitution and a booklet, "Information for Immigrants," by hundreds of copies, have been presented to foreigners in the workshops. Mr. Smith, who employs many laborers, writes: "We, as employers of labor, I do not think, could do better work than that of assisting or asking superintendents of departments of labor to aid their foreign employees and advise them to speak and write our language by getting them to attend night schools; and also aiding them in every way to make of themselves good American citizens, and making clear to them what our American institutions and ideals should and will mean to them, and it is truly our society's greatest work."

ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER of Toledo had a very interesting meeting January 29, with forty-two members in attendance, as reported by the newly elected President, William E. Crabbs. Chapter officers were elected and additional by-laws were adopted. Their year book will be published at an early date. They have frequent meetings and are especially interested in Americanization work. The newly elected officers of this Chapter are as follows: President, William E. Crabbs; Vice-Presidents, Grove Patterson, Dr. N. Worth Brown; Recording Secretary, N. E. Hutchins; Corresponding Secretary, John E. Parsons; Treasurer, Floyd G. Crandell; Registrar, Grant S. Taylor; Historian, Dudley W. Moor; Genealogist, Charles R. Barefoot; Flag Custodian, Frederick A. Boardman.

Anthony Wayne Chapter united with Ursula Wolcott and Fort Industry Chapters, D. A. R., in bringing Judge Harry F. Atwood, of Chicago, to Toledo to address their members and friends at First Congregational Church Sunday, February 21, 1926, on "Washington and the Constitution." Judge Atwood is President of the Constitution Anniversary Association. He has dedicated his life to bringing about a better understanding of the Constitution of the United States and is frequently referred to as "the man who resurrected the Constitution."

RICHARD MONTGOMERY CHAPTER, Dayton, has been making a special effort to mark all the graves of Revolutionary Soldiers buried in that section of the State and has had some interesting services. They have marked many graves, with a large attendance of citizens at these ceremonies. This Chapter has also marked the grave of Benjamin Cotton, at Seville Cemetery, Medina County. The annual meeting of the State Society is to be held in Dayton, April 19, 1926, and the members of the Chapter are already planning their program for the meeting. All members who attend may feel assured that the right hand of fellowship will be extended to them in a cordial greeting.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CHAPTER, Columbus, held a meeting in the office of Governor Donahey January 8, at which Phil S. Bradford, President of the

Chapter, presided. He welcomed the State officials and introduced the speaker, Mr. F. F. D. Alberry, in a few cheerful words of greeting. Mr. Alberry, one of the older citizens of the city, delivered a very interesting historical address from his manuscript of the history he is writing for publication at an early date, "My Own Town"—Columbus. The history goes back to the days of the stage coach and horse-racing on the ice of the Scioto River and Old Militia days. There was a large attendance of members and prominent citizens.

The Chapter held the annual meeting for election of officers at the Athletic Club on January 16. The matter of Americanization of aliens, in which they have joined with the D. A. R. in meetings during the year, was discussed, and all members expressed a desire to continue their work along this patriotic line. Phil S. Bradford was re-elected President and Hugh Huntington Secretary.

GEORGE ROGERS CLARK CHAPTER, Springfield, has added several members to its rolls since the annual meeting of the State Society. Many tourists visit the magnificent monument erected to General George Rogers Clark, and the members take a just pride in entertaining these visitors and giving to all general information regarding the erection of the monument and care of the grounds. Newton H. Fairbanks, brother of the late Charles Fairbanks, Vice-President of the United States, is an active member of the Chapter and delivered an interesting historical address at a meeting of the Chapter during the year. The members are now planning for an important celebration on Independence Day, July 4, 1926, and invite all citizens to join with them to view the General Clark Monument, and enjoy the hospitality of their patriotic city.

Oklahoma Society.—This Society reports an active membership of eighty-eight, of whom six were recently admitted, with several applications pending. During the past year the Society has carried out patriotic programs on days of special celebration, with especial attention paid to naturalization programs and memorial exercises, under the leadership of Compatriot and Past President Barritt Galloway. The Good Citizenship medals have been awarded in each of the junior high schools, high schools, and the University in Oklahoma City and most gratifying results have been felt from this work. It is hoped to extend the use of these medals throughout the State. The engraving on the medals given is the gift of a member.

The Society has two organized Chapters, one at Oklahoma City and one at Tulsa. The organization of more local Chapters is an ambition and will be especially stressed during the coming year. The Society has voted to publish a year book the coming year.

The Society had the privilege of entertaining as its guests, on the occasion of its annual meeting, on February 3, the President General and Mrs. Remington and Vice-President General and Mrs. James M. Breckenridge, of St. Louis. Luncheon was served at the Oklahoma Club, after which the business meeting proceeded. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Joseph Deupree; Vice-Presidents, A. E. Monroney, Dr. E. F. Hurlbut, and M. A. Beeson; Secretary-Treasurer, Frank G. Brooks; Registrar, Stewart Mitchell; Historian, J. B. Thoburn; Chaplain, L. C. Murray; National Trustee, Manford A. Cox. Compatriot George L. Bowman, of Kingfisher, was elected a delegate to the National Congress and the Board of Managers were authorized to name three others if such could find it possible to attend.

The Society voted to extend life membership to Mr. Reuben Morton, a Civil War veteran living in Russelville, Ark.

At the evening banquet, after the business meeting, the members were addressed by President General Remington and Vice-President General Breckenridge, who told of the general work of the Society and made pertinent suggestions relative to future effort and organization. Col. G. C. Lewis, of St. Louis, also spoke with regard to national defense, and offered a resolution condemning prevalent propaganda to break this down, which was unanimously adopted.

Oregon Society.—This Society met for its annual dinner at the University Club, Portland, with seventy members present, on February 22.

President Beekman presided and gave greetings and spoke briefly on the character of George Washington. An address on Alexander Hamilton was made by Hon. Robert Tucker, and Mr. Richard W. Montagne spoke on Thomas Jefferson. Compatriot Governor Walter M. Pierce also made a brief address on Washington. Solos by Mr. A. E. Davidson were interspersed throughout the program. The new officers of Oregon Society elected at this meeting are: President, B. A. Thaxter; Vice-President, B. E. Sanford; Secretary, Gentry W. Yates; Treasurer, Henry C. Ewing; Registrar, A. F. Parker. Hon. Wallace McCamant was nominated for Trustee of the National Society. The Oregon Society has sponsored one of the Constitutional Amendments, which will be sent to all state Presidents this month.

Pennsylvania Society.—The State Society is bending all its efforts at present upon the perfection of plans for entertaining the 37th Annual Congress of the Society, at Philadelphia, June 6-9 next. Full details of program and other plans are given elsewhere in this issue of THE MINUTE MAN. It is sufficient to say that members of the State Society have responded nobly to the appeals and are co-operating heartily with the compatriots of the Philadelphia Chapter, on whom the brunt of the details naturally fall.

The Society celebrated Washington's Birthday with a banquet in the Pittsburgh Athletic Association, at which William C. Deming, of Wyoming and Washington, President of the United States Civil Service Commission, spoke on "The Making of a Nation."

R. C. Schanck, State President, presided at the banquet, and introduced the speakers, who included Attorney James A. Wakefield, of Pittsburgh, National Trustee of the Society.

Prior to the banquet there was an election of officers by the Society. Walter Gabell, of Philadelphia, was named President; Congressman M. Clyde Kelly, Swissvale, First Vice-President; Frank J. Forsyth, Second Vice-President; Gregg L. Neel, Third Vice-President; W. J. Askin, Secretary, and A. W. Wall, Treasurer. The retiring President, Mr. R. C. Schanck, was elected Delegate at Large to the National Congress.

Mr. Deming in his address made answer to the detractors of Washington's fame who recently have declared that the "Father of His Country" was a drinking man, very desirous of the society of pretty women, and a gambler. The speaker traced the development of the Nation, and then pointed to influences which he declared threaten its institutions today. Among such he included bolshevism, the presence of unassimilable immigrants, the desertion of farms by the younger generation of the rural communities, and the jazz spirit. The spirit that animated the Colonial fathers still lives, however, he declared, and makes the Republic safe against all assaults. A musical program under the direction of Compatriot W. K. Steiner, with soprano, violin, and piano soloists of note,

was a delightful feature of the program and gave special pleasure. Dancing followed the dinner and program.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER.—These are big days for the Philadelphia Chapter. All eyes are turned on the coming 1926 Congress. The chairman of the National Committee of Arrangements, our Past President, Walter Gabell, is surmounting almost impossible tasks in his effort to make it worth while. The entire Board of Managers is intensely interested and is back of him to a man in making it a success. Last year's work in Philadelphia was a decided success, largely due to the fine increase in members, handled through the energetic membership chairman, Lawrence C. Hickman, Esq., and now he has moved forward a step, becoming the President of the Chapter. Compatriot Hickman, a veteran of the Spanish-American War, is a trustee of a large charitable institution of the city, a trustee and counsel for the Philadelphia Sabbath Association, and a member of the following organizations: Historical Society of Pennsylvania, the City Club, Genealogical Society, New England Society, and numerous others. The aim of the Chapter is 50 new members for this year, which is almost sure of attainment.

On Thursday, February 18 the Chapter gave a party to Compatriot John D. Lewis, "a Real Son," in honor of his 85th birthday, at his home. There was a large birthday cake and the usual things that go with a party. Compatriot Lewis enjoyed the best health until recently, when he was accidentally injured in the eye, impairing his sight. Thomas Lewis, the father of John D. Lewis, enlisted in the Company of Thomas Bagby of Virginia in 1778, served two years, and died March 2, 1851, and was buried at Doe Creek, Virginia. Compatriot Lewis has been in the Chapter many years, and on April 18 last attended the annual banquet in Philadelphia.

NEW CASTLE CHAPTER.—The annual meeting of the New Castle Chapter was held in the Elks Home on Friday evening, January 8. Following the banquet the meeting was called to order by the President, Compatriot Harry L. Dunlap. The Secretary and Treasurer submitted reports and the Registrar reported the admission of three new members during the year, and that some thirty applications had been placed in the hands of prospective members.

The Committee on Graves and Markers made an excellent report, which was ordered spread in full upon the minutes. The report noted thirty-five graveyards and cemeteries visited, five markers furnished by the D. A. R. set, and sixty-five graves of Revolutionary Soldiers located, with all of which a large amount of correspondence and other work was entailed. The Chapter offers an annual award of \$10 for meritorious work in chemistry in the Newcastle High School. Election of officers resulted in the choice of the following: President, Wm. J. Caldwell; Vice-President, Charles H. Young; Secretary, Herbert D. McGoun; Treasurer, W. Fulton Jackson; Registrar, Homer C. Drake. On motion of Compatriot Gregory, the office of Chaplain was created, and Rev. Philip C. Pearson was elected Honorary Chaplain. The address of the evening was delivered by Compatriot R. C. Schanck, State President, who gave interesting details of the work and growth of the Society. The Chapter voted to present Mrs. F. G. Simonton with a D. A. R. pin in recognition of interest shown and work done for the Chapter. The executive officers and Compatriot Dunlap, retiring President, were constituted a committee to attend to this matter.

The fact that George Washington probably passed through what is now the city of New Castle on his northern pilgrimage having been called to the attention of the Society, the President appointed a committee to investigate the evi-

dence and report findings at the next meeting of the Chapter, together with any recommendation regarding possible marking of the route as a matter of historic interest, should the fact seem established.

Rhode Island Society held its annual meeting at 12 o'clock, noon, on Washington's Birthday, in the rooms of the Rhode Island Historical Society, Providence. The business meeting was followed by a lunch and social hour. In the evening the annual dinner was held at the Turks Head Club. The speakers were Rev. Frank A. Smith, Chaplain General; Hon. Richard W. Jennings, General Treasurer of the State of Rhode Island; Hon. Joseph H. Gainer, Mayor of Providence, and Judge Chester W. Barrows. Nearly a hundred were present, the guests, in addition to the speakers, being the presiding officers of other patriotic Societies, including the Mayflower, Society of Colonial Wars, Cincinnati, British Empire Club, and the Military Order of Foreign Wars. At the close of the banquet President Muncy turned over his gavel, made from the wood of a beam of a homestead of the American Revolution, to Capt. Arthur Lloyd Philbrick, who succeeds him as President. Dr. Muncy was elected poet, and Capt. Philbrick, who had been Vice-President, was succeeded by Charles Falconer Stearns, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Rhode Island.

Other officers who were elected at the noon meeting were: Secretary, Charles W. Lippitt, Jr.; Treasurer, William L. Sweet; Registrar, Edward K. Aldrich, Jr.; Historian, Charles D. Kimball; Chaplain, Rev. Alfred H. Wheeler. Associate Justice Arthur P. Sumner, of the Superior Court, was elected Trustee of the National Society. Dr. William M. Muncy, retiring President, was chosen delegate-at-large.

Delegates to the Philadelphia Congress were elected as follows: Herbert A. Rice, Arthur H. Armington, Arthur M. McCrillis, Henry C. Dexter, Mahlon M. Gowdy, Forrest G. Eddy, Charles W. Lippitt, and George T. Spicer.

The annual report of the Secretary showed a present membership of 414, a gain of 11 during the year. He reported the loss of nine members through death during the year. Treasurer William L. Sweet's report showed a fine balance in the treasury.

South Carolina Society.—This Society felt highly honored at the opportunity given to entertain the President General and his party on the recent trip South and was delighted to be included in the itinerary. January 21st was the date the guests were in Columbia, and the entertainment consisted of a reception and luncheon in the ballroom of the Hotel Jefferson, which was beautifully decorated in Southern smilax and the colors of the Society. Major John F. Jones, President of the South Carolina Society and Genealogist General of the National Society, presided, and addresses of welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Remington were given by Governor McLeod, a compatriot; Mayor W. A. Coleman, Wm. E. Gonzales, representing the Chamber of Commerce; Major J. C. Fairfax, for the American Legion, and Mrs. W. B. Burney, State Regent of the D. A. R., for her organization. President General Remington made a happy response to all of these addresses, touching on the work of the Society, and paid high tribute to Major Jones, who as special organizer has done such splendid work in creating an interest in our organization throughout the Carolinas.

The Society in South Carolina is continuing its activities under Major Jones's energetic guidance. The weekly news columns in the local papers edited by

him are continued and are a splendid influence in keeping the purposes of the organization before the public. The membership campaign continues and Major Jones points out that in a tabulation of membership gains, which was recently issued by the National Chairman on Increased Membership, that South Carolina's proportion was 10 per cent of the total increase, 17 per cent of the increase for the first three months, 16 per cent of the increase for the second three months, and 2 per cent and more for the last three months, which was up to the 1st of January. With this splendid showing, he has high hopes for the retention of the Traveling Banner, which his Society won for largest increase last year. There are now eight strong Chapters functioning in South Carolina and others are being organized. It is the ambition of the State Society to organize a Chapter of S. A. R. wherever there is a Chapter of the D. A. R.

The **South Dakota Society** celebrated Washington's Birthday with a banquet at the Carpenter Hotel, Sioux Falls. Fifty covers were laid and a most excellent address made by Rev. E. B. Woodruff, of Sioux Falls.

A resolution was passed directing a committee to be appointed to cooperate with the South Dakota Society, D. A. R., and South Dakota Society, Sons of Colonial Wars, in the celebration of the Sesquicentennial, July 4th.

A number of new members have been secured, largely through the activity of the members of the Society at Huron, where it is hoped soon to form a local Chapter.

The Compatriots at Huron joined with the D. A. R. of that place in a banquet and patriotic program in observance of February 22d.

Tennessee State Society.—At a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce in Nashville on December 14 the following officers were elected: F. W. Millspaugh, President; Vice-Presidents, Carey A. Folk, T. Asbury Wright, G. S. Meehan, G. S. Lannom, and F. M. Gilliland; Secretary, Austin P. Foster; Treasurer, Hunter McDonald, Jr.; Registrar, Laurence Norton Polk; Historian, Dr. W. A. Wright; Chancellor, Judge N. R. Barham; Surgeon, Dr. Lyle B. West; Chaplain, Dr. James I. Vance, D. D. Judge John H. De Witt was nominated for National Trustee. Report of the Treasurer showed a tidy cash balance and the best record ever made in the way of collecting dues. A vote of appreciation was given the Treasurer for his splendid work. Report of the Secretary showed a steady increase in membership during the year. Reports of other officers were received and approved. Motion was made by Compatriot John C. Brown that the Society sponsor the organization of a Washington Monument Association to secure and donate to the State of Tennessee a replica of some world-famous statue of Washington, the speaker pointing out that there was no statute to our first President at the capital. Compatriot Brown's motion was unanimously carried and an appropriation of \$100 made to start the work. Compatriot Henry Downs Jamison, having attended an International Boys' Workers' conference in Chicago, was responsible for the passage of a resolution directing the President to appoint a Boys' Work Committee to represent the S. A. R. in liaison with such organizations as the Y. M. C. A., Boy Scouts, Boys' Clubs, etc., to keep fresh the need for patriotic training. Appropriation of \$200 was made for the work of the Mountain School Committee. President Millspaugh announced the authorization of local Chapters in Chattanooga and Humboldt, and stated that unquestionably a Chapter would be organized in Jackson during the winter or early spring. Tennessee now has six local Chapters.

ISAAC SHELBY CHAPTER was organized in Humboldt on January 26 by National

Committeeman George Sharp Lannom, the following officers being elected: G. S. Lannom, President; Edward Bennett, Vice-President; James Neill Senter, Secretary-Registrar; Albert R. Dodson, Treasurer. Ways and means of increasing membership were discussed and stress was laid upon the need for selecting definite patriotic objectives for the Chapter. A meeting was also held on February 22, and the Chapter is planning to send a delegate to the Philadelphia Congress.

JOHN SEVIER CHAPTER, Chattanooga.—A local Chapter was organized at a luncheon at the Mountain City Club, Chattanooga, on February 3, with a charter membership of forty. Augustus F. Meehan was named first President of the Society, which will be known as the John Sevier Chapter. Other officers elected are: N. H. Grady, First Vice-President; Manker Patten, Second Vice-President; Willard Keen, Secretary and Registrar; Summerfield K. Johnston, Treasurer; A. S. Ochs, Jr., Historian; T. S. Myers, Chancellor; Dunbar Newell, Surgeon; Junius B. French, Chaplain. The executive committee is composed of the officers and Clarence T. Jones, T. C. Thompson, Sr., and Garnet Andrews.

The new Chapter fittingly observed the anniversary of Washington on Monday evening, the 22d, with a dinner at the Golf Club. Wives of members and local Regents of the D. A. R. were guests. A musical program was presented by Miss Marion Faxon Stuart and Mr. Robert Stevens. A fine address on George Washington was given by Col. Robert B. Cooke. Formal installation of the new officers was a feature of the program, and a full list of standing committees on Membership, Education, Publicity, Finance, and Entertainment were announced by President Meehan. A year of splendid activity is anticipated. The Chapter expects to send two delegates to the Philadelphia Congress.

ANDREW JACKSON CHAPTER, of Nashville, gave a brilliant dinner in observance of Washington's Birthday, at the Hermitage Club. President Raymond Clark Giles presided in his happy manner, and those present were delighted by the scholarly address by Dr. Edwin Mims, of Vanderbilt University. Applause was given the announcement by Vice-President Folk, of the State Society, regarding the chartering of local Chapters in Humboldt and Chattanooga and the movement under way for the formation of Chapters at Jackson, Harriman, and Murfreesboro.

MEMPHIS CHAPTER was host at a delightful dinner at the Old Colony Club on February 22d. Committees were selected to push a membership campaign, as it was forcibly pointed out by a letter from Vice-President General Millspaugh that the Memphis Chapter, though the oldest in the State, ranked fourth in membership. There was general discussion of the patriotic work to be sponsored by the Chapter.

Texas Society.—The Texas Society had the pleasure and privilege of entertaining the President General and his party at Dallas on Tuesday, February 2. President Samuel P. Cochrane, of the Texas Society, joined the party at Houston, and with the others visited the members of the Society there and at San Antonio before coming to Dallas. Vice-President General James M. Breckenridge, of St. Louis, was also a guest, having been with the party since they were entertained at New Orleans. A luncheon was served at the Adolphus Hotel at noon, at which about one hundred men and women prominent in patriotic work were present. Short speeches of welcome were made by the representatives of the several organizations represented, including seven women's organizations, among which were Dallas Chapters of the Daughters of 1812, D. A. R., U. D. C., Founders and Patriots, Colonial Dames, Council of Mothers, and the State



THE PRESIDENT'S PARTY AT DALLAS, AFTER VISITING THE SCOTTISH RITE CATHEDRAL
 Left to right—Terry M. Wimberly, member of Texas Society; Vice-President General James M. Breckenridge; Mrs. Sam P. Cochran; President General Remington; Mrs. Remington; President Sam P. Cochran, of the Texas Society; James C. Jones, Secretary-Treasurer of the Texas Society.

Regent of the D. A. R. The afternoon was spent in an automobile tour of the city, and a private dinner, at which President Cochran was host, in the evening was held early to enable the visitors to leave on an early train for Oklahoma City and Little Rock, which were the final objectives of the party.

Utah Society.—The annual meeting of the Utah Society was held in Salt Lake City, Utah, on December 26, 1925. The meeting was marked with enthusiasm and the various annual reports submitted showed a steady interest among the compatriots in the principles and development of the Society. The Society had two hundred and eleven members on that date. Officers were elected as follows: President, Hon. Stuart P. Dobbs, Ogden; Vice-President, Judge Elias A. Smith; Secretary, Capt. Gordon L. Hutchins; Registrar, Chauncey P. Overfield; Historian, Franklin Riter; all of Salt Lake; and Chaplain, Rev. Wildman Murphy, of Payson.

Past President General Ames has called to the attention of the Utah Society that the originator of the Constitution Day movement was David L. Pierson, of New Jersey. It has been through the splendid efforts of these two gentlemen that Constitution Day has become a national feature.

At the annual meeting of the Utah Society it was unanimously and enthusiastically decided to place before the Philadelphia Congress the name of Hon. Chauncey P. Overfield for the office of President General. Mr. Overfield was President of the Utah Society seventeen years ago, was Director General in 1924, and has been a consistent worker for the development of the Society throughout the Nation for many years past. The fact that in thirty-seven years the Presidency General has only once been given west of the Missouri River is sufficient basis on which to now ask for it for this section of the United States that has not yet had a President General resident nearer than 1,000 miles from Salt Lake City, whose Society membership, notwithstanding this situation, ranks fifth in point of State population to membership.

A meeting and smoker were held on February 11 and plans were made for a dinner and smoker on April 19, and it was decided to have the annual banquet in early October.

Vermont Society.—At the annual meeting of the Vermont Society, held at the Hotel Vermont, Burlington, Wednesday, March 3, the following officers were elected: President, Dorman B. E. Kent, Montpelier; Vice-President, Mortimer R. Proctor; Secretary and Historian, Walter H. Crockett; Treasurer, Clarence L. Smith; Chaplain, Rev. Isaac C. Smart, D. D., all of Burlington. Committees on Auditing, Obituaries, and Historic Memorials, were appointed.

The President was authorized to appoint a special committee to cooperate with the Daughters of the American Revolution and other patriotic societies in the observance of the 150th anniversary of various events connected with the American Revolution. Medals for citizenship have been offered to the schools of White River Junction through the generosity of Compatriot Stephen K. Perry of Hartford.

Virginia Society.—The annual meeting of the Virginia Society took place Monday evening, February 22, at the Commonwealth Club, Richmond. The business meeting was called early in the evening, with President Hon. A. J. Ackiss presiding, at which reports of officers and committees were heard and the election of officers for the ensuing year took place. A dinner followed the business meeting and was opened with formal ceremony of invocation by the

State Chaplain, Rt. Rev. William Cabell Brown, and presentation of the colors, with the Salute to the Flag. The speakers were Hon. Ashton Dovell and Senator Downing, of the State Senate, both giving most entertaining and delightful addresses. A reception to new members followed, and the presentation to eligible compatriots of ten War Service Medals, with music by a quartet, were additional features of interest.

NORFOLK CHAPTER met on February 5 for its annual meeting, and the election of officers resulted as follows: President, George J. Parke; Vice-President, J. W. Calvert; Secretary-Treasurer, J. A. Swingley; Registrar, W. I. Gilkeson; Historian, Thomas W. Shelton; Chaplain, Rev. J. D. Peebles. The Chapter sent a goodly representation to Richmond to attend the meeting of the State Society on February 22.

Washington Society.—The State Society is forging well ahead in the lines of our national aims and has done splendid work in the fight against un-American history text books, and in the vital questions of immigration and naturalization.

A most attractive booklet, *The Liberty Tree*, the first issue of a quarterly to be devoted to the interests of the Sons of the American Revolution in the State of Washington, was published in January. This is to be the medium of contact between the State Society and its members to bring the latter into closer touch with the various activities of the National Society. The initial number is certainly both attractive and interesting, containing reports by the State President Mr. Hunting, the Seattle and Spokane Chapters and other officers and compatriots, together with much other valuable information.

SPokane CHAPTER elected officers on January 23 as follows: President, E. Ralph Edgerton; Vice-President, Henry M. Hart; Secretary-Treasurer, John W. Bell, Jr.; Registrar, Henry E. Bacon; Chaplain, Rev. A. M. Bailey; Trustees, H. W. Canfield and Frank M. Smith. On February 22, the Chapter presented three sterling silver medals to the winners of the annual Oratorical Contest in the Spokane High Schools. This is a fixed institution in the city and much welcomed by the school department.

Plans for a very fine patriotic program in celebration of the Signing of the Declaration of Independence on July 4th next are being promoted under the auspices of the American Legion in Tacoma, in which it is expected some 2,000 persons will participate in the pantomimes and pageant. All patriotic and civic organizations will participate. The Tacoma Chapter S. A. R. will, with others, co-operate in this program.

SEATTLE CHAPTER made its annual award of ten medals for historical essays at its February meeting on the 22nd. These are offered to the high schools of the city and are looked forward to each year with interest.

The annual meeting of the State Society took place on February 22, at Seattle.

Wyoming Society.—This Society met for its annual meeting on February 22 at Cheyenne. The following officers were elected: President, Elwyn B. Condit, Laramie; Vice-President, Roderick N. Watson; Secretary, James F. Seiler; Treasurer, Leslie A. Miller; Registrar, Claude M. Campbell; Historian, Ross B. Moudy, all of Cheyenne. The Society will sponsor an essay contest among the high schools of the State. Plans for the 150th anniversary of Independence Day were made. Addresses on the World Court by Hon. Roderick N. Watson, and George Washington, by Gen. John M. Jenkins, were enjoyed.



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QUESTIONS

(200) 1. **WIGGINTON-THOMPSON.**—Wanted: Lineage of Presley Wigginton, a son of Benjamin Wigginton, who died in Loudoun County, Virginia, in 1844. It is supposed that the family is descended from Richard Wigginton, "who came over with Lord Fairfax and settled in Fairfax County, Virginia." What were the names of Richard Wigginton's sons and what is the descent to the aforesaid Benjamin Wigginton? Where does the name of Thompson come into the family?

2. **QUICK.**—Wanted: Information concerning John Quick, who died in Loudoun County, Virginia, about 1838. (J. W. W.)

(201) **McKAIN-WELLS.**—Wanted: Information relative to the parentage, etc., of Sarah McKain, who was born (1792) in Virginia and died (1861) in Illinois. She was married (about 1814) in Kentucky, to Thomas Wells and removed to Illinois. (H. E. K.)

(202) **REED-ROBERTSON.**—Wanted: Information and lineage of Joseph Reed, my great-grandfather, who married Elizabeth Chandler and resided, probably, in the western part of Virginia (now West Virginia). He was murdered, it is said, and his children, left practically destitute, were brought to southwestern Ohio and delivered to relatives in Clinton and Warren Counties. My Father's maternal grandfather was Ezra Robertson, of the Eastern Shore of Maryland, who married Elizabeth (Trotter) Branstrater and moved (1799) to Ohio. They had four children. Was there Revolutionary War service in any of these families? (L. R.)

(203) **FIELDING.**—Wanted: Name and address of any descendant of Elijah or of Ely Fielding, who were soldiers in the Second Pennsylvania Regiment, under Colonels Hampton and Stewart, during the Revolutionary War. I am descended from Elizabeth Fielding, the wife of Nicholas Ott. (A. R. M.)

(204) **CARROLL.**—Wanted: Parentage, etc., of Anthony Wayne Carroll, who was born (1806?) in Pennsylvania, and at the age of 18 years moved to Granville, Ohio. His father was killed in the War of 1812. There were ten or twelve chil-

dren in the family. The name may have been spelled Karel, Karol, or Karl, as the family was of the so-called Pennsylvania "Dutch" stock. (N. R. C.)

(205) **ECCLESTON-WHITE-BROWN.**—Wanted: Revolutionary War records of Hugh Eccleston (who married Elizabeth Ennalls); Dr. John White (who married Elizabeth Eccleston); James Brown (who married Priscilla White about 1734). (T. E. H.)

[Apparently these were all too remote in point of time for Revolutionary service.—EDITOR.]

(206) 1. **KING.**—Wanted: Parentage, ancestry, dates, and Revolutionary services of the ancestors of Ormal King, who was born (1787) in Eastern New York, married (about 1809) Mary Ann Davis, and died (1858) at Fox Lake, Wis. Their children were: (1) George Le Roy, married Jane Frazier; (2) Phoebe, married Josephus Wells; (3) Theron; (4) Lorenzo Davis (born 1815), married Julia Ann Schryver (born 1819); Eliza, married George Dana.

2. **DAVIS.**—Wanted: Parentage, etc., of ancestors of Mary Ann Davis, who was born (1791) in Eastern New York, married (about 1809) Ormal King, and died (1862) at Fox Lake, Wis.

3. **BURNS.**—Wanted: Parentage, etc., of ancestors of Dennis Burns, who owned a plantation at Lexington, Ky., before and during the Civil War. (E. L. K.)

(207) 1. **PYLE, PILE.**—Wanted: Information concerning the ancestors of John Pile, a physician and colonel in the British army at the time of the Revolutionary War, operating in and around Guilford Court House. Dr. John Pile (Pyle) lived in Caney Creek Settlement, Chatham County, North Carolina, where there was a large community of Quakers, and was commissioner of the peace for Chatham County by appointment of the New Bern Court of North Carolina. He is believed to have been the son of a Dr. Samuel Pyle, who came to Pennsylvania about the time the colony was founded by William Penn. In the Balwin (Baldwin?) family record it appears that John and Nicholas Pyle married Mary and Sarah Balwin (Baldwin?) of Christiana Hundred, Delaware, who were disinherited by their father for marrying out of the Quaker rite.

2. **WELLS.**—Wanted: Information relative to the parentage and ancestors of Lewis Wells, a Revolutionary soldier in the South Carolina militia. He is said to have come from Wales and was by trade a cabinet-maker. Landing originally in Virginia, he came to South Carolina and was living (1790) in the neighborhood of Greenville. He married Elizabeth Bates and moved (1806) to Christian County, Kentucky, and (1817) to Illinois. (H. E. K.)

(208) 1. **BEAL, BEEL.**—Wanted: Name, parentage, and ancestry of the father of Hetty, Abram, Ruth, James, Timothy, and Abner S. Beal (Beel), the latter my grandfather. If their father was Abraham⁶ Beal, of Oswego or Oneida County, New York, the line can be traced to John¹ Beal, who came from Hingham, County Norfolk, England, to Hingham, Mass., in 1638, in the ship *Diligent*. His first wife was Margaret Hobart.

2. **HULL-STANDIFORD.**—Wanted: Parentage, ancestry, and Revolutionary service relative to John Hull, who was born (1732) in Virginia and died (1807) in Dillsborough, Ind. He married Mary Standiford, of Baltimore (County?), Maryland, who was born there in 1798, a daughter of James and Penelope (Rockhold) Standiford. (G. N. B.)

(209) **BROWN-YOUNG-McDOWELL.**—Wanted: Information and ancestry relating to John or Henry Brown, of Newark, New Jersey, and his wife, Prudence

Young, the family of the latter supposedly from Virginia originally; also, of William McDowel, of Philadelphia. (C. M. M.)

(210) **OAKES-FLOWER-GIBBEN.**—Wanted: Full information as to ancestry (with dates) of Samuel Oakes, who married (1713) in Chester County, Pennsylvania, Elizabeth Flower, daughter of Enoch Flower and his wife, Rebecca Barnard, daughter of Richard Barnard, of said county. He had sons, Samuel and Flower Oakes, early residents of Chester County. Samuel, Jr., went (before 1780) to Northumberland County, and Flower died in Chester County. Whom, when, and where did Samuel Oakes, Jr., marry? (T. H. S.)

ANSWERS

(68) 4. **SHIELDS.**—Referring to the inquiry concerning the ancestry of John Shields, of Pennsylvania, who was born in 1772, I am descended from one William Shields, a founder of Emmitsburg, Maryland. He left many descendants and in each generation there appear the names of John Shields, James Shields, Matthew Shields, etc., and others whom I could mention, as I have a complete Shields family record from 1728, including marriages, deaths, births, etc. There is a little history of Emmitsburg, written by James A. Helman, which is sold by Miss Bellé Helman, of that place, for fifty cents per copy. In this history are given the names of Captain William Shields and his two sons, John and James, who were in the same company with their father. (G. H. H.)

(150) **GILBERT.**—I believe that, in the New York Library, at 42d Street and 5th Avenue, there is a copy of the "Gilberts of New England," now out of print. It takes the line of Captain Nathaniel Gilbert back to Jonathan Gilbert, of the Hartford settlement. There was a Samuel Gilbert, son of Hiram, grandson of Giles (born 1759) and Deborah (Hall) Gilbert, great-grandson of Nathaniel Gilbert. Jonathan¹ Gilbert, who married (1) Mary White and (2) Mary Wells, had a son, Samuel, by the latter. Jonathan¹ Gilbert, it is supposed, had a brother, John, who may have been the ancestor of the inquirer. (G. G.)

(151) 3. **BARBER.**—My former answer, in the October (1925) *MINUTE MAN*, contained one error. Captain Stephen Barber was born in 1714, not 1724. (L. G. W.)

(164) **TRUITT.**—Samuel Truitt came from England in 1750 and settled in Delaware. He married Mary Collins in England and had issue as follows: John (1753), Sally (1755), Collins (1757), Jessie (Jesse?) (1759), George (1761), Betsey (1763), William (1765), Mary (1767), Samuel (1769), Joseph (1772), Jennie (1774), Saxagotha (1776), Rachel (1785), all born in Delaware. George went to Kentucky and there he died. Some of the family removed to Pennsylvania and some remained in Delaware. (M. L. L.)

(183) **WILLIAMS.**—Susanna Williams (1757-1795?), who married (1778) William Dunham in Taunton, Mass., had a brother, Samuel Williams, "who with several of his neighbors moved to Grafton, New Hampshire." It may be that the Samuel who is here sought was her brother. This brother (Samuel Williams) was born March 20, 1746; married, on January 25, 1770, Mary or Mercy Case, of Rehoboth, Mass., a daughter of William and Mary Case, and immediately thereafter moved to Grafton, residing on "Williams' Hill." They were children of Rufus⁴ Williams (1723-1769), of Taunton, by his wife, Mary Shaw, of Raynham, Mass., a daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Mason) Shaw, and grandchildren of Benjamin⁸ Williams (Benjamin², Richard¹) by his wife, Susan Howard. Rufus

Williams' mother, Susanna Howard, died during his infancy and he lived with his aunt, Rebecca Williams, who married his guardian, Colonel Samuel Pitts. (I. D. B.)

(184) 2. **McKAIN**.—A certain Robert Lytle, Sr., was an early settler in Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, and bought land in the Tuscarora Valley, now Juniata County, about 1760. His estate was probated at Carlisle about 1781. His wife was Margaret (surname unknown). They had, among other children, Robert, Jr., and John, whom Governor Thomas McKean appointed to be justices. Later, Robert, Jr., moved to what is now Butler County, Ohio, where he was a judge for many years. His will on file at Hamilton, Ohio, mentions his daughter, Jane McCaine. In the county marriage records there is an entry: "Robert McKean married to Jane Lytle December 22, 1807." On page 478 of the "Scotch-Irish in America" we find that Thomas McKean, Governor of Pennsylvania, was born at Londonderry, Chester County, Pennsylvania, on March 19, 1734, the son of William and Laetitia (Finney) McKean, both natives of Ireland. (L. L.)

(186) **REED-LAMB**.—The writer has the Lamb family record back to Thomas Lamb of Roxbury, Mass., 1630. (F. B. L.)

(190) **TILTON**.—If the inquirer is only interested in the family tree of Dr. Tilton in order to satisfy himself whether he is a descendant of Dr. Tilton, I may say that the Doctor was a bachelor; but if the inquirer is a descendant of a collateral branch of the family, I can give him a fund of information, almost as romantic and interesting as fiction, but it would fill many pages of *THE MINUTE MAN*. (F. W. K.)

(194) **BOWEN**.—The correspondent must be a trifle confused as to his facts. Hezekiah Bowen, who served in the Berkshire County militia, was one of six brothers, sons of Captain Valentine Bowen, of Cheshire, all of whom served. The family Bible record states that he was born January 7, 1747, and died May 11, 1809. He married (1771) Susanna Edwards and had issue: Anna, Charlotte, Lovinia, Martin, Candace, Calvin, Cynthia, Susanna, and Hezekiah; their births ranging from 1772 to 1790. The Hezekiah to whom the inquirer refers must have been another man. (W. B. B.)

(196) **NELSON**.—John Nelson, of Fauquier County, Virginia, had a daughter, Jemima, who married (1789), in Fauquier County, Charles Utterback, and their daughter, Sarah, married John Bond. "On oath of Richard Higgins that John Nelson, pensioner of the U. S., departed this life May 27, 1838, and was the identical person named in the original certificate now here shown to the Court, dated August 3, 1829, and signed by S. D. Morgan, Secretary of the Treasury, granting him a pension of \$40.00 per month (Number 528) and that he left Catharine Casey, Melissa Chevis (?), wife of David Chevis (?), and Thomas Nelson, only children; Charles C. Nelson, Thomas Washington Nelson, Robert Floyd Nelson." John Nelson received (1783) warrant No. 1790, for 5333 1-3 acres, as major of Virginia State cavalry. (E. S. S.)

NOTES

Mr. Herbert C. Varney, Registrar of the Minnesota Society, has taken the pains to compile a list of Revolutionary Soldiers whose deaths are noticed in certain old newspapers, such as the *Dover Gazette and Strafford Advertiser*, published at Dover, N. H.; the *New Hampshire Patriot and State Gazette*, published at Concord, N. H., and the *New Hampshire Gazette*, published at Portsmouth.

More than one hundred of these names have been sent to the Registrar General. The list gives the date of each obituary notice, the soldiers' ages and the places where they died, besides interesting comments concerning the deceased. Captain Peter Salter, Samuel Gore, Major Thomas Melville, William Melvin, and Samuel Howard are mentioned as members of the "Boston tea party." Jonathan Knapp, who served in the French and Indian War, as well as in the Revolution, died, aged 100 years; Isaac Hemperstall died aged 101 years, while Enoch Perkins and Oliver Elliott died aged 102 years. James Gooch was purser on the *Ranger*, under John Paul Jones, and died aged 80 years, and Francis Joseph (a Passamaquoddy Indian) died aged 97 years. Colonel Adam Binkley "served throughout the Revolutionary War, at which time he had 11 children," and died aged 136 (*sic!*).

Compatriot the Rev. Frederick Lewis Weis, of Massachusetts, a descendant of Captain Lemuel Clap, of Dorchester, has copied from original documents in the possession of Major Frank Lemuel Clapp, the enlisting orders, muster rolls, etc., of Captain Clap's company during the Revolution. These records are carefully typewritten, arranged in an orderly manner, indexed, and neatly bound for reference. A photographic copy of Captain Lemuel Clap's commission as Captain in 1779 accompanies this valuable compilation. The donation is appreciated.

"Prisoners of War," by Major Herbert C. Fooks, of the Maryland Society, has been received by the Editor with the personal compliments of the author. It is a comprehensive work on the status of captive soldiers from the earliest times down to and including the period of the World War, in which Compatriot Fooks, both lawyer and soldier, was a participant. Its 450 pages are replete with many historical allusions and sidelights, including the period of the American Revolution, and contain a mass of detailed information as to prisoners of war, their treatment by different countries, their food, clothing, housing, regulations about them, their exchange, parole, etc. The book is well illustrated. The J. W. Stowell Printing Company, Federalsburg, Md., are the publishers.

The second volume of "Lists of Swiss Emigrants in the Eighteenth Century to the American Colonies," by Dr. A. B. Faust, of Cornell University, ably assisted by Compatriot Dr. Gaius M. Brumbaugh, Managing Editor of *The National Genealogical Society*, Washington, D. C., has just been issued. This publication surpasses in volume and interest the previous issue, and both Dr. Faust and Dr. Brumbaugh are to be congratulated on the completion of a most arduous undertaking. The work is not a mere "list of emigrants to America," but it also embraces a considerable amount of information concerning the emigrants themselves, their condition and their families, which will be found to be indispensable to historians and those who are engaged in genealogical researches. Dr. Brumbaugh is a veteran investigator and publisher and his compilations are the result of a scholar's absorbing love for original research.

Mr. Sylvester R. Rush, P. O. Box 438, Omaha, Nebr., has prepared a historical and genealogical account of the Rush family, being the descendants of John Rush of Byberry, many of whom resided in New Jersey during the Revolutionary War and a number of them were soldiers in the American army. Evidence is set forth which will entitle a larger number of persons to become members of the S. A. R. and of the D. A. R.

"The Call of the Wilds and the Farm," by Compatriot Neal S. Whisenhunt, of the Louisiana Society, has just been issued. Well written and attractively illustrated, this book will prove to be entertaining reading for those who are fond of outdoor life.

The November, 1925, issue of *Poland*, a monthly magazine published in New York City, contains an interesting sketch of the life of Thaddeus Kosciuszko, by Prof. Stephan P. Mizwa. One hundred and fifty years ago Thaddeus Kosciuszko arrived in America to offer his services in the cause of Independence.

The *Beach Family Magazine*, a quarterly publication, makes its first appearance in the January, 1925, issue. It is published by Alfred Holmes Beach, of Casper, Wyo., and treats upon the history and genealogy of this Connecticut family.

The Washington State Society (S. A. R.) is to be congratulated on the appearance of the first number (January, 1926) of its new magazine, *Ye Liberty Tree*.

Francis B. Culver
Registrar General.

ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP

There have been enrolled in the office of the Registrar General from November 30, 1925, to February 22, 1926, 337 new members distributed as follows: Arizona, 1; California, 44; Colorado, 2; District of Columbia, 17; Florida, 4; Georgia, 2; Idaho, 1; Illinois, 13; Indiana, 2; Iowa, 5; Kansas, 4; Kentucky, 4; Louisiana, 9; Maryland, 1; Massachusetts, 29; Michigan, 14; Minnesota, 5; Missouri, 2; Montana, 2; Nebraska, 4; New Hampshire, 1; New Jersey, 15; New York (Empire State), 57; Ohio, 9; Oklahoma, 1; Oregon, 1; *Pennsylvania*, 78; Rhode Island, 3; South Carolina, 21; Tennessee, 10; Texas, 9; Utah, 2; Vermont, 1; Virginia, 7; Washington State, 1; Wisconsin, 1; Wyoming, 2.

One hundred and eleven supplemental claims have been approved from the following State Societies: California, 4; District of Columbia, 2; Idaho, 1; Illinois, 2; Iowa, 18; Kansas, 1; Massachusetts, 9; Nebraska, 6; New Hampshire, 1; New Jersey, 1; *New York (Empire State)*, 37; Ohio, 2; Pennsylvania, 5; South Carolina, 9; South Dakota, 1; Tennessee, 5; Texas, 7.

In Memoriam

- ENOCH BOOTH ABELL, Maryland Society, died — —, 1924.
 CLARENCE W. ALLING, New Jersey Society, died December 26, 1925.
 WALTER PRESTON BABB, Massachusetts Society, died December 10, 1925.
 GEORGE MILLARD BALDWIN, Connecticut Society, died February 8, 1924.
 MARCUS W. BALDWIN, District of Columbia Society, died July 15, 1925.
 HON. SAMUEL THRUSTON BALLARD, Kentucky Society, died January 18, 1926.
 WALTER CLARK BATES, Massachusetts Society, died February 2, 1926.
 WILLIAM K. BENEDICT, Empire State Society, died December 16, 1925.
 N. W. BENNETT, Minnesota Society, died September 4, 1925.
 ARTHUR JOSIAH BLOOD, Massachusetts Society, died December 22, 1925.
 ERVIN D. BOYNTON, Illinois Society, died December 11, 1925.
 GORHAM L. BOYNTON, New Jersey Society, died July 4, 1924.
 CHARLES HAMILTON BURGESS, Maryland Society, died June 9, 1925.
 RANDALL W. BURNS, Illinois Society, died December 20, 1925.
 CHARLES DANA BURRAGE, Massachusetts Society, died January 5, 1926.
 GEORGE C. CLAY, Michigan Society, died May 21, 1925.
 AMOS H. COBB, Empire State Society, died February 5, 1926.
 CHARLES B. COLE, New Jersey Society, died December 13, 1925.
 ALFRED ELMER COX, Massachusetts Society, died May 22, 1925.
 FRANK CRESSY, New Hampshire Society, died July 13, 1925.
 ISAAC NEWTON CUSHMAN, California Society, died February 9, 1926.
 FRANCIS OTIS DORT, California Society, died December 5, 1925.
 CHARLES A. DU CHARME, Michigan Society, died December 28, 1925.
 JAMES GARDNER DUNNING, Massachusetts Society, died June 29, 1923.
 HON. EDRIC ELDRIDGE, Massachusetts Society, died January 18, 1926.
 DAVID HALE FANNING, Life Member Massachusetts Society, died January 20, 1926.
 D. J. FARNSWORTH, Ohio Society, died December 14, 1925.
 ELLIOT D. FISHER, Illinois Society, died January 26, 1926.
 FRANK ROLLIN FISHER, Connecticut Society, died December 30, 1925.
 PARKER THURSTON FULLER, Massachusetts Society, died May 3, 1925.
 EDWIN BLAKELEY GALLAGHER, Massachusetts Society, died May 11, 1925.
 DANIEL H. GARDE, Ohio Society, died April 16, 1925.
 HOWARD MONROE GOFF, Massachusetts Society, died December —, 1924.
 EDWARD D. GARDINER, Ohio Society, died March 28, 1925.
 THOMAS W. GOSS, District of Columbia Society, died January 2, 1926.
 WARREN L. GOSS, New Jersey Society, died November 20, 1925.
 CHARLES A. GOULD, Empire State Society, died January 6, 1926.
 RUFUS S. GREEN, New Jersey Society, died June 3, 1925.
 WILBUR C. HADLEY, Illinois Society, died December 9, 1925.
 NEWTON MARSHALL HALL, Massachusetts Society, died January 22, 1926.
 HERVERY E. HARMAN, Pennsylvania Society, died December —, 1925.
 WILLIAM DICKINSON HAWLEY, Massachusetts Society, died November 25, 1925.
 ALEXANDER P. HOLBROOK, New Jersey Society, died December 25, 1925.
 JOHN MARSHALL HOLCOMBE, Connecticut Society, died January 15, 1926.
 GEORGE M. LAWSON, Illinois Society, died January 5, 1926.
 HORATIO SHUMWAY LEE, Empire State Society, died November 30, 1925.
 EDWARD D. LIBBY, Ohio Society, died November 13, 1925.
 JOHN H. MAGRUDER, District of Columbia Society, died December 16, 1925.
 GEORGE E. MAPES, Pennsylvania Society, died August 22, 1925.

In Memoriam

- FRANK KELLY McCUTCHEN, Georgia Society, died February 1, 1926.
 FRANK W. MCKINLEY, New Hampshire Society, died —, 1925.
 WILLIAM V. McMAKEN, Brigadier-General, U. S. Army, Ohio Society, died January 13, 1923.
 FREDERICK G. MEAD, Massachusetts Society, died January 5, 1926.
 A. JUDSON MILLER, New Jersey Society, died December 28, 1925.
 WILLIAM THORNTON PARKER, Massachusetts Society, died September 11, 1925.
 LOREN DWIGHT PENFIELD, Connecticut Society, died January 8, 1926.
 CROSBY A. PERRY, Massachusetts Society, a real son, died January 19, 1926.
 PETER A. PORTER, JR., Empire State Society, died December 16, 1925.
 PAUL A. ROCHESTER, Empire State Society, died September 11, 1925.
 WILLIAM H. SAMPSON, New Jersey Society, died November 25, 1925.
 JAMES HERRON SCOTT, Pennsylvania Society, died November 21, 1925.
 CHARLES H. SERGEL, Illinois Society, died January 7, 1926.
 EDWIN LONGSTRETH SHUEY, Ohio Society, died September 27, 1924.
 JOHN W. SNYDER, Maryland Society, died February 10, 1926.
 S. VAN LEAR SPRIGG, Ohio Society, died November 16, 1925.
 CHARLES LESTER STEVENS, Connecticut Society, died November 7, 1925.
 DAVID FRANKLIN STEVENS, Connecticut Society, died March 8, 1925.
 THEODORE G. SULLIVAN, New Jersey Society, died November 20, 1925.
 LEOPOLD SULBERGER, Empire State Society, died January 31, 1926.
 EDWIN PEMBERTON TAYLOR, Connecticut Society, died November 19, 1925.
 PAUL B. TRAMMEL, Alabama Society, died March —, 1926.
 HON. FRANCIS W. TREADWAY, Ohio Society, died December 24, 1925.
 ALEXANDER C. WALKER, New Jersey Society, died September 26, 1925.
 EDWARD S. WALTON, Illinois Society, died January 7, 1926.
 CHARLES FRANKLIN WARNER, Massachusetts Society, died January 11, 1926.
 HERBERT CLEVELAND WARREN, Connecticut Society, died January 8, 1926.
 DAVID WEBSTER, New Hampshire Society, died December 4, 1925.
 CHARLES H. WHITAKER, Ohio Society, died February 5, 1926.
 ROBERT L. WHITNEY, New Hampshire Society, died October 19, 1925.
 ROBERT F. WILSON, Illinois Society, died January 27, 1926.
 LAWRENCE C. WOODS, Pennsylvania Society, died November 10, 1925.
 ALVIN M. WOOLSON, Ohio Society, died October 7, 1925.

RECORDS OF 337 NEW MEMBERS AND 111 SUPPLEMENTALS, APPROVED AND ENROLLED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL FROM NOVEMBER 30, 1925, TO FEBRUARY 22, 1926.

The records of new members, "In Memoriam," and the paragraph on "Additions to Membership" are compiled and edited in the Registrar General's office at Washington.

- HAROLD LEE ABELL, Buffalo, N. Y. (42170). Son of Charles Lee and Emma (Farthing) Abel; grandson of William H. and Eliza (Lee) Abel; great-grandson of Thomas G. and Rhoda (Hawks) Abel; great²-grandson of *Thomas Abel*, Sergeant in Col. Walbridge's Regt., and Lieutenant in Col. Samuel Herrick's Regt., Vermont Militia.
- HENRY HUBBARD ALLEN, New York City, N. Y. (42255). Son of Preston Houstis and Elizabeth Ramsey (Hubbard) Allen; grandson of Isaac Heustis and Elvira Newell (Smith) Allen; great²-grandson of Philip and Sarah (Keys) Allen; great³-grandson of *Nathan Allen*, Sergeant in Col. Brewer's and Col. Rufus Putman's Reg'ts, Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Preston and Eunetia (Newell) Smith; great²-grandson of *Simeon Smith*, private, West Springfield, Mass. Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of *Abijah* and Nancy (Burt) *Newell*, private, Col. Elisha Porter's and Col. Sear's Regts., Hampshire County, Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of *Jonathan Burt*, Adjutant, in Col. Gideon Burt's Hampshire County, Mass. Militia; great⁴-grandson of *David Burt*, Lieutenant and Captain, Hampshire County, Mass. Militia.
- JOHN EDWARD ALLEN, Warrenton, N. C. (S. C. 42020). Son of Eugene and Florence (Davis) Allen; grandson of Nathaniel and Mary E. (Powell) Allen; great-grandson of Edmund and Sarah (Watson) Allen; great²-grandson of Vincent and Mary (Bowden) Allen; great³-grandson of *Charles Allen*, Captain, Fifth Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Line and in Col. Thomas Eaton's Regt., South Carolina Militia.
- PRESTON HEUSTIS ALLEN, New York City, N. Y. (42256). Son of Isaac Heustis and Elvira Newell (Smith) Allen; grandson of Harvey and Mariah (Weed) Allen; great-grandson of Philip and Sarah (Keys) Allen; great²-grandson of *Nathan Allen*, Sergeant in Col. Brewer's and Col. Rufus Putman's Regts., Mass. Militia; grandson of Preston and Eunetia (Newell) Smith; great-grandson of *Simeon Smith*, private, West Springfield, Mass. Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of *Abijah* and Nancy (Burt) *Newell*, private, Col. Elisha Porter's and Col. Sear's Regts., Hampshire County, Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Burt*, Adjutant in Col. Gideon Burt's Hampshire County Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of *David Burt*, Lieutenant and Captain, Hampshire County, Mass. Militia.
- ALFRED CROSBY HUGHES ANDERSON, Columbus, Ohio (42114). Son of Thomas Hughes and Mary (Crosby) Anderson; grandson of *Reuben Crosby*, private, Col. Dubois' Regt., N. Y. Levies and private and Quartermaster in Col. John Field's Third Regt., Dutchess County, N. Y. Militia.
- MARION GUSTAVUS ANDERSON, Conway, S. C. (42377). Son of O. and Mary Jane (Dusenbury) Anderson; grandson of Zacheus William and Mary (Harper) Dusenbury; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Ellis) Dusenbury; great²-grandson of *Charles Dusenbury*, private in Col. Hopkins' and Col. Luddington's Regts., Dutchess County, N. Y. Militia.
- OLIVER BURNSIDE ANDREWS, Chattanooga, Tenn. (42186). Son of Garnett and Rosalie (Beirne) Andrews; grandson of Garnett and Annulet (Ball) Andrews, great-grandson of *John Andrews*, private, Eighth, Tenth and Twelfth Va. Regts.
- JAMES BRADLEY ANGELL, Chicago, Ill. (42065). Son of William Henry and Mary Elizabeth (Bradley) Angell; grandson of William Tracy and Mary (Moore) Angell; great-grandson of Alva and — (—) Angell; great²-grandson of Israel and Hannah (Brown) Angell; great³-grandson of *Israel Angell*, Major, Eleventh Regt. and Colonel of Second Regt., R. I. Cont'l Infantry, pensioned.
- ROGERS N. ARMSTRONG, Buffalo, N. Y. (42411). Son of Charles Newton and Florence (Rogers) Armstrong; grandson of Charles B. and Eliza Ann (Newton) Armstrong;

- great-grandson of Obed and Eliza (Walker) Newton; great²-grandson of *James Walker*, Lieutenant in Col. Elisha Porter's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- MILAN FOREST ASHBROOK, Adrian, Mich. (41940). Son of Milan Pratt and Lucy (Shepherdson) Ashbrook; grandson of William and Lucy (Pratt) Ashbrook; great-grandson of Eli and Susan (Munson) Pratt; great²-grandson of Timothy and Abigail (Perkins) Munson; great³-grandson of *Timothy Munson*, Sergeant in Col. Waterberry's Eighth Regt. Conn. Line and private in Col. William Douglas's 6th Regt., Conn. Line.
- ELMER MACLAY AWL, Santa Barbara, Calif. (Pa. 42212). Son of John Mattern and Sarah Elizabeth (House) Awl; grandson of John Loughry and Mary (Rogers) Awl; great-grandson of William Maclay and Rebecca (Loughry) Awl; great²-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Maclay) Awl; great³-grandson of *Jacob Awl*, private, Col. Robert Elder's Regt., Fourth Battalion, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- ELKANAH ANDREW BABCOCK, Phoenix, Ariz. (36608). Son of Horace Maxson and Annie (Ulven) Babcock; grandson of Elkanah and Nancy Crandall (Maxson) Babcock; great-grandson of Chauncey and Prudence (Stanton) Babcock; great²-grandson of *Elkanah Babcock*, Captain, Westerly, R. I. Militia also Recruiting Officer for Westerly in 1780.
- MARTIN JOHN BACKENSTOE, Emons, Pa. (42361). Son of Jacob Martin and Mary A. (Kemmerer) Backenstoe; grandson of Martin and Sarah (Brunner) Kemmerer; great-grandson of Martin and Dorothea (Walters) Kemmerer; great²-grandson of *Henry Kemmerer*, Sergeant and Ensign in Seventh Co., Fourth and Second Battalions, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- WILLIAM ALFRED BACKENSTOE, Emons, Pa. (42362). Same as Martin John Brackenstoe, Pa. (42361.).
- THOMAS BAIRD, Lexington, Ky. (41660). Son of John Weldon and Mary L. (Green) Baird; grandson of John and Ann E. (Thomas) Green; great-grandson of Levon and Henrietta (Milton) Green; great²-grandson of Zachariah and Fanny (Duncan) Green; great³-grandson of *Levon Green*, private, Va. Militia.
- WARREN LOWE BAKER, Chevy Chase, D. C. (41341.). Son of Charles Ayres and Emma Brooks (Knapp) Baker; grandson of Charles Simeon and Jane Elizabeth (Yerkes) Baker; great-grandson of James and Catherine (Gaul) Baker; great²-grandson of Henry and Panella (Sheres) Gaul; great³-grandson of *Jacob Gaul*, private, Eighth Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- TAYLOR RUSSEL BALDRIDGE, Dayton, Ohio (42116). Son of Samuel Turner and Sarah (Russell) Baldrige; grandson of Samuel and Mary (McGary) Baldrige; great-grandson of *William McGary*, private, Col. Christian Febiger's Second Regt., Va. Cont'l Line.
- LLOYD BALDWIN, Ross, Calif. (42446). Son of Lloyd and Isabel Amelia (Wheaton) Baldwin; grandson of Cyrus Martin and Mary Ann (Staples) Wheaton, Jr.; great-grandson of Cyrus Martin and Nancy (Carpenter) Wheaton; great²-grandson of Peter and Nancy (Bishop) Carpenter; great³-grandson of *Thomas Carpenter*, Colonel, First Regt., Bristol County, Mass. Militia.
- LOUIS WEST BALCOM, Austin, Texas (42506). Son of William Smith and Cecelia Chalett (Sower) Balcom; grandson of George Lewis and Anna (West) Balcom; great-grandson of James and Mary (Richardson) Balcom; great²-grandson of *Micah Balcom*, private, Capt. John Gleason's Co., Col. Jonathan Whitney's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- ARTHUR EDWARD BANGS, Lynn, Mass. (42236). Son of George Whitefield and Rachel Ann (Edwards) Bangs; grandson of George and Lydia (Barnard) Bangs; great-grandson of Heman and Susanna (Hallett) Bangs; great²-grandson of *James Bangs*, Sergeant in Capt. Abel Thayer's Co. at Lexington Alarm and private, Col. John Fellow's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM MORGAN BARNETT, Huron, S. D. (38867). Son of Joseph and Margaret Elizabeth (—) Barnett; grandson of George and Maria (—) Barnett; great-grandson of Frederick and Margaret (—) Barnett; great²-grandson of *Thomas Barnett*, private, Sixth Co., Col. Frederick Watt's Seventh Battalion, Cumberland County, Pa. Militia.
- CLIFFORD SPARR BARNUM, Brooklyn, N. Y. (42257). Son of Alias K. and Isadore (W—) Barnum; grandson of Noah K. and Mary (Starr) Barnum; great-grandson of Darius and Maria (Knapp) Barnum; great²-grandson of *Seth Barnum*, private, Sixth Co., Fifth Regt., Conn. Militia.

- GEORGE BARCLAY BASSETT, Buffalo, N. Y. (42270). Son of Charles Ralph and Elvira (Rogers) Bassett; grandson of Francis and Mehitabel (Ford) Bassett; great-grandson of *Lot Bassett*, private, Corporal and Sergeant, Yarmouth, Mass. Militia, pensioned; great²-grandson of *Elisha Bassett*, Representative from Yarmouth to Mass. Provincial Congress of 1774, '75, and '76; great-grandson of John and Sarah (Reed) Ford; great²-grandson of *John Ford*, Lieutenant, Third Regt., Plymouth County, Mass. Militia; grandson of Elam and Caroline M. (Prentice) Rogers; great-grandson of Nahum and Nancy (Whipple) Prentice; great²-grandson of *James Prentice*, Lieutenant, Tenth Co., Fifth Regt., Worcester County, Mass. Militia.
- FAY HEMMING BATTEY, Buffalo, N. Y. (42271). Son of Charles and Elizabeth (—) Battey; grandson of Benjamin A. and Phoebe Hart (Wibert) Battey; great-grandson of James Swartwout and Anne (Hart) Wibert; great²-grandson of *John Wibert*, private, Capt. Job Wright's Co., Col. Van Schaick's Regt., New York Troops.
- GALEN SIBLEY BATTEY, Cawker City, Kans. (41011). Son of Owen Wheaton and Pauline (A. —) Battey; grandson of Sampson and Abigail (Phillips) Battey; great-grandson of *David Phillips*, private, Capt. Simeon Harrington's Co., Scituate, R. I. Militia.
- CHARLES FREDERICK BECKEL, Bethlehem, Pa. (42213). Son of Charles Nathaniel and Mary Frances (Levering) Beckel; grandson of Charles Frederick and Charlotte Fredericka (Brown) Beckel; great²-grandson of *Frederick Beckel*, Superintendent of Bethlehem, Pa. Farm, where he sheltered and nursed Gen'l Lafayette when wounded at battle of Brandywine.
- RALPH LEVERING BECKEL, Bethlehem, Pa. (42214). Same as Charles Frederick Beckel, Pa. (42213).
- JOHN WESLEY BEESON, Atlanta, Ga. (36850). Son of William Baker and Mary Ann Frances (Sibert) Beeson; grandson of Alford (Gamon) and Fannie (Baker) Beeson; great-grandson of Gamon and Betty (—) Beeson; great²-grandson of *Edward Beeson*, Captain, North Carolina Militia in 1779, pensioned.
- MATCOM ALFRED BEESON, Stillwater, Okla. (40038). Son of William Baker and Mary Ann Frances (Sibert) Beeson; grandson of Alfred (Gamon) and Fannie (Baker) Beeson; great-grandson of Gammon and Bettie (—) Beeson; great²-grandson of *Edward Beeson*, Captain, North Carolina Militia in 1779, pensioned.
- CLARENCE ERNEST STANLEY BELLOWS, Ridgewood, N. J. (N. Y. 42258). Son of Charles and Mary Ellen (Delano) Bellows; grandson of Orlando and Maria (Blauvelt) Bellows; great-grandson of *Theodore Bellows*, Sergeant, Capt. Peter Page's Co., Col. Moses Nichols' Regt., N. H. Militia.
- ADDISON FITLER BENDER, JR., Philadelphia, Pa. (42364). Son of Allison Fitler and Mary Lydia (Clayton) Bender; grandson of William Fitler and Lavinia (Marks) Bender; great-grandson of Jacob and Fithian (—) Bender; great²-grandson of *John Bender*, private, Col. Thomas Craig's Third Regt. and in other Regts., Penna. Cont'l Line.
- MAXWELL EVARTS BESSELL, Cambridge, Mass. (42248). Son of John Hulme and Abbie Bennett (Lighthipe) Bessell; grandson of Lewis Condit and Henrietta (Ingraham) Lighthipe; great-grandson of Henry Edward and Content (Wilson) Ingraham; great²-grandson of Duncan and Susannah (Greenleaf) Ingraham; great³-grandson of *William Greenleaf*, Member of Provincial Congress of Mass. 1775 and of Committee of Correspondence; great-grandson of Charles and Maria Smith (Condit) Lighthipe; great²-grandson of *John Liphite (Lighthipe)*, private from Lancaster, Pa. in Col. Moses Hazen's Second Canadian Regt., Cont'l Line, pensioned; great²-grandson of *Moses and Hannah (Smith) Condit*, private, Essex County, N. J. Militia; great³-grandson of James and Elinor (Harrison) Smith; great⁴-grandson of *Amos Harrison*, private, Essex County, N. J. Militia.
- ANDREW GUFFIN BIGGERSTAFF, Wabash, Ind. (39774). Son of James Thompson and Cora Ann (Brookover) Biggerstaff; grandson of Andrew Guffin and Cordelia Ann (Lewis) Brookover; great-grandson of George W. and Eliza (Guffin) Brookover; great²-grandson of Andrew and Margaret (Lewis) Guffin; great³-grandson of *John Lewis*, private and drummer, Va. Militia; also Sergeant in Capt. Bates' Co., Col. Campbell's Regt., Washington County, Pa. Militia.
- LEONARD RUFUS BISSELL, Buffalo, N. Y. (42273). Son of Thomas A. and Synthia (Farnsworth) Bissell; grandson of Whitcomb and Harriet F. (Clark) Farnsworth; great-grandson of Solomon and Synthia (Whitcomb) Farnsworth; great²-grandson of

- Scottoway Whitcomb*, Lieutenant in Capt. Joel Green's Co., Col. Wood's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- FREDERICK FRASIER BLACK, U. S. Army, Searsport, Me. (Mass. 42249). Son of Joshua Wilson and Esther Eliza (Bickmore) Black; grandson of Joshua Tolford and Eleanor Maria (Houston) Black; great-grandson of Henry and Anne (Brown) Black; great-grandson of *Henry Black*, Second Lieutenant in Capt. Benjamin Shute's Fourth Co., Col. Josiah Brewer's Penobscot Regt., Mass. Militia.
- JOHN HENRY BLACK, Oakland, Calif. (42428). Son of John A. and Cora Louise (Merrell) Black; grandson of Otis and Louisa (Merrell) Merrell; great-grandson of Ira and Louisa (Perkins) Merrell; great-grandson of Philip and Sally (Gibson) Perkins; great-grandson of *Charles Perkins*, private and Corporal, Conn. Cont'l Line, later in "Invalid Corps."
- CHARLES F. BLAIR, Buffalo, N. Y. (42171). Son of Noel B. and Ellen M. (McIntyre) Blair; grandson of Charles and Amira (Beach) Blair; great-grandson of Elias and Sybil (—) Blair; great-grandson of *Robert Blair*, private and Lieutenant, Vermont Militia.
- CHARLES KENT BLATCHLY, N. Y. (35374). Supplementals. Son of Vernon C. and Mary Emma (Kent) Blatchly; grandson of Eri and Amanda B. (Homell) Kent; great-grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth Delia (Olmstead) Homell; great-grandson of *Isaac Homell, Jr.*, refugee of 1776 to Conn. when British took possession of Long Island, not willing to serve the Crown; great-grandson of Lewis and Sarah (Bennett) Olmstead; great-grandson of Jared and Hannah (Betts) Olmstead; great-grandson of *Gideon Betts*, private, Major Sheldon's Co., Conn. Light Horse; great-grandson of *Trowbridge Bennett*, Corporal in Col. Beardsley's Co. and private, Capt. Northrop's Sixth Co., First Batt'n, Wadsworth's Brigade, Conn. Troops.
- CHARLES THOMAS BLISS, Salinas, Calif. (42453). Son of Thomas and Sylvia R. (Rowland) Bliss; grandson of Samuel and Abigail (Lyndon) Bliss; great-grandson of *William Bliss, Jr.*, Sergeant, Col. Crary's Regt., R. I. Cont'l Infantry and Ensign R. I. Militia for State defense.
- CALVIN JOSEPH BOEHM, Hellertown, Pa. (42363). Son of William A. and Mary A. (Hillegass) Boehm; grandson of James M. and Maria (Desh) Boehm; great-grandson of Philip and Elizabeth (Wasser) Boehm; great-grandson of *Philip Boehm*, Paymaster and Lieutenant-Colonel in Col. Geiger's Batt'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- FRED DE WITT BOICE, Cheyenne, Wyo. (38274). Son of Edgar and Annie Jeanette (Monut) Boice, grandson of John De Witt and Sarah (Veghte) Boice; great-grandson of Abram and Gertrude (Nevius) Veghte; great-grandson of *John Nevius*, private, Capt. Ten Eyck's Co., Hun County, New Jersey Militia.
- LAWRENCE JOSEPH BONIN, St. Martinville, La. (41786). Son of Luke and Blanche (Durand) Bonin; grandson of Oscar and Felicie (de Blanc) Durand; great-grandson of Charles Despanet and Marie Clara (de Blanc) de Blanc; great-grandson of Louis and Louisa Adelaide (Olivier) de Blanc; great-grandson of *Louis Charles de Blanc*, Captain at conquest of English Fort of Baton Rouge; also in the assault at Manchak Fort.
- ARTHUR WAYLAND BOSWORTH, Geneva, N. Y. (42167). Son of Jonathan Totman and Maria (Dickinson) Bosworth; grandson of Jesse and Nancy (Totman) Bosworth; great-grandson of *John Bosworth*, private, Col. Robinson's Regt., Mass. Militia and in Col. Groaton's and Col. Putnam's Regts., Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- LEROY PORTER BOYCE, San Francisco, Calif. (42444). Son of John William and Alice (Pike) Boyce; grandson of Anson A. and Rosina (Fisher) Pike; great-grandson of Luke and Sally (Bartholomew) Pike; great-grandson of Jacob and Betsey (Lamont) Bartholomew; great-grandson of *Theobald (Texalt) Bartholomew*, private, Fifteenth Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- CARL LESTER BRADT, Detroit, Mich. (41938). Son of Samuel Southland and Harriett (Fiffeld) Bradt; grandson of William and Mahala (Southard) Bradt; great-grandson of Garret and Jane (Van Eps) Bradt; great-grandson of Arent Van Antwerp and Gertrude (Henry) Bradt; great-grandson of *Garret Bradt*, private, Col. Philip Schuyler's and Col. Abraham Wemple's Regts., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- WILLIAM ARNOULD BREWERTON, Lincoln, Ill. (42061). Son of Edward Malbrun and Elizabeth Dale (Butters) Brewerton; grandson of William Arnould and Fanny E. F. (Little) Butters; great-grandson of William and Eloiza Monreau (Cormerais) Butters; great-grandson of Samuel and Tabitha (Nichols) Butters; great-grandson of *Samuel Butters*, Corporal, Capt. William Bird's Co., Col. Webb's Regt., Mass. Troops.

- RALPH BRICE, Hamilton, Mont. (31793). Son of John Jasper and Charlotte (Cornett) Brice; grandson of John and Susan (Porter) Brice; great-grandson of *Samuel Brice*, private, Captain William Fife's Company, Washington County, Pa. Militia.
- HENRY RAY BRIDGMAN, Hamburg, N. Y. (42259). Son of Jonathan Wesley and Anne Maria (Le Moine) Sanford Bridgman; grandson of Thomas Henry and Betsy Maria (Gatchell) Bridgman; great-grandson of Joseph and Eleno (Bangs) Gatchell; great-grandson of *Lemuel Bangs*, Lieutenant and Adjutant, Ninth Co., Fourth Regt., Conn. Militia.
- JOHN BRIGGS-DAY, Calif. (31532). Supplementals. Son of Walter H. and Mary R. (Mott) Briggs; grandson of Lemoine and Gertrude C. (Anshutz) Mott; great-grandson of Henry Hopkins and Mary (Lockwood) Mott; great-grandson of *John Mott*, Lieutenant in Col. Seth Warner's N. H. Regt., of Green Mountain Boys, later Captain, widow pensioned; great-grandson of David and Rebecca (Thomas) Lockwood; great-grandson of *Ephriam Lockwood*, Captain, Third Co., Westchester County, N. Y. Militia.
- HAROLD WALES BRIGHAM, San Francisco, Calif. (42445). Son of Frank S. and Alida (Whitney) Wales; grandson of William Oscar and Ann Eliza Scoville Brigham; great-grandson of George Howe and Sally Maria (Evaris) Brigham; great-grandson of Phineas and Susanna (Howe) Brigham; great-grandson of *George Brigham*, private, Col. Jonathan Read's Regt., Mass. Militia for Boston duty, and Representative from Marlboro to Mass. Assembly for a Provisional Government, also to the General Court.
- AUSTIN ADAIR BROWN, Fairfax, Calif. (41389). Son of Austin Howard and Katherine (Wilson) Brown; grandson of Austin Haymond and Margaret (Russell) Brown; great-grandson of William Johns and Susan (Tomplins) Brown; great-grandson of *George and Hannah (Johns) Brown*, Sergeant in Col. George Gibson's First Regt., Va. State Troops; great-grandson of *Thomas Brown*, private from Hardy County in Va. Cont'l Line.
- WILSON JOHNS BROWN, Sacramento, Calif. (42447). Same as Austin Adair Brown, Calif. (41389).
- WALTER GREGORY BRYAN, New York City, N. Y. (42260). Son of John Mason and Wrintha Gregory Bryan; grandson of John Booker and Isobel (Scholl) Gregory; great-grandson of John and Ceni (—) Scholl; great-grandson of Peter and Mary (Boone) Scholl; great-grandson of *George Boone*, private, Capt. David Gaf's Co., Col. John Bowman's Regt., Va. Militia.
- FREDERICK FLOYD BUCHANAN, Machipargo, Va. (42138). Son of Henry and Annie Jacob (Mapp) Buchanan; grandson of John Robins and Mary Susan (Jacob) Mapp; great-grandson of John Robins and Margaret Custis (Leatherbury) Mapp; great-grandson of Robins and Margaret (Matthews) Mapp; great-grandson of *John Mapp*, Colonel, Northampton County, Va. Militia.
- LYMAN LATHROP BURGESS, El Paso, Texas (41723). Son of Arius Armenius and Maria E. (Dutton) Burgess; grandson of Lathrop and Irene (White) Burgess; great-grandson of Samuel and Rachel (Lathrop) Burgess; great-grandson of Melatiah and (—) Lathrop, Jr.; great-grandson of *Melatiah Lathrop*, private, New York Militia and Member of Committee on Public Safety, at Concord, King's County, New York.
- CLARENCE HAYES BURRITT, San Francisco, Calif. (42448). Son of Newell F. and Sarah L. (Hitchcock) Burritt; grandson of Robert W. and Emily (Ray) Burritt; great-grandson of *Nathan Burritt*, private from Fairfield County in Conn. Militia, pensioned.
- HENRY PROCTER BURT, Mass. (38448). Supplementals. Son of Samuel Procter and Amanda Almy (Taber) Burt; grandson of Edward Tayer and Amanda Gray (Almy) Taber; great-grandson of George and Ruth (Manchester) Almy; great-grandson of Sanford and Lydia (Gray) Almy; great-grandson of *John Almy*, private, Capt. in Col. John Cooke's Regt., Mass. Militia; great-grandson of John Almy, private, Capt. Benjamin Wilcox's Co., Mass. Militia at R. I. Alarm; great-grandson of Reuben and Ann (Sisson) Taber; great-grandson of Reuben and Meribah (Bennett) Taber; great-grandson of *Christopher Bennett*, Ensign, Third Regt., Rhode Island Cont'l Line; grandson of Daniel Crane and Susan (Jenney) Burt; great-grandson of Dean and Polly (Crane) Burt; great-grandson of *Elisha Crane*, private in Col. Benjamin Simond's Regt., Berkshire County, Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Levi and Susanna (Proctor) Jenney; great-grandson of *Samuel Proctor*, private, Capt. Henry Jenne's Co., Col. John Hathaway's Second Regt., Bristol County, Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Levi and Molly

- (Blossom) Jenney; great-grandson of Benjamin Blossom, private, Capt. Daniel Egery's Co., Mass. Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- GURDON MONTAGUE BUTLER, Tucson, Ariz. (36609). Son of Samuel Marsh and Olive Louisa (Montague) Butler; grandson of Gurdon and Mary Maria (Post) Montague; great-grandson of Oliver and Clarissa (Fobes) Post; great-grandson of *Oliver Post*, private in Capt. Jonathan Stearn's Co., Col. Dickinson's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES ALLABAR BUTZ, Bethlehem, Pa. (42215). Son of William and Hannah Floranda (Fegely) Butz; grandson of Peter and Elizabeth (Schmoyer) Butz; great-grandson of *John Butz*, private, Second Batt'l'n, Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- CHARLES TRENAEUS BUVINGER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (42216). Son of Charles W. and Emma Pricilla (Brick) Buvinger; grandson of Leonard and Mary (Snyder) Buvinger; great-grandson of *Leonard Buvinger (Boovinger)*, private, Sixth Batt'l'n, Cumberland County, Penna. Militia.
- BETRAM HARRINGTON BUXTON, Providence, R. I. (41492). Same as G. Edward Buxton, Jr., R. I. (41491).
- G. EDWARD BUXTON, JR., Providence, R. I. (41491). Son of Gonzalo Edward and Sarah A. (Harrington) Buxton; grandson of Edward and Julia Clarinda (Coburn) Buxton; great-grandson of David and Philadelphia (Darling) Buxton; great-grandson of *James Buxton*, Lieutenant, Regimental-Adjutant and Captain-Lieutenant in Tenth Regt., and Captain in the Eleventh Regt., Mass. Cont'l Line.
- JAMES CELESTINE CALLAN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (42492). Son of Thomas and Regina (McGuire) Callan; grandson of Michael Luke and Sarah (Glass) McGuire; great-grandson of Luke and Margaret (O'Hara) McGuire; great-grandson of *Michael McGuire*, private and non-commissioned officer, Third Regt., Md. and Penna. Lines.
- DUDLEY ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Los Angeles, Calif. (42442). Son of William A. and Sallie (Shaw) Campbell; grandson of Charles Fenlon and Harriet (Kephart) Campbell; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Alexander) Campbell; great-grandson of *Charles Campbell*, Captain, Rockbridge, Virginia Militia.
- EUGENE MOUSLEY CANNON, Salt Lake City, Utah (41430). Son of Angus M. and Ann Amanda (Mousley) Cannon; grandson of Titus and Ann (McMenemy) Mousley; great-grandson of *George Mosley (Mousley)*, private, Capt. William McMullins Co., Major Lewis Nicola's Regt., Philadelphia City Militia.
- CHARLES CRAWFORD CARTER, Rock Island, Ill. (42066). Son of Charles Crawford and Mary (Whitney) Carter; grandson of James Orne and Elizabeth Slack (Miller) Whitney; great-grandson of Martin and Nancy (Orne) Whitney; great-grandson of *James Orne*, Lieutenant in Capt. Enoch Robinson's Co., Fourth Regt., Bristol County, Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM ALBERT CASLER, Cleveland, Ohio (42118). Son of William H. and Mary L. (Shell) Casler; grandson of Melchart N. and Margaret (—) Casler; great-grandson of Richard and Margaret (—) Casler; great-grandson of *Jacob Casler (Kessler)*, Sergeant, Fourth Regt., Tryon County, N. Y. Militia.
- IRVING ALBERT CASWELL, Minneapolis, Minn. (41983). Son of Albert and Martha A. (Hayden) Caswell; grandson of Samuel and Mary B. (McPherson) Hayden; great-grandson of Clement and Mary (Humphrey) Hayden; great-grandson of *Richard Hayden*, private, Capt. William Hooper's and Capt. Fettyplace's Cos., Salem, Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES ELMER CHAMBERLIN, Bethlehem, Pa. (42217). Son of Josiah and Susan L. (Ache) Chamberlin; grandson of John and Sarah (Wasser) Ache; great-grandson of John and Mary (Ochs) Ache; great-grandson of Jacob and Susanna (Boehm) Ochs; great-grandson of *Philip Boehm*, Paymaster, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel, Fourth and Second Battalions, Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- LOUIS RAY CHRISTIE, Glen Ellyn, Ill. (42059). Son of James H. and Mary (Coulter) Christie; grandson of Christopher C. and Mary (Carey) Coulter; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Rice) Coulter; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Martha (Hammond) Rice; great-grandson of *Samuel Rice*, private, Mass. Militia.
- GEORGE HERBERT PERCY CHRISTMAN, Washington, Pa. (42493). Son of William Davis and Zilpha Ann (Maxton) Christman; grandson of George and Sarah (Beer-bower) Christman; great-grandson of Henry and Eleanor (Root) Christman; great-grandson of *Henry Christman*, private, Second Battalion, Chester County, Pa. Militia.

- DAVID STADDEN CLARK, Bloomsburg, Pa. (42365). Son of Samuel Luther and Margretta Irland (Stadden) Clark; grandson of David I. and Barbara Anna (Kohler) Stadden; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Irland) Stadden; great-grandson of John and Jane (Sample) Stadden; great-grandson of *William Stadden*, private from Northumberland County in Capt. Robinson's Co., Col. Kelly's Regt., Penna. Cont'l Line and in Capt. Robinson's Company of Rangers, pensioned.
- JOHN WILLARD CLARK, Merion, Pa. (42366). Same as David Stadden Clark, Pa. (42365).
- SAMUEL LUTHER CLARK, JR., Merion, Pa. (42367). Same as David Stadden Clark, Pa. (42365).
- GEORGE SHARP CLARKE, Washington, D. C. (41342). Son of Fabius Maximus and Harriet Cade (Cherry) Clarke; grandson of Nathaniel and Caroline (Sage) Cherry; great-grandson of Henry and Amanda (Hayden) Sage; great-grandson of *Harleigh Sage*, private, Capt. David Storry's Co., Col. Bradley's and Col. Johnson's Regt., Conn. troops, pensioned.
- FRANCIS WILLARD CLEMENTS, Washington, D. C. (41329). Son of Jefferson and Ethel Alberta (Clay) Clements; grandson of Roger and Martha E. (Peak) Clements; great-grandson of David and Polly (Hance) Clements; great-grandson of *Roger Clements*, private, spy and ranger in North Carolina and Kentucky Militia, pensioned; grandson of Aaron and Luvinna (Anthony) Clay; great-grandson of Peter and Nancy (Lambert) Anthony; great-grandson of *George Lambert*, private and Scout, New York Militia and in Commissary Dept. of Col. Willet's Third Regt., N. Y. Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- LESLIE ERWIN COFFIN, Iron Mountain, Mich. (41942). Son of John Meserve and Frances E. (Green) Coffin; grandson of William H. and Harriet F. (Bangs) Green; great-grandson of Samuel and Rebecca (Harmon) Bangs; great-grandson of Willard and Dorcas (Thompson) Bangs; great-grandson of Jonathan and Deborah (Andrews) Bangs; great-grandson of *Barnabas Bangs*, private in Capt. Hart Williams' Co., Col. Phinney's Regt., Mass. Militia; also Matross in Capt. Abner Lowell's Co. of Artillery.
- THOMAS OLIVER COLE, Bethlehem, Pa. (42368). Son of Reuben and Francesca (Leisenring) Cole; grandson of John and Barbara (Houser) Cole; great-grandson of *Henry Cole (Kohl)*, private, Capt. George Edelman's Co., Fourth Battalion, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- JAMES ALFRED COMPTON, Woodbridge, N. J. (42330). Son of James Lewis and Emma (De Bow) Compton; grandson of George Alfred and Emma Eugenia (Disosway) Compton; great-grandson of Lewis and Abigail (Golding) Compton; great-grandson of *James Compton*, private, Monmouth County, First Regt., New Jersey State Troops and Cont'l Line.
- GEORGE FRANCIS CONANT, Houston, Texas (42503). Son of Francis Edward and Emma Jane (Childs) Conant; grandson of Elijah and Charlotte M. (Belden) Conant; great-grandson of *John Conant*, private, Capt. Minot's Co., Col. Baldwin's Regt. and in Capt. Bowker's Co., Col. Webb's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- THOMAS TERRY CONNALLY, Marlin, Texas (42504). Son of Jones and Mary Ellen (Terry) Connally; grandson of Thomas and Mary (Jones) Connally; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Nailer) Connally; great-grandson of *Thomas Connally (Connolly)*, private, Virginia Militia.
- HENRY DYER COOK, Ridgewood, N. J. (42095). Son of Nathan Albert and Esther Catherine (Dyer) Cook; grandson of Henry Elisha and Rachel Ann (Alliger) Dyer; great-grandson of Dennis and Lydia (Smith) Dyer; great-grandson of *Henry Dyer*, private, Capt. Peter Wright's Co., North Kingston, R. I. Militia, pensioned.
- ROBERT GILLESPIE COOK, Rochester, N. Y. (42274). Son of Charles A. and Emma (Smith) Cook; grandson of Robert G. and Sophia (Powis) Smith; great-grandson of George and Phoebe (Bockoven) Powis; great-grandson of Peter and Rachel (Riggs) Bockoven; great-grandson of Abraham and Elizabeth (Thomas) Bockoven; great-grandson of *George Bockoven*, Lieutenant, Eastern Battalion, Morris County, N. J. Militia.
- WALLACE LEWIS COOK, Los Angeles, Calif. (41394). Son of William Wallace and Daisy E. (Lewis) Cook; grandson of Charles Alonzo and Frances I. (Magoon) Cook; great-grandson of John B. and Mary (Robe) Cook; great-grandson of Benjamin and

- Nancy (Nare) Cook; great²-grandson of *Johannes Koch (John Cook)*, Sergeant in Col. John Klock's Regt., Tryon County, N. Y. Militia.
- CHARLES WILKINS COX, Flagstaff, Ariz. (N. J. 42096). Son of John Thomas and Catherine (Rowen) Cox; grandson of Isaac and Lydia (Cosad) Cox; great-grandson of John and Sarah (Clark) Cox; great²-grandson of *Isaac Cox*, Sergeant, Somerset County, N. J., Militia, pensioned.
- THORNTON CRAIG, Berkeley, Calif. (41390). Son of Thornton and Lizzie (Rhodes) Craig; grandson of John Milton and Mary Jane (—) Rhodes; great-grandson of Henry and Esther (Mason) Rhodes, great²-grandson of *James Mason*, private, Capt. Parmelee's Co., Col. Samuel Elmore's Regt., Conn. State Troops.
- JAMES BLISS CRANKSHAW, Fort Wayne, Ind. (39775). Son of Jesse and Mary Jane (Bliss) Crankshaw; grandson of James Newton and Mary Ann (Waters) Bliss; great-grandson of Obadiah and Marrilla (Poole) Bliss, Jr.; great²-grandson of Obadiah and Ruth (Kent) Bliss; great³-grandson of *Ephraim Bliss, Jr.*, private, Capt. Bliss's Co., Col. Col. Timothy Walker's Regt., Mass Militia.
- ROBERT DENTON CRESAP, Chadron, Nebr. (40220). Son of Homer and Sarah Ella (Denton) Cresap; grandson of Joseph and Louisa (Price) Cresap; great-grandson of James Daniel Abigail (Cresap) Cresap; great²-grandson of Daniel and Ruth (Van Swearingen) Cresap; great³-grandson of *Thomas Cresap*, Member of Frederick County, Md. Committee of Observation and Safety and of other War Committees, also Organizer and Captain of the "Sons of Liberty."
- JACOB FORREST CROUCH, Columbia, S. C. (42384). Son of Jacob and Sallie (Schumpert) Crouch; grandson of Jacob and Sallie (Carson) Schumpert; great-grandson of James and Margaret (Bladon) Carson; great²-grandson of James and Sarah (Abney) Carson; great³-grandson of *Nathaniel Abney*, Captain, Third Regt., South Carolina Rangers.
- JOHN CAREY CULBERTSON, Chicago, Ill. (42067). Son of Carey and Katherine (Graham) Culbertson; grandson of Samuel D. and Clara K. (Culver) Culbertson; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Reed) Culbertson; great²-grandson of *William Culbertson*, private, Cumberland County, Pa. Militia.
- CLARENCE E. CURTIS, JR., Washington, D. C. (41336). Son of Clarence E. and Alice L. (Belfield) Curtis; grandson of LeRoy (Daingerfield and Mary E. (Spillman) Belfield; great-grandson of Thomas Meriwether and Frances (Sanforth) Belfield; great²-grandson of Thomas Wright and Anne H. (Beale) Belfield; great³-grandson of *John Belfield (Bedfield)* Captain, First Regt., Va. Con't Dragons and Major of the Third Regt. Va. Dragoons.
- WILLIAM EMBURY DAKE, 2nd., Rochester, N. Y. (42172). Son of William Embury and Mabelle (Doty) Dake; grandson of William D'Orville and Sarah (Haskell) Doty; great-grandson of William and Julia (Newell) Doty; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Doty*, private, Capt. Martin Kirkland's Co., Col. Erastus Wolcott's Nineteenth Regt. Conn. Militia.
- JOHN ALDEN DANIELS, Berkeley, Calif. (41391). Son of John H. and Marianne (Spear) Daniels; grandson of Edward and Maria (Reed) Daniels; great-grandson of Joseph and Lucy (Osgood) Reed; great²-grandson of *James Reed*, Colonel of Third and Second Regts., N. H. Con't Infantry and Brigadier General, Con't Army.
- GEORGE CLEMENT DAVIES, Cleveland, Ohio (42119). Son of Richard R. and Minerva A. (Clement) Davies; grandson of George S. and Mary Christina (Hunt) Clement; great-grandson of Baruch Chase and Sally (Wood) Clement; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Moody Clement*, private, Col. James Stickney's Regt., N. H. Militia.
- SIMON STEVENS DAVIS, Evanston, Ill. (42062). Son of Simon Stevens and Elizabeth (Sayer) Davis; grandson of Daniel and Harriet (Wisner) Sayer; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Bertholf) Wisner; great²-grandson of *Henry Wisner*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, Orange County, N. Y. Militia.
- CHARLES CUTLER DAWES, Winnetka, Ill. (42068). Son of Rufus Cutler and Helen (Palmer) Dawes; grandson of Rufus R. and Mary Beman (Gates) Dawes; great-grandson of Henry and Sarah (Cutler) Dawes; great²-grandson of William Mears and Abigail (Kendall) Dawes; great³-grandson of *William Dawes*, Massachusetts patriot who assisted Paul Revere in warning natives of the approach of the British.

- HENRY TRENDLEY DEAN, Major, U. S. Army, Chelsea, Mass. (42232). Son of William Ware and Rosalie Harriet (Trendley) Dean; grandson of Charles Luther and Georgiana Elizabeth (Jenks) Dean; great-grandson of George Washington and Jane (Dangler) Jenks; great²-grandson of John and Annis (Pulling) Jenks; great³-grandson of *John Pulling, Jr.*, Captain and Commissary in Col. Thomas Craft's Regt., Mass. Con't Artillery.
- JOSEPH CARLOS DENSLOW, Bellevue, Pa. (42369). Son of Joseph Carlos and Caroline Susan (Cooper) Denslow; grandson of Lyman Carlos and Harriet (Friar) Denslow; great-grandson of Lewis and Abigail (Elwell) Denslow; great²-grandson of *Joseph Denslow*, private, Berkshire County, Mass. Militia.
- HARRY ALFRED DEVER, III. (27114). Supplemental. Son of Henry Williams and Laura Catherine (Rohrer) Dever; grandson of Henry and Susan Ames (Copeland) Dever; great-grandson of Alfred and Mary (Williams) Copeland; great²-grandson of Daniel and Susanna D. (Ames) Copeland; great³-grandson of *Joseph Ames*, private from Bridgewater in Capt. Nathan Mitchell's Co., Mass. Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- WILLIAM EDWARD DEWITT, Newburgh, N. Y. (42404). Son of Charles W. and Charlotte Crawford (Wyatt) DeWitt; grandson of Nathan and Electa (Wyatt) DeWitt; great-grandson of *John A. DeWitt*, Ensign, Capt. James McBride's Co., Ulster County, N. Y. Militia.
- TRUMAN MONROE DODSON, Bethlehem, Pa. (42494). Son of Charles M. and Maria R. (Craig) Dodson; grandson of William and Margaret R. (Romig) Craig; great-grandson of *Thomas Craig*, Captain and Colonel, Second and Third Battalions, Penna. Con't Troops.
- JULIAN DELANO DUSENBURY, Greenville, S. C. (42014). Son of Richard Green and Carrie (Mayo) Dusenbury; grandson of James Elkaney and Frances Elizabeth (Sarvis) Dusenbury; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Ellis) Dusenbury; great²-grandson of *Charles Dusenbury*, private in Col. Hopkins' and Col. Luddington's Regts. Dutchess County, N. Y. Militia; great-grandson of Cornelius Benjamin and Hannah Mary (Green) Sarvis; great-grandson of *John Sarvis*, private, South Carolina Militia; great²-grandson of *Richard and Frances (Davis) Green, Jr.*, private, Col. Peter Horry's Regt., South Carolina Militia; great³-grandson of *Richard Green, Sr.*, private, Col. Peter Horry's Regt., Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Militia.
- MONROE S. DUTCHER, Ia. (21631). Supplemental. Son of Charles E. and Carrie (Sterling) Dutcher; grandson of Luzerne and Harriet (Soule) Dutcher; great-grandson of Waldo and Maria (Edmonds) Dutcher; great²-grandson of Lawrence and Mary (Waldo) Dutcher; great³-grandson of *Christopher Dutcher*, private, Berkshire County, Mass. Militia; also in Sixth Regt., Dutchess County, N. Y. Militia.
- CHARLES GARDNER EDMONDS, Westfield, N. J. (42097). Son of Benjamin Gardner and Amanda (Bancroft) Edmonds; grandson of Benjamin G. and Eliza (Russell) Edmonds; great-grandson of Joseph and Nancy Anne (Shepard) Edmonds; great²-grandson of *Joseph Edmund*, private, Capt. David Parker's Co., First Regt., Lynn, Mass. Minute Men.
- STEPHEN ELLIOTT, Columbia, S. C. (42016). Son of William and Sallie (Stuart) Elliott; grandson of Stephen and Ann (Hokershan) Elliott; great-grandson of *William Elliott*, private, Col. Stephen Bull's Regt., South Carolina Militia, wounded and taken prisoner at Stono River and later joined Gen. Sumter, pensioned.
- WILLIAM ELLIOTT, Columbia, S. C. (42017). Same as Stephen Elliott, S. C. (42016).
- JOHN SCHAFFER ENGLISH, Pittsburgh, Pa. (42370). Son of Andrew H. and Emily (Schaffer) English; grandson of John and Emily (Short) Schaffer; great-grandson of *Martin Short*, private, Penna. Con't Troops.
- PALMER LOREN FALES, Portland, Ore. (41228). Son of Elmer E. and Clara (C. —) Fales; grandson of Loren Clark and Eliza (Russell) Fales; great-grandson of Amos Hastings and Esther (Berry) Russell; great²-grandson of Josiah and Betsey (Hastings) Russell; great³-grandson of *Amos Hastings*, private, Capt. Richard Ayer's Co., Col. Johnson's Regt., Haverhill, Mass. Militia, later Captain of Militia.
- DELMAR JAMES FARNSWORTH, Waterville, Ohio (42115). Son of John Pray and Annis (Wales) Farnsworth; grandson of Ralph and Harriett (Pray) Farnsworth; great-grandson of John and Lucy (Dunham) Pray, Jr.; great²-grandson of *John Pray*, Ensign and Lieutenant, Third Co., Gloucester, R. I. Militia.

- DAVID HAMILTON FEE, Canonsburg, Pa. (42218). Son of John and Hannah (Quinn) Fee; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Hamilton) Fee; great-grandson of *David Hamilton*, private, Cumberland County, Penna. Militia.
- HARRY LAURIN FEARING, Welda, Kans. (41013). Son of Paul and Louisa (Bassett) Fearing; grandson of Henry and Eliza (Dana) Fearing; great-grandson of Benjamin and Sarah (Shaw) Dana; great²-grandson of John Winchester and Hannah Pope (Putnam) Dana; great³-grandson of *Israel Putnam*, Major General, Continental Army.
- IGNATIUS G. FENWICK, U. S. Army, Fort McDowell, Calif. (42429). Son of Ignatius John and Julia Margaret (Duncan) Fenwick; grandson of Edward and Mary Caroline (S.) Fenwick; great-grandson of Thomas and Ellenor (Young) Fenwick; great²-grandson of *Ignatius Fenwick, Jr.*, Major and Colonel, Lower Battalion, St. Mary's County, Md. Militia.
- JOHN PERRY FIELDER, Spartanburg, S. C. (42018). Son of Thomas and Mary Elizabeth (Craig) Fielder; grandson of William Perry and Adelia (Clark) Craig; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Craig) Craig; great²-grandson of William and Jane (Logan) Craig; great³-grandson of *John Craig*, private, Col. William Bratton's Regt., South Carolina Militia.
- FRED WILLIAMS FILOON, Brockton, Mass. (42233). Son of Veranus and Sarah Addie (Brett) Filoon; grandson of David and Caroline (Freeman) Brett; great-grandson of Joseph and Olive (Beals) Brett; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Beals*, Corporal and Sergeant, Bridgewater, Mass. Militia.
- ELMER RUSSELL FINK, Peekskill, N. Y. (42261). Son of Robert D. and Elizabeth (Slitwell) Fink; grandson of George D. and Margaritha (Kuhn) Fink; great-grandson of Jacob H. and Elizabeth (Rockefeller) Kuhn; great²-grandson of Philip D. and Anna (Best) Rockefeller; great³-grandson of *Diel Rockefeller*, Captain, in Eighth and Tenth Regts., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- ELBERT CLEMENT FISHER, Ia. (29193). Supplemental. Son of Joseph Westbrook and Lany C. (Clark) Fisher; grandson of John Westbrook and Hester (Westbrook) Fisher; great-grandson of John and Maria (DeWitt) Fisher; great²-grandson of Rynier and Sarah (Quick) DeWitt; great³-grandson of *Jacob DeWitt*, private, Capt. Abraham Van Kueren's Co., First Regt., Ulster County, N. Y. Militia.
- NEVILLE ADRIAN FLEESON, New York City, N. Y. (Pa. 42371). Son of Thomas Plunkett and Elizabeth (McKelvey) Fleeson; grandson of Thomas Plunkett and Eliza (McClure) Fleeson; great-grandson of Reese E. and Matilda (Craig) Fleeson; great²-grandson of Isaac and Amelia (Neville) Craig; great³-grandson of *John Neville*, Colonel, Eighth and Fourth Regts., Va. Cont'l Line and Brevet Brigadier General, 1783.
- HENRY PRATHER FLETCHER, Greencastle, Pa. (42495). Son of Louis Henry and Martha Ellen (Rowe) Fletcher; grandson of John and Elizabeth Watson (Prather) Rowe; great-grandson of Abram and Martha (Watson) Prather; great²-grandson of *James Watson*, Captain and Colonel, Second Battalion, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- HAROLD WARNER FLINT, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (38869). Son of William J. and Mary Josephine (Hiatt) Flint; grandson of Jeduthan C. and Abigail E. (Rector) Flint; great-grandson of Alva and Elizabeth (Cross) Flint; great²-grandson of Adam and Mary (Potter) Flint, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Adam Flint (Flind)*, private in Col. Samuel Campbell's Regt., Tryon County, N. Y. Militia.
- CHARLES PATTERSON FONDA, San Francisco, Calif. (42430). Son of William Thomas and Eleanor Margaret (Middleton) Fonda; grandson of John Lawrence and Helen (Kelsey) Fonda; great-grandson of *Jonas Kelsey*, Captain in Third Regt., Ulster County, N. Y. Militia.
- DWIGHT BLACK FOSTER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (42496). Son of Charles E. and Hannah (Black) Foster; grandson of John Ross and Rachel (Patterson) Black; great-grandson of *James Patterson*, private, Capt. Whiteside's Co., Col. Thomas Porter's Battalion, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- MORRIS WAYNE FOX, Bethlehem, Pa. (42372). Son of John Quincy Adams and Julia A. (Feler) Fox; grandson of Peter and Sarah Ann (Engler) Fox; great-grandson of John George and Anna Maria (Reiswig) Engler; great²-grandson of *John Reiswig*, private, in the Fourth and Third Battalions, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- THOMAS JOSEPH FRILEY, Washington, D. C. (41343). Son of Oscar D. and Clara May (Hoke) Fraily; grandson of Peter and Frances Anna (Rowe) Hoke; great-grandson

- of Joseph and Susanna (Baker) Rowe; great²-grandson of *Arthur Rowe*, Corporal in Capt. William Blair's Co., First Battalion, Frederick County, Md. Militia.
- IRA MEYERS FRANKENFIELD, Bethlehem, Pa. (42373). Son of Henry B. and Emma (Meyers) Frankenfield; grandson of Simon and Eliza (Brinker) Frankenfield; great-grandson of Philip and Elizabeth (Rinker) Frankenfield; great²-grandson of *Adam Frankenfield*, private in the Associated Co., Bucks County, Pa. Militia.
- SAMUEL DAVID FRIDAY, Jr., New York City, N. Y. (Ohio 42019). Son of Samuel David and Mary Elizabeth (Mahoney) Friday; grandson of Samuel D. and Anna (Glad-den) Friday; great-grandson of Samuel and Margaret S. (Beatty) Friday (Fridig); great²-grandson of *Gabriel Fridig (Friday)*, private and Captain under Gen. Thomas Sumter, South Carolina Militia.
- HENRY L. PELOUZE FULLER, Richmond, Va. (42133). Son of Edward R. and Isabel (Pelouze) Fuller; grandson of Henry LaFayette and Eliza Jane (Tuthill) Pelouze; great-grandson of Phineas and Deborah (Nostrand) Tuthill; great²-grandson of *Daniel Tuthill*, private, Long Island, N. Y. Militia and Signer of the Association Act.
- HENRY DAVID FUNK, Bethlehem, Pa. (42374). Son of Henry Horlacher and Minnie E. (Hess) Funk; grandson of Henry S. and Ellen M. (Horlacher) Funk; great-grandson of David and Eliza (Ott) Horlacher; great²-grandson of Jacob and Mary M. (Eckel) Ott; great³-grandson of *Henry Eckel*, Lieutenant in Capt. John Nelson's Co., Col. Philip De Hass' Regt., Penna. Riflemen.
- WILLIAM AYRES GALBRAITH, Sewickley, Pa. (42375). Son of John William and Mary Shaw (Henning) Galbraith; grandson of William Ayres and Fannay (Davenport) Galbraith; great-grandson of John and Amy (Ayres) Galbraith; great²-grandson of *John Galbraith*, private, Capt. William Huston's Co., Col. Frederick Watt's Regt., Pa. Flying Camp, prisoner, widow pensioned.
- JOHN CRANE GARDINER, Springfield, Mass. (42250). Son of John Scoon and Elizabeth M. (Crane) Gardiner; grandson of John and Margaret (Scoon) Gardiner; great-grandson of Henry and Katy (Chamberlain) Gardiner; great²-grandson of *John Gardiner*, private Capt. Joseph Browning's Co., Col. Seth Murray's Regt. Hampshire County, Mass. Militia.
- RAYMOND GARDNER, Detroit, Mich. (41943). Son of G. M. and Susannah Angelina (Poorbaugh) Winegardner; grandson of Philip and Sarah (Shuey) Poorbaugh; great-grandson of John and Catharine (Fisher) Shuey; great²-grandson of *Christian Shuey*, private, Capt. Stoerer's Co., Second Battalion, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- ALDEN WARREN GARLAND, Lynn, Mass. (42234). Son of Amasa Stetson and Roxanna (Sargent) Garland; grandson of Nathaniel and Lavinia (Drew) Garland; great-grandson of James and Susanna (Wheelwright) Garland; great²-grandson of *Daniel Garland*, Signer of New Hampshire Association Test.
- JAMES MCKEE GARROWAY, Butler, Pa. (42497). Son of James Lockhart and Ella (McKee) Garroway; grandson of Thomas Vincent and Mary (Craig) McKee; great-grandson of Thomas and Margaret (Blaine) McKee; great²-grandson of *Andrew McKee*, private in Col. Irwin's and Col. Stewart's Regts., Pa. Troops.
- WILLIAM GATEWOOD, Newport News, Va. (42134). Son of Robert and Harriet Elizabeth L. (Duncan) Gatewood; grandson of Richard and Eliza Tucker Barron (Cunningham) Gatewood; great-grandson of *William Cunningham*, Lieutenant in Va. Navy and Master of Va. Brigantine "Wilkes."
- WILLIAM WATERS GIBSON, Chula Vista, Calif. (41395). Son of Joshua Gregg and Susan (Waters) Gibson; grandson of William and Frances Conway (Hite) Waters; great-grandson of James and Juliet Wood (Baker) Hite; great²-grandson of *Thomas Hite*, Lieutenant in Capt. Hughson's Co., Berkeley, Va. Volunteers for Cont'l Service.
- EDWIN S. GLENN, Philadelphia, Pa. (42331). Son of Milton A. and Emma B. (Faunce) Glenn; grandson of James D. and Hannah R. (Thorn) Glenn; great-grandson of John and Mary (Thomas) Thorn; great²-grandson of James and Ruth (Harrison) Thorn; great³-grandson of *Richard Harrison*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., Va. State Troops and Militia, pensioned.
- MORRIS MONTGOMERY GOODENOUGH, JR., Seattle, Wash. (41141). Son of Morris Montgomery and Caroline (Griswold) Goodenough; grandson of John B. and Rebekah (Clark) Goodenough; great-grandson of *Adino Goodenough (Goodenow)*, private, Sergeant

- and Sergeant Major in Mass. and New Hampshire Militia in Colonels Read, Nixon and Scammel's Regts., pensioned.
- ALFRED RAOUL GOODWYN, Columbia, S. C. (42025). Son of Charles T. and Ellen (A. —) Goodwyn; grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Eliza Elliott (Darby) Goodwyn; great-grandson of Artemus Elliott and Mary Eugenia (Thomson, or Thompson) Darby; great²-grandson of William Russell and Elizabeth (Sabb) Thompson; great³-grandson of *William Thomson (Thompson)*, Colonel, Third Regt., South Carolina Rangers.
- IRA BOYDEN GORHAM, Grand Rapids, Mich. (41930). Son of George Ives and Clara Augusta (Boyden) Gorham; grandson of James Tottingham and Adelaide N. (Ives) Gorham; great-grandson of James and Angelina Woods (Tottingham) Gorham; great²-grandson of Joseph and Nancy (Wood) Tottingham; great³-grandson of Nathaniel and Esther (Brown) Tottingham; great⁴-grandson of *Elisha Tottingham*, private from Woburn in Capt. Belknap's Co. Mass. Militia.
- BENJAMIN BROWN GOSSETT, Charlotte, N. C. (S. C. 42378). Son of James Pleasant and Sallie (Brown) Gossett; grandson of Pleasant Tollison and Elizabeth (Steen) Gossett; great-grandson of John and Katherine (Kirby) Gossett; great²-grandson of John and Anna (Lemaster) Gossett; great³-grandson of *John Gossett (Gosset)*, private in the Thirteenth and Seventh Regts., Va. Cont'l Line; great-grandson of Gideon and Naomi (Townsend) Steen; great²-grandson of William and Sarah (Vance) Steen; great³-grandson of *James Steen (Stein)*, Lieutenant-Colonel, South Carolina Militia at King's Mountain.
- JOHN PACKARD GRAFF, U. S. N., Retired, Greenville, Pa. (42219). Son of Paul Hugus and Sylvia (Packard) Graff; grandson of Thomas J. and Agnes (Dickson) Graff; great-grandson of John and Mary (Way) Dickson; great²-grandson of Nicholas and Nancy (Lindsey) Way; great³-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Roberts) Lindsey; great⁴-grandson of *Robert Morgan Roberts*, private, Cecil County, Md. Militia.
- ARTHUR PHILIP GREELEY, Washington, D. C. (41347). Son of Edward Hanford and Louisa Maria (Ware) Greeley; grandson of Edward and Hannah (Eaton) Greeley; great-grandson of *Philip Greeley*, private, Capt. John Hale's Co., Col. Henry Gerrish's Regt., New Hampshire Volunteers.
- CHARLES HEYWOOD GREEN, Swampscott, Mass. (42237). Son of Charles Learned and Susie Frances (Hill) Green; grandson of William F. and Susan (Thayer) Hill; great-grandson of Philip E. and Louise P. (Leach) Hill; great²-grandson of Barnum and Mary (Ellis) Hill; great³-grandson of *Josiah Hill*, private, Col. Mitchell's and Major Eliphalet Cary's Regts., Mass. Militia.
- HERBERT MILLER GREENE, Dallas, Texas (41725). Son of Emory James and Nancy Louise (Miller) Greene; grandson of Henry William and Mary (Hoffman) Miller; great-grandson of Jacob and Harriett (Elliott) Miller; great²-grandson of Jacob and Harriett (Elliott) Miller; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Elliott*, Delegate from Bedford County, Pa., to First Constitutional Convention at Phila., July 15, 1776.
- CHARLES EDWARD GREENOUGH, New York City, N. Y. (42416). Son of Charles Edward and Frances Gray (Dawson) Greenough; grandson of Charles B. and Martha Ann (Spalding) Greenough; great-grandson of Silas and Rhoda (Scoville) Spalding; great²-grandson of *Silas Spalding*, private in Col. William Prescott's, Col. John Prescott's and Col. Job Cushing's Regts., Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES HERBERT GUMAER, San Diego, Calif. (42449). Son of James C. and Elvira (Whipple) Gumaer; grandson of Benjamin and Patience (Thomas) Gumaer; great-grandson of Elias and Margaret (De Puy) Gumaer; great²-grandson of *Peter Gumaer*, private, Capt. Abraham Cuddeback's Co., Ulster County, N. Y. Militia.
- JAMES WILSON GWINN, Idaho (40610). Supplemental. Son of David Howard and Susan Amanda (Bates) Gwinn, grandson of John Bovard and Elizabeth Jane (Rankin) Gwinn; great-grandson of John and Mary (McLeod) Gwinn, Jr.; great²-grandson of *John Gwinn (Gunn)* private, and sometimes drummer in Eighth, Tenth, Eleventh and Thirteenth Regts., Va. Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- SAMUEL HAAS, Alexandria, La. (41793). Son of William David and Hattie (Haas) Haas; grandson of Alexander M. and Mary Macarinah (Marshall) Haas; great-grandson of Thomas Douglas and Joycie (Hoggatt) Marshall; great²-grandson of Roger Banks and Mary Barksdale (Thomas) Marshall; great³-grandson of William and Alice (Adams)

- Marshall; great⁴-grandson of *Thomas Marshall*, Captain, Culpepper County, Va. Militia, Col. Woodford's Regt.
- WILLIAM DAVID HAAS, Jr., Bunkie, La. (41794.) Same as Samuel Haas, La. (41793).
- WILLIAM DAVID HAAS, Alexandria, La. (41787). Son of Alexander M. and Mary Macarinah (Marshall) Haas; grandson of Thomas Douglas and Joycie (Hoggatt) Marshall; great-grandson of Roger Banks and Mary Barksdale (Thomas) Marshall; great²-grandson of William and Alice (Adams) Marshall; great³-grandson of *Thomas Marshall*, Captain, Va. Militia, Major and Colonel of Third Regt., Va. Cont'l Line, taken prisoner at Charleston.
- CHARLES ELLSWORTH HALL, Omaha, Nebr. (40218). Son of Matthew Grier and Mary Cordelia (Ingerson) Hall; grandson of Cyrus and Margaret (Logan) Ingerson; great-grandson of Isaac and Hulda (Weed) Ingerson; great²-grandson of *Johnathan Ingerson*, private, Capt. Samuel Lewis' Co., Col. Thaddeus Crane's Regt., Westchester County, N. Y. Militia; great³-grandson of *Noah Weed*, private in Capt. David Hoyt's Co., Lieut.-Colonel Mead's Regt., Conn. Militia.
- DE WITT CLINTON ELLIS HAMBERGER, Annapolis, Md. (D. C. 41337). Son of William Francis and Elizabeth M. (Ellis) Hamberger; grandson of De Witt Clinton and Mary Jeannette (Hays) Ellis; great-grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth (Weeks) Ellis, Jr.; great²-grandson of David and Cornelia (Conklin) Weeks; great³-grandson of *Andrew Weeks*, private, Tenth Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia and in Third Regt., N. Y. Line.
- ARTHUR WILLIAMS HAMBY, Columbia, S. C. (42022). Son of Allen McPherson and Hess (Belin) Williams; grandson of Charles and Mary Elizabeth (Laval) Williams; great-grandson of *Charles* and Elizabeth (McCottry) *Williams*, Captain Mecklenberg County, Va. Militia; great²-grandson of *William McCottry*, Captain, South Carolina Militia, Marion's Brigade; great-grandson of Louis and Maria (Belin) Laval; great²-grandson of *Jacint Laval*, Member of Staff of Duke de Louzen and Cornet of Dragoons, Rochambeau's Army; grandson of Allen A. and Barbara (Schenck) Hamby; great-grandson of Michael (Warlick) Schenck; great²-grandson of *Michael Schenck*, Member of Lancaster County, Pa. Committee of Safety.
- REUBEN G. HAMILTON, Columbia, S. C. (42380). Son of P. P. and Angie (Jeter) Hamilton; grandson of Thomas Crosby and Mary (Tucker) Jeter; great-grandson of *James Jeter*, private from Chester in Col. William Thompson's and other Regts., South Carolina Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- WILLIAM HANKINSON, Franklin, Ohio (42120). Son of William C. and Hannah Jane (Craig) Hankinson; grandson of James and Sarah (Cheesman) Hankinson; great-grandson of Thomas K. and Deborah (Baird) Hankinson; great²-grandson of *Kenneth Hankinson*, Captain, First Regt., Monmouth County, N. J. Militia.
- WILLIAM BURTON HARRISON, Des Moines, Ia. (41829). Son of Jenas and Catherine Sophia (Hunt) Harrison; grandson of John and Sophia (Bingham) Hunt; great-grandson of *Alvan Bingham*, Corporal in Capt. Parmalee's Co., Litchfield, Conn. Militia.
- ALBERT BUSHNELL HART, Cambridge, Mass. (42247). Son of Albert Gaylord and Mary (Hornell) Hart; grandson of Ambrose and Lovisa (Bushnell) Hart; great-grandson of William and Chloe (Waite) Bushnell; great²-grandson of *Alexander Bushnell*, Sergeant, Capt. Hutchin's Co., Eighteenth Regt., Conn. State Troops and Ensign in Capt. Benjamin Mills' Co., Col. Beebe's Regt., Conn. Volunteers.
- HENRY WESTFALL HART, Berkeley, Calif. (42463). Son of Creed William and Victoria Virginia (Mooney) Hart; grandson of Elijah Montgomery and Sarah Catherine (Lytle) Hart; great-grandson of Elijah and Margaret (Hart) Hart; great²-grandson of Edward and Nancy (Stout) Hart; great³-grandson of *John Hart*, Member from New Jersey of Cont'l Congress and Signer of the Declaration of Independence.
- HENRY SIMMS HARTZOG, St. Louis, Mo. (S. C. 42021). Son of Samuel J. and Mary (Owens) Hartzog; grandson of James and Eliza (Overstreet) Owen; great-grandson of James and Eliza Holcomb (Bowen) Overstreet; great²-grandson of James and Sarah (Booth) Overstreet; great³-grandson of *John Booth*, private, South Carolina Militia, killed at Hutson Ferry, Savannah River.
- WILLIAM HOSMER SHAILER HASCALL, Baldwin, N. Y. (42262). Son of William Carey and Finette (Storm) Hascall; grandson of Daniel and Sophia (Strong) Hascall; great-grandson of *Asahel Strong*, Major Sheldon's Regt., Conn. Light Horse, also

- in Col. Latimer's Regt. of Militia; great-grandson of *Joseph Hascoll*, Lieutenant in Capt. William Clark's Co., Col. Benjamin Simonds' Berkshire County Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM MOORE HATCH, Arlington, Mass. (42526). Son of Henry Chandler and Mary Anna (Moore) Hatch; grandson of Royal and Marion (Chandler) Hatch; great-grandson of Joel and Sarah (Grow) Hatch; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Hatch*, private, Capt. Abel Wilder's Co., Col. Ephraim Doolittle's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- REGINALD WEATHERSBY HATCHER, Milledgeville, Ga. (36849). Son of Sidney William and Mary Lorena (Weathersby) Hatcher; grandson of William Green and Elizabeth (Webb) Hatcher; great-grandson of *John Hatcher*, private, Georgia Militia.
- DAVID SMITH HAWKINS, Springfield, Mass. (42238). Son of Richard Francis and Cornelia Morgan (Howe) Hawkins; grandson of Alpheus and Celia A. (Rhodes) Hawkins; great-grandson of Nehemiah and Hannah (Winsor) Hawkins; great-grandson of *Rufus Hawkins, Jr.*, Lieutenant and private from Providence, in Second Co., R. I. Militia.
- CECIL WELLINGTON HAYES, Springfield, Mass. (42239). Son of J. Cecil and Inez Izella (Smith) Hayes; grandson of Thomas J. and Lilly May (Wetherell) Smith; great-grandson of William and Frances F. (Metcalf) Wetherell; great-grandson of Benjamin D. and Frances F. (Carpenter) Metcalf; great-grandson of Frederick and Esther (Dwinnell) Metcalf; great-grandson of *Benjamin Dwinnell*, private, Capt. Jacob Gould's Co., Col. Samuel Johnson's Regt., Mass. Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- CARROLL LESLIE HAYFORD, Auburn, Calif. (42431). Son of George Osgood and Eunice G. (Delano) Hayford; grandson of Ira Lemuel and Gabella (Coolidge) Delano; great-grandson of Caleb and Mary (Morrill) Delano; great-grandson of *Barzilla Delano*, private, Capt. Calvin Partridge's Co., Col. John Cushing's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- THOMAS ALGER HAYWARD, Washington, D. C. (41338). Son of Augustine O'Donnell and Louise (Alger) Hayward; grandson of Thomas Baxter and Helen Marie (Bussey) Hayward; great-grandson of Bennett Francis and Ann Marie (Black) Bussey; great-grandson of Henry Green and Elizabeth Susanna (Harris) Bussey; great-grandson of *Bennett Bussey*, Captain, Second Batt'n, Maryland Flying Camp.
- CHARLES ALLEN HECKMAN, Allentown, Pa. (42498). Son of Allen S. and Levina (Storm) Heckman; grandson of John Adam and Eliza Ann Rebecca (Biery) Heckman; great-grandson of Daniel and Salome (Koehler) Biery; great-grandson of Frederick and Salome (Knauss) Biery; great-grandson of *Godfrey Knauss*, private in the Second Batt'n and Captain, Fourth Co., Third Batt'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- THADDEUS STEVENS HELMS, Philadelphia, Pa. (42499). Son of James Kellerson and Amanda (Kantner) Helms; grandson of Peter and Lucy (Heichold) Helms; great-grandson of Peter and Maria (Phillips) Helm; great-grandson of *Samuel Helm*, private, Col. Paulding's and Col. Rosecran's Regts., N. J. Militia, pensioned.
- ALBERT GUSTAVUS HEUNISCH, San Francisco, Calif. (41396). Son of Adam and Mary Wilhelmina (Schiffer) Heunisch; grandson of Gustavus and Rebecca (Wilson) Schiffer; great-grandson of Nicholas and Mary (Bradshaw) Wilson, Jr.; great-grandson of *Nicholas Wilson*, Sergeant, Capt. Hewlett's Co., Queen's County, N. Y. State Troops.
- ROBERT SEYMOUR HERRICK, Des Moines, Ia. (41830). Son of Robert David and Nancy (Hart) Herrick; grandson of William Avery and Jettette (Nichols) Herrick; great-grandson of David and Zipporah (Avery) Herrick; great-grandson of William and Margaret (Avery) Avery; great-grandson of *Jonas Avery* (father of Margaret Avery), private, Preston, Mass. Militia, died as result of service.
- MALCOLM BAISLER HICKS, New Brunswick, N. J. (42098). Son of Edward W. and Helen (Mallory) Hicks; grandson of Joseph D. and Christiana J. (Baisler) Hicks; great-grandson of John and Mary (Dunn) Hicks; great-grandson of *Nahum Dunn*, Sergeant, Middlesex County, N. J. Militia.
- CURT M. HIGLEY, Cawker City, Kans. (41012). Son of Hector A. and Betsy O. (Walton) Higley; grandson of Josiah and Deliverance (Carpenter) Higley, Jr.; great-grandson of *Josiah Higley*, private, Capt. William Judd's Co., Third Regt., Conn. Cont'l Line; grandson of Andrew and Sarah (Jacobs) Walton; great-grandson of Andrew and Olive (Warfield) Walton; great-grandson of *Andrew Walton*, private, Capt. Stowe's Co., Col. Samuel Brewer's Twelfth Regt., Mass. Troops.
- JOSEPH KENNETH HILL, Charleroi, Pa. (42220). Son of John Mansell and Grace (Jenkins) Hill; grandson of Joseph Welsh and Patience (Jewell) Hill; great-grandson

- of John Welsh and Susanah (Hawkins) Hill; great-grandson of Stephen and Mary (Welsh) Hill; great-grandson of *George Hill*, private, Capt. Andrew Swearingen's Co., Col. David Williamson's Batt'n, Washington County, Penna. Militia.
- DAVID CLARK HILTON, Nebr. (33894). Supplemental. Son of John B. W. and Mary Elizabeth (Redgate) Hilton; grandson of Edmund and Lydia Ann (Miller) Redgate; great-grandson of Stephen and Elizabeth (Weeks) Miller; great-grandson of Increase and Hannah (Woolset) Miller; great-grandson of *Stephen Miller*, private, Col. Robert Van Rensselaer's Eighth Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- EDWARD BRITAIN HOLMES, Buffalo, N. Y. (42173). Son of Edward and Clara (Keeney) Holmes; grandson of Allen and Julia Grannis (Clark) Keeney; great-grandson of Joseph and Mary (Bishop) Keeney; great-grandson of Jonathan and Anna (Allen) Bishop; great-grandson of *Nicholas Bishop*, Captain, New London, Conn. Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- HOWARD LYNN HOOVER, San Mateo, Calif. (42454). Son of John S. and Louise F. (Lynn) Hoover; grandson of Samuel and Leann (Stevenson) Hoover; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Sims) Stevenson; great-grandson of *James Stevenson (Stephenson)*, Sergeant and Lieutenant in Col. Carter's Regt. and Captain in Col. John Sevier's Regt., North Carolina Rangers, pensioned.
- GARRY DE NEUVILLE HOUGH, JR., Springfield, Mass. (42235). Son of Garry de Neuville and Margaret Howard (Soule) Hough; grandson of George Thomas and Marie Presbury (Smith) Hough; great-grandson of Garry Andrew and Julia A. (Wright) Hough; great-grandson of Caleb and Philena (Gary) Hough, Jr.; great-grandson of *Caleb Hough*, private, Seventh Co., First Regt., New Haven County, Conn. Militia.
- DONALD GRIDLEY HOWARTH, Birmingham, Mich. (41931). Son of John Bradshaw and Fanny Child (Perkins) Howarth; grandson of Norman Carolan and Harriet Child (Winslow) Perkins; great-grandson of John Mills and Harriet Maria (Child) Winslow; great-grandson of John Hathaway and Elizabeth (Mills) Winslow; great-grandson of John and Rebecca (Hathaway) Winslow; great-grandson of *John Hathaway*, Colonel from Bristol County, of Mass. Militia.
- ALVA T. HOWE, Cleveland, Ohio (42121). Son of Elwin A. and Lydia Jane (Walker) Howe; grandson of Ephraim and Lydia (Harris) Walker; great-grandson of Abial and Betsey (Vessey) Walker; great-grandson of *Benjamin Walker*, Captain in Col. Ebenezer Bridge's Regt., Chelmsford, Mass. Militia.
- ELMER BROWN HOWELL, Babylon, N. Y. (42263). Son of Elmer Winfield and Lizzie (Brown) Howell; grandson of Edmund and Charlotte Ann (Petty) Howell; great-grandson of Charles and Deborah (Reeves) Howell; great-grandson of John and — (—) Howell; great-grandson of *John Howell*, private, Col. Josiah Smith's Regt., Suffolk County, N. Y. Militia also Associator.
- RALPH DEWITT HOWELL, Babylon, N. Y. (42174). Son of Elmer Winfield and Kizzie (Brown) Howell; grandson of Edmund and Charlotte Ann (Patty) Howell; great-grandson of Charles and Deborah (Reeves) Howell; great-grandson of John and — (—) Howell, Jr.; great-grandson of *John Howell*, private, Col. Josiah Smith's First Regt., Suffolk County, N. Y. Militia and Signer of Association Test.
- HENRY HOWERTER, SR., Jersey City, N. J. (42332). Son of Henry and Lydia A. (Bouder) Howarter; grandson of Henry and Martha (Kilian) Howarter; great-grandson of George and Catherine (Freymeyer) Howeter, Jr., great-grandson of *George Howeter*, private and Ensign, Ninth and Third Battalions, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- WILLIAM L. HOWES, Walton, Fla. (39037). Son of William C. and Joan Hall (Crooker) Howes; grandson of Thomas Prince and Deborah (Bassett) Howes; great-grandson of Prince and Temperance (Crowell) Howes; great-grandson of *Jeremiah Howes*, Lieutenant in Col. Freeman's Regt. Yarmouth, Mass. Militia.
- EDWARD MERCER HUIE, Oakland, Calif. (41392). Son of George William and Sarah Elizabeth (Thompson) Huie; grandson of Robert Augustine and Mary Ann Smith (Slaughter) Thompson; great-grandson of *Philip Slaughter*, Lieutenant and Captain, Eleventh and Fifteenth Regts., Va. Cont'l Line.
- HAROLD SIMMONS HULL, N. Y. (25048). Supplemental. Son of Lorenzo Dow and Edith (Simmons) Hull; grandson of Joel A. and Mary Ann (Randall) Hull; great-grandson of Roswell P. and Amanda (Searles) Hull; great-grandson of Joel and Sally (Potter) Hull; great-grandson of *Josiah Hull*, private, Capt. Scott's Co., Col. Paul Dudley Sergeant's Sixteenth Regt., Mass. Cont'l Infantry, pensioned.

- FRANCIS AUGUSTUS HUNT, Melrose Highlands, Mass. (42527). Son of Francis Wesley and Abby Maria (Smith) Hunt; grandson of William M. and Sarah (Green) Smith; great-grandson of *John Kilby Smith*, Lieutenant and Adjutant in Sixth and Thirteenth Regts. and Captain in the Thirteenth, Second and Sixth Regts., Mass. Cont'l Infantry, pensioned.
- HENRY HUGH HUNT, Glassport, Pa. (42476). Son of Henry Hugh and Jennie E. (Rogers) Hunt; grandson of William Walter and Thankful G. (King) Hunt; great-grandson of Walter and Susanna (Deming) Hunt; great²-grandson of *Ziba Hunt*, private, Seventeenth Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- WILSON GRESSETT HUNTER, Columbia, S. C. (42381). Son of George Martin and Florence C. (Reeves) Hunter; grandson of Vincent and Susan L. E. (Grassett) Reeves; great-grandson of William and Rachel L. (Radcliffe) Gressett; great²-grandson of *William Gressett*, Colonel, Orangeburg District, South Carolina Militia.
- OLIVER PERRY HUSSEY, Boston, Mass. (42528). Son of Webster P. and Ellen M. (Avery) Hussey; grandson of Asa and Martha (Stearns) Avery; great-grandson of William and Betsy (White) Stearns; great²-grandson of *William White*, private, New Hampshire Militia; also Muster Master in Col. David Gilman's and Col. Joseph Cilley's N. H. Regts.
- JOHN LA FAYETTE HUTCHESON, Chattanooga, Tenn. (42187). Son of William Caswell and Dorcas (Hunter) Hutcheson; grandson of William and Margaret (Sigler) Hutcheson; great-grandson of Charles and Rebecca (—) Hutcheson; great²-grandson of *William Hutcheson*, private, Va. Militia.
- PAUL KIEFFER IMMEL, Akron, Ohio (Pa. 42500). Son of John Stauffer and Ida Ellen (Kieffer) Immel; grandson of Cyrus Thompson and Lydia Ann (Britton) Kieffer; great-grandson of Dewalt and Rebecca (Baird) Kieffer; great²-grandson of *William Baird (Bard)*, private in Capt. James McConnell's and Capt. McCoy's Cos., Fifth Batt'l'n, Cumberland County, Pa. Militia.
- RALPH P. JACKSON, Brockton, Mass. (42529). Son of Prescott Harding and Lizzie H. (Nash) Jackson; grandson of Abner C. and Lydia S. (Wade) Jackson; great-grandson of George W. and Molly (Briggs) Jackson; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Jackson*, private, Capt. Daniel Lathrop's Co., Col. Bailey's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- ROBERT ADDISON JACKSON, Oakland, Calif. (42450). Son of Peter Hugh and Mary (Cooke) Jackson; grandson of James and Caroline (Coulter) Cooke; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Bremner) Coulter; great²-grandson of *John Bremner*, private in Capt. Samuel Shaw's Co., Col. Henry K. Van Rensselaer's Regt., N. Y. Militia.
- ROBERT ENOCH LEE JEWETT, San Francisco, Calif. (41399). Son of George Enoch and Mary (Dahlmann) Jewett; grandson of David L. and Marie (Bostedo) Jewett; great-grandson of Joseph and Huldah (Fenton) Jewett; great²-grandson of *John Jewett*, private and Scout, N. H. Militia.
- ALFRED JOHNSON, Brookline, Mass. (42240). Son of Edward and Georgian Parker (Miller) Johnson; grandson of Alfred and Nancy (Atkinson) Johnson; great-grandson of Alfred and Sarah (Cross) Johnson; great²-grandson of *Ralph Cross*, Colonel, Second Regt., Essex County, Mass. Militia.
- GEORGE RUFUS JOHNSON, Pittsburgh, Pa. (42551). Son of George Washington and Catherine (Corcoran) Johnson; grandson of David Tryon and Eliza (Willson) Johnson; great-grandson of Elijah and Prudence (Tryon) Johnson; great²-grandson of *Joseph Johnson*, private, Middlesex County, Conn. Militia, also member of a committee to furnish soldiers and on a committee to inspect provisions and other commodities.
- JAMES ADDISON JOHNSON, Buffalo, N. Y. (42405). Son of Garrison Barrett and Katherine E. (Beckwith) Johnson; grandson of Lovell and Sarah Almeda (Sedgwick) Johnson, Jr.; great-grandson of Lovell and Rebecca (Stebbins) Johnson; great²-grandson of *Isaac and Dinah (Walker) Johnson*, private, Worcester County, Mass. Militia, pensioned; great³-grandson of *Thomas Walker*, private from Sudbury in Capt. Stone's Co., Col. Howe's Regt., Mass. Militia at Lexington Alarm; also member of War Committees; great-grandson of Seth Sackett and Charlotte (Adams) Sedgwick; great²-grandson of *Gideon Adams*, private, Capt. Griswold's Co., Col. Thomas Beldin's Regt., Mass. Militia, pensioned; grandson of Addison Kennedy and Amelia Kipp (Winans) Beckwith; great-grandson of Barak and Mary (Kennedy) Beckwith; great²-grandson of *Rossell Beckwith*, private, Col. Samuel Holden Parson's Regt., Conn. Cont'l Infantry, prisoner on British prison ship "Dalton"; great³-grandson of *Elisha*

- Beckwith*, private, Capt. Eliphalet Holmes' Co., Conn. State Regt. in 1776, killed at battle of White Plains.
- ADAM LEROY JONES, Montclair, N. J. (42099). Son of Josiah and Sarah J. (Yates) Jones; grandson of Adam and Sarah Wallace (Miller) Yates; great-grandson of Thomas and Mary (Faris) Yates; great²-grandson of *William Faris (Farris)*, private, Virginia Cont'l Line.
- HARRY OBERLY JONES, Bethlehem, Pa. (42221). Son of Oliver Keck and Clara (Oberly) Jones; grandson of Joseph Beil and Eliza (Keck) Jones; great-grandson of John and Sybilla (Beil) Jones; great²-grandson of *Joseph Jones*, private, Capt. Jacob Balliet's Co., Second Battalion, Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- LEWIS HOWE KALLOCH, JR., Providence, R. I. (41493). Son of Lewis Howe and Bertha (Angell) Kalloch; grandson of Spencer Munroe and Abbie Prudence (Sinclair) Kalloch; great-grandson of Mero and Ruth (Mathews) Kalloch; great²-grandson of Alexander and Elizabeth (Mero) Kelloch, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Alexander Kelloch*, Ensign and Lieutenant, Fourth Co., Lincoln County, Mass. Militia.
- FLOYD YATES KEELER, New York City, N. Y. (42417). Son of Henry Hobart and Mary M. (Ferguson) Keeler; grandson of Floyd and Jane Grant (Purdy) Keeler; great-grandson of Nathan and Nancy (Benedict) Keeler; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Keeler*, private, in Col. Thaddeus Crane's Fourth Regt., Westchester County, Va. Militia.
- ALBERT EDWIN KEIGWIN, New York City, N. Y. (42414). Son of Albert Newton and Amanda Louisa (Bullock) Keigwin; grandson of Jesse and Cynthia (Farwell) Bullock; great-grandson of William and — (—) Bullock; great²-grandson of *William Bullock*, private, Hadley, Mass. Militia.
- SPENCER KELLOGG, JR., Buffalo, N. Y. (42412). Son of Spencer and Jane (Morris) Kellogg; grandson of Abram V. and Rebecca (Vedder) Morris; great-grandson of John F. D. and Nancy (Van de Bogert) Vedder; great²-grandson of *Frederick Vedder*, Sergeant, in Col. Wempel's Regt., N. Y. Militia, pensioned.
- GEORGE ANDERSON KELSO, Canonsburg, Pa. (42222). Son of George and Sarah Jane (Wallace) Kelso; grandson of Benjamin and Martha (Murdock) Kelso; great-grandson of *John N. Kelso*, private and orderly, sergeant, First Regt., Pa. Cont'l Line, seven and a half years of service.
- MARTIN KEMMERER, Allentown, Pa. (42223). Son of Martin and Agnes (Doering) Kemmerer; grandson of Martin and Dorothea (Walter) Kemmerer; great-grandson of *Henry Kemmerer*, sergeant and ensign, Fourth and Second Battalions, respectively, Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- CALVIN IRA KEPHART, Calif. (29964). Supplemental. Son of George Elwood and Anna Catherine (Weisel) Kephart; grandson of Henry Harmon and Amy T. (Hyde) Kephart; great-grandson of Jacob and Mary Magdalena (Ruth) Kephart; great²-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Fretz) Kephart; great³-grandson of *Jacob Fretz*, private, Capt. William McHenry's Co., Buck's County, Pa. Militia.
- HUGH MILLER KICE, Los Angeles, Calif. (42451). Son of Murray Stancliffe and Lucy (Miller) Kice; grandson of John Chapman and Elizabeth Ann (Garr) Miller; great-grandson of John Smith and Gertrude (Denslow) Miller; great²-grandson of Chapman and Sarah Matilda (Hogeboom) Denslow; great³-grandson of *Johannes Hogeboom*, private, Col. Robert Van Rensselaer's Eighth Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- WILBUR LEWIS KING, Bethlehem, Pa. (42224). Son of Isaac Lewis and Maria A. (Knauss) King; grandson of Thomas and Sarah (Deemer) King (Konig); great-grandson of Johannes and Maria Catherine (Vogel) Konig; great²-grandson of *Jacob Konig*, private, Captain Nolf's Co., Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- ARTHUR DALE KIRK, Louisville, Ky. (41661). Son of William David and Lucinda (Kirk) Kirk; grandson of Alpha E. and Margaret A. (Moseley) Kirk; great-grandson of Robert and Martha (French) Moseley; great²-grandson of Elijah and Polly (Barnes) Moseley; great³-grandson of *Robert Moseley*, Lieutenant, Eighth Regt., Pa. Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- ROBERT ADELBERT KITCHEN, El Dorado, Ark. (La. 41788). Son of Cortez A. and Eleanor A. (Harwood) Kitchen; grandson of William Belt and Martha Ann (Lakeman) Harwood; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth Page (Shields) Lakeman; great²-grandson of James and Martha (Vaughan) Shields Jr., great³-grandson of *James Shields*, Captain, York County, Va. Militia.

- GEORGE WINSLOW LAMB, Oakland, Calif. (42443). Son of William Hooker and Desiah Frances (Winslow) Lamb; grandson of George and Martha Winslow; great-grandson of James and Betsey (Willard) Winslow; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Willard*, private and Sergeant, Capt. William Greenleaf's Co., Col. Josiah Whitney's Regt., Lancaster County, Mass. Militia.
- HENRY BURT LAMB, Brookline, Mass. (42241). Son of James H. and Emma J. (Tinkham) Lamb; grandson of Nelson B. and Harriet E. (Hammond) Tinkham; great-grandson of Amitta B. and Eunice (Chandler) Hammond; great²-grandson of *Joshua Chandler*, private, Plymouth County, Mass. Militia, pensioned.
- SAMUEL CHRISTOPHER LANCASTER, Portland, Ore. (Tenn. 42190). Son of John Lynch and Henrietta Rauhannah (Snider) Lancaster; grandson of Samuel and Anna Terrell (Lynch) Lancaster; great-grandson of John and Anna (Terrell) Lynch; great²-grandson of *Charles Lynch*, member of Va. House of Burgesses of 1774 and '75, also Colonel, Va. Militia in 1781.
- GLEN MOULTON LANCTOT, Buffalo, N. Y. (42175). Son of Henry H. and Frances (Gott) Lanctot; grandson of John S. and Alma (Ball) Gott; great-grandson of Alvin Munn and Lucretia (Vickery) Ball; great²-grandson of Libbeus and Charlotte (Curtis) Ball, Jr., great³-grandson of *Libbeus Ball*, Captain in Third and Fourth Regts., also Major of the Fourth Regt., Mass. Cont'l Infantry.
- DANIEL LARDIN, Butler, Pa. (42552). Son of Daniel and Agnes (Peters) Lardin; grandson of William and Elizabeth Miller (Barr) Lardin; great-grandson of Richard and Irene (Patterson) Miller; great²-grandson of *Thomas Miller*, private and Corporal in Col. David Hall's Regt., Delaware Troops, missing in action.
- ARTEMUS ELLIOTT LEGARÉ, Columbia, S. C. (42382). Son of Thomas Keith and Anna (Goodwyn) Legaré; grandson of Thomas J. and Eliza (Darby) Goodwyn; great-grandson of Artimus B. and Mary E. (Thomson) Goodwyn; great²-grandson of William Russell and Elizabeth (Sabb) Thomson; great³-grandson of *William Thomson*, Colonel, Third Regt., South Carolina Rangers, taken prisoner at Charleston.
- CLAUDE EARL LESTER, Hilton Village, Va. (42137). Son of Samuel Elijah and Ida May (White) Lester; grandson of Henry and May (Quick) Lester; great-grandson of Daniel and Frances (Gardner) Lester; great²-grandson of Jesse and Christiana (Simrell) Gardner; great³-grandson of *Stephen Gardner, Jr.*, private in Capt. John Franklin's Co., Independent Pa. Militia, of Westmoreland County.
- LEWIS HENRY LIGHTHIPE, N. J. (28478). Supplemental. Son of Lewis Condit and Henrietta (Ingraham) Lighthipe; grandson of Charles and Maria Smith (Condit) Lighthipe; great-grandson of Moses and Hannah (Smith) Condit; great²-grandson of *James Smith*, private, Essex County, N. J. Militia.
- HERBERT LEMUEL LILLY, Springfield, Ohio (42113). Son of Luther and Mary (Howes) Lilly; grandson of Bethuel and Hanna (Smith) Lilly; great-grandson of *Jonathan Lilly*, private, Capt. Nye's Co., Col. Grout's Regt., Worcester County, Mass. Militia.
- GEORGE T. LINN, Monongahela, Pa. (42225). Son of Alonzo and Rebecca E. (Fulton) Linn; grandson of Abram and Rachel (Newlon) Fulton; great-grandson of Henry and Rebecca (Jack) Fulton; great²-grandson of Abram and Jane (Coe) Fulton; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Coe*, private in Washington County and Westmoreland County, Penna. Frontier Rangers.
- PHILIP LITTLE, Salem, Mass. (42530). Son of James Lovell and Julia Augusta (Cook) Little; grandson of Zebedee and Caroline (Tuttle) Cook; great-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Mason) Tuttle; great²-grandson of *David Mason*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Mass. Artillery Artificers, and Director of Ordnance at Springfield.
- WILLIAM REDFORD LONGSTREET, Saginaw, Mich. (41939). Son of Francis P. and Mary (Lazarus) Longstreet; grandson of Lewis and Elizabeth Roy (Gable) Longstreet; great-grandson of William R. and Keturah (Sayre) Longstreet; great²-grandson of *Thomas Sayre, Jr.*, Lieutenant, Orange County, N. Y. Militia.
- FREDERICK EDWIN LOOSLEY, Moline, Ill. (42060). Son of George Marvin and Elizabeth (Plummer) Loosley; grandson of Samuel Craig and Julia (Hayes) Plummer; great-grandson of Alvin and Eliza (Stephens) Hayes; great²-grandson of Richard and Mary (Lane) Hayes; great³-grandson of *Titus Hayes*, private, Capt. Theodore Woodbridge's Co., Seventh Regt., Conn. Cont'l Line, pensioned.

- CLAYTON W. LORING, East Lansing, Mich. (41932). Son of George and Martha Maria (Keyte) Loring; grandson of Hosea and Pheason (Ford) Loring; great-grandson of Benjamin and Polly (Ward) Ford; great²-grandson of *John Ford*, private, Hampshire County, Mass. Militia.
- THOMAS CARTTER LUPTON, Chattanooga, Tenn. (42188). Son of John Thomas and Elizabeth (Patten) Lupton; grandson of Zeboim Cartter and Mary (Rawlings) Patton; great-grandson of Daniel Ritchie and Martha (Goodwin) Rawlings; great²-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Kennedy) Rawlings; great³-grandson of *Daniel Kennedy*, private, Third Regt., Va. Cont'l Line.
- GEORGE CURTIS MACGREEVEY, Elmira, N. Y. (42251). Son of James Charles and Lena B. (Hitchcock) MacGreevey; grandson of Curtis and Ruth S. Briggs) Hitchcock; great-grandson of William W. and Nancy (—) Briggs; great²-grandson of Enoch and Abigail (Cooper) Briggs; great³-grandson of *Jedediah Briggs*, Lieutenant, Bristol County Mass. Militia.
- JOHN WYANT McCABE, Brooklyn, N. Y. (42419). Son of John and Carrie May (Wyant) McCabe; grandson of George Washington Evans and Catharine (Conerry) McCabe; great-grandson of George Washington Evans and Rosannah (Vernon) McCabe; great²-grandson of John and Jane (Evans) McCabe; great³-grandson of *John McCabe*, First Lieutenant in Ninth Co. Md. Light Infantry also in Capt. Dean's Co., Seventh Regt., Md. Cont'l Troops.
- CHARLES SHERMAN MCKINSTRY, New York City, N. Y. (42264). Son of Charles H. and Elizabeth (Sherman) McKinstry; grandson of Charles Herbert and Eliza (Frost) McKinstry; great-grandson of George F. and Elizabeth (Stowitts) McKinstry; great²-grandson of Michael and Amaryllis (Bellinger) Stowitts; great³-grandson of *Philip George Stowitts*, private, Gen'l Herkimer's Regt., N. Y. Militia, killed at battle of Oriskany.
- GEORGE ARTHUR McLELLAN, East Orange, N. J. (42094). Son of George H. and Susan Whitehead (Sayre) McLellan; grandson of George Arthur and Sarah Bigelow (Broaders) McLellan; great-grandson of George and Mary Elizabeth (Wherrin) McLellan; great²-grandson of Moses and Love (Paul) Wherrin; great³-grandson of *William Wherrin*, private, Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM H. MAIN, Philadelphia, Pa. (42476). Son of Isaac S. and Lucy A. (Holloway) Main; grandson of James and Susannah (Sheldon) Main; great-grandson of James and — (Taylor) Main; great²-grandson of *James Main*, private in Capt. Justice Hall's Co., Gen'l Steven Van Rensselaer's Thirteenth Regt., Fourth Division, N. Y. Troops; grandson of Samuel and Lucy (Baker) Holloway; great-grandson of *Daniel Holloway*, private, Major James Keith's Co., Col. Michael Jackson's Eighth Regt. Mass. Cont'l Line.
- WILLIAM WYMAN MATHEWS, Chicago, Ill. (42063). Son of William Robert and Edith Ann (LeRoy) Mathews; grandson of Wyman Weston and Elizabeth Rachel (Stewart) Mathews; great-grandson of *Timothy Mathews*, private, Col. Calvin Smith's Sixth Regt., Mass. Cont'l Line.
- CHARLES JOSEPH MAXWELL, Texas (16659), Supplemental. Son of Rufus and Sarah Jane (Bonniefield) Maxwell; grandson of Levi and Sarah (Haymond) Maxwell; great-grandson of John and Mary (Wilson) Haymond; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Wilson*, private, Fifth Regt., Va. Troops and in Indian warfare; grandson of Arnold and Elizabeth (Minear) Bonniefield; great-grandson of *Samuel Bonniefield*, private, Capt. Richard Philips' Co., Gloucester County Va. Militia; great-grandson of *David Minear*, Indian Spy in Va. Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- ALLEN HUMES MEADORS, Nashville, Tenn. (42191). Son of John Allen and Sallie Humes (Carothers) Meadors; grandson of William and Priscilla McL. (Allen) Meador; great-grandson of George and Abigail (Cooper) Allen; great²-grandson of *Charles Allen*, Ensign and Lieutenant, Second Regt., and Captain in Second and Fifth Regts., North Carolina Cont'l Troops.
- KENNETH MELROSE, San Mateo, Calif. (42432). Son of Charles Kenneth and Anna Dora (Trott) Melrose; grandson of Kenneth and Augusta Britton (Dennis) Melrose; great-grandson of Charles Augustus and Julia Britton (Pierson) Dennis; great²-grandson of Albert O. and Abbey (Garthwaite) Pierson; great³-grandson of *David Pierson*, private, Col. Sylvanus Seeley's Regt., Eastern Batt'l'n, Morris County, N. J. Militia.

- MARC RUSSELL MERRYFIELD, Ames, Ia. (41832). Son of Preston R. and Susie A. (Gorham) Merryfield; grandson of Gurdon and Helen E. (Russell) Merryfield; great-grandson of Ryal L. and Mary Ann (Palmer) Merryfield; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Palmer*, private from Litchfield in Fifth Co., Col. Charles Webb's Seventh Regt., Conn. Troops, prisoner.
- HENRY CLAY MILLER, Trenton, S. C. (42023). Son of Henry Clay and Augusta Smallwood (DesPortes) Miller; grandson of John Wise and Mary (Ligon) Miller; great-grandson of Benjamin H. and Sabra (Wise) Miller; great²-grandson of James and Lucy (Hatcher) Miller; great³-grandson of Benjamin and Rebecca (Wilson) Hatcher, Jr.; great⁴-grandson of *Benjamin Hatcher*, Lieutenant and Captain in Col. Leroy Hammond's Regt., South Carolina Militia, killed at Siege of Augusta.
- LESLIE ANDREW MILLER, Cheyenne, Wyo. (38273). Son of Andrew Early and Anna Belle (Orr) Miller; grandson of Alexander and Editha Arundell (Wright) Orr; great-grandson of Robert and Mary (Alexander) Wright; great²-grandson of Archibald and Isabella (Patton) Alexander; great³-grandson of *Archibald Alexander*, Justice of County Court and Sheriff of Rockbridge County, Va. in 1778 at age of 70 years by appointment of Gov. Patrick Henry.
- JOSEPH BELCHER MILLS, Detroit, Mich. (41933). Son of James and Eliza Jane (Belcher) Mills; grandson of John and Eleanor Ann (Kelley) Belcher; great-grandson of John Adam and Mary (Whritenour) Tidaback Belcher; great²-grandson of *Adam Belcher*, Signer of Orange County, N. Y. Association Test.
- MILTON MATTHEW MITMAN, Bethlehem, Pa. (42478). Son of Noah Conrad and Elizabeth (Gogel) Mitman; grandson of Jacob and Susanna (Dieterly) Mitman; great-grandson of *Conrad Mitman*, private, Captain William McHenry's Co., Bucks County, Pa. Militia.
- WILLIAM STROUSE MITMAN, Bethlehem, Pa. (42479). Son of Tobias and Froneta (S. —) Mitman; grandson of Jacob and Suzanna (Deaterly) Mitman; great-grandson of *Conrad Mitman*, private, Capt. William McHenry's Co., Bucks County, Pa. Militia.
- ALLEN LEWIS MORDECAI, New York City, N. Y. (42272). Son of Benjamin and Constance (Davis) Mordecai; grandson of Allen L. and Kate (Marks) Mordecai; great-grandson of Joseph Hart and Cecelia (Abrams) Marks; great²-grandson of Alexander and Esther (Hart) Marks; great³-grandson of *David Hart*, Third Sergeant, Capt. Adam Black's Co., York County, Pa. Militia; grandson of Michael Marks and Miriam (Peixotto) Davis; great-grandson of Daniel Levi Maduro and Rachel (Seixas) Peixotto; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Mendez Seixas*, Officer, New York City Militia.
- BENJAMIN MORDECAI, New York City, N. Y. (42265). Son of Allen L. and Kate (Marks) Mordecai; grandson of Joseph Hart and Cecelia (Abrams) Marks; great-grandson of Alexander and Esther (Hart) Marks; great²-grandson of *David Hart*, Third Sergeant, Capt. Adam Black's Co., York County, Pa. Militia.
- JOHN ERNEST MORRIS, Columbia, S. C. (42024). Son of John Edmund and Mary Eliza Turnley Morris; grandson of Levi and Frances Dabney (Maupin) Morris; great-grandson of *John Morris*, Captain, Kanawha County, Va. Militia.
- HENRY CLAREMONT MOSES, Sumter, S. C. (42015). Son of Henry Claremont and Andrena (Werber) Moses; grandson of Montgomery and Catherine (Phillips) Moses; great-grandson of Zeligman and Arabella (Solomans) Phillips; great²-grandson of *Jonas Phillips*, private, Col. William Bradford's Regt., Pa. Associators.
- ARNIM LOUIS EDWARD OTIS MULLER, Geneva, Switzerland (Mass. 42242). Son of Arnim and Blanche Bordman (Otis) Muller; grandson of Harrison Gray and Mary (West) Otis; great-grandson of Harrison Gray and Eliza H. (Bordman) Otis; great²-grandson of Harrison Gray and Sally (Foster) Otis; great³-grandson of *Samuel Allyne Otis*, Representative to Mass. Provincial Congress of 1776 and Member of Mass. Board of War.
- HARRY CRAWFORD MUNGER, Newburgh, N. Y. (42413). Son of Charles D. and Sarah E. (Crist) Munger; grandson of Isaac S. and Mary A. (VanVlack) Munger; great-grandson of John and Catherine (Devine) Munger; great²-grandson of *John Munger*, private, Second Regt., Orange County, N. Y. Militia.
- BRADFORD JAMES MURPHEY, Boston, Mass. (42531). Son of James Jay and Mary Alice (Hayes) Murphey; grandson of Edward Humphrey and Ann Elizabeth (Bradford) Murphey; great-grandson of William Duffy and Jane (Humphrey) Murphey; great²-

- grandson of *Archibald Murphey*, Major and Colonel, Caswell County, North Carolina Militia.
- HENRY BRAINERD NELSON, Wauwatosa, Wis. (41531). Son of Edwin Mills and Emily Almira (Nelson) Nelson; grandson of Henry Addison and Margaret (Mills) Nelson; great-grandson of Seth and Sophia (Aspinwall) Nelson, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Seth Nelson*, Second Lieutenant in Capt. Levi Aldrich's Co., Col. Whiting's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- JOHN HENRY NEUMEYER, Easton, Pa. (42480). Son of Samuel T. and Clara (Wachsmann) Neumeier; grandson of John and Carolina Julia (Schultz) Neumeier; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary Christina (Peisert) Schultz; great²-grandson of Christopher and Rosina (Frevel) Peisert; great³-grandson of *Moses Frevel*, private, Third and Fourth Batt'ns, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- JOHN HENRY NEUMEYER, JR., Easton, Pa. (42481). Son of John Henry and Emma Catharine (Odenwelder) Neumeier; grandson of Samuel T. and Clara (Wachsmann) Neumeier; great-grandson of John and Caroline Julia (Schultz) Neumeier; great²-grandson of Samuel and Mary Christina (Peisert) Schultz; great³-grandson of Christopher and Rosina (Frevel) Peisert; great⁴-grandson of *Moses Frevel*, private, Third and Fourth Batt'ns, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- ROBERT ENGLER NEUMEYER, Bethlehem, Pa. (42553). Son of Edward A. and Sabina (Engler) Neumeier; grandson of Joseph and Lucy Ann (Saylor) Engler; great-grandson of Abraham and Eva Catharine (Arner) Saylor; great²-grandson of Frederick and Dorothea (—) Saylor; great³-grandson of *Peter Saylor*, Lieutenant-Colonel of Col. George Hubner's Regt., First Batt'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- GEORGE ELMER NEWELL, Buena Vista, Colo. (41807). Son of Orrin W. and Martha (Lord) Newell; grandson of Joseph and Ruth (Bosworth) Lord, Jr.; great-grandson of *Joseph Lord*, private in Capt. Ingals', Capt. Walcott's and Capt. Mather's Companies, Conn. Militia, and Ensign, Capt. Holmes's Company of Minute Men, pensioned.
- HAROLD DANIEL NOBLE, Buffalo, N. Y. (42275). Son of Daniel Amos and Eliza Jane (Mens or Means) Noble; grandson of Benjamin and Jane (Sherburne) Mens (Means); great-grandson of Hezekiah Calkins and Mary E. (Herrick) Sherburne; great²-grandson of Jethro and Jemima (Hale) Sherburne; great³-grandson of *James Sherburne*, private and Corporal, Col. John Stark's Regt., and Brigade, N. H. Cont'l Line and Militia.
- CHARLES LATHAM NUTTER, East Bridgewater, Mass. (42532). Son of Isaac Newton and Anna Maria (Latham) Nutter; grandson of Isaac and Margaret Orr (Keen) Nutter; great-grandson of Samuel and Margaret Orr (Clift) Keen; great²-grandson of *Adna Winslow Clift*, Lieutenant in Capt. Bicknell's Co., Col. Putnam's Regt., Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM S. NYE, Beaver Falls, Pa. (42554). Son of Michael Barnett and Anna Mascamela (Mace) Nye; grandson of Andrew Ivory and Isabella (McFarland) Nye; great-grandson of Michael and Anne (Pearsall) Nye; great²-grandson of *Sampson Pearsall*, private in Capt. Joseph Sissmeney's Co., Pa. Militia and in Capt. Hood's Co., Col. William Crawford's Fifth Regt., Pa. Troops.
- ADOLPH SHELBY OCHS, Chattanooga, Tenn. (42192). Son of Milton B. and Frances Lavinia (Van Dyke) Ochs; grandson of William Deaderick and Anna Mary (Deaderick) Van Dyke; great-grandson of James W. and Adeline Shelby (MacDowell) Deaderick; great²-grandson of Ephraim and Sarah (Shelby) MacDowell; great³-grandson of *Isaac Shelby*, Colonel, Va. Militia at King's Mountain and in So. Car. Campaign of 1781.
- JOHN OTIS OMWAKE, Cincinnati, Ohio (42117). Son of Henry and Eveline (Beaver) Omwake; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Ledy) Omwake (Amweg); great-grandson of Jacob and Catharine (Hassler) Amweg; great²-grandson of *Jacob Amweg (Am Weg)*, private, Ninth Batt'n, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- PAUL HOMAN OTIS, Jackson, Mich. (41934). Son of Charles Henry and Ida Caroline (Homan) Otis; grandson of John Quincy Adams and Hannah (Brown) Gowing Otis; great-grandson of Daniel and Lydia (Allen) Otis; great²-grandson of *Paul Otis*, private, Capt. Ballard's Co., Col. James Fry's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- HARRY EDWARD PACKER, Springfield, Mass. (42533). Son of Warren Fish and Lida (Potter) Packer; grandson of Josephus Fitch and Eliza (S. —) Potter; great-grandson of James and Lucretia (Lester) Potter; great²-grandson of *Thomas Potter*, private, Third Co., Col. Samuel Holden Parson's Sixth Regt., Conn. Cont'l Troops in 1775.

- CLYDE CADWALLADER PARKELL, Chicago, Ill. (42069). Son of George Emerson and Evalyn Martha (Cadwallader) Parkell; grandson of Edward J. and Martha (Scribner) Cadwallader; great-grandson of Samuel and Almira (Clark) Scribner; great²-grandson of *Israel Clark*, private in Fifth and First Regts., Conn. Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- CHARLES HENRY PARKER, San Francisco, Calif. (41393). Son of Benjamin Marston and Caroline Mason (Keith) Parker; grandson of Robert and Margaret Clark (*Emmes*) Keith; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Emmes*, private and Corporal, Mass. Militia for service at and about Boston, pensioned.
- FRANKLIN BOWER PARKER, Bronxville, N. Y. (42420). Son of Charles Jeremiah and Edith Clark (Bower) Parker; grandson of Franklin M. and Miranda H. (Wilder) Parker; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Francina (Kenyon) Parker; great²-grandson of Cratus and Olive Jones (Fuller) Parker; great³-grandson of *Ezra Parker*, Sergeant, Capt. Enos Parker's Co., Col. Benjamin Symond's Regt., Berkshire County, Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM JEFFERSON PAYNE, Richmond, Va. (42135). Son of William Alexander and Susan Victoria Gaines (Smyth) Payne; grandson of David Warren and Adeline Matilda (Smyth) Smyth; great-grandson of Munford and Susanna Dabney (Gaines) Smyth; great²-grandson of *Thomas Gaines*, private, Va. Cont'l Line.
- JOSEPH ELDER PEELOR, Indiana, Pa. (42351). Son of James and Elizabeth (Walker) Peelor; grandson of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Thomas) Walker; great-grandson of *Benjamin Walker*, private in Col. Evan Evan's Second Batt'l'n, Chester County, Penna. Militia.
- THOMAS ABRAHAM PEPPER, Hellertown, Pa. (42352). Son of Frederick W and Alice (Frankenfield) Peffer; grandson of Simon and Eliza (Brinker) Frankenfield; great-grandson of Philip and Elizabeth (Rinker) Frankenfield; great²-grandson of *Adam Frankenfield*, private, Bucks County, Penna. Militia.
- JEROME AMIDON PERRY, Rosewell, Calif. (42433). Son of William Sobie and Maude (Belden) Perry; grandson of Lucius Amidon and DeEtte (Barber) Belden; great-grandson of Calvin J. and Louisa (Leggett) Barber; great²-grandson of Harmon and Locena (Daniels) Barber; great³-grandson of Thomas and Percy (Merrill) Barber; great⁴-grandson of *Jacob Barber*, Corporal in Capt. John Brown's Co., Eighteenth Regt., Conn. Militia.
- ALBERT EDWARD PERSONS, Buffalo, N. Y. (42252). Son of Levi and Mary A. (Mallory) Persons; grandson of Harrison and Susan (Storn) Persons; great-grandson of Lawrence and Charity (Pickard) Storn; great²-grandson of *John Pickard*, private, Col. Jacob Klock's Regt., New York Militia.
- WILLIAM MATTISON PETTIT, Ohio (41365). Supplementals. Son of Thomas Merit and Mary (Mattison) Pettit; grandson of William and Sarah (Lomerson) Mattison; great-grandson of John Bodine and Mary (Godley) Mattison; great²-grandson of Joseph and Catherine (Bodine) Mattison; great³-grandson of *Jacob Mattison*, private, Capt. Daniel Piatt's Co., Col. Matthias Ogden's First Regt., N. J. Cont'l Line; great²-grandson of Joseph and Newell (Bonnell) Godley; great³-grandson of *Abraham Bonnell*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Third Regt., Hunterdown County, N. J. Militia.
- SAMUEL KNISS PHILIPS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (42353). Son of Orin Miller and Olive Annette (Niece) Philips; grandson of John and Sarah (Miller) Philips; great-grandson of Robert and Mary (Townsend) Philips; great²-grandson of Josiah and Sarah (Bell) Philips; great³-grandson of *David Philips*, Captain, Second Co. Independent Seventh Batt'l'n, Penna. Volunteer Militia.
- CLIFFORD ANDREW PHILIPSON, Newark, N. J. (42333). Son of Andrew B. and Lida Clark (Paxton) Philipson; grandson of Cornelius and Charlotte E. (Pierson) Paxton; great-grandson of Oliver and Eliza Clark (Chandler) Pierson; great²-grandson of Abner and Phebe ((Clark) Chandler; great³-grandson of *Samuel Chandler*, private, Capt. Flanagan's and Capt. Anderson's Cos., Col. Forman's Regt., N. J. Cont'l Troops.
- DEANE MORRILL PLAISTER, San Diego, Calif. (42455). Son of Joseph Dyer and Winona Frances (Morrill) Plaister; grandson of Richard and Cornelia Isabel (Deane) Morrill; great-grandson of George Crossman and Dolly (Bennett) Deane; great²-grandson of Abiathar and Freelove (Hawkins) Deane; great³-grandson of *Daniel Hawkins*, Captain in Col. Bedel's Regt., N. H. Militia.
- CHARLES FORREST PLUMMER, Los Angeles, Calif. (42437). Son of Samuel Forrest and Mary Evelyn (Ames) Plummer; grandson of James Furman and Mary Jane (Kirk)

- Ames; great-grandson of Franklin and Polly (Keith) Ames; great²-grandson of Benjamin and Martha (Cary) Keith; great³-grandson of *Simeon Cary*, Colonel, Plymouth and Bristol Counties, Mass. Militia.
- RALPH PERKINS POPE, Bristol, N. H. (42276). Son of Charles William Wilson and Alice Maria (Ford) Pope; grandson of Albert and Alma Stearns (Seavey) Pope; great-grandson of David and Susanna Muzzy (Emerson) Pope; great²-grandson of David and — (—) Pope; great³-grandson of *Thomas Pope*, private, Capt. Joshua Bayley's Co., Col. Thomas Stickney's Regt., N. H. Militia; great²-grandson of *Peter Emerson*, Surgeon, Col. Hercules Mooney's Regt., N. H. Militia.
- CABELL BRECKINRIDGE PORTER, Buffalo, N. Y. (42422). Son of Peter Augustus and Alice Adele (Taylor) Porter; grandson of Peter A. and Mary Cabell (Breckinridge) Porter; great-grandson of Peter B. and Letia Preston (Breckinridge) Porter; great²-grandson of *Joshua Porter*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Seventeenth Regt., Conn. Militia.
- PAUL ADAMS POTTER, Iowa (36240). Supplementals. Son of Ezra Cornelius and Minnie (Adams) Potter; grandson of Cornelius Seabury and Desdemonia Elizabeth (Barden) Potter; great-grandson of Ezra Seth and Catherine Elizabeth (Jackson) Barden; great²-grandson of Seth and Bathiah (Dimmick) Barden; great³-grandson of *Sylvanus Dimmick*, private in Capt. Grannis's Co., Mass. Sea Coast Guards; great³-grandson of Noah and Remember (—) Barden, private, Fourth Regt., Suffolk County, Mass. Militia; great⁴-grandson of *Timothy Barden*, Corporal in Capt. Samuel Tubb's Co., and private in Ninth Regt., Mass. Cont'l Troops; grandson of Benjamin Franklin and Rebecca (Evans) Adams; great-grandson of Thompson and Elizabeth (Green) Adams; great²-grandson of *Josiah Adams*, private, Va. Militia.
- ROBERT FRANKLIN POTTER, Los Angeles, Calif. (Ia. 41831). Son of E. C. and Minnie (Adams) Potter; grandson of C. S. and Desdemonia E. (Barden) Potter; great-grandson of Cornelius and Hannah (Barber) Potter; great²-grandson of Esek and Sarah (Stoddard) Potter; great³-grandson of *Esek Potter*, private, Capt. Hick's Co., Col. Frederick Pope's Regt., Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Ezra Seth and Catherine Elizabeth (Jackson) Barden; great²-grandson of Seth and Bathiah (Dimmick) Barden; great³-grandson of *Sylvanus Dimmick*, private in Capt. Grannis's Co., Mass. Sea Coast Guards; great³-grandson of Noah and Remember (—) Barden, private, Fourth Regt., Suffolk County, Mass. Militia; great⁴-grandson of *Timothy Barden*, Corporal in Capt. Samuel Tubb's Co., and private in Ninth Regt., Mass. Cont'l Troops; grandson of Benjamin Franklin and Rebecca (Evans) Adams; great-grandson of Thompson and Elizabeth (Green) Adams; great²-grandson of *Josiah Adams*, private, Virginia Militia.
- HARVEY EUGENE POTTS, Uniontown, Pa. (42555). Son of David Allison and Jennie (Shearer) Potts; grandson of *John Potts*, private, First Batt'l'n, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- JOHN KINGSLEY POWELL, Metuchen, N. J. (42100). Son of Ralph Boyd and Sarah (Kingsley) Powell; grandson of John Chester and Frances (Hubbard) Kingsley; great-grandson of Charles Phelps and Caroline (Bliss) Kingsley; great²-grandson of Ebenezer and Sarah (Phelps) Kingsley; great³-grandson of *Moses Kingsley*, Second Lieutenant, Capt. Ebenezer Strong's Co., Second Regt., Hampshire County, Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES HOMER PRESHO, Cambridge, Mass. (42243). Son of Z. Dwight and Arvilla B. (Phelps) Presho; grandson of Zadoc and Betsey (Robinson) Presho; great-grandson of *John Robinson*, private, Northborough Mass. Militia.
- CLARENCE VIRGIL PRICE, Montclair, N. J. (42326). Son of George J. and Harriet (White) Price; grandson of William and Martha (Nelson) White; great-grandson of Arbuckle and Jane (Greenlee) Nelson; great²-grandson of John G. and Mary D. (Arbuckle) Nelson; great³-grandson of *William Arbuckle*, private, Capt. John Dickinson's Co., Charles Lewis's Regt., Va. Militia.
- CARLTON SPRINGER PROCTOR, Bronxville, N. Y. (42406). Son of Joseph Martin and Sarah Louise (Springer) Proctor; grandson of Francis Asbury and Annie Virginia (Bates) Springer; great-grandson of Moses and Matilda (Lawrence) Springer; great²-grandson of Moses and Susannah (Norcross) Springer; great²-grandson of *John Springer*, private, Capt. Henry Dyer's Frenchman's Bay Co. of Rangers, for defense of Mass. sea-coast.
- GEORGE PALMER PUTNAM, Buffalo, N. Y. (42423). Son of James O. and Harriet (Palmer) Putnam; grandson of Harvey and Myra (Osborne) Putnam; great-grandson

- of James and Ablina (Simonds) Osborne; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Simonds*, Colonel, Third Regt., Berkshire County, Mass. Militia.
- NELSON MANNING REDFIELD, Buffalo, N. Y. (42266). Son of Henry S. and Sarah H. (Thayer) Redfield; grandson of Manning and Millicent G. (Hollister) Redfield; great-grandson of *Peleg Redfield*, private, Capt. Bristol's Co. at East Haven, Conn. Alarm, also in Capt. Nathaniel Edward's Co., Gen'l Waterbury's Brigade, Conn. Militia.
- DICK DARWIN REED, Detroit, Mich. (41935). Son of Guy Wible and Carrie (Walker) Reed; grandson of James Bigham and Emma Barbara (Sheckler) Walker; great-grandson of George and Susan (Weaver) Scheckler; great²-grandson of *Frederick Scheckler*, private, Third and Fourth Batt'l'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- FLOYD ORTON REED, Yonkers, N. Y. (42407). Son of Alman Luce and Harriet August (Orton) Reed; grandson of Isaiah Edsen and Lovina (Scott) Reed; great-grandson of Bezaleel and Ruth (Edsen) Reed; great²-grandson of *Elijah Reed*, private, Col. Cotton's and Col. Carpenter's Regts., Plymouth County, Mass. Militia.
- HARRY HESS REICHARD, Allentown, Pa. (42354). Son of Wilson R. and Elamanda E. (Hess) Reichard; grandson of Edward T. and Isabella (Diehl) Hess; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Boehm) Diehl; great²-grandson of Anthony and Catherine (Geissinger) Boehm; great³-grandson of *Philip Boehm*, Paymaster, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel, Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- DANFORTH RICH, Buffalo, N. Y. (42421). Son of G. Barrett and Grace (Danforth) Rich; grandson of Gaius Barrett and Cornelia (Perrine) Rich; great-grandson of Andrew Jackson and Mary Winslow (Townsend) Rich; great²-grandson of Gaius Barrett and Aphia (Salisbury) Rich; great³-grandson of Edward S. and Sarah (Randolph) Salisbury; great²-grandson of *Edward Salisbury*, private and Minute Man, R. I. Militia.
- RICHARD QUINTUS RICHARDS, Fort Myers, Fla. (39036). Son of Quintus and Florence Mercer (Dickinson) Richards; grandson of Hugh Mercer and Susan Katherine (Mansfield) Dickinson; great-grandson of John George and Mary Bush (Streit) Mansfield; great²-grandson of *Christian Streit*, Chaplain, Col. Abraham Bowman's Eighth Regt., Va. Troops.
- DANIEL LOOMIS RICHARDSON, Rochester, N. Y. (42267). Son of William H. and Myra Emma (Loomis) Richardson; grandson of Isaac and Lydia (Chapman) Loomis; great-grandson of Daniel and Electa (Sherman) Loomis; great²-grandson of *Daniel Loomis*, private and Sergeant in Col. Symond's and Col. Brown's Regts., Mass. Militia.
- WALTER DURYEA RIPLEY, New York, N. Y. (42401). Son of Walter B. and Jennie (Duryea) Ripley; grandson of Charles Bradford and Emily (Seguine) Ripley; great-grandson of William and Mary (French) Ripley; great²-grandson of William Brientnall and Lucy (Clift) Ripley; great³-grandson of *Hezekiah Ripley*, Chaplain, Quartermaster and Commissary, Conn. Cont'l Line.
- JUDSON CLAUDIUS RIVES, Los Angeles, Calif. (42438). Son of Judson Cary and Frances (Davidson) Rives; grandson of Green and Jerusha May (Paisley) Rives; great-grandson of *Green Rives*, private, South Carolina Militia.
- WALTON BARWICK ROBERTS, Lincoln, Nebr. (40221). Son of Walton Grant and Mary (B. —) Roberts; grandson of Evan Theodore and Josey R. (Barber) Roberts; great-grandson of Joseph Babcock and Sarah Anna (Drake) Barber; great²-grandson of Salmon and Nancy (Gerry) Drake; great³-grandson of *Gilbert and Nancy Anna (Dana) Gerry*, private and Trumpeter, Lebanon, Conn. Militia, pensioned; great⁴-grandson of *James and Elizabeth (Whittemore) Dana*, Lieutenant and Captain, Col. Israel Putnam's Third Regt., Conn. Cont'l Troops; great⁵-grandson of *Joseph Whittemore*, Second Lieutenant in Capt. Wales' Co., Col. Beebe's Regt., Conn. Militia, great²-grandson of Thomas and Eunice (Babcock) Barber; great³-grandson of *Peleg Barber*, private, Capt. Dayton's Co., Col. John Topham's First Regt., Conn. Cont'l Line, pensioned; great³-grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Babcock) Babcock; great⁴-grandson of *Ichabod Babcock, Jr.*, Cornet in Capt. George Thurston's Co., First Battalion, King's County, R. I. Troops of Horse.
- WILLIAM HALL ROBERTSON, Techny, Ill. (42070). Son of William Leggatt and Fanny (Hall) Robertson; grandson of Charles Hinman and Harriet Rose (Hinman) Hall; great-grandson of Jedediah and Sally (Hinman) Hall; great²-grandson of *Joel Hinman*, Sergeant and Ensign in Col. David Waterbury's Fifth Conn. and Col. Fisher Gay's State Regt., respectively, also, Captain in a Provisional Conn. Regt.; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Hinman*, Colonel, Fourth Regt., Conn. Cont'l Line also of Militia.

- HARRY CHILDS ROBINSON, South Dartmouth, Mass. (42244). Son of Thomas Raymond and Abby Simmons (Luther) Robinson; grandson of Otis and Sarah Dean (Raymond) Robinson; great-grandson of Obed and Abigail (Richards) Robinson; great²-grandson of *Enoch Robinson*, Lieutenant and Captain, Mass. Militia.
- WALKER DORT ROE, Binghamton, N. Y. (42418). Son of Edward Clark and Mary Louisa (Converse) Roe, grandson of Rufus Josiah and Mary Louisa (Dort) Converse; great-grandson of Rufus and Betsy (Posthill) Converse; great²-grandson of *Edward Converse*, Drummer and private, Capt. Webster's Co., also in Col. Dike's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- HARVEY O. ROHRBACH, Bethlehem, Pa. (42355). Son of Henry B. and Hannah Louise (Butz) Rohrbach; grandson of Manasses and Elizabeth (Wenner) Butz; great-grandson of Johnathan and Catherine (Wenner) Butz; great²-grandson of *John Butz (Poutz)*, private, Second Battalion, Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- LEON MARION ROSE, Washington, D. C. (41344). Son of James Edward and Jessie Nash (Booth) Rose; grandson of John Nelson and Harriet (Onderdonk) Rose; great-grandson of James and Eunice (Poppino) Onderdonk; great²-grandson of Roelof (Ralph) and Annaetie (Lyons) Onderdonk; great³-grandson of *Andries Onderdonk*, Signer of the Association Test, private, Second Co., Orange County, N. Y. Militia, imprisoned by the British.
- ROSS HOLLAND ROUTH, Dallas, Texas (42501). Son of Eugene Coke and Mary (Wroe) Routh; grandson of Joseph Edward and Mary (Stramler) Routh; great-grandson of Pleasant Mills and Clarissa (Watkins) Routh; great²-grandson of Edward Bryant and Fanny (Cleveland) Watkins; great³-grandson of *Robert Cleveland*, Captain in Col. Benjamin Cleveland's Regt., N. C. Militia at battle of King's Mountain.
- WELTY OSBORNE RUGH, New Castle, Pa. (42356). Son of Horace A. and Martha Emma (Osborne) Rugh; grandson of Jacob Welty and Rebecca (Gilchrist) Rugh; great-grandson of Jacob and Margaret (Brinker) Rugh; great²-grandson of *Henry Brinker*, private in Col. Jacob Stroud's and Col. Seipriedt's Regts., Pa. Militia.
- ARTHUR KENDRICK SANDERS, Columbia, S. C. (42379). Son of Thomas O. and Cornelia H. (Sanders) Sanders; grandson of William and Sarah Gwinn (Bracey) Sanders; great-grandson of William and Eunice (Garner) Sanders; great²-grandson of *William Sanders*, private in Gen'l Francis Marion's Regt., South Carolina Militia; great-grandson of *Sackville McLynn Bracey*, private, Brunswick County, Va. Militia.
- WILLIAM JAMES SATTERFIELD, Washington, D. C. (41330). Son of John W. and Mary E. (Morgan) Satterfield; grandson of James and Lydia R. (Wilson) Morgan; great-grandson of James and Rachel (Bunner) Morgan; great²-grandson of Morgan and Mary (Prickett) Morgan; great³-grandson of *David Morgan*, Lieutenant and Captain Monongahela County, Va. Militia; grandson of William H. and Anna (Vincent) Satterfield; great-grandson of Enoch and Elizabeth (Duval) Vincent; great²-grandson of *Daniel Duval*, Ensign, Fifth Regt., Va. Cont'l Line.
- EARL AMBROSE SCHERER, Mankato, Minn. (41981). Son of Oscar A. and Effie (Sprague) Scherer; grandson of Luther and Catharine (Correll) Scherer; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Reitzel) Scherrer; great²-grandson of *Frederick Scherrer (Shurer)*, private, Capt. Raiford's Co., Tenth Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Line.
- HERBERT JOHN SCHMOYER, Bethlehem, Pa. (42357). Son of J. Benjamin and Matilda E. (Meyer) Schmoyer; grandson of John B. and Maria (Lichtenwalner) Schmeyer (Schmoyer); great-grandson of Benjamin and Maria (Kuntz) Schmeyer; great²-grandson of *Daniel Schmoyer (Schmeier)*, private, Second Battalion, Northampton County, Penna. Militia.
- WILLIAM RUSSELL SCHNABEL, Allentown, Pa. (42482). Son of James Monroe and Clara Hamet (Steckel) Schnabel; grandson of Samuel and Diana (Warner) Schnabel; great-grandson of *Jacob Schnabel*, private, Capt. George Wolf's Co., Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- EDWARD WITHER SCOTT, Berkeley, Calif. (41400). Son of Edward Harlan and Margaret Alice (Wither) Scott; grandson of William and Maria (Pfoutz) Scott; great-grandson of James Allison and Elizabeth (Shannon) Scott; great²-grandson of William and Jean (Allison) Scott; great³-grandson of *John Scott*, Quartermaster for First Battalion, Buck's County Pa. Associators and Militia.

- FRANK HOWARD SEELY, Oakland, Calif. (42434). Son of Franklin Austin and Mary Griswold (Wessells) Seely; grandson of Richard Lewis and Maria (Torrey) Seely; great-grandson of John Williamson and Elizabeth (Williams) Seely; great²-grandson of *Sylvanus Seely (Seeley)*, Captain, Major and Colonel, Eastern Battalion, N. J. Militia, 1776-'80.
- WILSON DAVID SEYFRIED, Bethlehem, Pa. (42556). Son of Florentine A. and Matilda E. (Trein) Seyfried; grandson of David and Louisa (Clewel) Trein; great-grandson of Peter and Maria E. (Klotz) Trein (Trine); great²-grandson of *George Trein (Trine)*, private, Capt. Albright's Co. of Pa. Riflemen, also Captain of Militia.
- JAMES ALBERT SHAW, West Point, N. Y. (Pa. 42557). Son of Albert Baker and Florence Elizabeth (Schofield) Shaw; grandson of Reuben Wertz and Sarah Ann (McCormick) Shaw; great-grandson of James and Margaret (Vance) Shaw; great²-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Baker) Shaw; great³-grandson of *Nathan Shaw*, Lieutenant, Capt. Smith's Co., First Regt., Cumberland County, New Jersey Militia; great-grandson of Moses and Elizabeth (Buttermore) McCormick; great²-grandson of John and Sarah (McCormick) McCormick; great³-grandson of William and Effelia (Crawford) McCormick; great⁴-grandson of *William Crawford*, Colonel, Seventh Regt., Va. Cont'l Troops, captured by Indians and burned at the stake, June 11, 1782; great²-grandson of *Jacob Buttermore*, private, Berks County Militia and in Second Regt., Pa. Cont'l Troops.
- FRANKLIN JOSEPH SHEEHAN, Calif. (39995). Supplemental. Son of John Francis and Elnora J. (Mitchell) Sheehan; grandson of Joseph Hunter and Elnora S. (Davis) Mitchell; great-grandson of Isaac and Rachel (Manley) Davis; great²-grandson of *John Manley*, private, from Allegheny County, Md., in Cont'l Line, widow pensioned.
- JOHN FRANCIS SHEEHAN, San Francisco, Calif. (42426). Son of John Francis and Elnora J. (Mitchell) Sheehan; grandson of Joseph Hunter and Elnora S. (Davis) Mitchell; great-grandson of Isaac and Rachel (Manley) Davis; great²-grandson of *Thomas Davis*, private, Col. John Stewart's First Regt., Maryland Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- JAMES VAN ALLEN SHIELDS, London, Eng. (D. C. 41331). Son of James Van Allen and Mary Banker (Slater) Shields; grandson of Robert and Phoebe (Banker) Slater; great-grandson of John and Mary (Lockwood) Sherwood; great²-grandson of *Jesse Lockwood*, Orderly Sergeant, Capt. Delavan's Co., Westchester County, New York Troops.
- AMOS URBAN SHIRK, Little Neck, L. I., N. Y. (42168). Son of Jacob G. and Katharine L. (Urban) Shirk; grandson of Amos S. and Barbara (Hebble) Urban; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Sauber) Urban; great²-grandson of Conrad and Elizabeth (Karrar) Sauber; great²-grandson of *Conrad Karrer*, Captain, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- AMOS GEORGE SHOFFNER, Bethlehem, Pa. (42483). Son of John Neiler and Elizabeth (Perry) Shoffner; grandson of Amos and Sarah (Neiler) Shoffner; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Evans) Neiler; great²-grandson of *Daniel Evans*, Captain, Lieutenant in Captain Baldwin's Co., Pa. Artillery Artificer Regt.
- HORATIO GATES SHULL, Easton, Pa. (42484). Son of Alexander S. and Margaret Selenā (Stocker) Shull; grandson of Jacob and Mary (Ketchledge) Stocker; great-grandson of *Johan George Stocker*, private and Frontier Ranger in Northampton County, Pa. Militia and Cont'l Line.
- DWIGHT CHASE SIGWORTH, Long Beach, Calif. (42439). Son of Dwight Llewelan and Amanda (Chace) Sigworth; grandson of Harrison William and Phoebe (Bowen) Sigworth; great-grandson of John H. and Frances (Neely) Sigworth; great²-grandson of Henry and Barbara (Fry) Neely; great³-grandson of *Paul Neely*, private, Capt. Johannes Van Etter's Co., Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- FREDERICK WALKER SINCLAIR, New Orleans, La. (41789). Son of Jefferson and Lucy (Rowena) Sinclair; grandson of John and Lucy Helen (Baytop) Sinclair; great-grandson of James and Lucy Taliaferro (Catlett) Baytop; great²-grandson of *Thomas Baytop*, Captain-Lieutenant, First Regt., Va. Cont'l Artillery and Captain of Gloucester County Artillery.
- EDWIN PERCIVAL SLABAUGH, Salt Lake City, Utah (41431). Son of Watson E. and Mary (Bettes) Slabaugh; grandson of George Washington and Lura (Dodge) Bettes;

- great-grandson of Silas Ives and Fanny (Ryder) Bettes; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Bettes (Betts)*, Sergeant-Major and Ensign, Thirteenth Regt., Mass. Cont'l Line.
- EARLE SLOAN, Charleston, S. C. (42376). Son of John Baylis Earle and Mary Earle (Seaborn) Sloan; grandson of Benjamin F. and Eliza Caroline (Earle) Sloan; great-grandson of John Baylis and Sarah Ann (Taylor) Earle; great²-grandson of *Samuel Taylor*, Captain, in Col. William Thompson's Third Regt., South Carolina Rangers; great-grandson of *David Sloan*, Officer in North Carolina Militia and Cont'l Line.
- JOHN ELLIOTT SLOAN, Nashville, Tenn. (42193). Son of Paul Lowe and Anne (Joy) Sloan; grandson of Vaniah and Latitia (Lowe) Sloan; great-grandson of George L. and Caroline (Townsend) Sloan; great²-grandson of Thomas and Hannah (Barnard) Sloan; great³-grandson of *John Barnard*, Lieutenant in Col. Wolcott's and Col. Chester's Conn. Regts., and Captain in Third Regt., Conn. Line.
- HAROLD RYLAND SMALLEY, Takoma Park, Md. (D. C. 41332). Son of Abram J. and Sarah Eliza (Hand) Smalley; grandson of John Randolph and Gertrude (Byington) Hand; great-grandson of Milo Newton and Susan E. A. (Throop) Byington; great²-grandson of Daniel and Sarah (Mason) Throop; great³-grandson of *Daniel Throop*, Captain, Second Regt., Conn. Light Horse, Cont'l Line.
- DONALD McKEEN SMITH, East Roselle, N. J. (42327). Son of Gilbert DeWitt and Irene (M. —) Smith; grandson of Adrian W. and Helen W. (Whittemore) Smith; great-grandson of Gilbert and Helen (DeWitt) Smith; great²-grandson of *John DeWitt*, Lieutenant, Dutchess County, N. Y. Militia.
- EDWIN ROSS SMITH, Chattanooga, Tenn. (42177). Supplementals. Son of Edwin de Lancy and Martha Fain (Ross) Smith; grandson of John Fain and Elizabeth Florence (Clark) Ross; great-grandson of Leonard Gansevoort and Martha (Gillespie) Fain; great²-grandson of John and Amelia Samples (Gillespie) Fain; great³-grandson of *Samuel* and Rosannah (McMahon) Fain, private, in Major Evan Shelby's Co., Va. Militia at King's Mountain; great⁴-grandson of *Nicholas Fain*, private, North Carolina Militia; great³-grandson of *Thomas* and Agnes (Orr) Gillespie, Captain in Col. Sevier's Regt. at King's Mountain; great⁴-grandson of *George Gillespie*, Ranger in Col. Marion's Regt., S. Car. Militia.
- JAMES HARDIN SMITH, St. Louis, Mo. (41960). Son of William Swan and Margaret (Hardin) Smith; grandson of Amos and Letticia (Montgomery) Hardin, Jr., great-grandson of Amos and Polly (Gollaher) Hardin; great²-grandson of *Joseph Hardin*, Representative from Tryon County to N. C. Provincial Congress of 1775 and '76 also Captain and Colonel, Tryon County, N. C. Light Horse and Militia.
- JESSE MARION SMITH, N. Y. (41563). Supplementals. Son of John Avery and Harriett Emily (Thompson) Smith; grandson of Isaac and Kezia (Wickes) Thompson; great-grandson of Jared and Lydia (Blackslee) Thompson; great²-grandson of *Samuel Thompson*, Captain, Seventh Co., Col. John Chester's Sixth Batt'l'n, Wadsworth's Brigade, Conn. Troops; great²-grandson of *Isaac Blakeslee (Blakesley)*, Ensign and Lieutenant of the Second Regt., Conn. Troops.
- KENNETH M. SMITH, Vallejo, Calif. (42436). Son of Charles Payne and Eleanor DeForrest (Potter) Smith; grandson of William Myron and Elvira (Payne) Smith; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Kesiah (Kenney) Payne; great²-grandson of *Stephen Payne (Pain)*, private and Sergeant in Col. Brewer's and Col. Sprout's Regts., Mass. Cont'l Troops.
- WATSON ROWE SNIVELY, Waynesboro, Pa. (42558). Son of Lemuel and Anna Mary (Rowe) Snively; grandson of Samuel and Susannah (Snively) Snively; great-grandson *Andrew Snively*, private in Eighth and then First Batt'l'n, Cumberland County, Pa. Militia.
- MYER SOLIS-COHEN, Philadelphia, Pa. (42559). Son of Jacob da Silva and Miriam (Binswanger) Solis-Cohen; grandson of Myer David and Judith Simha (Solis) Cohen; great-grandson of Jacob da Silva and Charity (Hays) Solis; great²-grandson of *David Hays, Jr.*, Signer of Westchester County, N. Y. Oath of Allegiance.
- FREDERICK KROEBER SPARROW, JR., Washington, D. C. (41339). Son of Frederick K. and Minnie (Tomlinson) Sparrow; grandson of George W. and Florence (Scholl) Tomlinson; great-grandson of John Buffington and Sarah (Ring) Tomlinson; great²-grandson of Isaac and Ann (Buffington) Tomlinson; great²-grandson of *Thomas Buffington*, Lieutenant in Capt. Matthias Slaymaker's Co., First Batt'l'n, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia and member of Chester County Committee of Observation.

- NEWTON WITHINGTON SPEECE, Captain, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C. (Minn. 41982). Son of Anthony Snyder and Ann (Shipman) Speece; grandson of Abraham and Elizabeth (Yoxtheimer) Shipman; great-grandson of John and Mary (McKinney) Shipman; great²-grandson of *Abraham McKinney*, Captain, Sussex County, N. J. Militia.
- AUSTIN SPERRY, Berkeley, Calif. (42440). Son of Austin and Mary (Simpson) Sperry; grandson of Thomas and Eliza (Whitehouse) Simpson; great-grandson of Andrew and Elizabeth (Haley) Whitehouse; great²-grandson of *Pelataiah Haley (Haly)*, Corporal, Col. Samuel McCobb's Regt., Mass. Militia on a Penobscot Expedition; also member of Kittery, Maine, Committee of Safety.
- HORACE BENJAMIN SPERRY, San Francisco, Calif. (42441). Same as Austin Sperry, Calif. (42440).
- ROBERT WILLIAR STADDEN, Bartonsville, Pa. (42485). Son of David I. and Barbara Anna (Kohler) Stadden; grandson of William and Sarah (Ireland) Stadden; great-grandson of John and Jane (Sample) Stadden; great²-grandson of *William Stadden*, private from Northumberland County in Capt. Robinson's Co., Pa. Rangers.
- BELVO Z. STAMBAUGH, Adrian, Mich. (41941). Son of William Douglas and Loretta Emily (Cross) Stambaugh; grandson of Norman B. and Phebe Eveline (Atwater) Cross; great-grandson of Anos and Elizabeth (Bentley) Atwater; great²-grandson of *Asaph Atwater*, private, Capt. Griswold's Co., Conn. Militia.
- ARTHUR FOWLER STANIFORD, Jr., Ridgewood, N. J. (N. Y. 42408). Son of Arthur Fowler and Amanda M. (Hutson) Staniford; grandson of Daniel and Caroline Cecelia (Fawcett) Staniford; great-grandson of Thomas and Mary (—) Staniford; great²-grandson of James and Bethiah (Patch) Staniford; great³-grandson of *John Patch*, Member of Boston, Mass. Committee of Safety and Correspondence and part owner of a privateer vessel.
- ROBERT HUTSON STANIFORD, Brooklyn, N. Y. (42409). Same as Arthur Fowler Staniford, Jr., (N. Y. 42408).
- ORLO GILBERT STEELE, Yreka, Calif. (42435). Son of Elijah and Louisa (Lanze) Steele; grandson of Orlo and Fanny (Abbey) Steele; great-grandson of Peter and Hannah (Alden) Abbey; great²-grandson of *Thomas Abbey (Abbe)*, Captain in Third Regt., Conn. Cont'l Troops.
- BRAINERD UPTEGROVE STEPHENS, Denison, Texas (42505). Son of John Leonard and Mary C. (Stephens) Stephens; grandson of N. B. and Rebekah (Stephens) Stephens; great-grandson of Leonard and Katherine (Sanford) Stephens; great²-grandson of *Richard Sanford*, Lieutenant, Capt. James Triplett's Co., Westmoreland County, Va. Militia.
- JAMES MONROE STEVENS, Washington, D. C. (41333). Son of Benjamin Franklin and Nancy (Anderson) Stevens; grandson of James G. and Hannah (McAdams) Anderson; great-grandson of *William McAdams*, private, Capt. Douglas' Co., Col. O'Neale's Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- JAMES GRAHAM STEWART, Washington, D. C. (41345). Son of James Graham and Lillian Martha (Murray) Stewart; grandson of John Alexander and Sarah Jane (Kyler) Murray; great-grandson of William and Malinda (Mains) Murray; great²-grandson of William and (—) Murray; great³-grandson of *James Murray*, Member of Committee of Safety and Captain, Fourth Batt'l'n, Lancaster County, Pa. Associators.
- BYRON POLK STOOKEY, New York, N. Y. (42424). Son of Lyman Polk and Marie Louise (Brumbaugh) Stookey; grandson of Simeon K. and Christiana (Stookey) Brumbaugh; great-grandson of David and Eva (Kissecker) Brumbaugh; great²-grandson of *Jacob Brumbaugh (Johann Jacob Brumbach)*, private, Frederick County, Md. Militia.
- VERNON THEODORE STRONG, San Francisco, Calif. (42427). Son of Theodore Pomeroy and Amy Bond (Baker) Strong; grandson of Jacob Hurd and Laura Frances (Walker) Strong; great-grandson of Anson and Clarissa (Hurd) Strong; great²-grandson of *Jacob Hurd*, private from Chatham in Capt. McGregor's Co., Conn. Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- CHARLES ALBERT STUDEBAKER, Brooklyn, N. Y. (42268). Son of Albert Hedges and Mary (Green) Studebaker; grandson of Abraham Leidy and Elizabeth Ann (Hedges) Studebaker; great-grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Leidy) Studebaker; great²-grandson of *Samuel Leidy*, private in Col. Heister's Regt., Pa. Militia and in Col. William Darke's Regt., Virginia Militia, pensioned.

- JOHN SAXTON SUMNER, Brooklyn, N. Y. (42269). Son of George Watson and Henrietta Eliza (Ruan) Sumner; grandson of Watson and Hester Ann (Welling) Sumner; great-grandson of Daniel and Hannah (Watson) Sumner; great²-grandson of *Hezekiah Sumner*, private, Capt. Allen's Co., Col. Wigglesworth's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- JAMES SWEENEY, Buffalo, N. Y. (42402). Son of James and Kate (Ganson) Sweeney; grandson of James and Moicah (Vandervoort) Sweeney; great-grandson of Michael and Rebecca (Whiting) Vandervoort; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Whiting*, Lieutenant, First Co., Col. Waterbury's Fifth Regt., Conn. Cont'l Line.
- GEORGE ROSCOE BLAINE SYMONDS, Nutley, N. J. (42328). Son of George Wilson and Isabella (Vreeland) Symonds; grandson of George and Sarah Ann (Wilson) Symonds; great-grandson of John and Lucia (Chesebrough) Symonds; great²-grandson of *Jabez Chesebrough*, Corporal in Capt. James Hill's Co., Col. Sam McClellan's Regt., Conn. State Troops.
- ROBERT MORSE TARBELL, Waterloo, Ia. (41833). Son of Clarence L. and Sarah (Morse) Tarbell; grandson of Charles Gilman and Charlotte Elizabeth (Martin) Tarbell; great-grandson of Gilman and Joanna (Blodgett) Tarbell; great²-grandson of Daniel and Betsey (Wheeler) Tarbell; great³-grandson of *James and Esther (Fletcher) Tarbell*, private from Pepperill in Col. William Prescott's Regt., Mass. Militia; great⁴-grandson of *Gershom Fletcher*, private and Sergeant, from Pepperill, in Col. James Prescott's and Col. Jonathan Reed's Regts., Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Luther Mosely and Charlotte (Bass) Martin; great²-grandson of Joel and (—) Bass; great³-grandson of *Ebenezer Bass*, Lieutenant on Galley "Trumbull" on Lake Champlain; grandson of Robert E. and Caroline E. (Humphrey) Morse; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Taylor) Morse, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Samuel Morse*, private and Corporal from Wareham in Mass. Militia; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Stocker) Humphrey; great²-grandson of Squire and Sallie (Sveet) Humphrey; great³-grandson of *William Humphrey*, Lieutenant and Captain in Col. William Angell's Second Regt., R. I. Troops, prisoner, pensioned; great²-grandson of Andrew and Mary Magdalene (Hass) Stocker, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Andrew Stocker*, private, Capt. Jacob Buss' First Co., Second Batt'l'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia; great³-grandson of *John and Helena Catherine (Heller) Hass, Jr.*, Sergeant, Eighth Co., First Batt'l'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia; great⁴-grandson of *John Hass*, Lieutenant, Eighth Co., Eighth Batt'l'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia; great⁴-grandson of *Christopher Heller*, private, Fourth Co., Eighth Batt'l'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- WILSON WYATT TARLETON, Sr., Atlanta, Ga. (La. 41792). Son of Thomas Wyatt and Louise (Wilson) Tarleton; grandson of Leo and Gabriella Augusta (Hawkins) Tarleton; great-grandson of Thomas Wyatt and Anne Elinor (Garrard) Hawkins; great²-grandson of *James Garrard*, Colonel, Stafford County, Va. Militia.
- HUNTINGTON TAYLOR, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho (40613). Son of James Monroe and Kate (Huntington) Taylor; grandson of Elon and Anjenette (Cole) Huntington; great-grandson of Amos and Pamela (Hurd) Huntington, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Amos Huntington*, Captain of Hubbardston, Vt. Militia, prisoner.
- JAMES BISHOP THOMAS, Winter Park, Fla. (39038). Son of Edward Cady and Emma Amelia (Davies) Thomas; grandson of Eleazer Cady and Cordelia (Brainerd) Thomas; great-grandson of William and Emma (Halsey) Thomas; great²-grandson of *Malachi Thomas*, Sergeant, from Lebanon, in Conn. Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- SAMUEL ARTHUR THOMPSON, Mass. (41607). Supplemental. Son of Joseph M. and Lucy K. P. (Holbrook) Thompson; grandson of Samuel and Lucy Knight (Parsons) Holbrook; great-grandson of Stephen and Margeretta F. (Randall) Parsons; great²-grandson of *Josiah Parsons*, Sergeant, Mass. Militia and Lieutenant in Capt. Wheelwright's Co., Col. Benjamin Tupper's Eleventh Regt., Mass. Cont'l Line.
- THOMAS CLARKSON THOMPSON, North Chattanooga, Tenn. (42189). Son of Hugh Smith and Elizabeth Anderson (Clarkson) Thompson; grandson of Henry Tazewell and Agnes (Smith) Thompson; great-grandson of Waddy and Eliza Blackburn (Williams) Thompson; great²-grandson of *James Williams*, Lieutenant and Captain, Tenth Regt., Va. Cont'l Line; grandson of Thomas Boston and Sarah Caroline (Heriot) Clarkson; great-grandson of Robert and Maria Elizabeth (Heriot) Heriot; great²-grandson of *Robert Heriot (Herriot)*, Colonel Georgetown, S. C. Militia, taken prisoner at Charleston.
- EDWARD GRANT TICE, Bethlehem, Pa. (42486). Son of E. Grant and Mary Catherine (Rau) Tice; grandson of Edmund F. and Pauline Susanna (Eberhard) Tice; great-

- grandson of John and Catherine (Frey, Eberhard; great²-grandson of *Michael Eberhard (Erhart)*, private in Third and Second Cos., Second and Fourth Batt'ns, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- ELMER GRANT TICE, Bethlehem, Pa. (42487). Son of Edmund F. and Pauline Susanna (Eberhard) Tice; grandson of John and Catherine (Frey) Eberhard; great-grandson of *Michael Eberhard (Erhart)*, private in Third and Second Cos., Second and Fourth Batt'ns, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- EUGENE FRANKLIN TICE, Bethlehem, Pa. (42488). Same as Edward Grant Tice, Pa. (42486).
- ELBERT REYNOLDS TILLINGHAST, Montclair, N. J. (42334). Son of Caleb E. and Mary A. (Reynolds) Tillinghast; grandson of Thomas Sweet and Mary (Howard) Tillinghast; great-grandson of Pardon and Mary (Sweet) Tillinghast; great²-grandson of *Charles Tillinghast*, Enlisting Officer for Rhode Island, killed by Tories.
- WILLIAM BELL TIPPETTS, St. Petersburg, Fla. (39039). Son of William H. and Emily Katherine (Bell) Tippetts; grandson of Charles Jerome and Eliza (Sanford) Tippetts; great-grandson of James and Sarah (Wetmore) Tippetts; great²-grandson of *Bela Wetmore*, private in Col. Bradford's and Col. Michael Jackson's Fourteenth and Eighth Regts., Mass. Cont'l Infantry, pensioned.
- GEORGE CONNOR TRAWICK, St. Louis, Mo. (41959). Son of Andrew Marcus and Martha Benita (McSwain) Trawick; grandson of David and Benita (Randle) McSwain; great-grandson of John and Sarah (Callaway) Randle; great²-grandson of *Richard Randle*, private, Capt. John Macklin's Co., Col. Allen's Regt., Brunswick County, Va. Militia, pensioned.
- DAVID ORIN TRUE, Chicago, Ill. (42064). Son of Edgar Curtis and Margaret (Owen) True; grandson of Orin Haines and Sarah L. (Beane) True; great-grandson of Asa W. and Rebecca (Haines) True; great²-grandson of Josiah and Sally (Sturtevant) Haines; great³-grandson of *Matthias Haines*, private, Capt. Joseph Dearborn's Co., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops.
- GLENN ALBERT TUCKER, San Diego, Calif. (42452). Son of James McLean and Eva (Nelson) Tucker; grandson of James and Caroline (Johnston) Tucker; great-grandson of Tempest and Sarah (McLean) Tucker; great²-grandson of *James Tucker*, Teamster and Wagonmaster, Capt. Moses Munson's Team Brigade, N. J. Militia.
- ARTHUR CAMPBELL TURNER, Washington, D. C. (41334). Son of Thomas Theodore and Harriot Stoddert (Brown) Turner, grandson of Henry Smith and Julia Mary (Hunt) Turner; great-grandson of Thomas and Eliza (Randolph) Turner; great²-grandson of *Robert Randolph*, Lieutenant, Third Regt., Va. Cont'l Dragoons.
- BENJAMIN HARRISON TURNER, Roanoke, Va. (42136). Son of Benjamin Harrison and Mary Virginia (Brill) Turner; grandson of Benjamin Harrison and Louisa Tod (Wright) Turner; great-grandson of George Pendleton and Lucy Taylor (Harrison) Turner; great²-grandson of Daniel and Sarah (Pendleton) Turner; great³-grandson of Edmund and Mildred (Pollard) Pendleton; great⁴-grandson of *John Pendleton*, Clerk of Va. Senate of 1776 and appointed at Richmond to sign the Treasury Notes to meet War Expenses.
- GEORGE THOMAS TYSON, Eastville, Va. (42139). Son of Thomas C. and Susan A. (Joynes) Tyson; grandson of Thomas and Sarah Ellen (Nelson) Tyson; great-grandson of John and Mary (Widgeon) Tyson; great²-grandson of Nathaniel and Judith (Wilkins) Tyson; great³-grandson of *John Wilkins*, Member of Northampton County, Va. Committee of Safety.
- CHARLES ALVA UTLEY, Sacramento, Calif. (42456). Son of George and Emma A. (Cook) Utley; grandson of Alva Paul and Emeline (Allen) Cook; great-grandson of Paul and Polly (Brown) Cook; great²-grandson of *Sylvanus Brown*, private and Sergeant, Vermont Militia.
- GREENLEAF SCOTT VAN GORDER, N. Y. (41565). Supplementals. Son of Simon and Elizabeth (Morehouse) Van Gorder; grandson of John and Sarah (Helm) Van Gorder; great-grandson of Simon and Maria (Schoonmaker) Helm; great²-grandson of *Abraham Helm*, private, Ulster County, New York Militia; great³-grandson of Cornelius C. and Ariantje (Terwilliger) Schoonmaker; great⁴-grandson of *Cornelius Schoonmaker*, private in Col. Pawling's and Col. Cantine's Regts., Ulster County, N. Y. Militia.

- ERIC CARROLL VANCE, Rochester, N. Y. (42403). Son of Carroll Herbert and Bertha Marie (Glanz) Vance; grandson of John A. and Clarinda G. (Daggett) Vance; great-grandson of David and Meribah Carr (Greene) Daggett; great²-grandson of Henry Carr and Clarinda (Post) Greene; great³-grandson of Roswell and Martha (Mead) Post, Jr., great⁴-grandson of *Roswell Post*, Member of Vermont Assembly, 1778 to '81 and of War Board Committee.
- FRANK ROBERT VIERLING, Omaha, Nebr. (40219). Son of Adolph Joseph and Kate Luella (Oregon) Vierling; grandson of William Perry and Lucia Emily (Mead) Organ; great-grandson of Ezra and Sylvia (Packard) Mead; great²-grandson of Ezra and Hannah (Sampson) Mead; great³-grandson of *Ezra Mead*, private, Col. Warren's and Col. Ebenezer Allen's Regts., Vermont Militia.
- CHARLES TIMOTHY WALLACE, Buffalo, N. Y. (42253). Son of George A. and Fannie S. (Ware) Wallace; grandson of Timothy and Olive (Sherman) Wallace; great-grandson of *Ebenezer* and Anna (Snow) Wallace, private in Capt. Boutelle's Co., Col. John Bond's Regt., and in Col. Webb's Regt., Mass. Cont'l Troops, pensioned; great²-grandson of *Benoni Wallace*, private, Capt. George Kimball's Lunenburg Co., Mass. Militia at Lexington Alarm; great³-grandson of *Silas Snow*, Second Lieutenant, Capt. Jonathan Wood's Co., Eighth Regt., Worcester County, Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Nathan and Mary (Carpenter) Sherman; great²-grandson of *George* and *Chloe (Mason) Sherman, Jr.*, private, Berkshire County, Mass. Militia, also in Vermont Militia; great³-grandson of *George Sherman, Sr.*, Captain in Col. Joab Stafford's Independent Co., Worcester County, Mass. Volunteers; great-grandson of Nathan and Mary (Carpenter) Sherman; great²-grandson of *Jabez Carpenter*, private from Rehoboth in Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regt., Mass. Militia; grandson of Charles Seymour and Helen Amanda (Turner) Ware; great-grandson of Solomon Laurence and Lucia (Cole) Ware; great²-grandson of *Jesse* and Mrs. Eunice (Lawrence) Scott Ware, Sergeant from New Braintree in Mass. Militia at Lexington Alarm; great³-grandson of *Samuel Ware*, Member, New Braintree, Mass. Committee of Safety; great²-grandson of *Justin* and *Elizabeth (Spaford) Cole*, private from Hatfield in Col. John Fellow's Regt., Mass. Militia, widow pensioned; great³-grandson of *Andrew Spaford (Spofford)*, private and Sergeant, Berkshire County, Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Otis and Salome (White) Turner; great²-grandson of *David* and *Martha (Cottle) White*, private from Chesterfield in Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of *Ezekiel White*, Corporal, Col. Samuel Brewer's and Col. John Dickenson's Regts., Mass. Militia.
- JAMES CLAY WARD, Paris, Ky. (41662). Son of J. Miller and Belle Brent (Clay) Ward; grandson of James E. and Elizabeth (Alexander) Clay; great-grandson of Charlton and Katherine (Butler) Alexander; great²-grandson of Matthew Y. and Elizabeth (Morin) Alexander; great³-grandson of James and Jane (Shores) Morin; great⁴-grandson of *Thomas Shores*, Captain, Loudoun County, Va. Militia and member of a committee to draft resolutions of Independence.
- CHARLES FRANK WARNER, Buffalo, N. Y. (42425). Son of Francis M. and Mary (Cannon) Warner; grandson of Nathaniel and Roxie (Ingersoll) Warner; great-grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth (Weyburn) Ingersoll; great²-grandson of *Samuel Ingersoll*, private, Capt. Charles Smith's Co., Ninth Regt., Conn. Militia.
- CHARLES H. WARNER, Aitkin, Minn. (41984). Son of Nathan and Nancy (Ingraham) Warner; grandson of Eliphalet and Edith (Gray) Warner; great-grandson of *Consider Warner*, private, Capt. Elijah Deming's Co., Col. Ashley's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- CLIFFORD SELDEN WEAVER, McKinney, Texas (41724). Son of Thomas F. and Martha Emma (Farr) Weaver; grandson of "Dolphin" and Sarah (Smith) Weaver; great-grandson of *Tilman* and — (Montgomery) Weaver, Captain, Fauquier County, Va. Militia; great²-grandson of *John Montgomery*, private, Col. James Irvine's and Hubley's Regts., Pa. Cont'l Troops and Member of Gen'l Washington's Life Guard in 1778, pensioned.
- FRANK FELIX WEAVER, Dallas, Texas (42502). Son of Frank Reuben and Susan Wesley (Beasley) Weaver; grandson of Frank Felix and Martha Angeline (Bolles) Weaver; great-grandson of Reuben and Catherine Anderson (Vaughan) Bolles; great²-grandson of James and Nancy (Hatchette) Vaughan; great³-grandson of *David Vaughan*, private, Capt. Reuben Lipscomb's Co., Col. Alexander McClanachan's Seventh Regt., Va. Cont'l Troops.

- EDWARD THRUSTON WEEKS, New Iberia, La. (41790). Son of Charles Mynn Conrad and Margaret Ann (Glassell) Weeks; grandson of David and Mary Clara (Conrad) Weeks; great-grandson of Frederick and Frances (Thruston) Conrad; great-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston*, Colonel from Gloucester County, Va., of one of the sixteen additional Cont'l Regts., wounded at Amboy.
- WILLIAM GLASSELL WEEKS, New Iberia, La. (41791). Same as Edward Thruston Weeks, La. (41790).
- PHILIP VAN HORN WEEMS, U. S. Navy, Annapolis, Md. (42027). Son of Joseph Burch and May Elizabeth (Rye) Weems; grandson of Nathaniel Chapman and Eleanor Ann (Hatton) Weems; great-grandson of William Lock and Elizabeth Taylor (Burch) Weems; great-grandson of Nathaniel Chapman and Violetta (Van Horn) Weems; great-grandson of *William Lock Weems*, Members of a Committee of Prince Georges County, Md., to carry the Cont'l Congress "Association Act" into execution.
- CHARLES HENRY HARRISON WEIKEL, Bethlehem, Pa. (42489). Son of John Jacob and Harriet (Surghnor) Weikel; grandson of Thomson and Martha Haymond (Capito) Surghnor; great-grandson of Daniel and Jerusha (Hart) Capito; great-grandson of Daniel and Margaret (Bunn) Hart; great-grandson of *John Hart*, New Jersey Signer of the Declaration of Independence.
- WILLIAM CLIFFORD WEIRICK, Lincoln, Calif. (41398). Son of William Henry and Elizabeth (Raymond) Weirick; grandson of Elnathan and Rachel (Banning) Raymond; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Raymond*, private, Col. Mead's Regt., Conn. Militia, pensioned.
- CHARLES LEON WEISER, St. Paul, Minn. (41985). Son of George Bucher and Susan (Ressler) Weiser; grandson of George and Elizabeth (Bucher) Weiser; great-grandson of *Henry Bucher*, private and Ensign, Northumberland County, Pa. Militia.
- WEBSTER CLAY WEISS, Bethlehem, Pa. (42358). Son of Edward and Henrietta (Steckel) Weiss; grandson of Thomas and Maria (Solt) Weiss; great-grandson of *Jacob Weiss*, private in Col. Cadwallader's Regt., Philadelphia Volunteers, also deputy Quartermaster-General for Northampton County, Pa.
- ELMER ELLSWORTH WELLER, Golden, Colo. (41808). Son of John and Sarah (Critchfield) Weller; grandson of John and Susan (Baker) Critchfield; great-grandson of *William Critchfield*, private, Washington County, Pa. Militia, pensioned.
- FRANCIS A. WELLER, Sharon, Pa. (42560). Son of Daniel L. and Mary Jane (Kelly) Weller; grandson of Daniel and Catherine (Grounds) Weller; great-grandson of *Daniel Weller*, private, Capt. Abraham Forney's Co., Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- FREDERICK LUCIAN WELLMAN, Springfield, Mass. (42245). Son of Lucian Lorenzo and Sarah Lydia (Albee) Wellman; grandson of Ambrose Lorenzo and Betsey E. (Howe) Wellman; great-grandson of *John Wellman*, Sergeant, Col. Moses Little's Twelfth Regt., Mass. Cont'l Infantry, also Surgeon on brigantine "Hawke."
- ROBERT CLARK WELSH, Harrisburg, Pa. (42561). Son of Arthur Wesley and Matilda Weisel (Rhode) Welsh; grandson of Jacob and Margaret (Weisel) Rhode, Jr.; great-grandson of Daniel and Margaret (Startzman) Weisel; great-grandson of *Jacob Weisel*, Ensign and Lieutenant, Second and Third Batt'l's, Bucks County, Pa. Militia.
- DOUGLAS BERTRAM WESSON, Longmeadow, Mass. (42534). Son of Joseph Hawes and Florence Mary (Stebbins) Wesson; grandson of Daniel Baird and Cynthia M. (Hawes) Wesson; great-grandson of Rufus and Betsey (Baird) Wesson; great-grandson of Joel and Hannah (Bigelow) Wesson; great-grandson of *John Wesson*, private in Capt. Joseph Winch's Co., Col. Samuel Bullard's Regt., Mass. Troops under Gen'l Gates, Northern Department.
- FRANK MOORE WHALEY, Uniontown, Pa. (42562). Son of James Canon and Virginia (Bowie) Whaley; grandson of Henry George and Mary (Herbert) Whaley; great-grandson of *Benjamin Whaley*, private and Sergeant-Major in Loudon and Berkeley County Regts., Va. and Cont'l Troops and Captain with Col. George Rogers Clarke, later a supernumerary Captain, four-years service, pensioned; grandson of Theophilus and Mary Jane (Smith) Bowie; grandson of John and Ann (Calvert) Bowie, great-grandson of *Allen Bowie*, Captain, twenty-ninth Batt'l'n, Frederick County, Md. Militia.
- JAMES CANON WHALEY, Uniontown, Pa. (42563). Same as Frank Moore Whaley, Pa. (42562).

- THORNTON WHALING, Louisville, Ky. (41663). Son of Alexander Lewis and Agatha Lewis (Williams) Whaling; grandson of William Curle and Margaret (Bryan) Williams; great-grandson of *James Bryan*, private from Roanoke, Va. in Col. Otho Williams' Regt., Gen'l Greene's Division, Cont'l Line.
- GEORGE BENJAMIN WHEELER, Grantwood, N. J. (Vt. 38039). Son of Timothy Beadle and Sidnie (Jones) Wheeler; grandson of Russell Clark and Mary Ann (Drake) Norton; great-grandson of Timothy Bedel and Phebe (Wentworth) Wheeler; great-grandson of *Seth Wheeler*, Lieutenant in Col. Seth Warner's Regt., Vt. Militia in 1775-'76, Captain in Col. Timothy Bedel's Regt., N. H. Militia and in Col. Benjamin Simond's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- JOHN A. WHETSTONE, San Marcos, Calif. (41397). Son of Elias and Hannah (Steigerwalt) Whetstone; grandson of John and Barbara (Mesher) Whetstone; great-grandson of Isaac and Pass (Huntzinger) Whetstone; great-grandson of *Jacob Whetstone*, Captain in Third Batt'l'n, Berk's County, Pa. Militia.
- ARTHUR WHITE, Savage, Mont. (31794). Son of Edward H. and Martha Jane (Morris) White; grandson of Isaac N. and Emily (Thompson) Morris; great-grandson of John and Sallie (Feagom) Thompson; great-grandson of William and Nancy (Lewis) Thompson; great-grandson of *James Thompson*, Sergeant in Major John Hawkins Stone's Co., First Regt., Md. Cont'l Line.
- JOHN MACMILLAN WHITE, Washington, Pa. (42490). Son of Samuel D. and Sarah Ann (Dinsmore) White; grandson of James and Margaret (Lyle) Dinsmore; great-grandson of *Robert Lyle*, private and Sergeant, Second Batt'l'n, Northampton County, Pa. Militia.
- PERCY KEITH WHITE, Ambridge, Pa. (42564). Son of Alexander Culbertson and Jemima Douglas (Gageby) White; grandson of John and Margaret Ann (McLain) White; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Patton) White; great-grandson of *James Patton*, Captain in Col. Culbertson's Sixth Batt'l'n, Cumberland County, Pa. Militia.
- THOMAS KENNEDY WHITE, Huron, S. D. (38868). Son of Lewis E. and Elizabeth Emmet (Weaver) White; grandson of Lewis and Nancy (Fleming) Weaver; great-grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Larimer) Fleming; great-grandson of William and Martha (McNease) Larimer; great-grandson of *Thomas Larimer (Larimore)*, private, York County, Pa. Militia for Cont'l Line service; great-grandson of Daniel and Susanna (Johnston) Fleming; great-grandson of *James Fleming*, private, Fifty-seventh Batt'l'n, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.
- EVERETT WILCOX, Washington, D. C. (41348). Son of Henry L. and Grace (Curtiss) Wilcox; grandson of Albert Willoughby and Susan (Whitehead) Curtiss; great-grandson of Ira and Artemesia (Willoughby) Curtiss; great-grandson of Abijah and Betsey (Stevenson) Curtiss; great-grandson of *Thomas Stevenson*, Lieutenant in Bradley's Batt'l'n, Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade, died on prison ship "Jersey."
- HENRY PHILIP WILHAITE, Chattanooga, Tenn. (42194). Son of Philip Rainey and Letitia (Cannon) Wilhaite; grandson of Charles L. and Mary Ann (Hooser) Cannon; grandson of Clement and Susan (Locke) Cannon; great-grandson of *Minos Cannon*, private, Guilford County, N. C. Militia.
- CHARLES GLIDDEN WILLARD, Brockton, Mass. (42535). Son of Charles F. and Adelaide L. (Willard) Willard; grandson of Zimri and Margaret (Tate) Willard; great-grandson of Oliver and Azubah (Proctor) Willard; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Haskell) Willard; great-grandson of *Aaron Willard*, Colonel, Second Regt., Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM GRANT WILLARD, Spartanburg, S. C. (42383). Son of Charles A. and Verena Talula (Gregory) Willard; grandson of William and Nancy (Steen) Gregory; great-grandson of Gideon and Naomi T. (Townsend) Steen; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Vance) Steen; great-grandson of *James Steen (Stein)*, Lieutenant-Colonel, South Carolina Militia.
- HAROLD COYE WILMARTH, Grand Rapids, Mich. (41936). Son of Oscar Brown and Carrie (Coyd) Wilmarth; grandson of Oscar R. and Ada Blackmer (Brown) Wilmarth; great-grandson of Lewis and Angenette (Rawson) Wilmarth; great-grandson of *Gershon Wilmarth*, private, Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's Co., Col. John Hathaway's Regt., Mass. Militia.

- OSCAR BROWN WILMARTH, Grand Rapids, Mich. (41937). Son of Oscar R. and Ada Blackmer (Brown) Wilmarth; grandson of Lewis and Angenette (Rawson) Wilmarth; great-grandson of *Gershon Wilmarth*, private, Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's Co., Col. John Hathaway's Regt., Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES ALFRED WILSON, Wichita, Kans. (41014). Son of Alfred Hartwell and Margaret (O'Neil) Wilson; grandson of William and Sallie (Wasson) Wilson, Jr.; great-grandson of *William Wilson*, Lieutenant and Captain, Rowan County, North Carolina Militia, wounded, widow pensioned.
- CHARLES MILES WILSON, Buffalo, N. Y. (42254). Son of John Miles and Barbara (Austin) Wilson; grandson of John and Clarinda (Woodcock) Wilson; great-grandson of *Peter Wilson*, private in Major Thomas Wilson's Dorset Regt., Charlotte County, N. Y. Militia; grandson of Daniel and Mary Elizabeth (Davis) Austin; great-grandson of *Isaac Austin (Auston)*, private, Fourth Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia and Assignor of Land Bounty Rights.
- ROBERT CLINTON WILSON, Rea, Pa. (42359). Son of Andrew C. and Clara B. (Reed) Wilson; grandson of James Mackenzie and Mary P. (Tucker) Reed; great-grandson of William and Isabelle (Curry) Reed; great²-grandson of Nicholas and Elizabeth (Fulton) Reed; great³-grandson of *Joseph Reed*, Member of Pa. State Convention at Carpenter's Hall, June 18, 1776, also Quartermaster and Colonel, Pa. Troops.
- PERRY MELLEN WIMBERLY, Texas (40254). Supplementals. Son of Eugene Bascomb and Lillie Koger (Heard) Wimberly; grandson of William Ezekiel and Sarah Ann (Sinclair) Wimberly; great-grandson of Frederick Davis and Sarah Perdy (McCree) Wimberly; great²-grandson of Frederick Davis and Alice (Rhodes) Wimberly; great³-grandson of *Ezekiel Wimberly*, North Carolina Patriot who furnished guns to the Army; great³-grandson of *Henry Rhodes*, Member of Halifax, North Carolina Provincial Congress of '76 of Council of Safety, also private, Eighth Regt., N. C. Cont'l Line; grandson of Joshua Thomas and Martha Matilda (Koger) Heard; great-grandson of Joseph and Mary (Murray) Koger, Jr., great²-grandson of Joseph and Mary (Cook) Koger; great³-grandson of *Wilson Cook*, private, South Carolina Militia.
- GEORGE THOMPSON WINNE, Springfield, Mass. (42246). Son of Tunis Vischer and Isabella M. (Griffen) Winne; grandson of Daniel K. and Alida (Visscher) Winne; great-grandson of Tunis Garrtse and Alida (Lansing) Visscher; great²-grandson of *Garrit T. Visscher*, private, First Regt., Albany County, N. Y. Militia.
- PAUL YOCUM, Chicago, Ill. (42071). Son of Reuben and Emma (Raven) Yocum; grandson of Reuben and Margaret (Campbell) Yocum; great-grandson of Reuben and — (—) Yocum; great²-grandson of Reuben and Anne (DeHaven) Yocum; great³-grandson of Isaac and Mary (Osborne) DeHaven; great⁴-grandson of *Samuel DeHaven*, private, Fifth Co., First Batt'n, Philadelphia County, Pa. Militia.
- JOHN HESS YOUNG, JR., Bethlehem, Pa. (42360). Son of Jones Hess and Louise Cramer (Schuck) Young; grandson of Theophilus and Caroline (Peeling) Schuck; great-grandson of Jonathan and Sarah (Downs) Peeling; great²-grandson of *Joshua Peeling*, Sergeant in Capt. Marshall's Co., Col. Walter Stewart's Thirteenth Regt., Pa. State Troops of 1777.
- WILLIAM ELLIS ZIMMERMAN, Lansdale, Pa. (42491). Son of William H. and Mary Elizabeth (Beaver) Zimmerman; grandson of Uriah S. and Lavina (Markley) Beaver; great-grandson of Christian and Sarah (Swenk) Markley; great²-grandson of Levi and Elizabeth (Atherholt) Markley; great³-grandson of *George Markley*, private, Lancaster County, Pa. Militia.

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December "Minute Man," page 360, record of G. L. Attwill, the maiden name of his mother should be "Chase" in place of "Chan."

On page 380, "Guy Norville Springer" should read Guy Morville Springer.

In record of Allen Laws Oliver, ancestor's service should read "Virginia" in place of "North Carolina." Also add "commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel in October, 1783."

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